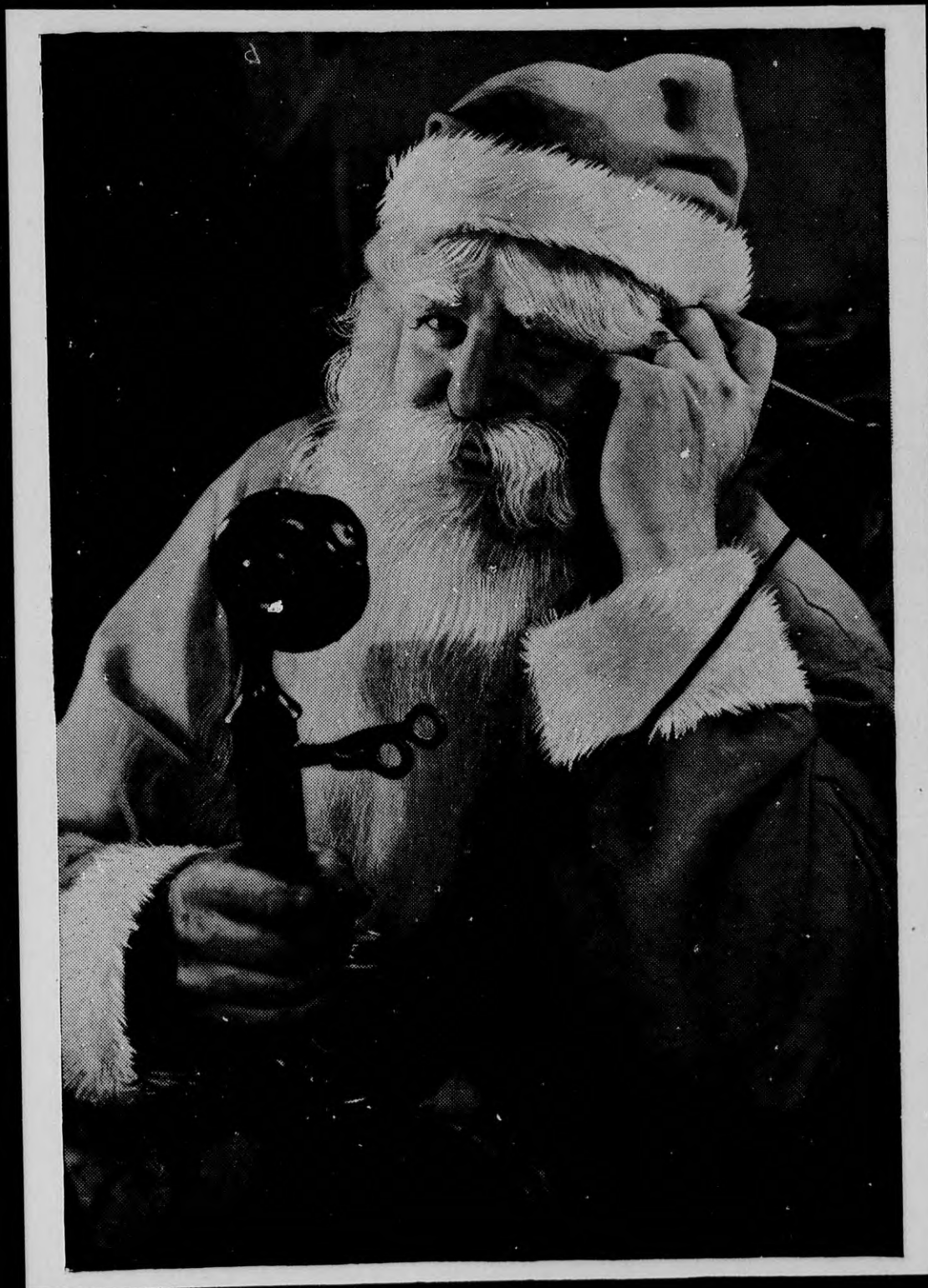
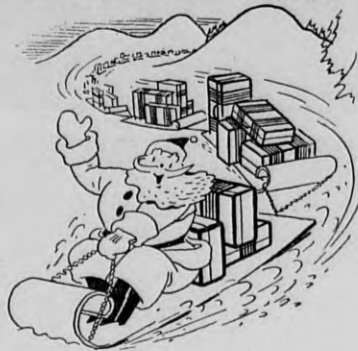


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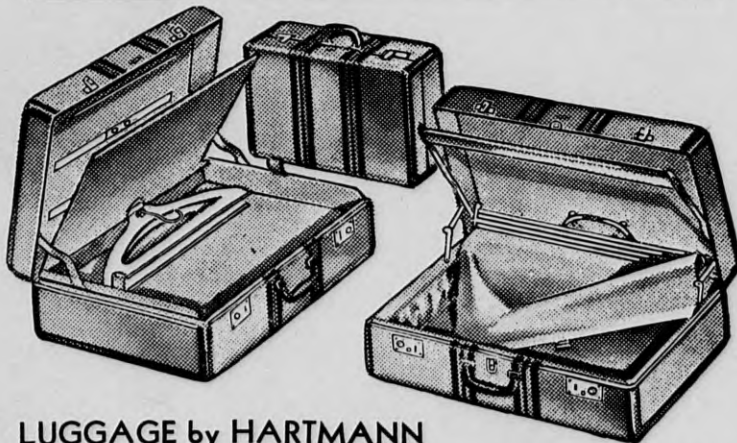
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Order Railroad to Install Lights

Department of Public Utilities Goes Beyond Original Agreement on Crossing

The State Department of Public Utilities decided this week to order the railroad to install standard double flasher lights, with bells, at the Lowell junction railroad crossing where John J. Dole met his death three weeks ago. The road was ordered to put the lights in promptly to avoid any further tragedy.

Several months ago the railroad agreed to put in a gong at the crossing, but the gong had not been installed when the accident occurred, with railroad officials explaining the delay by saying that engineering difficulties connected with the "Y" at the junction had made the problem a far less easy and a far less inexpensive one than had been contemplated. The Department's order goes beyond the original agreement.

The state board of public utilities on Monday viewed the crossing at which John J. Dole was fatally injured in a truck-train crash three weeks ago tonight. Officials from other state departments and local officials were also present.

Two trains passed while the conference was being held, with Sergeant Ray Hickey clocking the whistle of one of them. Eleven seconds elapsed from the time that the whistle first started blowing until it arrived at the crossing. For seventeen seconds the train was in view before it reached the crossing.

While the party was there, a grim reminder of the tragedy was provided when a small work-car rode by bearing part of the wreckage of the huge truck, strewn along three-fourths of a mile of track.

Those present were Chairman Abraham C. Webber, Richard D. Grant, John J. Curley and Leo H. Leary of the state board; board engineer William J. Keefe; state senator Frank D. Babcock; representatives Thomas J. Lane, Louis J. Scanlon and James P. Donnelly; selectmen Howell F. Shepard, J. Everett Collins, and Roy E. Hardy; town clerk George H. Winslow; police chief George A. Dane and sergeant Hickey; registry inspectors Charles J. Bailey and James T. French.

Refuse License for Gas Station

The application of L. Day Van Hoesen for a license to store 3000 gallons of gasoline in an underground tank on the property of Fred Smith on South Main street near the by-pass was turned down Monday night at the meeting of the Board of Selectmen.

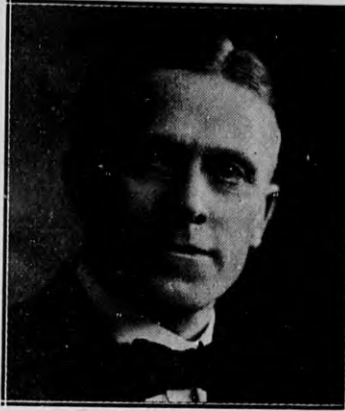
The opinion was expressed during the evening that there are already too many filling stations along that stretch of road.

British War Veterans Plan New Year's Dance

The British War Veterans will hold their annual New Year's Eve dance in the Guild gymnasium this year, with both modern and old-time dancing to be enjoyed.

The committee: George Mitchell, Henry Batty, James Kew, John Nicoll, Norman MacLeish, Silas Walton and John Wynton.

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Rev. Newman Matthews



Rev. Donald H. Savage

Plan to Attend Boston Meeting

Vice-president J. Augustus Remington and secretary Elmer J. Grover of the Andover Taxpayers' association were appointed by president Edmond E. Hammond on Monday night to represent the association at the annual meeting of the State Federation at the Hotel Statler tomorrow.

The 1937-38 dues have been coming in this past week at a faster rate than ever before.

The speakers will be Governor Hurley, Mayor-elect Tobin of Boston and public safety director Elliot Ness of Cleveland.

Academy Trustee Dies in New York

Lansing P. Reed, last spring elected a trustee of Phillips academy, passed away in New York on last Thursday after a nine-day siege of double pneumonia. Mr. Reed, 55, was a member of the law firm of Davis, Polk, Wardwell, Gardiner and Reed which has among its clients J. P. Morgan & Co., the Guaranty Trust and the International Telephone and Telegraph company.

Mr. Reed was a Yale man and a graduate of the class of 1900 at Andover. He donated the William Thompson Reed memorial scholarship fund of \$11,000 in memory of his son, P. A. 1929.

He was chairman of the recent Teachers' Fund campaign.

Town Hall Transformed for Bazaar

Fairyland come true was what the town hall looked like, as the Christ church bazaar opened its doors yesterday to an interested throng of persons, and the whiteness of the landscape outside was carried on in the scheme of decorations inside the hall, where a giant snowman at the door made everyone welcome to Winter, and the simulated icicles dripped all sorts of pretty gifts from Santa Claus from the eaves of the booths.

Evergreen trees added to the scene and the "fruit" on some of them was marvelous to behold, especially the glittering cornucopias which hung from the children's tree. Aprons and kitchen needs galore, handkerchiefs of all sorts, and prices, food to eat, vegetables and

Urges Children to Keep Off Ice

Chief of Police George A. Dane early in the week issued an appeal to parents to keep their children off the ice until it was absolutely safe. Sunday afternoon a youngster had to be pulled out of Hussey's pond in Shawsheen village. The ice was two inches thick on Saturday there, and the cold weather of late Saturday thickened it further. Vale children also went skating, but were warned to keep off the Shawsheen.

Grant Renewal of Liquor Licenses

Seventeen liquor licenses were approved for renewal at the meeting of the selectmen on Monday evening. Four more will be taken up next Monday. The seventeen have been sent on to the Alcoholic Beverages commission in Boston for their approval.

No changes were made in last year's list. The only new application was that of John Welch for an extension of his present license to the sale of hard liquors, but this was turned down. Mr. Welch was given his present soft liquor license again.

EXTINGUISH CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at the residence of Frederick R. Shiers on North street was extinguished by the fire department in answer to a call from Box 75 at eight o'clock Saturday morning.

Says No Saving on School Generating

Power Company Reports that Town Would Lose \$554 Annually

A study of the possibility of the school department's generating its own electricity, made by the Lawrence Gas and Electric company, shows that on an investment of \$22,500 the town would be losing in annual operating costs alone around \$554. This study is in many points at variance with the study made by a Diesel company which estimated an investment of about \$11,000 and an annual saving of about \$1,000. The two reports will be considered Tuesday night at the meeting of the school board.

The power company's report provides for two generators, complete with auxiliaries, switchboard, installation, etc., totalling \$22,500. To supply the 43,920 KWH used in the twelve months ending May, 1937, it would cost annually \$2692. The present charge made by the Gas and Electric company is \$2138, which would mean a loss of \$554 annually. The Diesel company figured operating costs of only about \$1800, and a consequent saving of about \$1,000. Both reports allowed only \$200 for labor on a part-time basis, since the machinery would be pretty much self-running. The power company however reported "It is questionable whether it would be good judgment to have a \$22,500 investment in the hands of a part-time unskilled operator. A good full-time operator would cost \$35-\$40 per week." The power company also mentioned that its figures made no allowance for interest on the plant investment, as it is not known whether it would be financed by a bond issue or by appropriation.

Copies of the report have been sent all members of the school board for pre-meeting study. The figures submitted follow:

PLANT INVESTMENT	
1—100 B.H.P.—66 Kw. Engine Generator	
1—50 B.H.P.—33 Kw. Engine Generator	
Complete with auxiliaries, switchboard, building, etc., installed	\$22,500
LOAD CONDITIONS	
(12 months ended May 1937)	
Lighting	26,480 Kw. hrs.
Power	17,440 Kw. hrs.
	43,920 Kw. hrs.

Combined Demand approx. 65 Kw.

ESTIMATED OPERATING COSTS	
Fuel Oil (8 Kw.-hrs. per gallon) 5,500 gals. at 7c a gallon	375
Lubricating Oil 55 gals at 50c a gallon	27
Allowance for Cooling Water Make-up	25
Insurance	340
Allowance for Annual Overhauling	175
Depreciation—15 year life basis	1500
Miscellaneous	50
Additional Labor—part time	200

\$2692

Paid Lawrence Gas and Electric Company for this same service	2138
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Annual loss by Diesel \$ 554

AUXILIARY PLANS PARTIES

The Clan auxiliary will hold its annual Christmas party for members at the meeting next Thursday evening in Fraternal hall. On the following Thursday evening the annual party for children of members will be held. The annual New Year's party is to be held the first meeting in January, with the Clan members as guests.

Expect Record in Xmas Seal Sale

With only two weeks passed since the launching of the annual sale of Christmas seals, residents of Andover and the rest of the county have shown a response that indicates the appreciation of work done by the local and county Anti-Tuberculosis associations. While there is every reason to believe that people are interested in supporting this fight against tuberculosis, the local committee of the Essex County Health association are striving to surpass previous records and will appreciate early returns from the letters mailed on Thanksgiving Day. Great gains in the total fund will be seen during the next thirteen business days before Christmas, if Christmas seals are

purchased for package and letter decoration.

For the second time in two weeks, a carillon concert will be dedicated to the Christmas seals. Last Sunday Dr. Pfatfeicher favored with a concert at the Memorial tower. The second recital will be held in Gloucester on Wednesday evening, December 15, between seven and eight o'clock and will be given by Miss Mary Mesquita who will play the famous carillon of the Church of Our Lady of Good Voyage on Prospect street. Any person who is unable to listen to this concert will miss hearing the carillon which has the distinction of being the first to be brought into this country, being admitted duty free by Congress in 1922.

A pleasing variation in these musical programs dedicated to The Christmas Seals, will be the playing of the chimes of St. Mary's Star of the Sea church in

Beverly. Nathaniel Nichols of Salem, organist, will give this program on Saturday evening, December 11, between eight and eight-thirty. Having studied extensively in Rome, Mr. Nichols is a skilled organist and the Beverly Anti-Tuberculosis society as well as the county association, are indeed grateful to him for his generous contribution to this 'round the world bell ringing program, which owes its beginning to the jovial town crier's bell on the 1937 Christmas seal.

Directly following the Gloucester concert on December 15, at eight o'clock, the Cavalcade of America will dramatize the Life of Edward Livingston Trudeau which will be broadcast over a coast to coast network of the Columbia Broadcasting system.

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Punchard Notes

Patriotic Shrine

At the regular assembly in the auditorium last Monday Mr. Hamblin showed the students a shrine which had been set up on the platform.

This shrine is a gift to the school from a benefactor and friend who wished to have his name kept undisclosed to the public. The shrine is one that is being put out by the government today, and is found in many educational institutions throughout the nation. The man who presented the gift to Punchard paid the transportation charges as well as purchasing it.

The shrine itself is of a military drab color. It is set on a strong base and just above this is a small tablet with an inscription of presentation. Then on the long perpendicular pole which extends from the base are three swivel frames. Inclosed in these, and protected by strong outer layers of celluloid, are copies of the original Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States, with facsimiles of the signatures of the signers of both. On the back of the third rack are the copies of the portraits of the signers of the Constitution, beneath which are also facsimiles of their signatures.

Sophomores Elect

A meeting of the sophomore class of Punchard high school was held recently at which time the president was elected. Last Friday during the utility period, the vice-president and the secretary were elected. The rest of the officers of the class were elected today.

Those that have already been elected are: president, Warren Richardson; vice-president, Herbert Muller; and secretary, Joseph McCarthy.

COURTEOUS CIRCLE MEETS

Mrs. Henry Myers, president of the New England Women's Press association, gave a talk Monday night on her trip to Palestine, at the annual Christmas meeting of the Courteous Circle of King's Daughters of the South church.

Mrs. Cole played Christmas carols, and Miss Deyermond and Mrs. Morse sang several Yuletide favorites.

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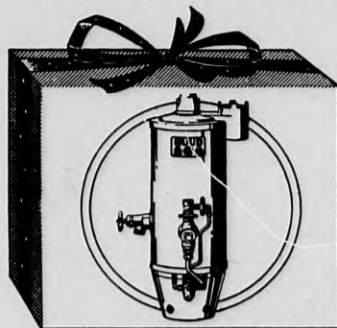
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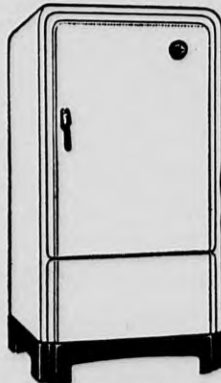
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Plan to Collect Ancestral Records

Mrs. Herbert F. McQuesten spoke on Monday evening before the members of the Andover Historical Society and their friends upon the genealogical project; sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution, giving details in a clear and convincing manner.

The national D.A.R., through its local chapters, is collecting three-generation ancestral records of children of high school age, wherever the school can cooperate.

Young people are chosen because the chances of securing the facts are greater where the parents and grandparents of those filling out the records are still at hand to furnish the desired information.

Older persons are also urged to fill out similar records. Members of historical societies should be specially interested.

It is suggested that records be made out in triplicate, one for the individual, one for the local society, and the third for the official files of national D.A.R. in Washington.

These blanks are of two kinds. The three-generation sheet contains space for the names of the person filling it out, his two parents, four grandparents, and eight great grandparents—14 ancestors in all. Accompanying this are 14 personal history blanks,—one for each of the 14 ancestors with spaces for the usual dates and places of birth, marriage and death and related details.

The importance of giving reliable authority for every statement is stressed, for upon this very accuracy depends the value of the whole record.

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Schools that have sponsored this movement have found in it a new stimulus to the study of history—for when children learn that their own ancestors helped to make this history, lessons take on a new and personal interest.

The Andover Historical Society will gladly act as a depository for completed records. More information will be available to a later date.

Local Policeman Wed in Maine

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Sturmer of Anowsic, Maine, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Louise Sturmer, to Officer Frank McBride of the local police force, at a ceremony that took place recently at St. Mary's church, Bath, Maine. Rev. Fr. Maney, the pastor, conducted the ceremony. The bride is a trained nurse.



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Review of Progress

If all goes well, we're going to take advantage sometime this afternoon of the opportunity offered by the telephone company to go through the local exchange to see how everything works. As a Review of Progress, we think it will be very interesting, and we shall with all due interest examine the switchboard, the teletypewriter and the oscillograph, whatever that is (and whatever its spelling is). We want to see just what happens when someone asks for a certain number, we want to see just how they know so quickly that so-and-so's phone is out-of-order or changed to another number, we want to find how they can keep track of all the out-of-town numbers they're going to call in twenty minutes or so.

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Weddings

Richardson-McKay

Miss Ruth Lillian McKay of 35 Morton street, daughter of Mrs. George Reynolds, and Kenneth Wallace Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Richardson of Beverly, were united in marriage last Friday evening at a candlelight ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Thompson in Hidden Field. Rev. Herman C. Johnson officiated, with Mrs. Thompson playing the wedding marches.

Mrs. Rita Markey of North Andover was matron of honor, and Gordon Richardson was best man. George McKay, the bride's brother, gave her in marriage.

The bride chose for her gown white lace over satin en train with a shoulder length veil of tulle, and she carried white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Markey wore blue satin with yellow accessories and her chrysanthemums also were yellow.

The mantel was banked with white chrysanthemums, smilax and evergreens.

A reception followed, with Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Richardson assisting the bridal party in receiving.

The couple will reside in Middleton on their return from a short wedding trip.

Bakery Sale Is Very Successful

The annual bakery sale of the telephone operators of the local exchange proved very successful last Saturday, and donations have continued to come in all week, assuring some 20 youngsters a good time at the annual party to be held on the 21st. An outfit of clothes, toys and refreshments will be provided the needy youngsters, and more can be accommodated if more donations are received. The girls are very grateful for the patronage of last Saturday.

The committee: Mrs. Arthur Janes, Miss Gertrude White and Miss Ruth Watson.

Club Donates Christmas Funds

The Service Club last night voted to appropriate fifty dollars for the Red Cross for Christmas baskets at the meeting held at Wildwood Inn.

The speaker was Clement J. Sutton formerly of the British secret service. Mr. Sutton showed a few of his paintings, it being the policy of the secret service to have men from as many different walks of life as possible.

Local News Notes

Selectman J. Everett Collins spent a few days in Maine this week.

John White of Elm court, is on the road to recovery at the Lawrence General hospital.

J. Arthur Wessell and family have moved from Summer street to 5 Walnut street, Methuen.

Miss Rita English of High street did the backgrounds for the very interesting windows illustrating Christmas customs of other lands at Sutherland's.

Willard Huntington Currier of Andover is one of 26 men who won class numerals in the season just passed as members of the Bowdoin college junior varsity team.

Magazines make a fine Christmas present lasting through the year. Mrs. C. S. Warden, 4 Summer street, telephone 1167, takes orders for all magazines. Advt.

Roscoe Dake, swimming coach at Phillips academy, was elected secretary of the New England Interscholastic Swimming Coaches association at the annual meeting held last Saturday night in Boston.

Rev. Albert C. Morris of Christ church, who was unable to conduct the services last Sunday because of a cold, was able to be up again Wednesday. He will conduct the services on the coming Sunday. Rev. Dr. Hatch of the Episcopal Theological school in Cambridge preached at the morning services last Sunday, and Rev. William E. Arnold of Grace church, Lawrence, took the eight o'clock service.



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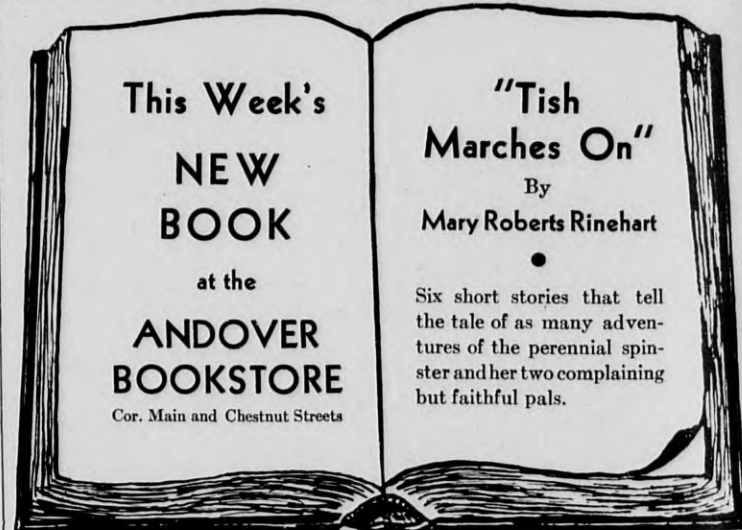
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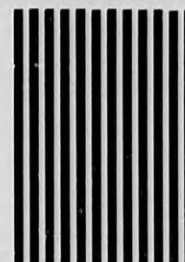
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Reaching Maximum in Some Adult Evening Courses

With nearly three hundred course memberships subscribed to by 170 people the Andover Evening Study Groups program stands about on a par with its record for enrollments this time last year. Each of the twelve courses to be offered this winter has a number of registrations, and in several of the groups the maximum number possible will be reached by the middle of next week, to judge from the present rate of applications.

Prospective members of the groups who have not yet mailed their applications are urged to do so at once in order to avoid disappointment. Attention is also called to the fact that Sunday, December 12, is the last day of the period within which registrations may be mailed at the special rates for single and family applications, as previously announced in this paper and in the Study Groups booklet. To come under the reduced rates, applications must bear a postal cancellation mark of not

later than Sunday night, December 12, or the early hours of Monday.

Among the several courses in which further registrations are welcome, special attention is called to the following: "Architecture Past and Present," to be given by Charles H. Sawyer on Wednesday evenings at 8:40, beginning January 5. This course will discuss particularly some of the challenging phases of the modern experimental architecture now in the process of utilizing new materials and adapting them to new ways of living. Lantern slides and other illustrative material will be used extensively.

"Four Plays of Shakespeare," a reading and discussion course to be given by G. Grenville Benedict on Tuesday evenings at 8:40, beginning January 4, has been planned for the enjoyment of an increasing number of men and women who want to re-read and learn to know well the work of this greatest of poet-dramatists.

Plays read by the group will include Macbeth, Othello, A Midsummer Night's Dream, and Henry IV, Part I.

"Effective Speaking, II," a course which like "Effective Speaking, I," will give training in the principles of good speaking and abundant opportunity for practice before a small and sympathetic group, will be given by Frederick S. Allis, Jr., on Tuesday evenings at 8:40, beginning January 4. The emphasis in this course will be upon discussion of ideas and issues of public interest at the moment, in the form of debates, either singly or in teams. If you have been wanting to learn to express your ideas more freely and easily with friends or in public discussions, the practice in doing so which will be afforded by joining this small and informal group should prove valuable. A maximum of 25 will be admitted to this course.

Large Audience at "Path of Glory"

The Adventurers, opening their 1937-38 season on Tuesday night with the presentation of "A Path of Glory," made a new attendance mark which surpassed any of those set in the four preceding performances. The play was as usual well-directed and well-cast, the only possible fault to be found with it being that the play itself drags a little in places.

Outstanding in the male roles was Lyman Cheever, defeat-seeking president of war-seeking Thalia. He looked the part, he acted the part, he talked the part to perfection. Preventing the play from dragging at times was R-r-r-ober Mac-Lar-r-ren, the orderly with an accent that showed he had more of the thistle than Thalia in him. He would shuffle in, somehow bring himself to give a very limp salute, hear a request and then say "I'll ask the ser-r-r-geant." The latter individual seemed to be the only one in the Thalian army who knew any of the answers; certainly the General, played by George Adams, was adept only at drinking tea and losing wars. Adams had probably the hardest part of all, and he did a fine job on it.

Mrs. Adams played the barmaid, and never was there a more flirtatious and slap-dealing barmaid. Frances McTernan played the part of the President's war-loving daughter, and a charming daughter she proved to be, even for a President. Mrs. E. Taber McFarlin and Miss Evelyne Oliver had one-act roles.

The rest of the cast was entirely male. Charles Armitage, upon whose shoulders have fallen a variety of different characterizations in Adventurers' plays, did very well as the hunched father of the barmaid, and Sumner Davis as the cynical-browed secretary to the president was well-cast. Edward Weeks, Albert Swenson, Joseph Doherty, Geoffrey Nicoll and Harry Emmons, all of whom appeared at more or less length on the stage, performed their roles creditably, while the

cabinet as an easily excited, loud-voiced unit was superb.

The scenery was again applauded at each change.

The ushers: Miss Mary Bailey, Miss Margaret Campbell, Mrs. Roscoe Dake, Miss Agnes Dugan, Miss May Elander, Miss Charlotte Marshall, Mrs. Charles Sawyer, Mrs. Howard Sawyer, Mrs. Minton Warren, Mrs. R. I. W. Westgate, and Miss Dorothy Winn.

Football Team Banquet Thursday

A victory banquet for Punchard's undefeated championship football team is to be held next Thursday evening at the Memorial auditorium. Sweaters are to be given most of the boys, and contributions may be given to Arthur Cole at the town house. Some money has already been received, but the amount is not as yet enough to provide all the boys with the sweaters.

The banquet will be open to the public, the charge being \$1.00. A prominent figure from the sports world will be the principal speaker.

The committee: Arthur Cole, Howell Shepard, J. Everett Collins, Roy E. Hardy, Irving Whitcomb, W. Gordon Coutts, H. Lester Utley, Joseph P. Doherty, William A. Doherty, J. Augustus Remington, Elmer J. Grover, J. Lewis Smith, Frank P. Markey, Carl N. Lindsay, Stafford A. Lindsay, Robert Deyermond, Bernard L. McDonald, Leo

Daley, Sam Resnik, William J. Tammany, Myron E. Gutterson.

Hold Hearing on Amendment Friday

A public hearing on Fred E. Cheever's proposed amendment to the zoning laws will be held next Friday evening in the town hall at 7:30. The proposed by-law would reduce the size of possible building lots from the present 10,000 feet to 8500 feet.

PYTHIAN SISTERS' PARTY

The annual children's Christmas tree party of the Pythian Sisters will be held Saturday, December 18.

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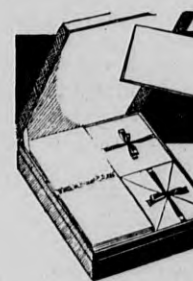
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A Good Precedent to Follow

On Monday evening the Board of Selectmen came to a decision which will be encouraging to those Andover residents who, proud of Andover's natural beauty, have watched with concern the springing up of filling stations here and there in the town, principally on South Main street. An application had been received for the building of a station at the junction of the by-pass and Route 28, and in a ruling that would be a wise precedent to follow hereafter the board decided to refuse the permit. "There are too many filling stations along that stretch," said one of the board.

Back in 1927 Walter Prichard Eaton, author and newspaper writer, spoke at the annual alumni exercises of Phillips academy on the great changes that had been made on the Hill. One sorry feature he found however, and of that he said: "I came this morning over a part of the same road over which my father padded the hoof to Boston in 1859. . . I am very sure that the landscape, the surroundings of that road between Reading square and Andover, have not improved since 1859 or even 1896. In those days the Turnpike ran past pleasant and dignified old farmhouses, it ran through pine woods, it ran past a quiet and heavenly pond, and finally it ran into Reading square, where at this time of year the horsechestnut trees were holding up their blossoms.

"What happens today? What is the condition of that road? As you know, it is eight miles of squalid ugliness, it is eight miles of filling stations, of hot dog stands, with cheap little tenement shacks, of dance pavilions, and finally the hideous billboards advertising everything under the sun."

Siftings

They say the embalming business has been given a tremendous boost by the policy of insisting on the right of way.

When workers aren't out on strike, they're out because of poor business conditions.

Just two more weeks for you late shoppers to make up your mind what you'll buy on the 24th.

Remember the age-old riddle: "What is black and white and red all over?" The new answer is the front cover of today's Townsman.

BIRTHS

A son, Roger Allen, to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Johnson, of High Plain road, on Friday, December 3, at the family home.

A daughter, Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mueller of 118 Salem street, November 30th at the Lawrence General hospital.

The roadside hasn't improved in the ten years since Mr. Eaton gave that talk, but if the selectmen and board of appeals stick to a hard-and-fast rule that South Main street has too many filling stations and that no more permits should be granted, the roadside at least won't get worse. If at the same time a campaign can be waged against billboards which are either unsightly or which hide some of nature's beauties, the approach to Andover can eventually be made as beautiful as it should be.

"They (the American business world) are perfectly willing to collectively go out and blot out Mt. Washington with a billboard; they are perfectly willing to go out and put their advertising signs the entire length of Paul Revere's ride so that he never could have got to Concord; they are perfectly willing that the Government should let them paint 'A skin you love to touch' on the walls of the Grand Canyon provided it will extract one more penny from the consumer." Thus Mr. Eaton summed up the billboard situation.

Walter Prichard Eaton comes back to Andover every ten years. He was here last June; he'll probably be here in June, 1947. If our officials will continue to follow their present policy, Mr. Eaton will be able to talk in 1947 on the beauties of the Reading road instead of the squalid ugliness now the case there.

A Real Silver Lining

Some say that the present depression is even worse than that of the early 30's, but no matter how bad it is, we at least have some conditions better than they were. Wasn't Curley defeated in Boston a month or so ago, and wasn't Bossy Gillis retired to private life in Newburyport this week?

Communications

To the Editor: Regarding that 8.10 morning train to Boston: I think you will find it tends to be late in and out of Haverhill and that the way to make Boston on time is to leave Dover three minutes earlier.

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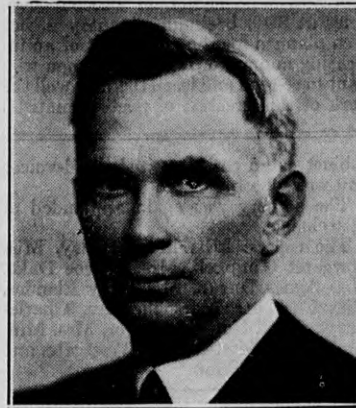
P. T. A. Group to See School Board

A delegation from the Andover Parent-Teacher council will attend the school board meeting on Tuesday evening to bring certain matters to the attention of the committee. The council has been discussing such things as telephones in all the schools, change in school hours and kindergartens.

Mrs. William Fogey of Dundee, Scotland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sheriff. Mr. Sheriff retires on the 15th from his position in the county courthouse at Lawrence.

To Present Picture of Rev. Mr. Church

The officers and teachers of the Free Church Sunday school held a short business meeting after Sunday's session. It was decided to take an offering the same as last year, the proceeds to be used to help purchase a large photograph of the late beloved Rev. Alfred C. Church. This will be presented as the Sunday School's gift to the Church at Christmas. The late pastor was dearly beloved by a large number of his parishioners. Handicapped by ill health but with a courage that never weakened, he managed to



The Late Rev. Mr. Church

keep the Free Church a power for good. His friendly interest in the poor, his sympathy for those in sorrow, his eagerness and willingness to help the unfortunate members of his parish, will always be a monument to his memory. The loss of his brother minister, Rev. Dr. Frederick A. Wilson was a blow from which he never fully recovered. The Sunday School is proud to have the opportunity of giving to the Church a photograph of him who was one of the finest Christian gentlemen the town of Andover ever had.

The special offering will be taken at the Christmas tree party to be held in the Parish House on Christmas eve at seven. Anyone wishing to contribute with the children may do so by sending their donation to the treasurer, George Keith.

Mrs. Leslie Christison conducted the Sunday School as superintendent in the absence of Superintendent Robert Deyernmond who is still suffering from injuries received recently in an automobile accident.

Eyes Burned in Metal Explosion

Apparently as a result of an explosion of hot metal, Francis Kennedy, 28, of River street was painfully burned about the eyes while at work in the Tyer Rubber company yesterday. He was removed to the Lawrence General hospital where his condition was described as "good." An attending physician stated that there would be no serious results.

Andover P.T.A. to Meet Wednesday

John P. McGail of the division of university extension will be the speaker at the meeting of the Andover Parent-Teacher association to be held on Wednesday evening at eight in the music room at the junior high. The Shawshen Village Woman's club chorus will entertain with Christmas carols. Refreshments will be served.

All parents, especially those of high school children, are urged to attend.

The one who butts in is usually the goat.

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Fifty Years Ago

A dairymaid's convention was held at the South church vestry last Friday evening, under the auspices of the Y.P.S.C.E. The marked feature of the occasion was the drill executed by the dairymaids with their milking stools, which were afterwards sold at auction. A trio from Phillips academy furnished excellent instrumental music. About \$30 was secured for the society by the festival.

A great want was felt on Sunday evening, owing to the street lamps not being lit.

The petition to Congress against the admission of Utah to the Union, already numerous signed, is left at the Andover Bookstore for a day or two before being forwarded to Washington. All persons interested in opposing that evil project ought to call there at once and sign the petition.

The severe weather of this and last week has covered the Marland's pond with a thick sheet of ice and skaters have been enjoying the best of winter sports.

Twenty-five Years Ago

Chester W. Holland, cashier of the National Bank, and his family, are to occupy Ovid Chapman's recently built house on Main street.

Mad dog scares have been prevalent in several parts of the town during the past few days and in some cases the dogs which have caused the disturbance have been shot by the police.

Announcement is made that a new moving picture show is to be opened in Andover. Charles Warden, who has for some time successfully conducted the Essex street bowling alleys, is to make the venture. The old Boston and Maine depot on Essex street on what was known as the Barnett estate, and which was recently sold by the Barnett heirs, is to be used as the theater, and the work of entirely remodeling the building and putting on a new front will be carried out as soon as possible. The theatre will have a seating capacity of 600, and will probably be ready for use January 6.

Miss Alice Bell, who has been ill at the Salem hospital, is now at her home on Salem street, slowly recovering.

Miss M. Winnie Burt of Elm street visited friends in Boston on Thursday.

Ten Years Ago

Frank L. Brigham of the local insurance offices was the speaker yesterday at the Amesbury Rotary club. His subject was "The National Ash Heap."

Burton S. Flagg was in New York Monday and Tuesday attending meetings of the Commissioners of the American Mutual Alliance. Mr. Flagg is chairman of the Board.

Blanchard Frye of Elm street has returned from a business trip to New York City.

The Andover ambulance was called to Wilson's corner Sunday night to remove Mrs. Margaret Harkin and three children of Sweeney court and John Hoar of Pentucket street, Haverhill, to the office of Dr. Elwin D. Lane, where they received treatment and were later removed to the Lawrence General hospital after they had been involved in an automobile accident.

Male Choir to Go Carol-Singing

The Andover Male choir is planning a novel feature for Christmas eve by singing Christmas carols out-of-doors. It will schedule several locations, with the times and places to be announced next week.

It is hoped that the public will cooperate, for if the program is well-received, it will be made an annual event. At the conclusion the men will meet at the club rooms for refreshments.

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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. 50550, 50489.

LOUIS S. FINGER,
Treasurer

November 26, 1937.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph Chamberlain late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Clara M. Chamberlain of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

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

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(10-17-24)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
To all persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Livingston late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Grace A. Sellars of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

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

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this second day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(10-17-24)

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts ESSEX, SS.

Lawrence, November 22, A.D. 1937
SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution which issued on a judgment at the District Court, holden at Lawrence, within said County of Essex, on the fifth day of November, A.D. 1937 in favor of Andover Shawsheen Realty Company, Inc., of Andover in said County, against Charles L. Bailey of Andover, in said County, I have taken all the right, title and interest which the said defendant, Charles L. Bailey, had on the 29th day of September, A.D. 1937 at 8.30 A.M., the day and time when the same was attached on Mesne Process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the northwest side of Lowell street, in that part of Andover known as West Parish, just easterly on said Lowell street of Bellevue road; bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on the southwesterly end of the land by the land of Ella M. Gordon, Easterly along said Lowell street to a stone monument marking the land of William A. and Mary Biederman (Registered land certificate No. 1334), thence Northwesterly about three hundred (300) feet along land of Biederman, thence Westerly about six hundred (600) feet to land of Ella M. Gordon, thence Southerly about sixty (60) feet to point of beginning.

For title see Book No. 12, Page 508 of the Northern Essex Registry of Deeds and other records at the said Registry of Deeds as follows: Book No. 300, Page 360, and Plan B-2 No. 91 and Book No. 591 Page 315, Plan No. 956 Sheet 7.

And on Tuesday, the 28th day of December, A.D. 1937 at four o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Louis Silverman, Room 618 on the sixth floor of the Bay State, so called, at the corner of Essex and Lawrence streets, in said Lawrence, I shall offer for sale by Public Auction to the highest bidder, all the aforesaid, right, title and interest to satisfy said execution and all fees and charges of sale.

Terms: Cash.

LOUIS SILVERMAN
Deputy Sheriff

Public Auction

Notice is hereby given that Lemuel Brown, administrator of the estate of John Stewart, late of Andover, deceased, will sell at public auction on the premises, on December 18, A.D. 1937, at three o'clock in the afternoon, the property of the late John Stewart, situated on the easterly side of Bartlet street in said Andover, and more fully described in the License to Sell granted by the Probate Court for the County of Essex, to the said Lemuel Brown, administrator, on September 9th A.D. 1937.

The said premises are the same premises as conveyed to John W. Stewart, deceased, by Frank A. Brown, by deed dated December 20, 1906, and recorded with the North Essex District Registry of Deeds, Book 241, Page 1.

(3-10-17)

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Monday, St. Matthew's lodge, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday, C. D. A., Arbroathians; Wednesday, Odd Fellows, Andover P. T. A.; Thursday, Clan auxiliary, Legion.

LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgagee's Sale

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Joseph Dombrowski to the Broadway Savings Bank, a corporation established by law in Lawrence, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated May 13, 1930, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, book 552 page 541, for breach of conditions contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises near the buildings on Argilla Road on Tuesday afternoon, January 4, 1938, at two o'clock, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: a tract of land, with all the buildings thereon situated on the westerly side of Argilla Road in Andover in the County of Essex in said Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the same containing about one hundred and twenty-six and five-tenths acres, and bounded and described as follows, namely: beginning at the northeasterly corner of said tract at a point in said Argilla Road by land now or late of one Clark, thence running in a southeasterly direction by said road about ten hundred and thirty-seven feet to its intersection with Andover Street, sometimes known as Blood Road; thence continuing in a more southerly direction by the last named street or road about fifteen hundred and twenty-nine feet to land now or late of James J. Abbot; thence running westerly by said Abbot land along the line of the stone wall about twenty-seven hundred and eighty-nine feet to land formerly of W. Phillips Foster and now or late of one Damery; thence running somewhat northwesterly, following the course of the stone wall, by said Damery land and land now or late of the American Woolen Company about fourteen hundred and fifty feet to a cross wall at other land of said American Woolen Company; thence running easterly by the last named land, and along the line of the stone wall, seven hundred and forty-nine feet to a corner; thence running northerly by said land now or late of the American Woolen Company, and along the line of the wall, about three hundred and eight feet; thence running again easterly, following the line of the wall, about nine hundred and forty-two feet by land now or late of one Rennie, and thence running somewhat northeasterly about six hundred and eighty-seven feet by land now or late of said Clark, following the course of the wall, to the point of beginning. Said premises are the same as conveyed to the mortgagor by Isaiah R. Kimball et alii by deed recorded with said mortgage, which mortgage was given to secure payment of a part of the purchase price. Plan of said land is recorded with said North District of Essex Registry of Deeds as plan No. 794.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and to any other municipal assessments. A deposit of five hundred dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

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(10-17-24)

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LEGAL NOTICES

ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Andover National Bank, will be held at its banking house, 23 Main street, Andover, Mass. Tuesday, the eleventh day of January, 1938, at ten o'clock a.m. for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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PAY \$40 FOR WINDOW

Two Lawrence young men who allegedly had broken a window in an eating-place when the proprietor refused to let them in at three in the morning paid \$40 for the window in District court a few hours later on Wednesday morning.

Officer Arthur Jowett arrested the two when he found them acting suspiciously outside the Rock Maple on Lowell street. They were charged with drunkenness and malicious breaking of glass in a building.

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Abbot Academy Notes

Miss Ena Marston is attending the Convention of the New England Association of English Teachers now in session in Springfield, representing the English department of Abbot academy.

Plays Tonight

Tonight at eight o'clock in Davis Hall the Abbot Dramatic society will give its annual performance of one-act plays under the direction of Mrs. Bertha Morgan Gray. The plays and their respective casts are as follows:

"Overtones" by Alice Gerstenberg	
Harriet, a cultured woman	Joan Brown
Hetty, her primitive self	Jeanne Sawyer
Margaret, a cultured woman	Mary Toohey
Maggie, her primitive self	Dorothy Hudson
"The Old Pinter Place" by Sally Shute	
Mr. Phineas Pinter	Jeanne Sawyer
Mrs. Phineas Pinter	Elise Duncan
Bimmie	Mary Elliot
Terence Boynton	Diana Greene
Nancy Boynton	Dorothy Hudson
Fritz Boynton	Audrey Rugg
Oswald Eastman	Catherine Flaherty
Lolly Eastman	Grace Bowen

The public will be admitted at the regular fee of 50 cents.

Children's Party

Saturday will be a gala day, not only for the fifty Andover children who have been invited to a Christmas party at three o'clock, but also for the members of the Abbot Christian association who will help with the program, and who are the official hostesses. There will be a tree, games, refreshments and presents distributed by Old Santa himself. The day will end with the reading of Dickens' "Christmas Carol" to the student body during the evening by Mrs. Gray.

Xmas Vesper Service

The Christmas Vesper service, rich in beauty and tradition, will be held on Sunday night at 7.30 o'clock in Davis hall. As is the custom, the Christmas Message will be given by the principal, Miss Hearsey, while the students, divided according to classes, will tell the Christmas story in mass recitation. The music will be given by the Fidelio society and by the entire student body in unison. The service will be concluded with a program of Christmas organ music played by Walter E. Howe, of the music faculty.

The musical program will be as follows:

Organ Prelude, "Christmas Night"	Goller
Adeste Fideles	18th Century
Cantique Noel	Adolphe Adam
O Come, O Come, Emmanuel	Plain-Song
Come Marie, Elizabeth	Old French Carol
There's a Song in the Air	Allen
Magnificat (Plain-chant)	Russell
Hark! the Herald Angels Sing	Mendelssohn
There Came Three Kings	Old English
Jesu Bambino	Pietro Yon
Calm on the Listening Ear of Night	Fink
Christmas Pastoral	Lange
Christmas in Sicily	Yon
Hallelujah Chorus	Handel
Chorus Angelorum	Clark

Friends of the school are most cordially invited to this unique occasion which lives in the hearts of Abbot students long after their school days are over.

News has just been received at Abbot academy that two former students, now attending Smith college, are members of the Dean's List for which an average of B or better is required. They are Miss Lucia Nunez, junior, and Miss Grace Nichols, sophomore.

Give Up Plan for Trunk Sewer

The plan for a trunk-line sewer down the Merrimack, of which Andover would have had to pay a sizeable share, has been abandoned. The special committee investigating the matter has recommended to the legislature that it create a special River Valley Water district, and also that it authorize the State Department of Public Health to engage in sewerage disposal in co-operation with the valley communities. The former proposal would allow those communities desiring a purer water supply to obtain it, but the ramifications of the latter proposal are not known.

Noted Pianist to Play at Exeter

Sergei Rachmaninoff, world's celebrated pianist and composer, will make his only appearance north of Boston this season when he presents the following program on Sunday evening in Thompson Gymnasium under the auspices of Phillips Exeter academy, Exeter, N. H.: "Fantasia and Fugue, G-minor," Bach-Liszt; "Sonata, opus 109," (Vivace ma non troppo, Adagio espressivo, Prestissimo, Andante molto cantabile ed espressivo), Beethoven; "Polonaise, C-minor," "Nocturne, F-major," "Impromptu, A-flat major," "Scherzo, C-sharp minor," Chopin; "Three Etudes Tableaux" (G-minor, E-flat minor, E-flat major), Rachmaninoff; "Sonnetto del Petrarca, E-major," Liszt; "Spinning Song from the 'Flying Dutchman,'" Wagner-Liszt; "Etude," Paganini-Liszt.

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Obituaries

J. Judson Dean

J. Judson Dean, retired manufacturer, a former resident of Andover, died Tuesday at his home in Rockport.

He was born in Hinesburg, Vt., April 2, 1867. After a short business career in Florida, he became interested in 1891 in business in Pigeon Cove and developed the Cape Ann Tool company, a leading unit in the drop-forging industry in the East. In 1909 he built a drop-forging plant in Muncie, Ind., under the name of the Dean Forging company, and operated this until it was sold in 1928.

In 1920 Mr. Dean retired as active head of the Cape Ann Tool company, which has since been conducted by two sons, Lindley I. and William J. Dean. He made his permanent home in Miami Beach, visiting Boston in the summer.

In 1899 he married Mary Hawridge Nickerson, who died in 1915. Later he married Marcella E. Conlin, who survives him. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Charles W. Sweet of Muncie, Ind.; a daughter, Mrs. Dana J. Lowd of Northampton, formerly of Andover, and eight grandchildren.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the home of his son, Lindley, in Pigeon Cove. Burial was in the family lot in Locust Grove cemetery, Gloucester.

John F. Sullivan

John F. Sullivan passed away on Saturday morning at his home 99 North Main street at the age of 76. A carpenter by trade, he was well-known here. He was a charter member of the local Knights of Columbus council.

Surviving are a sister Miss Ellen Sullivan and a brother, Joseph A. Sullivan.

A high mass of requiem was offered in St. Augustine's church on Monday morning, and burial followed in the church cemetery.

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Miss Annie G. Donovan at the organ. Fathers Austin and Smith conducted committal services at the cemetery.

The bearers: Daniel F. Murray, Patrick J. Carroll, John Doherty, Joseph Nolan, William Barry and Timothy Sullivan.

Lionel Beaudoin

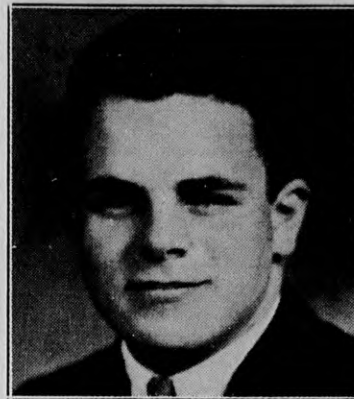
Succumbing to bronchial pneumonia, Lionel Beaudoin, fourteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Beaudoin, passed away Monday night at the family home, 21 Corbett street. Surviving, besides his parents, are four brothers, Daniel, Roland, Henry and Alfred; and a sister Lucille.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon with burial in Sacred Heart cemetery.

CHRISTMAS TREE PARTY

The Christmas Tree Party of the Free Church Sunday School is being financed by the sale of Christmas cards. These may be procured from the children or the treasurer, George Keith. Members of the church are asked to support the school by purchasing their Christmas greetings from them.

Wins Scholarship



John E. Smith, Jr.

John E. Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith of Cedar road, was last week awarded a scholarship at Harvard college. Smith graduated from Phillips academy in June.

Gallery Exhibits Cartoons, Covers

In addition to the exhibition of early American prints and paintings by Richard Bassett and Eliot Noyes, the Addison Gallery is showing through December 15 magazine cartoons and cover designs from popular magazines, such as the New Yorker, Esquire, Fortune, etc.

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No. 1 Cap Button Star of the Five Point program of Service will be awarded to the members who have successfully

passed the patriotism test. Light refreshments will be served.

Among the new activities being considered for the coming year are a stamp club, for members; a model aeroplane club and a rifle shooting team.

HEALTH EXPERT TO SPEAK

Dr. Alton S. Pope of the State Department of Public Health will be the speaker at the November Club on Monday, December 13. His subject will be "General Aspects on Public Health."

Discuss Collective Bargaining

A very interesting and inspiring meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the November clubhouse by the Andover League of Women Voters. After a brief address by the president, Mrs. Harold Rafton, Mrs. John S. Barss, chairman of the department of "Government and Foreign Policy," spoke of the present situation of America's stake in the Far East. Mrs. Cleveland Gilcrest, announced that the next meeting of her department of Government and Child Welfare, will be held at her home, 56 Whittier street, Wednesday, December 15, at 3.15 o'clock. The speaker will be Mrs. Donald C. Born, State Chairman of Child Welfare of Massachusetts. Because of Mrs. Born's experience in dealing with welfare cases, her talk will be of exceptional interest. It is hoped many will be able to attend.

during his talk, availing themselves of the opportunity to ask questions.

Owing to an unexpected call to the western part of the state, the speaker, Kenneth Taylor, of the Massachusetts State Labor Commission, was unable to be present. Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, chairman of the department of "Government and Economic Welfare," took charge of the meeting and spoke in a most informative manner on the origin, growth and principles of Collective Bargaining, emphasizing particularly its implications in regard to employer and employee, also in regard to the Wagner Act and The State Labor Relations Act.

Mrs. John D. Little gave an interesting talk on "Labor and the New Deal," while Miss Catherine A. Stewart spoke on the functions and procedures of the National Labor Relations Board.

Following the meeting tea was served by Mrs. Stafford A. Lindsay and her committee. The table decorations were very attractive for the Christmas season.

The Voter's Hour, over Station WEEI Wednesday, December 15, at 4.30 p.m., "The Place of the Visiting Teacher in the Public School Program," by Miss Maren-da E. Prentis, executive secretary of the Home and School Visitors association. Miss Prentis is a graduate of Simmons college School of Social Work and holds a master's degree from the Yale University School of Education.

The next meeting of Miss Helen T. Chickering's department of "Government and Its Operation," will be held Monday morning, December 13, at ten o'clock, at her home, 72 Central street, subject to be "The Study of Reorganization Plan." A special meeting of this group was held Monday afternoon, December 6, at the home of Mrs. Horace M. Poynter, 6 School street. The speaker Lawrence F. Quigley, commandant of the Soldiers Home in Chelsea, gave a very clear and concise statement of his views on Veterans' Preference in Massachusetts. He proved to be an excellent speaker and the members gave him their close attention

ADVENTURERS TO MEET

The monthly meeting of the Adventurers is to be held Monday evening at eight in the Free church parish house. Charles Armitage will present a variety program including a one-act play. Members are urged to bring pencils. Refreshments will be served.

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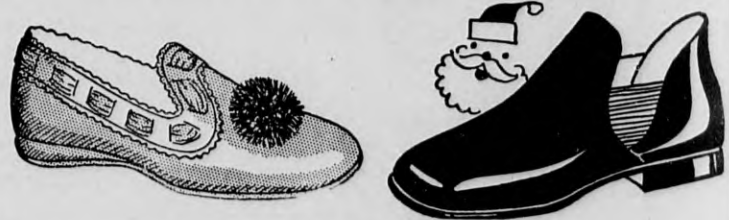
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Junior High School Notes

ASSEMBLY HELD

A very interesting assembly was held last Wednesday. The main topics of the assembly were health and posture. Mr. Heise and Mr. Colston gave very interesting talks on health. A one-reel film of posture was also enjoyed. This assembly was a joint assembly with the high school. —Mary Ring

MAKE CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Rooms 7 and 9 have made plans to give Christmas baskets. Each pupil is contributing as much as he can. Room 7 had a spelling match in which they spelled the words backwards.

ENJOY PICNIC

Room 5 enjoyed its picnic at Pumps pond on Saturday. They built two roaring fires, one inside the mess hall owned by Homer Foster, the other outdoors nearby. Twenty-six people enjoyed the delicious food and the scavenger hunt which sent

them scampering all over the surrounding hills to find such articles as blue glass, a bird's feather, and a branch of hemlock. Room 5 plans to have a skating party in the near future.

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

The basketball teams of the junior high school are practicing for intramural basketball until the Christmas holidays. After the holidays they will play off their games to determine the tournament winner. The teams are organized by home rooms. The teams of the following rooms take part: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.—Betty Saunders

BANKING PROJECT

The 9B-1 business class of the Junior high school have organized a savings bank under the direction of Miss Oliver. The name of the bank is the Andover Junior High Savings Bank, and it is located at the rear of the typewriting room. Mr. Henry C. Sanborn and Mr. Kenneth L.

Sherman have authorized the bank to carry on business. One of the purposes of organizing is to encourage thrift and it is hoped that everyone will take advantage of this opportunity to save.

The bank will be open from 8.00-8.25 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday and from 1.30-2.00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday of each week.

The bank shall close out all accounts not later than June 15, 1938.—Constance E. Forsythe

BOYS' BASKETBALL

The basketball season is under way. Room 2 won over 14, 5-4; 8 won over 13, 26-2; and room 9 won over 5, 22-3

FIRE AT ICEHOUSE

Fire caused slight damage Saturday afternoon at the icehouse off Iceland road, the flames being extinguished before they could make much headway. Box 65 was sounded. It was at first thought that some youngsters might have started a fire nearby to keep warm after skating.

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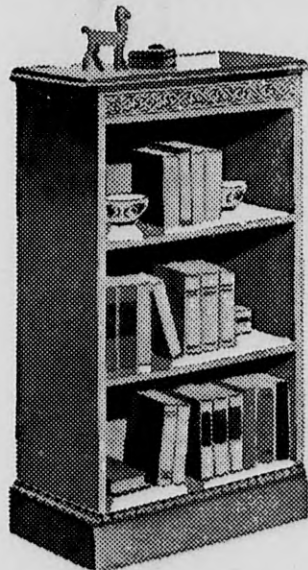
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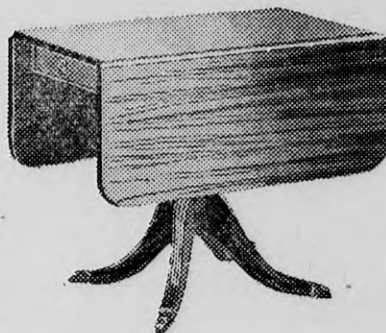
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West Parish

Miss Beatrice Lyman and Miss Geraldine Lynch attended the tea dance given by Professor and Mrs. Jack at the Theta Chi fraternity house on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Wood and family of Lowell street spent Saturday with Mrs. Wood's mother, Mrs. Alice Reed, of Concord, N. H.

Mrs. Marshall Newton, who has been spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Roger H. Lewis, of Lowell street left town Thursday for her home in Johnstown, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis and daughters Marilyn and Barbara enjoyed a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl White of Chester, N. H., on Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Lewis of Newburyport and daughter Mrs. Nelson Lloyd of Lynn, visited Mrs. Arthur Lewis on Saturday.

Mrs. Clayton Northey, formerly of Lowell street, but now of Rattlesnake Hill road, is ill at her home.

Kenneth Barnard of Shawsheen road has just returned from a business trip to New York City and Philadelphia. While

in Philadelphia he attended the Textile Convention.

Mrs. Fred Batcheller and Mrs. Kenneth Barnard of Shawsheen road spent Tuesday in Arlington where they visited Mrs. Jesse Bardwell.

Mrs. Edwin Bryant and Winifred of Somerville spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain road.

Miss Geraldine Lynch of Portland, Me., was the week-end guest of Miss Beatrice Lyman of Shawsheen road.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnard were called to Augusta, Me., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Barnard's aunt, Mrs. J. F. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Carter and Lorna and James, Jr. of Quincy visited with George M. Carter of High Plain road on Sunday.

On Saturday evening Miss Geraldine Lynch and Miss Beatrice Lyman attended the performance of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," presented by the Drama Shop of Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Rogers building, Boston.

Mrs. Carl Stevens and her mother, Mrs. Fred Thresher, spent several days recently in Braintree, Vt., where they

were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Thresher's sister.

LAFALOT CLUB TO MEET

The members of the Lafalot club will meet on Tuesday evening, December 14, at the home of Mrs. Alexander Henderson, Argilla road. Each member is asked to bring a 25c gift for the Christmas tree. The hostess will be assisted by Miss Ebba Peterson.

CONCERT LAST NIGHT

The Mordelia Trio of Boston gave a concert on Thursday evening at the vestry of the West church. The concert consisted of three piano accordions, solos, readings and novelty dances. This was given under the auspices of the Goose and Gander club. The club will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening, December 16, at the West church vestry.

R. P. C. MAKES PLANS

The members of the R. P. C. club held their semi-monthly meeting at the home of Miss May Noyes, Lovejoy road. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be

held on Thursday evening, December 23, at the home of Miss Winona Boutwell, Shawsheen road. She will be assisted by Miss Helen Pickard.

POMONA GRANGE

On Thursday a number of members of Andover Grange attended Pomona Grange held at West Newbury. In the morning there was the regular business meeting after which there was an open discussion on "World Affairs" led by Fred W. Chase. Dinner was served at noon after which there was community singing and a lecture in the afternoon by a representative of the Perkins Institute for the Blind. Those who enjoyed the meeting were: Mrs. Earl Ferguson, Mrs. Ira Hill, Mrs. George L. Averill, Sam Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis, Miss Charlotte Hill, George Kline, Daniel Fitz, Mrs. William Faulkner, Mrs. Joseph Dennis and Roland Trauschke.

HAWTHORNE CLUB MEETS

The members of the Hawthorne club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lewis on Wednesday evening. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Franklin Ellis, Elm street. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Richard Abbott, Mrs. James P. Christie, Miss Maria Fairweather, Mrs. Ada Brown, Mrs. Franklin Ellis, Mrs. William Douty, Mrs. Percy Crosby and Mrs. Lewis.

RECOVERS FROM FALL

Friends of Miss Georgianna Chase of Lowell street will be pleased to know that she is able to be about again after the recent fall which she had in her home. She was badly shaken but fortunately no bones were broken.

4-H CLUB MEETS

The members of the Stick-to-It 4-H club met in the sewing room of the Junior high school on Tuesday afternoon. During the business meeting, plans were made for a Christmas party to be held on Tuesday, December 21. Several members attended the metal craft class held at Essex Agricultural school yesterday.

Grange Plans Xmas Party

Andover Grange met in Grange hall on Tuesday evening at the regular business meeting. Plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held on Tuesday, December 21. Each member is asked to bring a gift for a child, to be distributed by the committee. The program of the evening was presented by the new members of the Grange as follows: Community singing of Christmas carols; My Trip to Chicago This Past Summer, Norman Peatman; reading, Modern Version of Red Riding Hood, by Mrs. Harry Dawson; reading, How Roquefort Cheese Is Made, by Mrs. Paul L'Antigua; tap dance, Virginia Burcell; reading by Mrs. Edith M. Newman; acrobatic dance and song, Virginia Burcell; violin solos, by Sylvia Robson, accompanied by Avis Robson; reading, Life, by Paul L'Antigua. Refreshments were served by the new members from Tewksbury. About 75 members attended.

Fireman Hurt Answering Call

Fireman Timothy J. Madden of 1 Essex place was injured Saturday afternoon when he was struck by an automobile in Andover square while he was running to catch the fire apparatus responding to a call in West Andover. Madden received abrasions to the right leg and ankle. The car was driven by a Lawrence man. Madden was off duty at the time that Box 67 rang in for a slight blaze in the woodshed at the rear of the residence of Kirk Batcheller of Lowell street.

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Local Hibernians Install Officers

Officers were installed Monday night at the 26th anniversary banquet of Division 6, A.O.H., in the Knights of Columbus rooms.

County president John J. Cahill and staff of Lawrence installed the following officers: President, Edward A. Doyle; vice president, Frank S. McDonald; chaplain, Rev. Thomas B. Austin; O.S.A.; financial secretary, Michael J. O'Connor; recording secretary, John Doyle; treasurer, Thomas Doyle; sergeant at arms, Edward O'Hagan; sentinel, Michael

Gardner and chairman of the standing committee, John Reilly.

Seated at the head table were: President Edward A. Doyle, Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O.S.A., chaplain of the division and pastor of St. Augustine's parish, County President John J. Cahill, County Sergeant at Arms John Barry and Dennis Danahy, member of the installing staff.

President Doyle acted as toastmaster. Remarks were made by Father Austin, Mr. Barry, Thomas Doyle and County President Cahill. Vocal selections were given by Dennis Danahy and Thomas Darby. Tap dances were given by Allan and Johnson and Bert Martel, who also favored with banjo selections.

Prices Have Changed

When meat prices went sky-high a few weeks ago, it was the talk of the country. Housewives talked about it, store owners raved about it and the newspapers ridiculed it.

Now that they are lower we want to broadcast it. Take a look at these prices and you will find every one of them have not only dropped, but have dropped LOWER than they were before they started to rise.

RIB LAMB CHOPS	35c lb.
RUMP STEAK	55c-65c lb.
FACE RUMP	39c lb.
SIRLOIN ROLL	49c lb.
TOP ROUND	49c lb.
BOTTOM ROUND	39c lb.
PRIME RIB CUTS	35c-43c lb.
YOUNG PIG PORK LOINS	26c lb.
SUGAR CURED HAMS	29c lb.
SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS	22c lb.

GROCERY SPECIALS

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE	29c lb.
BAKER'S COCOA	2 for 15c
BAKER'S CHOCOLATE	17c bar
ROYAL BAKING POWDER, 1ge. tin	33c
BLUE LABEL CATSUP	2 for 29c
FANNING'S BREAD AND BUTTER PICKLES	15c jar
JACOB'S MUSHROOMS (buttons), 1ge. tin	19c
PITTED DATES	10c pkg.
PEANUT BUTTER (1 lb. jar)	15c

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Xmas Decorations Garden Club Topic

Those who anticipated much from the meeting of the Andover Garden club on Tuesday morning at the Phillips Inn were not disappointed.

The speaker, Mrs. Flora Graves Pease, at once captivated her audience by her pleasing personality and all were keenly interested listeners and observers while she built her models from a supply of materials which she had brought with her, meanwhile filling every moment with interesting comment and practical, suggestive hints.

Her versatility of ideas and uses for her models added much to the interest. The Madonna was in use many times as Mrs. Pease expressed her feeling that Christmas is a sacred season. Throughout her lecture the speaker emphasized the desirability of saving our native holly, alderberries, and the valuable greens like laurel, spruces, etc., and using in our decorations the commoner sorts such as juniper, and any cones, seedpods and the like, many of which serve the purpose admirably.

The climax came when the secretary, Mrs. Lyman Cheever, was asked to assist. She disappeared behind an arrangement for mantel decoration consisting of greens, candles, with a touch of color, and at the right moment the cloth background was removed revealing a very attractive picture in a fitting frame. This illustrated the speaker's appeal that if one had a Madonna it should be decorated and illuminated at Christmas. The delight of the audience over this feature was very much in evidence.

The Christmas decorations arranged by members proved very attractive and were complimented by Mrs. Pease.

The honors were awarded: Table decoration, Mrs. Frederick N. Chandler; wreath, Mrs. Roy E. Spencer.

Give Talk on Physical Education

A joint assembly was held last Wednesday during the utility period of the junior and senior high schools. Donald Dunn introduced Mr. Polson, assistant supervisor of physical education in the state of Massachusetts. Mr. Polson told of the young people he has trained for the Olympics and of many of his acquaintances who have become famous on athletic fields throughout the country. One of these was "Red" Grange, one of the most famous of football stars of all times. Mr. Polson's talk was brief but most interesting as he told many amusing incidents in his brilliant athletic career. He was assistant supervisor of physical edu-

cation in Dedham, when Mr. Sherman was principal of the junior high school there.

Mr. Polson, in turn, introduced Mr. Hines, supervisor of physical education in the Brookline High School, who gave a talk on health to the young people. Mr. Hines told his story most effectively as he used a real boy, Robert Hall, a student of Brookline High, as his subject. Robert Hall was a typical American boy except for one thing. He had a heart murmur. This rather impeded him physically but not mentally. Mr. Hines told of all of Robert's capacities that he held in the high school. He was president of his class and chairman of practically everything that a chairman was needed for, in the school. He was the most popular boy in his class. In his senior year he studied four college subjects and got an A in every one. He received four A's in his college board examinations. In all he had 16 A's when he graduated from Brookline. Then he tried hard in the broad jump and in the high jump and finally won the finals in a Harvard meet. He won a scholarship to Harvard and graduated with highest honors. He was also the best broad jumper and high jumper in the university. He broke a record that had been standing for over twenty years, in a meet against Yale. Then he won a scholarship to Oxford. There he was the most brilliant student of his class and on his diploma was inscribed the words "highest honors." Today Robert Hall holds one of the most important positions of trust that there is, in one of Boston's largest banks. Recently he was again promoted to a higher position of trust.

Legs Fractured by Milk Truck

Struck by a slow-moving milk truck, Monday noon, little Mary McKee, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davis McKee of 26 Brechin terrace, sustained two broken legs. She was removed to the Lawrence General hospital.

Herbert R. Cassidy, driver of the truck, said that he had stopped to rearrange bottles. Deciding to drive nearer to the curb, he reported he looked around to see if the children playing around the truck were all away. After he had driven a few feet, he heard a child crying, went out and found the youngster lying in the roadway. He picked her up, but she could not stand and he took her to her home nearby. The ambulance was then called.

V. F. W. AUXILIARY NOTES

V.F.W. auxiliary county president Mrs. Carrie Fitzgerald of Haverhill was the guest of the local auxiliary at the meeting Wednesday night.

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TODAY and TOMORROW

THE BRIDE WORE RED—Joan Crawford and Franchot Tone	Fri. 3:40; 8:55 Sat. 2:25; 5:30; 8:35
HOLD 'EM NAVY—Mary Carlisle and Lew Ayres	Fri. 2:25; 7:40 Sat. 4:05; 7:10

SUNDAY and MONDAY—December 12-13

DEAD END—Sylvia Sidney and Joel McCrea	Sun. 3:25; 6:15; 9:05 Mon. 3:30; 8:45
SWEETHEART OF THE NAVY—Cecelia Parker	Sun. 2:25; 5:15; 8:05 Mon. 2:25; 7:40

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—December 14-15-16

SOULS AT SEA—Gary Cooper and George Raft	3:40; 8:55
SUPER SLEUTH—Ann Sothorn and Jack Oakie	2:25; 7:40

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—December 17-18

TOAST OF NEW YORK—Edward Arnold and Frances Farmer	Fri. 2:25; 9:00 Sat. 2:25; 5:40; 8:55
BORNEO—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson	Fri. 4:15; 7:40 Sat. 4:15; 7:30