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Tax Collector Cheever Retires

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# Man Injured; **Cattle Burned**

John Marudzinski of River road was injured early Thursday morning at a fire injured early Thursday morning at a fire which destroyed a barn, seven cows and twenty tons of hay belonging to Albert Hardy of River road. Marudzinski had awakened the family and then rushed over to attempt to save the cows. The family found him lying by the side of the barn later. He was rushed to the General hospital. Yesterday noon it had not yet been determined what had happened to him, since he was still unconscious. He was not on the danger list, however.

was not on the danger list, however. Chief Emerson stated that he thought defective wiring was the cause of the blaze, damage from which he estimated blaze, damage from which he estimated at \$4-5,000 partly covered by insurance. The department was summoned by a call from the Lawrence 'phone exchange at 1.30, but when it arrived at the farm the barn was beyond saving. At 5.45 the department returned. The reflection from the fire lit up the sky and was visible miles even miles away.

A brush fire in the woods near the Country club house was extinguished Tuesday afternoon by the fire department. Wednesday morning box 74 brought the department to a fire in a henhouse at the rear of the home of William Corliss on Osgood road. Hot ashes which ignited dry grass is believed to have been the cause. The damage was slight, since the owner attached no value to the property.

# P.T.A. to Sponsor **Projector Party**

On Tuesday evening, March 29, at eight o'clock, in the memorial gymnasium, the Andover Parent-Teacher association will sponsor a card-party. The proceeds are to be used to purchase equipment for a projector which will enable the children in all the various schools to have the priv-ileges of practical classroom work. This also includes a fund for films.

Tickets for the card-party may be se-cured from Miss Barrett, at the Stowe school, Mrs. James Eaton or Mrs. Harold Houston. Mrs. Howard Sawyer is general chairman and she has several active committees assisting her.

Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded at each table.

## FAN EXHIBIT WEDNESDAY

Over 150 fans from all corners of the globe will be on display next Wednesday at the Baptist church vestry, with the entire proceeds going to church work. The exhibition will continue from three to four. Mrs. C. P. Smith of Methuen, the exhibitor, collects fans as a hobby.

Admission will be 25 cents for adults, 15 cents for children.

"Can you give me a figure on printing the poll tax and excise tax bills for this year? I've got to get them right out." When you've been 19 years on a job, and you only have two weeks left, the ordinary person doesn't get all excited about getting bills out in a hurry. Bill Cheever had worked for the town as tax collector a total of 987 weeks, and that usually entitles you to take it easy on the 988th and 989th, but not so Bill. And maybe that's why he was unbeatable in his many campaigns for public office.

Bill will be 78 on June 29. That's a respectable old age to be working for the respectable oid age to be working for the town in such an important position. By the time you get to be 65 or so, you're expected to start slipping, but Tuesday morning town treasurer Thaxter Eaton gave us some figures which showed that in Andover's population class Bill Cheever had the fourth best record for collection of 1987 taxes

had the fourth over the of 1937 taxes. Bill had been working in T. A. Holt's store for 35 years when John W. Bell, (CONTINUED ON PAGE 9)

**School Committee** 

# Cast Sick; Put **Off Huck Finn**

"Huckleberry Finn," play which was to have been presented by the students of the Junior high school yesterday after-noon and this evening, has been postponed because of illness of three members of the cast.

Due to the emergency the play will in-stead be presented on Wednesday after-noon and Thursday evening of the coming week

## GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY PLANS ANNUAL PLAY

**Re-elects Officers** Frederick C. Smith was re-elected chairman and Elmer J. Grover secretary at the annual organization meeting of the school committee Tuesday night. The two new members, Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin and Mrs. George Musk, were present for the first time.

At the close of the meeting Chairman At the close of the meeting Chairman Smith announced his appointment of sub-committees for the coming year. Mrs. Baldwin was appointed to the finance and advisory committee, along with Mr. Smith and Mr. Erving, and Mrs. Musk was named to the buildings and grounds committee with William A. Doherty and Active P. Lowie Mr. Cover formations BRIDGE PARTY HELD A bridge party was held last night at the Square and Compass club, with a large group in attendance. The commit-tee: Carl Elander, Charles Foster and Philip Graham. The Girls' Friendly society of Christ the Square and Compass club, with a large group in attendance. The commit-tee: Carl Elander, Charles Foster and Philip Graham. Commit deter Easter. The Girls' Friendly society of Christ the Square and Compass club, with a large group in attendance. The commit-tee: Carl Elander, Charles Foster and Philip Graham. Commit deter Easter. The play, a comedy in three acts, en-titled "Take a Chance," is being coached by Miss Laura Marland of Bartlet street. Committee with William A. Doherty and Arthur R. Lewis. Mr. Grover, formerly on teachers' sub-committee in the position held formerly by Dr. Stowers, retired. Mr. Smith, Mr. Doherty and Mrs. Angus are respective chairmen.

# Tax Rate to Be **Close to \$30.00**

# Largest Meeting in History Goes Below Budgets Recommended

A tax rate conservatively estimated at \$30.60 will result from last Monday night's town meeting action in approving ex-penditures totalling \$660,571.41. Town treasurer Thaxter Eaton stated at the close of the meeting that the rate might be as low as \$30.50 or as high as \$32.00 demodium on here close the action of the be as low as \$50.50 or as high as \$52.00 depending on how close the estimate of receipts, valuation, etc. proves to be. If receipts from the income tax come in higher than the selectmen now dare to expect, there is still a possibility that the rate might be brought down closer to \$30.

Of the total appropriations \$625,875.66 by the finance committee, including the by the finance committee, including the brush fire truck, the two Elm street jobs, and the High street sidewalk. All the regular budget totals were adopted as recommended by the finance committee, with the following small exceptions: state aid, up \$210 to \$450; town report, up \$1.00 to \$651; Interest, down \$300 to \$14200; school board, up \$57 to \$189,160; public welfare, up M5,000 to \$27,000. The snow removal appropriation, which the board asked to be raised to \$20,000 from \$15,000 was left at the latter figure. In every other instance the finance com-mittee was followed.

#### Salary Cut Doomed

After Edward P. Hall was elected to the Cornell fund trustees, the meeting went into finances, with entire approval of the elective officials' salaries at 1937 rates spelling the doom of any attempted salary cuts later in the meeting. The first few items went through quickly, with the (CONTINUED ON PAGE 5)



# **Children Present** Memories of Erin A large crowd braved the elements last

A large crowd braved the elements last night to attend the annual St. Patrick's night program, "Memories of Erin," given by the pupils of St. Augustine's school at the town hall. The cast of characters:

# Larry Doyle, a carefree Irish lad

	William Morrissey
Kathleen, his sweetheart K	athryn McCarthy
Mrs. Clancy, Kathleen's mother	Kathleen Buss
Larry Doyle, in later life	William Burke
Kathleen Doyle, his wife	Eileen Brennan
Peter O'Callahan, a pessimist	William Beaulieu
Lawrence Mulvaney, a young Ir	ish farmer
	Milton Lindholm
Alice Harrigan, his sweetheart	Kathleen Quill

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#### **Orchestra Saturday**

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Mary, their daughter Paddy Harrigan, a drove Opening chorus-Hail, Glorious Apostle Elizabeth Golden Address of welcome Elizabeth Golden Scene I—The living room of the Doyles in America Time-The present St. Patrick's Night

Songs-Dear Little Shamrock Eileen Brennan and chorus

When I Dream of Old Erin I'm Dreaming of You James O'Hagan and chorus Specialty—The Wearing of the Green Germaine Verette and chorus of fifth grade boys

Scene II—Mrs. Clancy's cabin and garden in Ireland Time—Twenty years prior to Scene I Songs—My Wild Irish Rose

William Morrissey and ballet of rose Specialty Josephine Eldred The Irish Jubilee

James Grant and George Kelly The Shenanigans Seventh grade boys Specialty Gloria and Jacqueline Verette Scene III-Same as Scene II

Songs-When Irish Eyes Are Smiling

Milton Lindholm and chorus The March and Frolic of the Elves and The Dance of the Fairies That Old Irish Mother of Mine

William Morrissey God Put the Green in the Rainbow

Francis Robertson 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th grade girls and boys Dance Joan Fleming Recitation

Scene IV-Two weeks later-The Wedding The Kerry Dance Eighth gra Songs—Kathleen Mavourneen Eighth grade girls and boys Kathleen Buss

Come Back to Erin Ensemble Scene V—The Doyles' living room in America Time-Present, after the dream, St. Patrick's Night

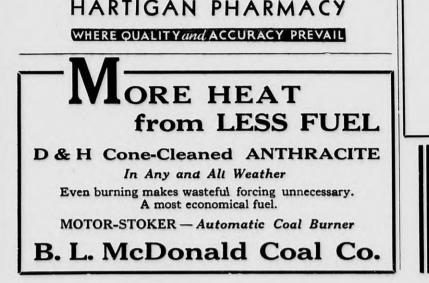
Songs—I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen James O'Hagan and chorus

Specialty Johnny Blue, a sailor James Grant Washed-out White, also a sailor George Kelly Grand finale—I Pledge Allegiance Ensemble The director, James E. Flannery; pian-ist, William Burbine; costume committee,



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Kathryn Walsh George Levi postle Elizabeth Golden oyles in America iek's Night Mrs. J. Porter, Mrs. Dwyer. The committee: Margaret Reilly, Marion Connolly, Mary McNulty, Rita Tardif, Clarence Delaney, M. A. Burke, Tom Fallon, Patrick Barrett, Frank Nelligan and Frank McDonald.

**Robinson Company** Station to Open

The J. W. Robinson company, long well-known in the automobile field, will open its new show-rooms and service sta-tion on Park street tomorrow. For several months the company has been making extensive changes in the shop formerly occupied by the Buchan Furniture com-pany. The public is invited to inspect the

pany. The public is invited to inspect the new shop tomorrow. The old furniture show-room has been changed into a modern automobile show-room, with large plate-glass windows re-placing the previous small panes, thus allowing a better view of the Dodges and Plane will be that the concern will fortune Plymouths that the concern will feature. A comfortable waiting-room is being pro-vided, and there will be a sales office. Arthur Parent is in charge of the sales department. The entire rear of the building has been

as a service shop and the second as a storehouse for new and used cars. The old vertical supports have been removed and trusses substituted thus allowing a floor devoid of obstacles. Entrance will be from Park street and exit at the rear. The floor is now a concrete-like composition instead of the old wood floor, and the previously unfinished walls have been lathed and covered with fireproofed plas-ter. A new sprinkler system was installed and a complete new heating system, with three large blowers circulating the heated air. A special ramp was built at the rear on which the run the care up to the care of which to run the cars up to the second floor.

In the service shop there is a stock In the service shop there is a stock room containing all replacement parts not only for Dodge, Plymouth, DeSoto and Chrysler but also for all other makes of cars. A complete selection of special tools qualifies the station for work of all kinds. A washstand and a lubritorium are other features and the acuiment includes features, and the equipment includes Weiderhoff Engine analysers to eliminate guess-work. Albert Walker will be service foreman.

#### CHOOSE COACH LOVELY AS LEAGUE PRESIDENT

Coach Eugene V. Lovely of Punchard high was elected president of the 1938 Merrimack Valley Suburban baseball league at a meeting held Tuesday at the Lowell Y.M.C.A.

Attending the meeting with Mr. Lovely was Joseph B. Doherty of the high school faculty.

Economy Keynote of Board Session

Numerous budgetary matters were taken up at the opening meeting of the school board Tuesday evening, with the members in general expressing a strong feeling that every economy should be practiced this year in an endeavor to turn back a belavase to free sets this. back a balance to free cash this year and to reduce the budget request next year.

Superintendent Sanborn reported that he had already undertaken a study of the transportation problem based on a sug-gestion made an an earlier meeting that the present large sums paid for this item might be reduced by the substitution of a might be reduced by the substitution of a new bus route combining work now done by the street railway and the railroad at a heavy charge. Mr. Sanborn said that his preliminary study showed that there would be a definite saving here. He expects to make a definite recommendation for the next meeting. next meeting.

Action taken at a previous meeting to dispense with noon-day caretaking of children was rescinded, but an amendment putting a definite stop to this feature at the end of the school year was approved. This will represent an annual saving of \$900.

The study of the electricity costs is continuing, and the Lawrence Gas and Electric company has agreed to install a demand chart for a year in an effort to see if the system is receiving the most favorable rate. It was decided to secure bids on fuel for

the coming year, co-operating with the other departments. Chairman Shepard of the selectmen was notified of the action on Tuesday evening and he stated that he would get in touch with the Board of Public Works.

Five teachers whose salaries were not restored to the normal scale last year since they were not on tenure were granted the restoration.

The committee spent considerable time discussing the loud-speaking equipment and the ventilating system in the audi-torium, neither of which were satisfactory town meeting. Mr. Sanborn reported that the cafeteria

in short-month February showed a profit of \$67, the net loss for the school year being \$21.

Mr. Erving reported on a reflector ar-rangement which it is claimed will save considerable electricity.

#### WHIST PARTY FRIDAY

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A whist party is to be held next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Percy J. Dole on Washington avenue by the Mothers' club. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Brucato and Mrs. Stewart Stewart.

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Abbot Committee

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Mrs. Annie Smart Angus is chairman for the Andover community and Mrs.

Southworth Cowden is vice-chairman. Plans were discussed for securing the

contributions of all alumnae and friends of the school in Andover. It is the plan of

the executive committee of the campaign to complete the alumnae solicitation in this vicinity by the end of March and reports of progress are to be made at that

time. Members of the Andover committee Bernardin, Miss

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**Train Accident** 

Henry J. Riley of River street, Ballard-ale, passed away at the Wentworth

vale, passed away at the Wentworth hospital at Dover, N. H., last Saturday evening, two days after he had fallen

while alighting from a train at Rocking-ham junction on his way to do spare work

as a railroad telegrapher. He sustained a fractured skull, and an injury to his right

arm which necessitated amputation. Mr. Riley was born in the Vale 63 years

ago, the son of John Riley and Rose Gib-ney. He was employed by the railroad for 40 years, most of the time as a baggage-

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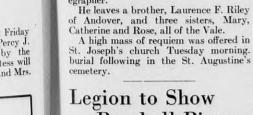
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**Baseball Picture** "Batter Up," a Legion junior motion picture on baseball, is to be presented without admission charge at the Memor-ial auditorium on Monday evening, April 4, by the American Legion. An official of the Red Sox is expected to be present. A luncheon is to be served the 1937 Junior Legion baseball team in the cafe-teria prior to the nicture.

teria prior to the picture. The school board decided Tuesday evening to grant the Legion the use of the auditorium and cafeteria without charge, it being the first time this has been done. It was felt that since it was a Memorial auditorium, the veterans had a right to

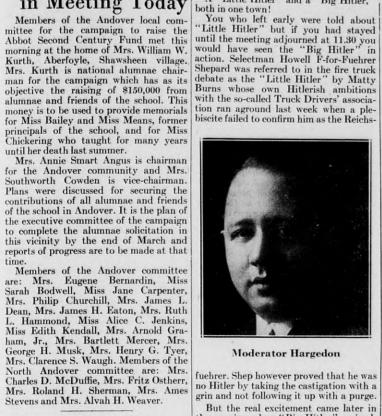
## MARSHAL VOSE TO ADDRESS POLICE

The Police Relief association is planning a social to be held Thursday evening, April 14, in the Legion rooms. It is ex-pected that Marshal Vose of Lawrence will speak. A luncheon will be served. The committee: Leonard Saunders, Carl Stev-ens and Course Waldie. ens and George Waldie.

# THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

# This Sober Town Meeting

A "Little Hitler" and a "Big Hitler," both in one town! You who left early were told about "Little Hitler" but if you had stayed until the meeting adjourned at 11.30 you would have seen the "Big Hitler" in action. Selectman Howell F-for-Fuehrer Shepard was referred to in the fire truck debate as the "Little Hitler" by Matty Burns whose own Hitlerish ambitions with the so-called Truck Drivers' associa-tion ran aground last week when a pletion ran aground last week when a ple-biscite failed to confirm him as the Reichs-



## **Moderator Hargedon**

fuehrer. Shep however proved that he was no Hitler by taking the castigation with a grin and not following it up with a purge.

But the real excitement came later in the evening when "Big Hitler" arrived. When the town's leading Republican passes over the gavel to the town's leading passes over the gavel to the town's leading Democrat, something is bound to happen, and it did. Fred Butler had to leave for Washington, and so he bestowed the gavel on Judge Joe Hargedon, who de-cided that the meeting had already lasted too long. The first couple of articles dealt with appropriations, but after that Joe developed full steam ahead and it took a lot of lung-power to halt him. He'd read an article, not wait for a motion, and merely say: "Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed 'no', 'sa vote!" Prospect hill road was changed, absentee voting was granted, the report of the municipal buildings committee was accepted, and buildings committee was accepted, and the sales tax was opposed. Or was it?

## Sailed Through Sales Tax

By this time Joe just couldn't be stopped. He was going in high, and was already reading the next article when the shouts became so loud that he couldn't even hear himself. Carleton Kimball was up protesting just as loud as he could, and finally Joe heard him. Carleton said he wanted to speak on the sche tax and Joe wanted to speak on the sales tax, and Joe told him that the sales tax article had been passed and since he wasn't on his feet it was too late now. Mr. Kimball said he was on his feet. Fred Cheney was up clamoring to be heard and Ernest Ed-wards was also demanding that the meet-ing go a little slower. And a hundred other ing go a little slower. And a number other voices were all shouting at once. Finally Joe shifted from third to reverse and granted the request that there be discus-sion of the sales tax. Mr. Kimball spoke for such a tax, and then Fred Cheney started in on it. Fred gave the arguments for, and then proceeded to start on the articles against, with shouts of "Cali-fornia Here We Come" drowning out Fred's explanation of how the tax was fornia Here We Come<sup>-</sup> drowning out Fred's explanation of how the tax was working in Missouri and Alabama. Finally Joe banged down the gavel, and said: "The gentleman is entitled to the floor and to quiet." And then in a real loud aside: "You asked for it; now you've got it!" got it

But finally the motion went through: Joe said it did anyway. The fish regula-tion motion was thrown out, the two parcels of land were approved for eminent domain proceedings, Thaxter disposed of the free cash, and the town reports were accepted. Finally Ralph Emerson asked

But although those fifteen minutes reached a peak in town meeting bedlam that hasn't been seen here for years, the rest of the town meeting was not without its moments of humor. The "Phantom Voice" was of course one of the high-lights of the evening until it became so headlit that it means that The total sectors of the total sectors of the total sectors of the high-lights of the evening until it became so lights of the evening until it became so highlit that it was put out. That micro-phone system—well, the school commit-tee checked up on it after it was all over and found that the system had been tested carefully at five o'clock and had been found in perfect working order. It was all set for voice, but when the thunder started overhead, it was found that some-one had switched the system to "music" —if you can call it that. This was cleared up, and then the only one that seemed to up, and then the only one that seemed to be able to make it work was the phantom in the anteroom. Some say the speakers were at fault. To use the mikes you're supposed to be very close to them, since they're not the supersensitive type used in radio stations. But after Monday night we think it takes more than that, and maybe even prayer wouldn't help,

#### Just Whistle

Early in the evening a new method of attracting attention was used by Bob Devermond, who in a communication in today's Townsman praises the town meeting's privilege of free speech but who called to the moderator five times on one occasion and finally had to whistle to get the floor on another the floor on another.

The zoning law skirmish, while in general pretty dry, had a few touches of humor. Knowing Fred Cheever we don't think there was any malice aforethought in his action in placing the big plan of the In his action in placing the big plan of the disputed development up in such a way that Roy E. Hardy could see nothing but the back of it. Later in the discussion Fred Butler was able again to put in his remark about "Wisconsin town meet-ings," a phrase which depicts the particu-bat type of informal moting where the lar type of informal meeting where the chair is out of the discussion and where as in this one Matty Burns merely leaned on



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the stage and chatted away with Jim Eastham Alex Blamire also added to the humor

Alex Blamire also added to the humor of the evening with his talk on the condi-tions in the floods caused by the Shaw-sheen drain. "We get it in front, we get it in the rear, and we get it in the sides," he said in near Ancient Mariner style. Earlier he had told of the flood's subsiding, at which time he noticed "bottles hanging from the trees." He didn't say what kind of bottles they were, but all that drainage comes from the cow pastures above, so they were probably milk bottles. Just as as suggestion for next town meeting: Bromo-Seltzer, Anacin or aspirin are all pretty good, but it'll take a day for

are all pretty good, but it'll take a day for it to wear off anyway.

# Wheaton Club to **Display Fashions**

The fashion show sponsored by the Merrimack Valley Wheaton club, to be held on Friday evening, March 25, at eight o'clock, in the Memorial gymnasium, will be presented in three panto-mimed scenes written and directed by Mrs. John M. Birdsall. The setting will be that of a garden terrace. Members of the club will model the gowns of Mrs. Carter of Haverhill and the hats of Miss Tewksbury of Lawrence.

The fashion show will be followed by bridge, with individual table prizes, and refreshments. Tickets are 50 cents and may be obtained from Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast, chairman, or other club members.



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Where Are Now that the hurdles

the in Monday's town meet-ing have been met suc-cessfully by the town departments, they should start immediately on a campaign to carry on their various functions at a minimum of expense the rest of the year. Many of them should have substantial balances to turn back to free cash at the end of the year and if they do this, they should with con-fidence be able to ask for less money next year than they did this year.

Anyone interested in seeing how town departments are run should glance at the departments are run should glance at the balances left in the various accounts at the end of the year. It's really amazing how close most of the departments come to spending every cent the town meeting gives them. At the beginning of December most of them take stock of the money they have left, and then decide to pur-chase various things in an endeavor to abcorb the balance if any, that might be absorb the balance, if any, that might be left at the end of the year. If the things purchased are real necessities that would have to be bought out of next year' budget anyway, the practice is not such an extravagant one as first sight would lead one to believe. But there is another dangerous philosophy behind this prac-tice. Many departments feel that if they do not absorb their entire appropriation, if in other words they turn back some money at the end of the year, the town meeting will feel that having spent only a portion of the appropriation last year, the board needs no more the next year. the board needs no more the next year. Just to convince the voters that all the money is needed, it is all spent.

No business would operate that way If it had any money left at the end of the year, it wouldn't spend it. It would keep it in its treasury, and that is what each department should do. They'll find that the townspeople respect them more and will be willing to entrust them with whatever they ask thereafter, knowing it will be spent only if necessary.

There are two ways of running a town department. One is to operate it on the basis that you have so much money to spend and you might as well spend it regardless of necessity. The other is to spend the money only for necessary things, regardless of how much extra money you may have at your dispos les There is no question as to which is the sound practice. Every town department this year and every year should examine each expenditure carefully and approve it only when it is absolutely necessary, no matter whether it might be a "nice thing to spend it on" or whether it might be something that has been done for years and years. Andover cannot afford to let its officials waste money this year.

# Siftings

"'More Jobs Are Needed,' Says Presi-dent Roosevelt"—Headline. Takes a keen analytical mind to figure that one out.

We're not sure yet whether the greater waste was time or money at town meeting.

Hitler is to conduct a plebiscite to see if the people whom he will let vote for him will vote for him.

Nathan C. Hamblin, Punchard high principal, resumed his duties Monday after a week's illness.

# Communications

#### Sunshine

Our annual town meeting is over. The memory lingers on. Next year there will be a decided drop in welfare costs and the tax burden will be so much less to you and you and I do mean you.

Here is a prophecy, "Our mills will be tere is a propilecy. Our mins will be very busy manufacturing war material. England's army must be clothed. Her factories will be unable to cope with the emergency. America will have her chance to be here in the bar of to keep busy." I do hope I am wrong about war.

Isn't it wonderful to see so many of our citizens attend town meeting? After reading the European and Asiatic current events of the past week one cannot help but be thankful that the Democratic spirit of America yet lives. What other country gives the opportunity to its people to partake in its administration, like our free town meeting? Not in the sense of dollars, but in the freedom to exercise that old but glorious privilege of free speech? Can't you picture what would happen to the persons who would criticize the officials like ours were Monday evethe officials like ours were Monday eve-ning, in Russia, Germany, Japan or Italy? Aren't you glad to be living in a free country? May it ever be preserved. The planning board debate was inter-esting. The floor was at a premium. What

an opportunity there was for a comprom-ise. The writer had one. It was to abolish the planning board in its entirety and let Andover grow as he has done for nigh onto three hundred years. Beautiful, well planned and extremely well guided. Isn't it pathetic to have to refuse a drink of officials endeavor to get a P.W.A. water project so that all who want may have this gift of God. It would do more good than the farm to market roads.

The loud speaker system was perfect. The speaker who professed radio exper-ience, seemed to be getting the bronx cheer. So it was agreed that no noise is good noise.

Isn't it a pity that the B. P. W. board encounters so much opposition at town meeting? The members are all men of proven ability in the business world, yet they receive the grand slam annually.

The auditorium was over heated when article 42 was announced. The judge moderator was right, they asked for it and what's more they got it. So, Andover, what if taxes are a bit high. We have life and freedom and the clear

blue sky

To cheer us on to forget the strain, Remember, after storms and heavy rain The glorious sun will shine again.

R. V. DEVERMOND

# YOUNG MARRIED GROUP OF FREE CHURCH MEETS

The Young Married Group of the Free church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Black, Walnut avenue, Wednesday evening.

Following several games in which Mrs. Andrew Jackson and Randolph Perry were winners, a spelling match was en-joyed—the wives winning a decided vic-

joyed—the wives winning a decided vic-tory over the husbands. Those presdut included: Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Swanton, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Nicoll, Rev. Herman C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Black. The next meeting of the group will be

The next meeting of the group will be on April 6 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan, Tewksbury street, Ballardvale. Plans for a debate are being made

#### LEGION MEETS

The Legion held a meeting last night at which final plans were made for the mo-tion picture and Legion junior baseball banquet to be held at the Memorial audi-

that the mothers and sisters of the boys would want to attend also as well as the male members of the family. The motion picture will be free to everyone, but there will be a charge of \$1.00 for the banquet to all except the players and a few spec-

ally invited guests. A Memorial day committee was appointed as follows: H. Garrison Holt, Harold L. Peters and Stafford A. Lindsay. They will meet with the V. F. W. and the Spanish War Veterans on April 7 at 7.30. The Miss Andover dance will be held April 29th.

# **Obituaries**

#### **Betty Lou Gallant**

The little five-and-one-half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Gallant of South Main street, passed away early Wednesday morning at the Lawrence General hospital. She had been removed to the hospital on Tuesday, and Tuesday evening physicians despaired of her life.

Born in Providence, R. I., she had lived here for the past four years. Her father is the well-known manager of the Gulf Service station near the post office.

Betty Lou was the only child. Surviving in addition to her parents, numerous uncles and aunts, is the paternal grandfather, Angus Gallant.

A high mass of requiem was held at St Augustine's church this morning, burial following in St. Augustine's cemetery.

#### Mrs. Jane Gillespie Clark

Mrs. Jane Gillespie Clark Mrs. Jane Gillespie Clark, 77-year-old widow of William Clark, passed away at her home, 43 Highland road, yesterday afternoon. Services will be held tomorrow at the late home by Rev. Herman C. Johnson. Burial will follow in Bellevue cemetery.

She is survived by two sons, James of She is survived by two sons, James of Chicago, Ill.; William of Lawrence; a daughter, Mrs. Mark A. Beauchesne of Andover; a brother, Peter Gillespie of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. James Thomp-son of North Andover and Mrs. Agnes Fife of Salisbury.

## **Marriage Intentions**

Joseph H. Drouin, 8 Front street, East Rochester, N. H., and Veronica I. Morin,

Juliette street. Donald P. Wylie, Old Quarry road, Upper Montclair, N. J., and Hilda W. Lynde, 195 Main street.

## Births

A son to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Cole, 87 North Main street, March 14. A daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Collins, 88 North Main street, March

A son, Wallace William, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Sharp at the O'Donnell sanitarium, March 6.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Hager of 94 North Main street at the Lawrence General hospital, March 7.

A group of Past Presidents of Clan Johnston went to Woburn Tuesday eve-ning to observe the 50th anniversary of

Alex Auchterlonie, George Brown, Sr., George Brown, Jr., and William Gordon

#### MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Tonight, Clan, V. F. W.; Monday, Rebekahs; Tuesday, Grange, C.D.A.; Wednesday, Odd Fellows, V. F. W. auxtorium and cafeteria on April 4. The affair will not be stag, since it was felt Thursday, Service club, Legion auxiliary.

News of Other Days What You and Your Neighbors

Were Doing in Days Gone By

## Fifty Years Ago

A. H. Abbott the peddler, was caught in Lowell by the great storm and in trying to get home had several mishaps which caused him two days' delay.

George C. Davis has returned from Boston to his pleasant residence on Phillips street for the season.

It should not be forgotten that Sam Small, the "Georgia evangelist," lectures tonight at the town hall. His lecture "From Bar-Room to Pulpit," is the story lectures of his own rescue, and is warmly praised by the papers in the cities where it has been delivered as thrilling, pathetic and impressive.

George A. Higgins has been housed several days by a slight illness

Fred Chandler expects to go to Phila-delphia early next month to take a posi-tion with the Knickerbocker Ice company.

Monday evening being so stormy, the help working for the Smith and Dove Manufacturing company in their mills here, were conveyed to their homes. Those who live in Lawrence were carried up to the depot and put on the train, and the rest carried to their doors. This was a very acceptable surprise to them on such a stormy night.

## Twenty-five Years Ago

A son was born on Friday, March 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stone of High street.

Miss Marie Daley has entered the em-ploy of the Tyer Rubber company's office.

Mrs. M. E. Dalton was confined to her home for several days this week with grip. George L. Burnham and Chester D. Abbott have been in attendance during the week at the course of lectures at Amherst, Mass., on the subject of Milk

and Dairying. Harold W. Marland of Chestnut street has accepted a position in Pensacola, Florida, and will soon leave town to as-sume his new duties. For some time he has been in the employ of the Arlington mills, Lawrence.

Robert Stack is ill at his home on Summer street

# Ten Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Frye of Elm street have returned from Worcester where they attended the opening of the new store of William Filene's Sons' Co. Mr. Frye had charge of the decorating of this new store

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Black of Elm street have recently returned from a two-weeks' trip to New York City and Wash-ington, D. C. On their way to New York they spent a week-end in Holyoke, visit-ing Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cunningham and daughter, former residents of Andover. Harrison Brown of High street recently

eturned from a trip to Florida.

Friends of Abbott Cheever, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cheever of Chestnut street, will take a special interest in the window display of the current number of the "National Sportsman," at the store of the Andover News company. The cover is a reproduction of a painting by Mr. Cheever called "Homeward Bound." Cheever is a student at the School of Mr. the Boston Museum of Fine Arts Mrs. Isabella Holt of Chestnut street is

ill at her home. William Murphy of Sanborn seminary is spending a few days at his home on Pearson street.

# BOYS ENTER CAMPS

Breaks were made in five camps at Foster's pond last Saturday, apparently by boys, according to police. Apparently nothing was taken. No camp owned by an Andover resident was involved



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# Comps When Handlebars Were in Vogue



There have been many changes in the Andover Press since the above picture was taken. New equipment has of course been added, and the presses, shown in the rear, are now all located downstairs. But most pronounced of all the changes is in the personnel, for today there is not a single handle-bar physiognomy in the elast plant.

# Tax Rate to Be Close to \$30.00

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and Robert V. Devermond supported

On a standing vote Mr. O'Connell's amendment was defeated 501 to 373.

After a motion to cut the moth de-partment to \$4000 by Ralph T. Berry had been defeated, Mr. O'Connell again made

another ten percent cut suggestion on the police appropriation, but it failed of sup-

The only other question under the regu-lar budgets came on snow removal, the motion for which included \$4000 for equipment if needed. When Mitchell Johnson asked what kind of equipment this was, Mr. Bodwell told of the Austin 77, familiarly known as the "Iron Mike." The town has been buying this on a rental basis for several years he sold and there

basis for several years, he said, and there is \$2200 due on it. Theodore Waddell

state director of accounts, however, has ruled the rental arrangement illegal, and

Mr. Bodwell suggested that the town would either have to pay the \$2200 or sacrifice the money already spent. An amendment by Mr. Hammond cutting the appropriation to \$15,000 was passed.

Mr. O'Connell asked that the fire truck be transferred to the next town meeting, and Charles B. Roberts called for a halt

and the purchase was approved, with the other two B.P.W. vehicles requested.

On hard surfacing gravel roads Ralph W. Emerson spoke and asked indefinite postponement. Mr. Turner and Mr. Bod-well spoke for it, as did Paul L'Antigua, and the project was approved. John F. O'Connell's motion to indefinitely post-pone the Elm street work carried over the objection of Mr. Yeaton, an Elm street resident. (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) only interruption being Taxpayers' Presi-dent Edmond E. Hammond's plea for rigid economy. When it came to town officers, John F. O'Connell suggested a ten percent cut, or \$2197 off. He said he was not one to advocate a cut in wages, but he felt the meeting should cut the resident. appropriations and leave the rest up to the town officials. William F. Barron the town officials. William F. Barron pointed out that since the elective officials' salaries had already been established the only way to cut would be to slash the clerks. Matthew Burns brought up the assessors' survey again, but selectman Howell F. Shepard presented a defense of it and Robert V. Devermond currented

A question as to the meaning of the clause on the W.P.A. material article: "and establish this item as part of the regular budget," evoked comment from Mr. Emerson, Mr. Bodwell, C. Carleton Kimball, and Matthew Burns, with selectman Shepard finally clarifying the eiteration by amending by adding: "until selectman Shepard many charlying the situation by amending by adding: "until the regular town meeting of 1939." The clause gives the board a right to buy W.P.A. material in January and February of next year, while the Shepard amend-ment prevents W.P.A. from being a fix-ture in the budget ture in the budget.

The school committee withdrew its generating-plant article, since it still has the problem under consideration. The three privately-installed water mains vere purchased.

### **Cheever By-Law Passed**

The zoning by-laws took up the most time of any other matter that came before the town meeting, with the planning board's amendments finally being thrown out and the Cheever amendment being passed, reducing lot acreage to 8500 feet from 10000. Much time was wasted in discussing which article should be treated first, while all the time most of the speak-ers were discussing both together. Speakers were discussing both together. Speak-ing for Mr. Cheever were Judge Frederic N. Chandler, attorney Joseph L. Burns, Mr. Roberts, Roger Lewis, William F. Barron, Judge Joseph Hargedon, and Matthew Burns. For the planning board were Roy E. Hardy, Henry Bodwell, and attorney James Eastham. The planning board's amendments fell short of a major-ity on a yote that required two-thirds. The \$695 moth sprayer was passed, with Matthew Burns amending it to \$300 and being supported by Ralph Berry who said that a \$300 machine will do the work. Harvey Turner for the-finance committee stated that the mal chine was necessary. ity on a vote that required two-thirds, while Mr. Cheever's amendment passed 442 to 92.

Railroad avenue was accepted as a town street, after chairman Shepard urged consideration of the acceptance and Tyer Rubber Treasurer Wallace Brimer told of the work that had been done there and the large amount of through traffic on the street.

All the water extensions were defeated, with Dean B. Hudgins and Frederick J. Kearn speaking for them. Mr. Turner suggested a committee to bring the B.P.W's 1926 plan up-to-date, but finally the whole matter was laid on the table.

## **Recreation Study**

and Charles B. Roberts called for a halt on expenditures, comparing town spend-ing to household spending. Matthew Burns moved indefinite postponement after stating that last year's truck was bought so that the ladder truck could stay in the station and this year's truck so that last year's could stay. The motion car-ried, with the selectmen making no at-temnt to much the nurchase tempt to push the purchase. The B.P.W. superintendent's car, de-feated last year, went down again, but Mr. Hammond moved reconsideration Mrs. E. Dean Walen, petitioner for \$500 for skating facilities, withdrew the article, and substituted therefor a motion providing for a study of a coordina & d

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over the gavel to Judge Hargedon, since he had to leave for Washington. The

program of recreation for the town. It read: "I move that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee to give early consideration of Coordinated Recreation for Andover, this committee to include the present chairman of the Pomps pond committee and the play-ground committee. The committee to make an immediate study of skating facili-ties in Andover." The motion passed. At this point Moderator Butler turned over the gavel to Judge Hargedon, since went on record against such a tax.

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# J. W. Robinson Co.

# 43-49 Park Street, Andover

will open their new Automobile Show Room and Service Station Saturday, March 19th

The public are cordially invited to inspect this new plant from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

# **Dodge and Plymouth Cars**



# **Club Entertains**

Club Entertains District Officers The Tuesday club entertained the officers of clubs in the tenth district of the Massachusetts State Federation of Wom-en's clubs at a tea and reception held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold Leitch, president of the club. About 100 attended. Officers were present from Haverhill, Lowell, Billerica, Grove

land, Georgetown, Lawrence, Methuen, North Andover, Amesbury and West

Cherry and Webbs

FASHION WEEK Ends Tomorrow

Miss Ruth Leitch, daughter of the hos-

Miss Ruth Leitch, daughter of the hos-tess, was in charge of the sherbet. The assistant hostesses were: Mrs. Kirke G. Temple, Mrs. Chester D. Ab-bott, and Mrs. Zink, and those in charge of hospitality were Mrs. Warren L. Har-low, Mrs. Eugene M. Weeks and Mrs. George E. Hussey. The tea was arranged by Mrs. John Erving, Mrs. Wilfred Lord, Mrs. Stanley V. Lane and Mrs. Leitch. Miss Fonnie E. Davis, Mrs. Joseph A. Rand and Mrs. Franklin C. Roberts assisted in welcoming the guests. the guests.

# **Officers Elected** by Clan Auxiliary

Dy Clain Auxinary Mrs. Ann Driscoll was last night elected president of the Clan auxiliary. The an-nual installation will be held April 7 at which time Mrs. George Petrie will be chaplain. Supper will be served at 6.30. Others elected were: vice-president, Mrs. Merrill Watt; chaplain, Mrs. Archi-bald Davidson; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas B. Gorrie; financial secretary, Miss Edna Anderson; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Grant; conductor, Mrs. Jean Wood; guard, Mrs. William Cargill; sentinel, guard, Mrs. William Cargill; sentinel, Ella Petrie; American flag bearer, Louise Keith; Scottish standard bearer, Louise Retrie; pianist, Nan Lindsay; and trustee for three years, Mrs. John Thomson, retiring president.

# AT ADVENTURERS' MEETING

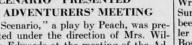
AT ADVENTURERS' MEETING "Scenario," a play by Peach, was pre-sented under the direction of Mrs. Wil-liam Edwards at the meeting of the Ad-venturers on Tuesday evening. Those taking part were Richard Zecchini, Carl Gregg, Harold Wennick, Roland Fraser, William Hughes, Irving Whit-comb, Richard Douglas, Geoffrey Nicoll, Dorothy Winn and May Elander. Plans were forwarded for the forth-coming production of "Duley."

The A. P. C. sorority of the South church will be guests of the North An-dover sorority in the Davis room of the Trinitarian church on Monday at eight.

ladies' parlor.

On Thursday, March 24, the Free church Woman's Alliance will hold a current events meeting at 2.30 in the

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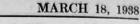


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# Local News Notes

William Crowley, long a familiar figure at town meetings, became ill Monday night just outside the auditorium. He walked home where he was found in serious condition later. The attractive duplex apartment at

8 Windsor street owned by Mrs. Susan Conlon has been rented to Charles L. Swift, manager of Swift and company, Lawrence, Mass., who has already moved in. Arrangements were made through the W. Shirley Barnard real estate and insurance agency. Raymond E. Smith of Maple avenue is

to be one of the judges for the gardens in modernistic settings at the annual New England Spring Flower show to be held in Mechanics building March 17 to 23. He is the gardener for Maurice J. Curran. John T. Mercer and daughter of 64

Salem street are enjoying a month's cruise, expecting to be back April 11. Rev. John B. Leonard, O.S.A., was removed to St. John's hospital in Lowell

Saturday night. Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., departed the same night for Philadelphia, where his father was crit-ically ill. Rev. J. F. Wood, O.M.I., of Tewksbury assisted at St. Augustine's Sunday.

Fruit trees pruned. Estimates on any fruit or shade tree work given. Ralph T. Berry, 611-W. Adv. Miss Ellen McIntosh, daughter of Dr.

And Mrs. J. J. McIntosh, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. McIntosh of South Main street will sing at the concert of the Writers' club at Serlo hall in Methuen on Sunday, March 20. Miss McIntosh has been studying a year with Rosalind Mil-ler of New York, and has attended the Boston Conservatory of Music and Bradford college.

J. Everett Collins was the baritone soloist at the benefit concert for the International Institute on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Brainerd E. Smith, East Street, Methuen.

The seven-room Garrison Colonial home built by Carl H. Stevens in West Andover has been sold to Atty. Halbert W. Dow of Methuen. The sale was made through the Fred E. Cheever\_real estate agency. agency.

Henry S. Hopper, Frederick Butler, James E. Greeley and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gagne have been attending the reciprocal trade treaty hearings in Wash-

ington this week. Dr. and Mrs. Pierson S. Page of 193 Main street are spending several days in New York City.

## **Punchard Notes**

#### ELECTED CAPTAIN

Paul White, right guard on this year's championship varsity quintet, was elected captain of the 1938-39 basketball team, at a meeting of the squad last Friday.

# TO HOLD DANCE

The Sophomore class will hold a dance in the Memorial Gym Friday evening, April 8th. Bernice Mundy is chairman of the social committee in charge of the affair. The other members of the commit-tee are: Ruth Porter, Christine Hill, Augustine Rapisardi, and Winton Ramsav.

## TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Virginia Batchelder, president of the senior class, who is prominent in all class social activities and functions, has been selected by a group of teachers and pupils to be the Punchard representative to the Massachusetts Chapter D. A. R. conven-tion in the Copley-Plaza in Boston. One girl will be picked at this convention to go to Washington to represent Massachusetts at the national convention.

#### AT SCHOOL BOARD SESSION

Norman Peatman and Albert Batchel-der, Andover students at the Essex County agricultural school, attended the JOHN MEAGHER & CO. EABODY. MASS. Tel. 565 and 868 Send for Catalog Andover school board meeting on Tues-day evening in connection with a citizen-

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# West Parish

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mooar of Lowell street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Hughes of Falmouth this last week.

The towel committee of the Woman's Union will hold a card party at the home of Mrs. Leverett Putnam Wednesday at 2.30 o'clock. There will be luncheon and

prizes. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Barnard and

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Barnard and son Billy have returned from a week's trip to New York and Washington, D. C. Rev. and Mrs. Walter Savage of Dun-stable were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Donald Savage Monday. Mrs. John Hall, Jr. and daughter Judith, Mrs. Roger H. Lewis and son Larry and Mrs. Clayton Northey visited Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz at their home, Talbot road, Hingham, Wednesday. The Woman's club of the Grange spon-sored one of the popular Jimmie and Dick programs at the town hall on Tuesday evening. A fine amateur program of ten numbers was put on and Jimmie, Dick and Cora Deane were especially good. Mr. and Mrs. Earle Ferguson were hosts at a luncheon for the entertainers after the program. program.

Andover Grange will meet on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. The lecturer's hour will be in charge of Harry C. Daw-

Walter Boutwell of High Plain road is

Walter Boutwell of High Plain road is seriously ill at his home. Mrs. Roger H. Lewis visited friends in Melrose and Malden Monday. The Relief committee of the Grange, Mrs. Ethel Robinson chairman, are spon-soring a card party in Grange hall Friday evening, March 25. This is to raise money evening, March 25. This is to raise money to be used in their work as a committee. Tables may be reserved by telephoning Arthur R. Lewis, 152-M. The April meeting of Essex Pomona, No. 2, will be held with Salisbury Grange. All day meeting. Miss Helen Picard entertained her sis-ter, Miss Marjorie Picard, who is a teacher et Amberst hid school for the week end

at Amherst high school for the week-end. The West Parish troop of Boy Scouts

met in the vestry Tuesday evening. The boys are working on a membership canvas; also they are trying to earn money for necessary things to carry on with.

# BAKED BEAN SUPPER

Saturday evening, March 26, a baked bean supper will be held in the vestry of the West Parish church. Mrs. Sidney the West Parish church. Mrs. Stoney Batchelder is chairman with the following committee helping: Mrs. Russell Foster, Mrs. Earle Slate, Mrs. Henry Todd, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. Carl Stevens is in charge of the tickets.

# Ballardvale

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott of Cam-bridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon of Andover street. Mr. and Mrs. William Clemons of An-dover street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ireland of Somerville Sunday. Miss Helen Nicoll of Clark road spent Monday in Basta

Monday in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family

of Andover street visited friends in New-ton, N. H. recently. Mrs. Elwyn Russell of Westerly, R. I. visited Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell of

Tewksbury recently. John Moran of Oak street spent Satur-

day in Clinton. Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews and

family of Argilla road spent Sunday visit-ing relatives in Ayer. Mr. and Mrs. Converse Parker and family of Andover street have moved to

Tewksbury. The church Sunday school under Minot Edwards visited the Andover pumping station at Haggetts pond Sunday after-

realized will be used to purchase gym equipment for the Bradlee school. Mrs. Prudence Brown of Center street visited in Georgetown recently. Rev. and Mrs. George Moody of Mar-land street attended the Boston Uni-versity Founders' day program Monday in Trinity church. Miss Irene Ness of Center street was the leader of the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening in the church vestry.

the leader of the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening in the church vestry. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Fuller of Salem visited Mrs. Augustus H. Fuller Sunday. Mrs. S. E. Nichols is now at the An-dover Infirmary. The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Union Congregational church was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lewis Mears, Andover street. street Miss Lois Rollins led the Junior-Inter-

mediate Epworth League meeting Sunday afternoon in the church vestry.

# VALE DEFEATS SHAWSHEEN

Wednesday afternoon the Ballardvale volley ball team defeated the Shawsheen

aggregation at the memorial gym. The scores: First game, Vale 21, Shaw-sheen 9; second game, Vale 21, Shawsheen 7.

Dunn and Brennan were outstanding for the Vale.

## STYLE SHOW

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will present "Style Marches On" this evening at eight o'clock in the com-munity room. Styles of the 19th and 20th century will be modeled by the young men and women of the League.

# Shawsheen Village

The Bredbury sisters who conduct the Shawsheen Home Bakery are enjoying a vacation.

Shawsheen Home Bakery are enjoying a vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford North of William street will return late this week from Clear Water, Florida. The Dramatic department of the Shaw-sheen Village Woman's club will meet on Friday afternoon, March 25, at the home of Mrs. Frederick A. Higgins of 17 Quincy street, Methuen. Mrs. William W. Kurth of "Aber-foyle," North Main street is recovering from a throat infection. Mrs. Hugh MacNeil and family of 62 Haverhill street are moving to New York state this week. Franklin A. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Smith of 5 George street is on a 30-day leave from the U.S.S. Astoria now stationed at Bremerton navy yard in Washington state. now stationed at E Washington state.

## SCOUTS CARD PARTY

Troop 71, Shawsheen Boy Scouts, held card party in Shawsheen school hall on Wednesday evening and in spite of the wet weather about 40 were in attendance.

wet weather about 40 were in attendance. Packs of cards were given as prizes to the following: Mrs. Edith Smith, Harold G. Bowen, Carleton E. Shulze, Mrs. James R. Baldwin, Robert Hatton, Mrs. James O'Gorman, Mrs. Arthur Jowett, J. Harold Eastwood, and Miss Agnes R. Hogan. Scouts Sammy Waugh, Charles Ware and John Finno sold candy and nuts during the evening and served ice cream during intermission. Arthur Jowett was chairman of the

Arthur Jowett was chairman of the committee and his assistants were: Joseph T. Gagne, Harold Bowen, Robert Hatton, Henry Todd, Michael A. Burke, Jeremiah J. Twomey, Stafford A. Lindsay and Carl W. Erler.

# B. P. W. Organizes

No changes were made at the organiza-tion meeting of the Board of Public Works Wednesday evening. William D. McIn-tyre was re-elected chairman, Frank Buttrick secretary, Charles Gilliard sup-erintendent, Edward R. Lawson assistant A whist party was held Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Minot Edwards on Andover street, by the Parent-Teacher association. The funds

# Abbot Academy Notes

#### To Present "Little Women"

To Present "Little Women" The Senior class of Abbot academy will present on Saturday night as its annual play the immortal story "Little Women" by Louisa May Alcott, arranged in dra-matic form by Marian DeForrest. The play has been staged and directed by Mrs. Bertha Morgan Gray, with Sally Peek, of Derby, Connecticut, as produc-tion manager. The cast is as follows: Mr. March, Anne Simpson of Little Falls, New York; Mrs. March, Elizabeth Mc-Bride of Savannah, Georgia; Meg, Joan Brown, of Boston; Jo, Diana Greene of Kennebunk, Maine; Beth, Dorothy Hud-son of Monroe, Louisiana; Amy, Con-stance Thurber of Nashua, New Hamp-shire; Aunt March, Ruth Pond of Con-cord, New Hampshire; Mr. Lawrence, Mary Elliott of Andover; Laurie, Jeanne Sawyer of Andover; Professor Bhaer, Jean Tilton of Concord, New Hampshire; John Brooke, Barbara Littauer of West-port, Connecticut; Hannah Mullett, Margaret Plunkett of Pittsfield.

Families of local students and friends of the school are welcome. Admission is \$1. The curtain will rise at eight o'clock.

#### To Talk on Youth

To Talk on Youth On Sunday night, at 7.30 in Abbot hall, Basil Mathews of London, noted author and lecturer, will speak on "Youth—and Its 'Strange Rendezvous'". Mr. Mathews was born in Oxford, England. After re-ceiving his degrees from Oxford Univer-sity he became editor of "Outward Bound," also editor to the "Far and Near Publications Company." During the last years of the World War he served as chairman of the Literature Distribution Committee of the Ministry of Informa-tion. One semester each year Mr. Mat-hews teaches at Boston University and at Andover-Newton Theological school, where he holds the Chair of Christian World Relations—created for him and as far as is known the only one in the world. The remainder of the time he spends in England and on the Continent, lecturing



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and writing. Friends of the school are cordially invited to attend this lecture. The students leave Andover for spring vacation on Thursday morning, and will return Wednesday night, April 6.

On Wednesday evening at 7.30, there will be a meeting of the Andover Public School Teachers' association in the music

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# Junior High School Notes

### ANIMAL POSTER CONTEST

The annual school poster contest spon-The annual school poster contest spon-sored by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals closed Tuesday. Over 200 posters have been made by pupils in the junior high school during "Be Kind to Animals Week." On April 25, thirty posters will be judged for prizes. All posters have been on exhibition Thursday and Friday in the Art Room.—John Hickok

# REPORT CARDS TODAY

Marks for the third term were given out on Friday. About 90 pupils received commendation cards for having done out-standing work in all their studies. A list of their names will be published next week.

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# TO SEE "TWELFTH NIGHT"

Members of 9CA and 9CB are planning to see two productions of Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" in April. The first will be given by the Punchard seniors and the second, on April 7, by the Dramatic club of the College of Liberal Arts at Boston University University.

#### BANK PROGRESSES

BANK PROGRESSES The A. J. H. bank has been progressing steadily under the operation of the 9B1 class. The number of depositors to date is 71. The clerks serving at present are as follows: receiving teller, Claire Flaherty; paying teller, Barbara Parker, and book-keeper, Constance Forsythe.—Constance E. Forsythe.

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ler article 46 town treasurer Eaton l transfer of \$15,000 to the reserve and of \$30,000 to the assessors to the tax rate.

vas probably the largest town meeting that Andover has ever had. The floor and balcony were filled to their 865 capacity, all the seats in the gymnasium were taken including the bleachers, and there were many standing at the rear of the auditorium. It was estimated that 1400 were present.

# Next Week's Church Calendar

SOUTH CHURCH-9.30 Church school and Guild; S.00 Lenten service, Rev. Mr. Trotter. Fri-The Little Church; 10.45 Morning worship and rmon; 10.45 Church kindergarten. Monday, 7.30 Prudential committee. Thursday, 2.00 Sewing meeting, Women's Union; 4.00 Little Church choir; 7.00 Church choir; 8.00 Alpha Phi Chi sorority. Friday, 7.00 Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

BAPTIST CHURCH-Sunday, 9.30 Church school. Classes for all ages; 10.45 Church worship. This hour includes hymn singing, prayers, readings from the Scriptures, anthems by two vested choirs and sermon. Mr. Overstreet has chosen for his topic this week, "There Is One Great Enemy."; 6.30 Alpha club; 7.00 Evening service. Special musical program and sermon by the pastor. Wednesday, 3.00 Fan exhibit. Mrs. C. P. Smith of Lawrence. world traveler, under the auspices of the Baptist Women's Union; 7.30 Fellowship Forum. Friday, 4.00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7.00 Senior choir rehearsal: 7.00 Boy Scouts.

CHRIST CHURCH-Sunday, 8.00 Holy Com-munion; 9.30 Church school; 11.00 Litany and sermunion; 9.30 Church school; 11.00 Litany and ser-mon. Monday, 8.00 Girls' Friendly. Tuesday, 4.00 G. F. S. candidates. Thursday, 2.30 Woman's of the Cross, Holy Hour.

day, 7.00 Boy Scouts. FREE CHURCH-Sunday, 9.30 Sunday school; 10.45 Morning worship with sermon by the min-ister, "None but the Eager Heart"; 12.00 Pastor's

class including the Margaret Slattery class; 12.00 Brotherhood class; 6.30 Intermediate Christian Endeavor will attend church; 6.30 Evening Lenten service with sermon by Rev. Edmund A. Burnham, D.D. Wednesday, 7.30 Free Church Players, Thursday, 2.30 Woman's Alliance; 6.00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7.30 Senior choir rehearsal; 7.30 Standing committee.

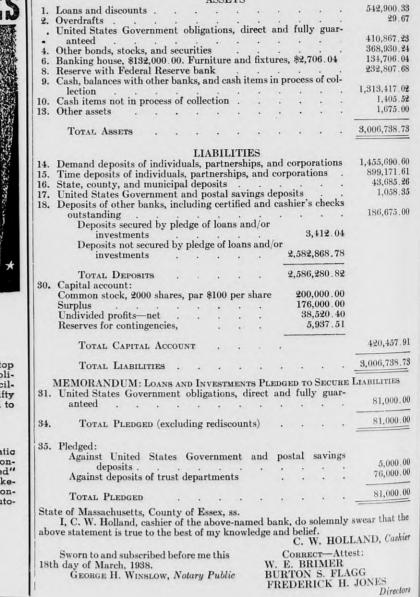
WEST CHURCH-Sunday, 10.30 Morning worship. The pastor will preach the first of a series of Lenten sermons: "Jesus' Choice of a Life Work"; 12.00 Church school; 6.30 Young people's study group at the parsonage, "What It Means to Be a Christian." Tuesday, 7.00 Boy Scouts. Wednesday, 3.45 Junior choir; 7.30 Senior choir.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S-Sunday, masses at 6.30,

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# **Plans Progress** for "The Mikado"

**FOR "I INE MILKAGO**" Plans are well under way for the big theatrical event of the season, "The Mikado," in the Free church. Since the performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pinafore" played during the term of Robert V. Deyermond as school superin-tendent, many attempts have been made to bring another of these celebrated operas so lovers of amateur theatricals in the Free church. Owing to the great task involved, the committee were unable to secure anyone who was willing to under-take the weeks of labor necessary to put top. However, Mrs. William Edwards, a lover of dramatic art, and a very efficient coach both in amateur and professional circles, was secured to assist Mrs. Allison Morse who so successfully directed "Pina-Morse who so successfully directed "Pina-fore," in 1935.

Those who have attended the re-hearsals and auditions, have been en-thusiastic and warm in their priase of the patience and skill employed by these two patience and skill employed by these two directors, and the committee have been complimented on their wise judgment. Auditions were given to secure the best possible talent in the school and the direc-tors have chosen the following for the leading roles: The Mikado, William Tay-lor; Nanki Poo, John Hickok; Yum Yum, Constance Forsythe: Ko Ko, Ralph Manning; Pitti Sing, Isabel Dobbie; Pooh Bah, Joseph Payne; Peep Bo, Gladys Deyermond; Pish Tush, Richard Christi-son. son

A few more are needed to swell the large chorus, and anyone interested is asked to come to the rehearsals.

Two performances will be given, one on Wednesday evening, April 6 at 7.45, and the other on Friday evening April 8, at 7.45. Tickets will go on sale this week, and can be secured from Superintendent Mrs. Leslie Christison and Treasurer George Keith.

# Tax Collector

# **Cheever** Retires

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) collector, died, and the following March at the suggestion of John N. Cole, he ran for tax collector, leading the field then and ever since. He made many friends in a position in which there is a grand oppor-tunity to make enemies, and yet he got tunity to make enemies, and yet he got results. Not too easy nor yet too severe, he was willing to grant extensions to anyone who he felt would pay, cracking down only on the few who were deliberately dilatory.

Last summer he took sick, and he hasn't been well since, but he kept on with the job. Now he plans to rest at home; no travelling, no sight-seeing—just a muchneeded rest.

# Announce Honor Roll at Punchard

The honor roll at Punchard for the fourth marking term shows Virginia Batcheller, a senior, and four sophomores, Dorothy Christie, Eleanor Doherty, Elinor Houston, and Joanne O'Riordan on the high honor list. The action roll follows:

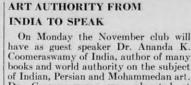
on the high nonor hst. The entire roll follows: Seniors— Do rot hy Babb, Virginia Batcheller, Robert Bisset, William Han-nan, Mitchell Johnson, Helen Kimball, Ralph Lakin, Alfred Miller, John Noyes, Angelina Serio, Harold Walker, Priscilla Willord Willard.

Willard. Juniors— Marion Albers, Ebon Bend-roth, Margaret Bogosian, Ethel Brierly, Barbara Brown, June Carmichael, Ethel Cherowbrier, Mary Deyermond, Gladys Downs, Harold Gordon, Margaret Had-ley, Louise Higgins, Marjorie Higgins, Garrison Holt, Ruth Holt, Agnes Mar-tinson, Charles Shattuck, Evelyn Smith, Sallie Smith, Mary Zecchini. Sophomores—Henry Audesse, Kathryn Bixby, Richard Caldwell, Prudence Cav-allaro, Dorothy Christie, Ruth Cowen,

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Eleanor Doherty, Pauline Dufresne, Gloria Field, Barbara Gahm, Margaret Gordon, Eleanor Gorrie, Alda Grieco, Judith Hardy, Elinor Houston, Vasco Loosigian, Jacqueline McCarthy, Jo-seph McCarthy, Joanne O'Riordan, Augustin Rapisardi, Gloria Verrette, Frances Videto, George White.

Mildred Dennison of High street is convalescing from a recent appendectomy at the Clover Hill hospital.



Dr. Coomeraswamy was educated at Oxford, has traveled extensively both in the East and in Europe, and is now a Fellow for Research in the Boston Mu-seum of Fine Arts.

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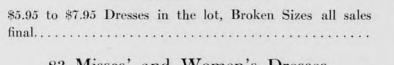
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Noss, feels that pastoral work is of in-creasing importance. The coming of all this new life into the Andover churches

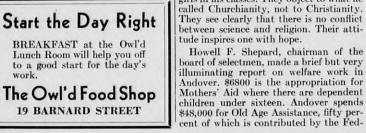
has reacted favorably upon them all. Together, the clergy can make Andover a

Those who attended the 19th Inter-Church Missionary Rally at the South stairs transformed into harbingers of spring. Pussywillows and forsythia were massed together here and there; a large French bouquet reserved the net for the south the south of the south of the south of the south of the south were compared the net of the south of the sou operate, lest we perish. "We co-operate; we do not compete," said Rev. Donald H. Savage of the West Parish. He has high hopes for the future French bouquet graced the platform; the tables in the dining room were decorated with small pots of begonia. The rain might be driving against the windowof the Lenten study-group of young people in his church. panes; indoors it was festive and friendly. Miss Madeleine Hewes presided, intro-Arriving in Ballardvale only on Wed-nesday afternoon, Rev. Claude Butter-field was indeed the youngest pastor present. He stressed the fellowship of Christian churches. He hopes to build up interact amount the man of his communiducing the various speakers.

The roll call of churches presented to the eye seven Andover ministers, six of whom are new to this locality, Rev. Frederick B. Noss being their dean. In a brief speech each of these men voiced what he hoped to accomplish in his parish.

"The good minister is one who is a friend to the people, in God's name; he is a counselor rather than a policeman," said Rev. Herman C. Johnson of the Free church. "He must be a psychiatrist rather than a doctor."

Vacation at Phillips academy excused that institution from the roll call. Abbot "Our first duty is the educating of our academy was represented by its teacher of Bible, Rev. Winthrop H. Richardson, who spoke on the religious attitude of the girls in his classes. They object to what he youth," said Rev. Albert C. Morris of Christ church. "We must do away with



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eral Government. \$3000 goes to Veterans' Relief, \$27,000 to Public Welfare. The town stands the entire burden of this last item. A big problem of morals and morale is involved in public welfare. Mrs. Myron Clark, of the Congrega-tional State Education committee, gave the women in the audiance some practical the women in the audience some practical hints as to programs and methods for the Women's Unions.

### Talks On Japanese

Mrs. John L. Deering, formerly of Yokohama, spoke for half an hour on the Background of Japan, explaining the present Japanese by their antecedents. Theirs is the oldest dynasty in the world, 2595 years old; therefore they obey the Emperor implicitly. For military and naval greatness, for the science of medicine, they have turned to different teach-ers in the West, becoming one of the five great world powers. Japanese women have been emancipated.

Music was furnished by Miss Susan Ripley, violin, and Mrs. Donald H. Savage, piano, after which Mrs. Arba J. Marsh of Lawrence led the devotional

Following the luncheon period there was, first, a group of songs by John K. Hill; then two speakers, Dr. W. A. Petzoldt, for 35 years missionary to the Crow Indians of Montana; and Miss Jeannie L

Jillson, ex-Near Eastern missionary. Dr. Petzoldt tears through his subject like a March freshet. In 1903, the Crow lived on an open reservation, in tepees and tents, sans furniture. Small babies were raised in papoose boards. Now the reservation is open, having graded roads. But the American Indian is the same, both childish and childlike. Working for the Indians he has always found romantic.

Miss Jillson based her remarks on two different verses in the Bible: "An open door and no man shall shut it"; and "Go forward." Turkey, modernizing industrially, needs to give its youth spiritual knowledge. Its youth does not understand Victory through Defeat. But its Christian educated youth are doing a splendid piece of summer work in isolated rural communities.

The following chairmen and assistants put on the Inter-Church Rally. Decorations: Mrs. Rohrbach, Mrs. Noss, Mrs. Flagg, Mrs. Zink, Mr. Rohr-

bach. Music—Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Savage, Miss Ripley. Transportation—Mrs. Gould, Mrs.

Whittemore. Luncheon-Mrs. Byron Hall and Mrs. Brigham. In the kitchen: Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Chester Abbott, Mrs. Cromie, Mrs.

Mrs. Crester Abbott, Mrs. Cronne, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Scott. Hospitality—Miss Fonnie Davis, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Hurlburt, Mrs. Brigham. Ushers—Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Lovely, Mrs.

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# **VOTERS' HOUR TUESDAY**

"The Consumer and Cooperative Financing" will be the subject of next Tuesday afternoon's Voters' Hour, over Station WEEI. Local League of Women Voters members will be interested in hearing this topic discussed by Miss Dora Maxwell in the broadcast at 3.30 o'clock. Miss Maxwell is Field Secretary for the Credit Union National association. The talk will set forth sources of Consumers' information.

Sarah R. Dean of Andover has been "tapped" for membership to the Order of the Libra, honorary activities society for women students, at Rollins college, Win-ter Park, Florida.



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A Danvers man was fined \$50 in District court on Wednesday morning on a charge of operating under the influence of liquor, Officer Arthur Jowett was the arresting officer.

### LEGAL NOTICES

**Probate Notice** ESTATE OF DANIEL F. HARRINGTON LATE OF ANDOVER

Persuant of a license granted to me by the Probate Court, dated the ninth day of

March, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, to sell, at public auction, the followthirtying described parcels of real estate of the deceased for the payment of his debts and charges of administration, I, the executor of the will of said Daniel F. Harrington, deceased, on the ninth day of April, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, shall cause to be sold at public auction the two followingdescribed parcels of real estate

described parcels of real estate: First Parcel: One undivided third part of and interest in a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon situate in the West Parish, in said Andover, on the southerly side of the road leading from Paul P. Pillsbury's to Alonzon Flint's, containing 47 acres and 90 rods, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at the Northeasterly corner by said road and land of said Pillsbury, thence south 14 degrees west 23 rods and five links by land of said Pillsbury to the end of the wall by degrees west 25 roots and nye inks by land of said Pillsbury to the end of the wall by land of Job Abbott, thence south 46 de-grees west 36 rods and 8 links by said Abbott's land to a corner of the fence by land of James Abbott, thence south 3 degrees east 25 1-2 rods by said James degrees east 25 1-2 roots by said James Abbott's land to land now or formerly of Edward C. Upton, thence south 77 1-4 degrees west 47 1-2 roots by land now or formerly of said Upton to a stake near the end of the wall, thence north 17 degrees west 47 roots and 10 links by land now or formerly of said Upton to a stake and stones, thence north thirty degrees west 11 rods to the spring, thence North 44 1-2 degrees west 10 rods and 20 links, thence north 61 1-2 degrees west 22 rods and 5 links to a stake and stones by land of George Upton, the last three courses being by a ditch, thence North 31 1-2 degrees east one rod and 14 links, thence north 46 degrees east 10 rods, thence north 57 and 3-4 degrees east 17 rods, thence north 70 1-2 degrees east 27 rods, thence north 83 1-2 degrees east 11 rods, thence north two degrees west 8 rods, thence north 70 degrees east 13 rods to said road, the last even courses being by land of said George Upton, thence by said road to the bound first mentioned; being sixty rods and 3 links by said road. Being the same premises described in a deed of Edward C. Upton to Alexander Winning dated April 1, 1847, and recorded with Essex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 381, Leaf 289. Second parcel: A certain tract of land

with the buildings thereon situated in the West Parish, in said Andover, beginning at the southwesterly corner of the prem-ises at land now or once of Jonathan Knowles; thence running by said Knowles land southerly 11 1-4 degrees East 42 rods; thence south 68 1-2 degrees west 23 rods to land now or once of Gideon Wood-cock, thence by said Woodcock land north 36 degrees west 31 rods to the road, thence by the road 42 rods to the road. at the southwesterly corner of the premthence by the road 42 rods to the point of beginning, containing about 7 acres and 98 rods. Being the same premises con-veyed by Stephen A. Lovejoy, adminis-trator, to Daniel F. Harrington by deed dated Descenber 14, 1015

dated December 14, 1915. The sale of the first parcel shall be held on the Harrington homestead, on Osgood road, and then shall be sold the second parcel known as the Lovejoy Farm on said farm, on Bellevue Road.

Terms: \$200.00 down on each parcel at the time of the sale. Balance in thirty days. There shall also be sold some household

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#### LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Patrick F. Mooney and Janet H. Mooney, husband and wife, both of An-dover, Essex County, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank a corporation actabilished in An-Bank, a corporation established in An-dover, Massachusetts, dated September 14, 1929, and recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, book 548 page 315, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the energy will be sold at public auction at two breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at two o'clock, P.M. on Monday the twenty-eighth day of March, 1938, on the mort-gaged premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said An-dover on the Easterly side of Main street, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of the premises at land now or once of one Hines; thence Easterly by land of said the premises at land now or once of one Hines; thence Easterly by land of said Hines, two hundred thirty-six (236) feet to land owned by Jacob W. Barnard Estate; thence Southerly by said Jacob W. Barnard Estate, one hundred seven-teen and 5-10 (117.5) feet to land now or formerly of one Sweeney; thence Westerly by land now or formerly of said Sweeney, two hundred eleven (211) feet to said Main street; thence Northerly by said Main street, ninety-seven and 8-10 (97.8) feet more or less to land of said Hines at the pair of hermining Reing the same feet more or less to land of said Hines at the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to the said Patrick F. Mooney and Janet H. Mooney by Thomas F. Raidy by deed dated September 14, 1929, recorded in said registry of deeds book 548 page 314. The premises are sub-ject to a right of the Town of Andover to lay, maintain and repair a sewer. Terms of sale: A deposit of five hundred dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the bal-ance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

within ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK by LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer, present holder of said mortgage. (4-11-18) LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Lawrence, March 3, A.D. 1938 Essex, ss.

# SHERIFF'S SALE

THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

By virtue of an execution which issued on a judgment at the District Court, hold-en at Lawrence, within said County of Essex, on the fourth day of February, A.D. 1938 in favor of Nishan Asoian and Googas Asoian, both of Andover, in said County of Essex, against Fred T. Harrington of Andover in said County of Essex, and Louis J. Bourdelais of said Andover, as Trustee, I have taken all the right title and interest which the said Fred T Harrington had on the fourth day of December, A.D. 1987 at nine o'clock 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 lot of land with the buildings thereon situated in the West Parish, in said Andover, on the southerly side of the road, leading from Paul P. Pillsbury's to Alonzo Flint's, containing forty-seven acres and ninety rods, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at the No. Easterly corner by said road and land of said Pillsbury, thence 14° west twenty-three rods and five links by land of said Pillsbury to the end of the wall by land of Job Abbott; thence south 46° west thirty-six rods and eight links by said Abbott's land to a corner of the fence by A certain lot of land with the buildings Abbott's land to a corner of the fence by land of James Abbott, thence south 3° east twenty-five and one-half rods by said James Abbott's land to the land I retain, thence south  $77\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  west forty-seven and one-half rods by land I retain to a stake near the end of the wall, thence north  $17^{\circ}$ west forty-seven rods and ten links by land I retain to a stake and stones, thence north  $30^{\circ}$  west eleven rods to the spring, thence north  $441/2^{\circ}$  west ten rods and twenty links, thence north  $611/2^{\circ}$  west twenty-two rods and five links to a stake and stones by land of George Upton, last three courses being by a ditch, thence north  $31\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  east one rod and fourteen links, thence north  $46^{\circ}$  west ten rods, thence north  $57\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$  east seventeen rods, thence north  $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  east twenty seven rods, thence north  $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  east twenty seven rods, thence north  $83\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  east eleven rods, thence north  $2^{\circ}$  west eight rods, thence north  $70^{\circ}$  east thirteen rods to the said road the last seven courses being by said road the last seven courses being by land of said George Upton, thence by said road to the bound first mentioned said road to the bound hist mentioned being sixty rods and three links by said road. Being the same premises described in a deed of Edward C. Upton to Alex-ander Winning dated April 1, 1847 and recorded with Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 381, leaf 289.

And on Saturday, the ninth day of April, A.D. 1938 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, 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 adoresaid right, title and interest to satisfy said execution and all fees and charges of sale. Terms: CASH

LOUIS SILVERMAN, Deputy Sheriff (11-18-25)

# **B.P.W.** Foreman Hurt in Lawrence

William B. Baker, 57, head foreman of the department of public works, suffered fractures of the left ribs and abrasions of both knees early Sunday morning when he was struck by a car on Franklin street, near Lowell street, in Lawrence. The driver of the car reported to police that Baker walked into the street between two parked machines into the path of his machine.

The foreman was taken to the Law-ence General hospital. He was brought home Tuesday.

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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. 36886, 39485.

LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer March 18 1938.

LEGAL NOTICES



#### **Town of Andover** MOTH DEPARTMENT

Bids will be received for a new power sprayer rated at twenty-five gallons a minute capacity with a two hundred gal-lon tank and equipment. Two old X.L. sprayers to be taken in trade.

Specifications may be obtained from the Moth Superintendent.

Bids must be filed with the Town Clerk before Monday, March 28th, at 4.30 p.m. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Signed: GEORGE R. ABBOTT Moth Superintendent March 18, 1938

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Clyde A. White and Harold N. Manthorne of Andover in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts. to the Andover Swinger Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation established under the Bank, a corporation established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachu-setts, dated April 16, 1923, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds book 475 page 232, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at two o'clock p.m. on Tuesday the twelfth day of April, 1938, on the mortgaged premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, in said Andover situated on the easterly side of Main street and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly Main street and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at land of Carey; thence by said Main street, north 23° 15" west seventy-eight and 47-100 (78.47) feet to land of one Smith; thence the line turns and runs at a right angle of 90° 40" cost one hundred expensive and 17,100 east, one hundred seventy-six and 17-100 (176.17) feet; thence the line turns and (176.17) feet; thence the line turns and runs south by land of Smith and Alden, seventy-nine and one half (79 1-2) feet to land of Andover Home for Aged People; thence the line turns and runs westerly by land of said Andover Home for Aged People and land of said Carey, one hun-dred seventy-seven (177) feet to said Main street at the point of beginning. Containing 13,902 square feet of land more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to the said Clyde A. White and Harold N. Manthorne by Raymond L. Buchan by deed dated April 16, 1923, recorded in said registry of deeds book 475 page 231. 475 page 231. Terms of sale: A deposit of five hundred

dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter. Other terms to be announced at the

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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK by LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer Present holder of said mortgage (18-25-1)

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** 

To all persons interested in the estate of Ernest W. Lewis late of Andover in

Ernest W. Lewis late of Andover in said County, deceased. A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Elwyn A. King of North Andover in said County be ap-pointed administrator of said estate with-out giving a surety on his bond. If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written ap-pearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of March 1938 the

before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of March 1938, the return day of this citation. Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight. WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register. (11-18-25)

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** 

PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Harry J. Fisher late of Andover in said

Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said de-ceased by Eliza J. Fisher of Andover in

said County, praying that she be ap-pointed executor thereof without giving a

surety on her bond. If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written ap-pearance in said Court at Salem before

ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** 

PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of George N. Hancock otherwise known as George Nelson Hancock late of Los An-geles in the County of Los Angeles and State of California, deceased, leaving estate in said County of Essex.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Michael F. Cronin of Lawrence in said County, public admin-istrator, be appointed administrator of

said estate. If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written ap-pearance in said Court at Salem before

ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of April, 1938, the return day of this

Witness, HARRY R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight. WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register

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# **Re-elected** Chairman



#### **Chairman Shepard**

Howell F. Shepard has been re-elected chairman of the board of selectmen, as-sessors and public welfare and J. Everett Collins has been re-elected secretary.

#### V. F. W. TO MEET

A meeting of the V.F.W. will be held tonight in the post rooms at eight. All members are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

#### ON HONOR ROLL

ON HONOR ROLL Edmond E. Hammond, Jr., has won a place on the first honor roll at Phillips academy for the past term, it was an-nounced yesterday. He is a lower middler. Andover boys winning places on the sec-ond honor roll were John A. Lindsay, a senior; John A. Rogge, a senior; and Lawrence H. Bixby, Jr., an upper middler.

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Social Conference Next Tuesday

The speaker at the morning session of the District Conference of Social Work to be held on Tuesday, March 22, at Phillips academy will be Alfred F. Whitman, executive secretary of the Children's Aid association in Boston. Mr. Whitman with Mrs. Edith M. H. Baylor and George T. Swartzott of the Children's Aid associa-tion and Dr. Reynold A. Jensen of the Judge Baker Guidance Center will present at a staff conference the story of a child Mrs. Edith M. H. Baylor and George T. Swartzott of the Children's Aid associa-tion and Dr. Reynold A. Jensen of the Judge Baker Guidance Center will present at a staff conference the story of a child who was cared for by the Children's Aid association. In dramatic form will be shown the methods which are used in the care and treatment of children who need special attention. After the presentation the accomplishments and methods of work will be carefully scrutinized and evaluated, An opportunity will be given for the audience to discuss the results. Mr. Whitman is a nationally-known

Mr. Whitman is a nationally-known child welfare expert and has had a very practical experience as the head of one of the largest child placing agencies in Mas-sachusetts. He is a member of the execu-tive committee of the Child Welfare League of America and serves on many national and state child welfare commit-tere. tees

At the luncheon session at 1.00 p.m. at the Phillips Inn, Miss Ida M. Cannon, chief of social service at the Massachu-setts General hospital, will speak on the topic, "Goals of Social Service." The afternoon session will resolve itself into a "town meeting" with Fred E. Pit-kin, superintendent of schools of North Andover as moderator.

kin, superintendent of schools of North Andover as moderator. The "warrant" for the town meeting lists eight questions for action or expres-sion of opinion by the Conference. They are as follows: Article 1—To see what measures should

be taken to improve public understanding of the objectives and methods of social service. Article 2—To see whether anything

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legislative program, and if it should, what the general scope of the program should

the social work of churches should be developed. Article 5-To see in what ways, if any

Article 6—To see what action, if any, social workers should take in regard to questions of labor and industry.

Article 7-To see whether the board of public welfare and private welfare agencies should make written agreements as to the kinds of cases which each agency should

Article 8—To see how far youth agencies should adopt a joint program with case working agencies for the per-vention and treatment of delinquency.

It is expected that local speakers will engage in a lively discussion upon some of these questions which are of interest to the district and to the entire state.

The success of the district conferences which were held last year in ten districts of the state has led the executive com-mittee of the Massachusetts Conference of Social Work to continue them this year for the purpose of strengthening and supporting the work of local social service and public health agencies and developing a united front among social workers.

Social workers, members of boards of directors of social agencies, public health nurses and persons interested in public and private social work will come from Lowell, Lawrence and the rest of Merri-mack Valley to attend this conference. The meetings are open to all who are interested in social service.

# SENIOR CLASS PREPARES TO PRESENT PLAY The senior class of Punchard high school will present "Twelfth Night" a Shakespearian comedy under the direc-tion of Mervin Stevens on Friday evening, April 1st at eight o'clock in the Memorial auditorium

Alfred Miller will be seen in the role o Antonio, a sea captain. Antonio is a warm-hearted, hot-headed sailor, ready to take an enemy's life in fair fight or to lose his own in friendship's behalf. Alfred is his own in friendship's behalf. Alfred is enjoying his part and gives excellent promise of a role well executed. Three door prizes will be awarded each night. Tickets are only 25c and may be obtained at the door.

Andover P. T. A. James Holland of Winthrop, coach of football, track and baseball at Mechanics football, track and baseball at Mechanics Arts High school of Boston, gave a very interesting talk on "The Boy and His Activities" at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher association Wednesday night. School committeeman Herbert P. Carter, a colleague of Mr. Holland's at Mechanics

Arts, introduced the speaker. Mr. Holland emphasized in his talk his Mr. Holland emphasized in his talk his feeling that there are "no such things as athletic scholarships." A good boy in athletics wants to go to college, he said, and a good college wants good athletes. The boy has to pass mental examinations. The school gives him work, and pays him for services rendered, and the boy pays the treasurer of the college for tuition. The teacher-coach he said is a "corord

The teacher-coach he said is a "second dad," with the boys placing a lot of faith in him and benefitting by his exemplary character. He spoke of the value of training, mentioning that where in other coun-tries guns and bombs predominate, over here our youth indulges in friendly en-counters on the field of sport.

Football develops courage, confidence for later life, the ability to take it on the chin and say nothing, the speaker said.

# Scoutorama to Be Held Next Week

On Monday and Tuesday evenings the people of Andover and neighboring towns will have an opportunity to see some of the accomplishments of the Boy Scouts. The North Essex Council of Boy Scouts is giving a Scoutarama at the Recreation center, Hampshire street, Lawrence on those evenings from 7.30 to 9.30.

Thirty to forty booths will be run by the boys who will be doing and making things that they have learned about in scouting. Of especial interest will be a showing of the difference between summer and winter camping. Cooking, forestry, Indian lore, first aid, and safety will be demonstrated. High flyers will be interdemonstrated. High flyers will be inter-ested in the aviation, bird study, and poultry booths. Several handicraft and hobby projects will be in operation, such as leather, metal and wood working; photography and radio. The Press club will be in full swing. The older boys plan to put on a troop's ship program while the little boys will be represented by a booth on cubbing. on cubbing.

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