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Special Town Meeting Talked of

Workmen Circulating Petition for Reconsideration of Elm Street

A petition for a special town meeting, apparently to reconsider the Elm street reconstruction and the sidewalk on Elm street, is now being circulated, the town house announced yesterday. Both projects were defeated at the annual town meeting.

The Board of Public Works, sponsors of the original article has announced that it is not in back of the new move. It is apparently being launched by a group of the so-called "regular" B.P.W. laboring staff, which numbers around 30. The Board itself has decided to spread out the employment over the entire year in such a way that these thirty men would get about three days a week all year, and it is estimated that the appropriations granted at town meeting will just about cover this. However, it is stated that if the Elm street work had gone through, the thirty regulars would be getting possibly four days a week. The two appropriations involved were \$4500 for the chapter 90 work on the road and \$1700 for the sidewalk work.

Seniors to Give Play on Friday

Next Friday night the annual senior play, this year Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night," will be presented by Punchedard's seniors in the Memorial auditorium, starting at eight.

The parts in this play are skillfully portrayed by the Senior pupils under the direction of Mervin Stevens who has had much experience in this line.

Robert Crosby takes the part of Feste, a clever jester. Robert has shown by rehearsals that he is very well adapted to play this part and promises to provide many a laugh, for Feste is a very mirthful being and a pleasant songster.

In the play there is also a quick-witted and clever schemer, Maria, who is portrayed by Alice Carmichael. Maria is a smart waiting-maid, fitted to the company in which she finds herself. She plays her cards with marked success and is a lively and entertaining companion. Miss Carmichael has appeared in numerous plays in the town.

Much of the humor is contributed by Robert Bissett who is cast as Sir Toby Belch. Sir Toby is a character of shrewd wit, ample good nature, and has a plentiful lack of conscience. He is an habitual drunkard. Robert has had previous experience in dramatics and is filling his part to perfection.

IRISH NIGHT PROGRAM

An Irish Night program was given Wednesday night after the meeting of the British War Veterans auxiliary in Square and Compass club hall. Refreshments were served.

Fashion Show to Be Held Tonight

The fashion show which the Merrimack Valley Wheaton club is presenting for the benefit of the Student-Alumnae Building Fund will take place at eight o'clock this evening at the Memorial gymnasium. Among those who will model the dresses of Mrs. Carter of Haverhill and the hats of Miss Tewksbury of Lawrence are Mrs. Clarence Swan of Methuen, Mrs. Donald H. Savage, Mrs. F. Tyler Carlton, Mrs. Otis C. Severance, Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast and Miss Barbara Loomer of Andover; Miss Virginia Rogers, Miss Eleanor Pratt, and the Misses Helen and Barbara Fisher of Lowell. Mrs. George Henry Kimball of North Andover will play the piano.

Mrs. John M. Birdsall of Haverhill has planned and directed the fashion show, which will be presented in three scenes against the background of a summer garden.

Bridge will follow the fashion show, with a small prize for each table. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria at the end of the evening.

The Merrimack Valley Wheaton club wishes to thank the following individuals and companies for the assistance they have given to the various committees arranging this event: Michael J. Sullivan, Inc., Lawrence, for the garden furniture used on the stage; Mrs. Frederick B. Noss for the forsythia; Clarence H. Swan of Methuen for the flowers; Joseph T. Gagne of the Allied Paint Stores, Inc., Lawrence, for the bridge table covers; Cuddy Insurance Agency, Lawrence, for the score pads; and Sidney P. White of Andover for his assistance in transporting the stage properties and bridge tables.

"Arts of India" Subject of Talk

The Art department of the November club sponsored the program at the meeting last Monday afternoon and presented as guest speaker Dr. Ananda K. Coomaraswamy in the subject "The Arts of India." The lecture was generously illustrated with slides showing various phases in the development of Indian work.

Tea was served with Miss Alice Jenkins and Mrs. George Sanborn pouring.

The annual meetings of the various departments will take place next week as follows: the Art department at the home of Miss Alice Jenkins on Monday afternoon, March 28; the Literature department at the home of Miss Fannie Davis on Tuesday afternoon, March 29; and the Dramatic department at the Log Cabin on Friday afternoon, April 1.

MINISTERS SPEAK

Rev. Herman C. Johnson was the preacher at the weekly Lenten service in the United Congregational church, Lawrence, Wednesday evening.

Rev. Frederick B. Noss spoke on the Sierra Nevada before the Lawrence Lions club on Tuesday.

Huck Finn Put Off Until May

A large number of junior high school students are going to have a real test of their memories, for Huckleberry Finn, originally scheduled for last Thursday and Friday, has once again been postponed, this time until May 26 and May 27. Colds which kept 53 children home a week ago failed to find the cast of Huck Finn immune and the play was postponed until this week.

However Robert Costello, Charlotte Eaton, Dorothy Miller, Louise Dowd and John Humphreys were still on the sick list this week and the play was put off until late May, when the grippy season should be ended. In the meantime the cast will have to remember or relearn all their parts.

Receipts Increase on Income Tax

Town Treasurer Thaxter Eaton received a check for \$25,056.06, representing approximately half the town's return from the income tax. The check, nearly \$6,000 higher than the one received last year at this time, lends credence to the belief that the assessors were nearer correct in their tax rate estimates than was the finance committee.

Last year payments on income tax totalled \$54,209.84, including a March check for \$18,335.53, a November check for \$19,451.70, a November machinery tax reimbursement of \$8471, and a December check for \$7950.

This year, however, while the two large income tax checks will total \$48,112.12 or thereabouts, the machinery reimbursement will be cut one-third to \$5647, and it is understood from the state house that the December check will not be forthcoming this year. This would leave a total for this year of about \$53,759.12 as compared to last year's \$54,209.84.

Clan to Install on Next Friday

Clan Johnston elected its officers for the coming year last Friday night, with Thomas B. Gorrie succeeding Hector Pattullo as chief. Installation is to be held next Friday evening on the occasion of the 30th anniversary of the clan. Royal Deputy James Cowie of Lawrence will be the installing officer. A business meeting is to be held at six, supper at 6.30 and the installation following.

Other officers elected were: Tanist, William Vannett; chaplain, Edward Brown; recording secretary, James Caldwell; financial secretary, George B. Petrie; treasurer, Peter Anderson; senior henchman, George Gorrie; junior henchman, Andrew Ferrier; seneschal, Edmund Sorrie; physician, Dr. John J. Hartigan; trustee for three years, Past Chief Hector Pattullo.

Boards Named by Moderator

Not Many Changes Made in Regular Committees—Two New Groups

Several town committees were appointed this week by Moderator Frederick Butler. The finance committee and supervised play committee remain the same as last year, and the only change in the street lighting committee is the retirement of J. Augustus Remington at his request and the substitution for him of Joseph T. Remmes.

A new committee to study the co-ordination of all recreational activities has been appointed as a result of a special town meeting vote. It will include the chairman of the Poms pond committee when he is appointed, the chairman of the supervised play committee, Henry G. Tyer; Mrs. Blanche Walen, Jerome W. Cross and Joseph Murphy.

A committee is to be appointed under article 41, providing for a two-year study of the municipal building problem. Although not announced definitely Wednesday the probability was that last year's committee would be carried over. It included Roy E. Hardy, John M. Erving, Kirk Batcheller, Joseph McCarthy and Frank A. Buttrick.

The finance committee, reappointed, includes Harvey G. Turner, Ralph Woodcock, George Stanley, Hugh Bullock, Mitchell Johnson, Joseph Hargedon, and Louis S. Finger.

The supervised play committee, reappointed, includes: Henry G. Tyer, Stafford A. Lindsay, James B. Gillen, Matthew Burns, Charles R. Scott, Edward P. Hall, Frank P. Markey, Mary E. Zink and Mildred Brown.

Other members of the street lighting group are Walter H. Coleman, Ernest R. Edwards, Chester A. Johnson and Edward Shattuck.

Bird Sanctuary to Be Arboretum

Phillips academy's bird sanctuary is to become an arboretum. On Monday work was started on dismantling the bird houses and cages, and the birds were being shipped to game clubs in Attleboro, Hingham and Worcester.

The sanctuary has had a ten-year history, with 100 birds having been there when it was first started. At times there have been as many as 2000 birds there.

Town Borrows at Low Interest

Town treasurer Thaxter Eaton was able again this week to borrow for the town on an exceedingly low rate of interest. He awarded a \$75,000 tax anticipation loan due November 5 to Chace, Whitesire and Company at 0.219 percent.

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This Sober Town

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

X-Y-Z

You all know the answer now to the time-honored question: "How many dead people are there in that cemetery?" This week however there was a problem making the rounds in the town house which required a little more thought than the burying-ground one. But it's really quite simple; we solved it after trying to remember our algebra, and wasting a lot of paper and time on x's, y's and z's.

And here it is: "A society has enough money to take care of the residents of an institution for a certain number of days. If 40 of the residents leave, the money will last forty days longer. If 80 are added to the present number, the money will last twenty days less. The question: How many residents are there at present?"

We'd tell you the answer only it will do you good to raze over your x's, y's, and z's. Incidentally, students the country over puzzled over the question recently in a College Entrance Board exam.

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Monday, Knights of Pythias; Wednesday, Odd Fellows.

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Obituaries

Mrs. Jane G. Clark

Funeral services for Mrs. Jane Gillespie Clark, who passed away last Thursday at her home, 48 Highland road, were held Saturday afternoon by Rev. Herman C. Johnson, burial following in Bellevue cemetery.

The bearers: John Fyfe, Charles Iredale, Charles Ward and Henry Merluzzi.

Mrs. Harriet Broadley

Mrs. Harriet Broadley, a resident of Andover for the past 38 years, died at her home on South Main street Monday. She was born in LaValle, Wisconsin, 79 years ago, daughter of Jonas and Patience Ingham Stott.

She was the widow of Miles Broadley. Surviving her are a son Fred and a sister Mrs. Arthur Briggs of Lawrence.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, burial following in Spring Grove cemetery.

Rev. Samuel B. Overstreet officiated. The bearers were: Leo Buote, Henry Sanborn, James Langell, Curt Smith, Fred and Raymond Briggs.

Mrs. Belle C. Hudgins

Mrs. Belle C. Hudgins, resident of Andover for the past quarter century, passed away at her home on North street Sunday morning. She was born at Oswego Falls, New York, 71 years ago, the daughter of George and Jane Walker Baker.

She leaves two sons, Walter and Dean, both of West Andover. She was the widow of Samuel C. Hudgins.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, burial following in West Parish cemetery.

Lewis Prescott, Christian Science reader, conducted the services. The bear-

ers were: Leon H. Aldrich, Charles L. Bush, Robert B. Dearden, Jesse L. Jellison, Walter S. Stone and Warren C. Towne.

Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Hethrington of Northfield, Vermont, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Louise Hethrington, to Mr. Hubert W. Slafter of Montpelier, Vt. Mr. Hethrington is the former well-known Andover business man.

Marriage Intentions

Ernest H. Bourassa, Chandler road, and Marie A. Parent, 395 Haverhill street, Lawrence.

Births

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Collins, 88 North Main street, at O'Donnell sanatorium, March 7.

MARK 40TH ANNIVERSARY

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Spector of 24 Washington avenue was marked Sunday night by approximately 250 relatives and friends at a gala observance at the Y.M.H.A. in Lawrence. Dinner and a musical and speaking program were enjoyed.

Present were the five children of the couple: Morris of Portland, Maine, Max of New York City, Mrs. Rose Shackowitz, Louis and Oscar.

MOTHERS' CLUB NOTE

The directors of the Mothers' club will meet next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Annie P. Davis on Florence street at two. Mrs. Paul Simeone will assist the hostess.

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What's Going On

(The following dates are already booked in Andover's social calendar. Other organizations are asked to avoid conflict by keeping these dates in mind when they are planning events.)

TONIGHT—Wheaton Club fashion show at Memorial gymnasium.

TUESDAY—Card party, Andover P.T.A., Memorial gymnasium.

FRIDAY—Punchard Senior Play, "Twelfth Night," Memorial Auditorium.

Saturday, April 2—Sample bazaar, Baptist church Woman's Union.

MONDAY, April 4—Legion baseball picture, "Batter Up," Memorial Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY, April 6, and FRIDAY, April 8, "The Mikado" at Free Church Parish House.

FRIDAY, April 8—Punchard Sophomore Hop, Memorial Gymnasium.

TUESDAY, April 26, "Duley," Adventurers play, Memorial Auditorium.

FRIDAY, April 29, "Miss Andover" dance, Legion, Crystal ballroom.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, May 26, 27, "Huckleberry Finn", Junior High play at Memorial Auditorium.

Social Conference Held at Academy

About 150 social workers and others interested in social work attended the all-day Merrimack valley district conference held at Phillips academy Tuesday.

In the morning a staff conference was held with members of the audience taking part. Alfred E. Whitman, executive secretary of the Boston Children's Aid association and members of his staff were in charge, assisted by Dr. Reynold A. Jensen of the Judge Baker Guidance center.

At noon a luncheon was served at the Phillips Inn, with the speaker being Miss Ida M. Cannon, chief of social service at the Massachusetts General hospital. Her topic, "The Goals of Social Service," dealt with freedom and growth, which she said were the two outstanding objectives of social work.

"The Next Steps in Social Work" was the subject of a general discussion in the afternoon, with Fred E. Pitkin, North Andover's superintendent of schools, in charge.

AVOID GRASS FIRES

Persons with incinerators in their backyards are warned by Chief Charles F. Emerson to remove them from any possible contact with dry grass. Many of the grass fires prevalent at this season of year come from improperly guarded incinerators, he said.

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Red Cross Holds Disaster Meeting

Valley Chapters Meeting at the Academy in Preparedness Move

A two-day disaster preparedness conference for the Merrimack Valley Red Cross chapters began yesterday at the Peabody house.

The purpose of the conference is to acquaint chapter officers more fully with Red Cross disaster procedure and to plan with them for perfecting disaster preparedness committees in their own communities. These committees, it was pointed out, will then be in a position to meet quickly all emergencies in case of disasters.

Maurice R. Reddy, assistant national director, Red Cross Disaster Service, is conducting the conference. Other nationally known Red Cross officials who are participating include Nat Wilson, assistant to the manager, eastern area; Miss Roberta Morgan, disaster case supervisor, both of Washington; George P. Drowne, Red Cross field representative in eastern Massachusetts; and Miss Ruth Kernodle, Red Cross field representative in New Hampshire.

"The devastating floods in the Ohio and Mississippi Valley last year as well as the floods in New England in 1936, brought home to us the need for greater preparedness for emergencies," Michael T. Kelleher, disaster relief chairman of the Cambridge chapter, said. "The Andover conference and other New England disaster institutes are being held for the purpose of perfecting disaster organizations that will insure such preparedness."

Several members of the Cambridge chapter of the American Red Cross are attending with its Disaster Relief chairman, Michael T. Kelleher, among them Miss Katharine Crothers, Miss Mary Parsons, and Mrs. Charles L. Bouton.

The conference is taking up all phases of disaster relief. Mr. Reddy is conducting both sessions today. The morning meeting was devoted to a presentation of Red Cross disaster policies, including some information on the rehabilitation program; the afternoon session will deal with the organization and duties of chapter disaster preparedness committee.

At yesterday afternoon's meeting Miss Morgan spoke on registration and disaster case work and gave instructions to local chapters on how to conduct relief efforts in emergencies. Three points were stressed: information service, registration of the stricken, and the giving of emergency relief funds to the best advantage.

C. Carleton Kimball, chairman of the local chapter, opened yesterday's meeting. Stafford Lindsay, chairman of the local drive, opened today's session.

Local Boy Wins Academy Honor

John White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter White of South Main street, has been awarded the Butler-Thwing prize of twenty dollars at Phillips academy for having had the highest marks in the junior class entrance examinations held last June. John went from the eighth grade in the Junior high school to the junior class. The examination was taken by hundreds of boys from schools all over the country, most of them schools advanced beyond the eighth grade.

Local Student Wins Flower Show Honor

Norman Peatman of this town had the "most outstanding exhibit" in the spring flower show sponsored by the Floriculture club of the Essex county agricultural school held this week. Mr. Peatman won the award for his collection of succulents. Dana Killam of Andover won a first prize in the show.

Truck Rerouting Bill Defeated

The Andover Highway Safety committee's bill to give the State Department of Public Works the right to divert traffic around towns went down to defeat in the Senate on Monday afternoon by a rising vote of 9 to 19. Several Senators spoke against the bill, saying that it work work a hardship on truck-drivers and truck-owners. Senator Frank D. Babcock of Haverhill, representing this district, was the only local legislator who worked for the bill. He outlined the local situation, and stated that there are only eight other towns where similar conditions exist.

The bill seemed well on its way to passage in the earlier stages, but after the committee had reported favorably on it,



Senator Frank D. Babcock

it experienced slight difficulty in the House when Rep. James Donnelly of South Lawrence spoke against it. Meanwhile it is understood that the Trucking interests had become active in their opposition, and when the bill finally reached the Senate floor, it was lost.

Senator Babcock later in the week again attempted to save the bill for Andover, by making it apply to Andover alone instead of throughout the state, but Senator Meehan of Methuen, one of the opponents of the bill, raised a point of order which was sustained.

The substitute bill read as follows: The state department of public works, after a public hearing, to be held in the city of Lawrence or the town of Andover, due notice of which shall have been given by publication or otherwise to all persons interested, may make, and alter or amend, rules and regulations excluding from all or any part of that portion of the state highway known as Route 28 which lies in said town of Andover, any motor truck the weight of which, together with its load, exceeds two and one-half tons, if in the opinion of the department the public necessity or convenience so requires; and may provide in such rules and regulations suitable penalties for the violation thereof; provided that no such rule or regulation shall become effective as to said portion of said highway from which such trucks are excluded until suitable signs are placed at the intersections thereof with other ways, nor shall any such rule or regulation apply to vehicles owned by the commonwealth or any political subdivision thereof, ambulances or other emergency vehicles as defined by such rules or regulations, vehicles used for the purpose of making deliveries or collections or of reaching a regular storage place on said portion of said highway from which such trucks are excluded hereunder, nor shall any such rule or regulation be deemed to limit any right of access to any land abutting on said portion of said highway of any person entitled to such right.

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GARFIELD LODGE TO INSTALL OFFICERS

Garfield lodge will hold its annual installation of officers next Monday evening. The Pythian Sisters will be guests.

Latest Academy Trustee Dies

John W. Prentiss, 62, only recently elected a trustee of Phillips academy to take the place of the late Lansing P. Reed, passed away last Friday in New York City of a heart ailment.

Mr. Prentiss graduated from Phillips academy with the class of 1894.

He went into the banking and brokerage business upon graduating from Harvard in 1898, and was a member of the firm of Hornblower and Weeks, in which he had been a partner since 1905. He was a member of numerous corporations, including the Thompson-Starrett Company and the Waldorf Astoria Hotel Company. He was a Mason, and among his clubs were the University, Union League, Harvard, Metropolitan, Union Luncheon Club of Wall Street, of which he was President and Director, Racquet, and Brook. During the war he was Chairman of the Liberty Loan Committee of the New York Stock Exchange, and Chairman of the Red Cross Committee of the same organization. He was appointed by President Wilson a member of the National War Finance Committee of the American Red Cross. He had been President of the Associated Harvard Clubs, and Treasurer of the Harvard Endowment Fund. The last three years he had served as Chairman of the Phillips Academy Alumni Fund organization, and played a prominent part in the completion of the Teachers' Fund campaign last year.

Mr. Prentiss was a picturesque figure in the investment world, having by his own admission offered Henry Ford a billion dollars for his interests three times in vain. He handled the financing for Dodge, Chevrolet, General Motors, Hudson Motors, and other large automotive firms.

He leaves a wife, the former Marie Gordon Kay of Boston.

QUEBEC MAN FINED FOR SPEEDING

A Quebec man ran afoul the Bay State motoring laws on Sunday afternoon, and as a result on Monday morning he paid fines totaling \$50 on charges of speeding, operating without a license and operating an unregistered car.

State Trooper Fallon found that the license and registration of the operator had expired on February 28, and although the defendant stated that they had been unofficially extended until May 1, he was adjudged guilty.

Dental Thief Frightened Away

An attempted burglary at the office of Dr. William Fleming was thwarted last Sunday afternoon about three when Mrs. Sanderson, who lives in an apartment near the office, heard the noise of breaking glass. She came out into the hallway, and the thief, apparently one of a group which has been making visits to dentists' offices after office hours, fled down the stairs and up Chestnut street.

Evidently thinking that the building was entirely occupied by offices which would be vacant on Sundays, the thief had tried to jimmy the door of Dr. Fleming's office, and failing in this had broken the glass.

A few weeks ago someone rifled several dentists' offices in the Bay State building, Lawrence.

REBEKAHS TO ENTERTAIN DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENT

District Deputy President Miss Lottie Pettingill will be the guest of the local Rebekahs at the meeting to be held in Fraternal hall on Monday evening, April 4. With her will be the marshal, Miss Louise Hurt and her staff from East Lynn.

After the meeting last Monday a card party was enjoyed with refreshments being served by Mrs. Carrie S. Buchan, Miss Charlotte Hill, Mrs. Donald Laurie and Mrs. Franklin S. Valentine.

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How Much Service Do We Want?

Several reasons are commonly advanced for the ever-increasing cost of local government. Some will say that prices are higher than they used to be, some will say that the town is larger than it used to be, some will say that modern improvements make more demands on government than were made back in the horse-and-buggy days. These all do cause a rise in taxation, but isn't there something else that is not caused by prices, population or progress? Doesn't the average citizen of today want and expect the government to do many things today that once were either not done at all or if done were done by the private citizens themselves? Hasn't the scope of governmental activities increased in large part because people everywhere seem to want to shunt off certain duties on others?

Snow removal costs for instance have gone up considerably, despite the fact that snow-falls in the last decade have apparently not been as severe with one or two exceptions as they were back in the old days. And why have these costs risen? True it is partly because prices have risen and partly because progress in the form of the automobile has made more demands on this particular appropriation. But it is also because we no longer care to go out and do a little shoveling on the sidewalk in front of our own house as our apparently more sturdy ancestors did. Then possibly too we want more ploughing done than is actually necessary; side-roads are often scraped far wider than traffic requires and hand-shoveling is often done where it is not really necessary.

School costs have gone up, too, tremendously, and while many reasons of varied kinds are given for the jump, there is no doubt that some of it is caused by the desire of parents to pass off onto the schools some of the things that their own parents used to do. They expect more for their children than used to be the case, and the children in some instances are pampered much more than they once were. One example of this might be transportation to the schools, for where once youngsters were accustomed to walk a mile and a half or more to school, they now demand and get a ride at public expense.

The police department has a similar situation, for requests continually pour into the station for new services to be performed, services which once were done privately. One of these instances was mentioned by Chairman Shepard at a meeting last fall, in which he pointed out that the many summer requests for check-ups on houses of vacationing residents makes another part-time man necessary, at public expense.

Street lighting costs have increased too, and one reason is that today we demand that the lights be put on earlier in the evening and left on later in the morning. Once the lights used to be put off at a certain time of night when a full moon happened to supply all the necessary light, but we don't even allow that now.

And there are many other instances throughout our town government of costs rising because we make them rise, because we expect and demand the government to do more and more for us each year. Sometime, soon, communities everywhere will have to stop and take an inventory to see what costs they have piled on themselves just because people demanded more and more services. Then they will have to decide whether or not they wish to go on providing those ser-

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vices, and they will have to draw a very definite line between the functions the government should assume and those that private citizens themselves should take care of.

Why Take Away A Crutch?

Lawrence is worrying, Andover is worrying, pretty nearly everybody is worrying because Washington is meddling again. Textile men, workers and employers alike, shoe men, silverware men—they are all wondering what the future holds in store for them, because the Federal Tariff commission is now discussing the possibility of lowering the tariff to Great Britain on certain commodities, including textiles, the industry on which this section of the state has been built.

The classical economists, Taussig and the rest, seem to feel that free trade is the only real way of handling international commerce, and the present administration's policy of continually lowering tariff bars would seem to give credence to the feeling that once upon a time some of the leaders down there read one of these books on economics and is now applying the theory without regard to the actual facts involved. The theory of free trade may be excellent, but the fact remains that over a hundred years ago Henry Clay launched American industry on a tariff protection basis which has been the foundation on which this country has risen commercially to the forefront of all nations.

Maybe a tariff is economically unsound. You can grant that it is merely a crutch on which industry proceeds, merely an artificial aid. But still our industry was built and raised on that crutch. Our woolen mills in Lawrence, in Shawsheen, in Marland village, were all erected and equipped on a tariff basis. A huge investment was made here because the founders of these companies felt that with the tariff there was a demand for textile goods that they could meet.

But now the crutch is being taken away, and now, especially with the many government-made ruts in the road, the industry will not be able to stand on its own feet. It's all very well to say that it will increase our international trade with Great Britain, that in exchange for

the woolen goods England sends here, we will be able to send more of something else there. But here we have a woolen mill, not a mill to produce that something else which England will buy in exchange for our woolen products. Its looms will stay idle, its workers will have to shift for themselves, learn a new trade possibly. Truly, tearing down a tariff wall on which a great industry has been built is just about as bad an economic fallacy as any that this administration has been able to conceive.

Siftings

With the present high-handed tactics now in vogue in Washington, TVA's Mr. Morgan should be glad that he was only fired and not fired at.

The only industry that looks as if it were going to have a big boom now is the munitions industry.

"The breath of spring" would be so nice if it weren't mixed with the fumes of the alcohol evaporating in the car's radiator.

Headline: "England Subdued by Pea Soup Fog." A fog that can do that to a nation would do more good in a place like Japan, Spain or Germany.

Exhibit of Fans Very Interesting

A very interesting exhibit of fans was held on Wednesday at the Baptist church vestry, with a very good attendance present. Mrs. C. P. Smith of Methuen, who collected the fans, gave a talk.

The collection included fans from King James' court, Chinese, Japanese, Spanish fans, some 200 years old, folding fans, round fans, silk, cotton, paper, lace, gold inlaid, teakwood fans.

Tea was served with Mrs. Colver J. Stone and Mrs. Clare W. Norton pouring.

The committee: Mrs. Henry Jenkins, Mrs. A. Huestis Sulis and Mrs. Harry Dennison.

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Fifty Years Ago

Selectman Smith is circulating a paper for subscription to a fund for the payment of a regular night watchman to patrol the streets in the centre of the town from eight p.m. to five a.m. This is a capital movement, and we hope there will be no failure in realizing it.

The present senior class of Punchedard is to present to the library of the school a handsome oak book-case, partly filled with valuable books. This gift is the fruit of the recent fair, and will be a pleasant remembrance of the class. Hardy and Cole are making the case.

There are some fears of the wall at Hussey's pond giving way on account of high water and broken ice.

Work has been commenced at the engine house preparatory to the arrival of the new horses for the steamer and road work.

Elmer H. Shattuck has moved into his new house on Punchedard avenue, just completed for him by A. C. Richardson.

Michael Kelly has gone into the vegetable business.

Twenty-five Years Ago

Donald Laurie, who fell from the third story of Bartlett Hall a week ago, is progressing favorably. An examination of his right foot showed that he had sustained a fracture of one of the bones.

Frances Dalton, daughter of Mrs. M. E. Dalton, has been seriously ill for several days with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Abbott of Central street are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chandler of Brooklyn, N. Y.

A daughter, Alice, was born on March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley of Main street.

A grafanola concert was given on Wednesday evening at the Punchedard school on the "Columbia" machine recently purchased for use in the schools. Miss Mitchell, instructor in music, gave a few introductory remarks before each record was played and the evening was much enjoyed by all. It is planned to give several of these concerts, the proceeds to go towards the payment for the machine.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kydd of Providence, R. I., spent Sunday in town.

Ten Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Knowles have returned to their home on Punchedard avenue after spending several months in Florida.

Miss Pauline Burt, a student at Northfield Seminary is enjoying a ten day recess from her studies at her home on Avon street.

A white blackbird among a flock of hundreds of his dusky brethren has been sojourning in Scotland district for the last three weeks, according to Arthur Jenkins of Ballardvale road. The bird which is said to be of the same size as its darker brethren has been seen not only by Mr. Jenkins but by numerous other persons as the birds rise in clouds from the orchard of Twin Cedar farm where they find sumptuous feeding ground provided by a fall planting of buckwheat.

Mrs. Arthur Smith of Elm street has returned from the Shawsheen hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lefebvre of Red Spring road Wednesday morning.

TRUCK CRASHES INTO HOUSE

A truck was badly damaged and a house and lawn were slightly damaged Sunday morning when the truck, stopped while making a milk delivery, rolled down Harding street hill. It rolled across the concrete front walk of the Seacole residence, ran over a hedge and lawn and crashed the side of the house.



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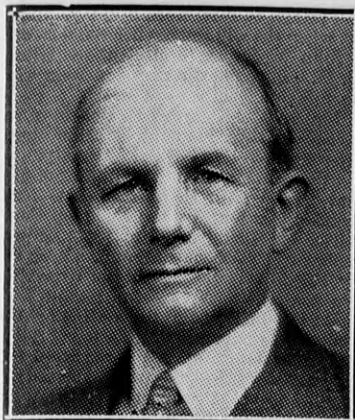
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Alfred C. Gaunt

Alfred C. Gaunt of Methuen, president of the New England Little Business Men and vice-president of the nation's smaller business council, spoke last night on "Little Man, What Next?" at the Service club meeting. Mr. Gaunt was one of the representatives of little business who went to Washington recently to confer with the administration.

Mr. Gaunt told of the work done by the small businessmen at the recent conference in Washington. He said that they represent a widespread and powerful group of leaders, being ninety percent of the employers of the country, and Congress is now aware of the influence this group can exert.

James E. Greeley in a short talk told of the recent hearings before the tariff board on the proposed reciprocity with Great Britain. He spoke of the fine impression Lawrence's youthful mayor, Walter A. Griffin, made in presenting the picture of textile Lawrence of today.

Present Awards
at Scoutorama

A number of local Boy Scouts won awards in the Scoutorama held by the North Essex council in Lawrence on Monday and Tuesday nights. Large crowds attended both nights to witness the exhibition of scout work. Scout executive Harvey H. Bacon of this town awarded the championship medals, and council president Joseph Gagne presented a number of certificates.

Andover boys who won council and scoutorama championships: knot tying, troop 73, Crosby Hitchcock; feeding station entries, troop 76, Andover, Thomas Edwards, Leighton J. E. Hazelton, Edward Palenski, and troop 77, Warren Lewis; bird house entries, troop 76, Cameron M. Mills, Elwyn L. Hazleton, Robert Greenwood, Thomas Edwards, Frederick Nowell, and troop 77, Burton Batchelder.

The other Andover troops which won their way into the district finals were: fire by friction, troop 74; semaphore signalling, troop 74; flint and steel, troop 73; wigwag, troop 74, compass, troop 73.

Billy Moore won recognition for the South church troop by setting a mark of 17.5 seconds in compass laying in the trials, and this mark was not bettered by any other scout in the scoutorama. He is a second class scout.

Crosby Hitchcock won the council championship in knot-tying, doing the required work in 33 seconds, an unusual feat for a tenderfoot.

The following were the Vale entries in the Scoutorama contests at the Lawrence Armory on last Monday evening. Compass, Elwin Hazelton, Charles Poirier, Arnold Schofield; knot-tying, Charles Bailey, Leslie Hadley, Samuel Lowry; signalling—semaphore: Edward Pulen-

ski, Thomas Edwards, James Morton, Charles Bailey; Wig-wag: Leighton Hazelton, Elwin Hazelton, Teddy Escholz, Arthur Coon; fire by friction: Charles Johnson, Harold Grant, Cameron Mills; pack racks: Robert Mears, James Morton; bird houses and feeding stations: Cameron Mills, Edward Pulenski, Teddy Nowell, Phillip Webb, Donald Welton, Sam Lowry, Robert Greenwood, John Miller, Harold Downs.

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Local News Notes

Ellen McIntosh, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. McIntosh of South Main street will return to New York Sunday, March 26, when she will resume her vocal career.

John McIntosh, a student at Tilton, N. H. will spend the next ten days with his folks on South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Bell have returned to their home on Morton street after a ten-day stay at Atlantic City.

Miss Martha Billings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Billings of Wolcott avenue, is serving on the Make-up Committee for three one-act plays to be presented next Tuesday evening, March 29, by the Masquers' Guild, the dramatics group at the Stuart School, Boston.

Lucia Nunez of this town attended the Princeton junior promenade last Friday.

Pauline Howe of this town is on the committee for the first dinner dance of the Boston School of Practical Art to be held next Friday in Boston.

Colonel Valentine M. FitzHugh of Morton street has purchased a ranch at Skull Valley, Arizona, and he has taken up his residence there. Mrs. FitzHugh and their daughter, Emily, will leave tomorrow for the ranch.

Harold T. Houston of Shawsheen village is one of the leaders in the organization for the Boston University Building Fund drive engaged in raising \$1,150,000 for a new home for the 25-year-old College of Business Administration. The building is to be erected on a campus bordering the Charles River.

John Deyermund, Jr., son of Police officer and Mrs. John Deyermund of Shawsheen road returned to Syracuse university Sunday after enjoying a short visit here. A star on the freshman football team last fall, he has been invited to take part in spring practice.

Slattery Class to Repeat Show

The Margaret Slattery class minstrel show, which annually merits a number of repeat performances, will again be presented next Tuesday evening at the Square and Compass club, for the benefit of the Thimble club. A rehearsal is to be held this evening.

BRITISH VETS' NOTES

A movie, "Africa on Wheels," is to be shown this evening at the meeting of the British War Veterans, with the auxiliary as guests.

Tomorrow night the British Vets will hold a joint costume party with the Methuen Legion at the Legion home on Broadway, Methuen, at eight. Buses will leave the square at 7.30.

Has Charge of College Meeting

Professor G. Lewis Chandler, former local resident, is in charge of arrangements for the Second Annual Conference of the Association of Teachers of English in Negro Colleges being held this weekend at Atlanta, Georgia. Prof. Chandler has appointed numerous committees to carry on the various phases of the conference, and he has also arranged the program, which will feature the theme of Freshman English, uniform placement tests, sight-seeing tour, debate and dramatic performance.

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West Parish

Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Harry C. Dawson, Mrs. Herbert Lewis, Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis, Mrs. Henry Kazaz, Mrs. Lewis Lane and Roland Trauschke attended the Flower Show in Mechanics Building, Boston, on Monday.

George Putnam of New Rochelle, New York, enjoyed a week-end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Putnam of Lowell street.

The Towel Committee of the Woman's Union sponsored a successful Card Party at the home of Mrs. Leverett Putnam on Wednesday afternoon.

The Young People's Study Group meets at the parsonage every Sunday evening at 6.30. A cordial invitation is extended to young people of the Parish to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Carleton White of Norwood visited in the Parish Sunday.

Herbert Lewis of Lowell street spoke at Farmer's Day at Hathorne on the subject, "Experiences in Roadside Marketing." Mr. Lewis will speak at Essex Pomona Thursday April 7 at the meeting in Salisbury on the subject, "Has the New England Farmer Suffered by the New Deal Agricultural Policy." Mr. Lewis is a member of the Essex County Forestry Committee and also of the Soil Conservation Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. Kneath and son Billy were visitors at Sunny Ridge Farm Sunday.

The R.P.C. Girls' Club met with Mrs. Chandler Bodwell, Lovejoy road, Monday evening.

The Woman's Union of the West church are sponsoring a baked bean supper Saturday evening from 5.30 to 7.30 o'clock in the vestry. A delicious menu served in the old fashioned way is planned.

Miss Mary F. Gould of Waltham, who will be remembered by her friends in the Parish, characterized "Little Old Lady" in a lovely old fashioned costume at a Saint Patrick's Day Party given at the Leland Home March 17. Mrs. George Davis read and played the accompaniment.

Miss Mary Sprague of Shawsheen road is spending the weekend with her friend, Rev. Mrs. Pickett of Bedford.

GRANGE NOTES

The Relief Committee, Mrs. Ethel Robinson, chairman, is holding a whist party in Grange Hall tonight. Proceeds are for the committee's work in the Grange.

Andover Grange is one of many Granges invited to attend the "Grange Day" meeting of the Men's Bible Class of Calvary Baptist Church Sunday March 27 at 9.15 in the morning. Those who attended last year will remember the cordiality of this group of men who are making their influence for good felt in all directions. Go if you can and be on time lest you miss part of the fine program planned.

The next meeting of Andover Grange will mark the working of the first and second degrees. The second degree will be by the Men's Degree team with Arthur Peatman as Master.

Ballardvale

Miss Ann Laird of Lowell visited Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of Woburn street, Sunday.

Robert Simon of Hall avenue has recovered from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Lyons of Andover street visited friends in Newton, Sunday.

George Brown, Jr., of Andover street is recovering from a recent illness.

John Rogge of Ballardvale road spent several days in New York recently.

William Cronin of Roslindale visited his grandmother, Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin and relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. S. E. Nicholls has returned to her home on Center street after spending

several days at the Andover Convalescent Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown of Andover street visited friends in Amesbury Sunday.

Miss Helen Nicoll led the Epworth League meeting Sunday night in the vestry.

The Union Congregational church will hold the annual roll call supper in the vestry, April 6, at 6:30 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Bleicher of Washington, D. C. spent several days recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Abbott of Dascomb road. They have been on a tour of the southwestern states.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kyle and daughters, Betty and Jean of Waltham visited Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Haggerty recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks, and Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday in Beverly.

Postmaster and Mrs. Richard E. O'Brien and family of Andover street spent Sunday in Fitchburg.

Mrs. Joseph Sweeney and sons of South Boston visited Mrs. Edward Daly of Tewksbury street, Sunday.

Walter Connor and daughter Judith of New Rochelle, New York, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reading and family of Andover street.

P. C. Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Gordon and daughter of Melrose spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Minot Edwards and family of Andover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Russell of Westerly, Rhode Island spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchel of Tewksbury street.

Gordon Hall spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall of Dascomb road.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell and family of High street visited Kenneth Packard of Lexington, Sunday.

A meeting was held Monday evening in the Congregational Church vestry to reorganize the Men's Club.

Members of the Epworth League attended the bi-monthly meeting of the Merrimack Valley Circuit Epworth League, Monday night, in Haverhill.

COURT OF REVIEW

This evening a meeting of Boy Scout Troop 76 will be held in the precinct room. Following the meeting the troop committee will hold a meeting. First and Second Class tests will be passed.

EASTER SALE AND TEA

The Union Congregational Church Easter sale and tea will be held Wednesday afternoon and evening, March 30. As part of the entertainment a sketch entitled "Two Aunts and a Photo" will be given in the evening.

BAKERY SALE

The Methodist Church will hold a bakery sale Saturday afternoon in Stark's market. The committee in charge, Mrs. Ernest Snow, chairman; Mrs. Minot Edwards, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Frances Benson, and Mrs. Lewis Nason.

CHURCH HOURS CHANGED

The services of the Union Congregational Church will be at 10:45 a.m. instead of 10:30, and the Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., before the service hour, after April 1.

Shawsheen Village

Barbara Lindsay is ill at her home on Argyle street. Stafford, Jr., is improving, but may be confined for another week or so.

Dorothy Dean is ill with pneumonia. Barbara Dean has a cold.

Jeremiah J. Twomey of Haverhill street, past department commander of the Legion, was the chairman of an oratorical contest for Essex county high school pupils held at Peabody last night. He was the guest speak last week at a

St. Patrick's meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary, A.O.H., in Lowell.

A birthday supper was held for Mrs. Edward C. Cole last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Cole, 10 Fletcher street. Family members present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Cole and Frederick, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. James N. Cole.

Carleton E. Shulze of Carisbrooke street will entertain the Camp Lawrence Y.M.C.A. Reunion on April 2nd at the Lawrence "Y" with his interesting "Magic" program.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ritchie, Jr. of Shawsheen road and Miss Jane Ritchie of Lowell street are in St. Petersburg, Florida, visiting the Robert Todds who formerly lived in Shawsheen. They will also visit Miami.

Claire Lowry, a clerk at the Spa, is spending the week-end in New York City.

DRAMATIC MEETING

Mrs. J. Albion Burt and Mrs. Frederick Higgins are entertaining the dramatic committee of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Higgins, Quincey street, Methuen.

PASS SCOUT TESTS

Troop 71, Shawsheen Boy Scouts met in the Shawsheen School Friday night, March 18th, with about 18 boys in attendance, under the direction of Arthur Mullen, Scout Master, and assistants, Lloyd Marcus and Donald King.

Those who passed the Court of Honor for second class were, Charles Ware, Donald MacLellan, Sammy Waugh and George Monan.

Gerard Twomey passed first class.

Teacher: "Name the seven wonders of the world." Johnny: "I only know one and that was daddy when he was a little boy."

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Andover's position in its population class on debt figures is not particularly favorable, according to figures compiled by town treasurer Thaxter Eaton from a booklet issued by Tyler Buttrick of Boston on municipal finance. Of 12 towns in Andover's population class, Andover has the third highest net debt, with only Marblehead and Swampscott exceeding Andover's. In ratio of debt to valuation Andover is again very high, being second from the top. Its per capita debt places it third from the top. The town's tax levy was better, however, with five towns having larger levies. The town stood fourth highest in percentage of taxes collected, and second lowest in tax rate.

Andover's figures compared with the average follow: valuation: A. 15132353; ave. 13848386; net debt, A. 491000, ave. 280166; debt ratio, A. 3.25, ave. 1.89; per capita debt, A. 47, ave. 27; levy, A. 412171, ave. 455166; tax collections, A. 79%, ave. 76%; rate, A. 26.80, ave. 33.36.



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Junior High School Notes

VISITORS FROM FITCHBURG

Among the many visitors entertained at the Junior High School this year were Mr. Edwin R. Clarke, Principal of a Fitchburg Junior High, and two of his pupils, John Parker and Russell Smith. They made a tour of the building, met the teachers, and enjoyed their lunch in the cafeteria. Warren Lewis, President of our Student Government Association, and Frederick McDuffie, Captain of the Traffic Squad, helped to make the visitors feel at home.

FRIENDSHIP LEAGUE LUNCH

On Saturday, March 26, members of 9CA, 9CB, 9B1, 9B2, 8-1 and 8-2 who correspond with students in foreign lands are to attend a luncheon sponsored by the

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International Friendship League of Boston. It will be given at Gundlach's Bavarian Restaurant on Stanhope Street, and members from various New England schools will present short programs. Our group will present a choral reading. Among those who are going are Ben Cole, Robin Nunez, John Sweeney, Helen Gahm, Jean Davis, Normie Johnson, Isabel Johnson, Janice Hyland, Marilyn Miller, Kathleen Quill, Charles Sawyer, Edith Dunnells, Frederick McDuffie, Frank Rockwell, Jane Patterson, and Ernest Lakin. The group will be chaperoned by Miss Dorothy Trott.

COMMENDATION CARDS

Commendation Cards have been issued to the following: John Avery, John Ashburn, Jack Barberian, Florence Bernard, Constance Boddy, James Dalrymple, Rowena Eastman, June Bell, Henry Albers, Leslie Hadley, Alfred Harris, Nancy Gahan, Thomas Edwards, Irene Kupis, Charles Flanagan, Theodore Escholz, William Eastham, Richard Lynch, Rita Lynch, Crosby Hitchcock, Claire Boisvert, Donald MacClellan, Barbara Lindsay, Annette Bollman, Dorothy Paine, Dorothy Miller, Glenna Markert, Eleanor Rafton, Kathryn McCarthy, Lucille Nollet, Kathleen Quill, Barbara Parker, Barbara Pullan, Frederic McDuffie, Helen Crockett, Helen Gahm, Constance Forsythe, Russell Lord, Lillian Lovely, Edward Lindholm, Isabel Johnson, Kenneth Lewis, Virginia Stevens, Rebecca

Next Week's Church Calendar

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday, 9:30 a.m. Church School. Classes for all ages; 10:45 a.m. Church worship. Special service. The annual every member canvass will be launched at this time. Mr. Overstreet preaches on: "Mobilization of our Resources"; 6:30 Alpha club; 7:00 Evening service with special music. Wednesday, 7:30 Fellowship Forum meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Goff, 224 North Main. Friday, 4:00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7:00 Senior rehearsal; 7:00 Boy Scouts.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH—UNITARIAN, Church School at 9:30; Service at 10:30, with sermon on "The Old Minister's Book"; 8:00 p.m., Y.P.R.U. Candlelight service.

WEST CHURCH—Sunday, 10:30 Morning worship with sermon by the pastor; Jesus' choice of his Disciples; 12:00 Church School; 6:30 Young People's Study Group at the parsonage. Tuesday, 7:00 Boy Scouts. Wednesday, 3:45 Junior Choir; 7:30 Senior Choir.

FREE CHURCH—Sunday, 9:30 Sunday school; 10:45 Morning Worship, sermon on "Worship As Obedience"; 12:00 Pastor's Class including the Margaret Slattery Class; 12:00 Brotherhood Class;

6:30 Christian Endeavor will attend evening Lenten service; 6:30 Evening Lenten service with sermon by the Rev. Howard P. Bozarth. Wednesday, 7:30 Missionary Committee in the pastor's study. Thursday, 6:00 Junior Choir; 7:30 Senior Choir.

CHRIST CHURCH—Sunday, 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Church School; 11:00 Morning prayer and sermon. Monday, 7:45 p.m. Girls' Friendly society; Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. G.F.S. Candidates; Thursday, 2:30 p.m. Woman's Guild; 8:00 p.m. Lenten Service, Rev. Phillips E. Osgood, D.D., L.H.D. rector, Emmanuel Church, Boston.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S—Sunday, masses at 6:30, 8:15, 9:45, 11:30; week-day masses at 7:45; Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. Rosary, sermon and benediction; Friday 3:45 p.m. Stations of the Cross; 7:45 p.m. Stations of the Cross, Holy Hour.

SOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Sunday, 9:30 Church School and The Little Church; 10:45 Morning worship and sermon; 10:45 Church Kindergarten; Tuesday, 7:00 Junior Court-teous Circle of The King's Daughters; Thursday, 4:00 Junior Choir; 7:00 Senior Choir. Friday, 7:00 Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

Stevens, Grace Rapisardi, Doris Egerton, Anna Yoghmoorian, Constance Swenson, Anne Sparks, Ethel Watts, Donald Walen, George Selden, Richard Sellars, Jean Schubert, Irene Baduvakis, Julie Barberian, William Beaulieu, Janet Carter, Lincoln Clark, Betty Hardy, Charlotte Eaton, Mary Cavallaro, Francis Botsch, Albert Chadwick, Muriel Fone, Hazel Downs, William Barnard, Eleanor Dwyer, Gertrude Batchelder, Barbara Barse, Janet Batcheller, Glenna Draper, Dorothy Barlow, Dorothy Davis, Evelyn Anderson, Marilyn Barlow, Pauline MacMackin, Margaret McFarlin, Gladys Monroe, Althea Morrison, Ruth Nicoll, Mary Carroll O'Connell, Goldie Ozoonian, Doris Rutter, Philip Toohey, Theresa Whalen, Grace Gibson, Eva Hagopian, Norma Goff, Lois Henderson, Marjorie Howes, Elinor Innes, Bertha Johnson, Edna Koza, Warren Lewis, Janet Gillen.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Daly and two daughters of Chestnut street are enjoying a trip to Washington.

Drafted Into First Infantry

Second Lieutenant Arnold H. Salisbury, Jr., of 77 Bartlet street has been selected as one of a hundred officers drafted into the First Infantry in compliance with recent mobilization plans.

During the last few weeks there has been organized in Boston in the Reserve Branch of the United States Army a new unit which bids fair to play one of the most prominent parts in national defense. This unit is known as the First Infantry of the Eastern Massachusetts Mobilization Area. It has been organized under the National Defense Act. The First Infantry is the first unit of its kind in the country to actually function, and will have priority over other units. It is expected that other units of a similar nature will be organized on an active basis in other areas using this regiment as a model.

Into the First Infantry has been drafted a select group of one hundred officers of the Organized Reserve Corps from the Eastern Section of Massachusetts. These officers are outstanding business men, executives and technicians, selected for their ability and training, and were transferred from the various Reserve Regiments in this area. The regiment is commanded by Lt. Col. Harold R. Duffie of West Roxbury.

Blaze Causes Damage of \$1500

Fire which officials believe started in some oily rags behind a stove in a hallway caused about \$1500 damage at the home of George E. Morrison on Brown street Monday morning, Box 74 being sounded at seven, and the all out at eight.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison were both out of the house when the fire started, and Mrs. Morrison's father attempted to put the blaze out with pails of water since no help was handy. The smoke was seen by call fireman Robert Jackson and Earle Sumner, who were on their way to Lowell, and they phoned the department.

Fire Chief Charles F. Emerson stated that in another five minutes it would have been impossible to save the house, but as it was the fire was confined to the kitchen, although paint was blistered throughout the house.

LEAGUE VOTERS' HOUR

"What's In A Can?" will be the subject of next Tuesday afternoon's Voters' Hour over station WEEL. The Voters' League members will be sure of an interesting address by Miss May Foley in the broadcast at 3.30. Miss Foley is a member of the Massachusetts State College Extension service.

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"Jim" Takes the Place of "Bill"



The Christie family: Dorothy, Mrs. Christie, and Mr. Christie, with Jimmie, Jr. in the foreground. (Bachrach)

Our retiring tax-collector William B. Cheever can place great faith in his successor, Jim Christie. Neither of them make any secret of the fact that they realize no one will be lost when they enter the tax collector's office, for both are tall, both are thin, and both are quite—hirsuteless, let us say. Jim is also Andover-born, and Andover-educated, including Phillips academy. His father was George A. Christie, well-known in Andover for many years as a newspaperman and insurance man and also holding public office at times. Jim still holds to the newspaper tradition, having covered the academy sports for the Herald for many years, but this was his first try for public office.

He'd been through the depression, and had a hard time back in the early thirties when things didn't look so good down in the American Woolen company's Boston office. But the country came back some, and it looked for a while as if work would be steady again, but at the end of the year Jim and his fellow-employees received a lovely Christmas present in the form of a notice that after the first of the year they would work only every other week. A fifty percent cut in pay is not exactly a pleasant prospect, especially for a fellow who has a daughter that leads the sophomore class at Pynchard and who should really be given a chance to have further education. So one Saturday morning Jim made up his mind to enter the race. He hadn't even been mentioned as a possibility before that, and his friends were surprised when they saw that he had taken his papers out. You know the rest, how in a field of fifteen candidates he came out far ahead by just diligently plugging all the time, seeing people and telling them of his qualifications, without criticising his opponents in any way.

Two weeks ago Monday he sat with his wife in the front room down on Arundel street, and waited for the news. He was dead-tired, but when precinct two came in, the result was very encouraging. Later in the evening Frank Markey, his nearest opponent, called to give him the first inkling of the final result and to congratulate him on his victory. The rest of the night people were dropping in, the telephone was ringing wildly—in fact it was the biggest day in Jim's life since a

kindly gentleman came out and said to him: "A boy this time, Jim."

Meanwhile the boy, Jimmie, Jr., was upstairs asleep. Dorothy had been told of the victory, but Jimmie wasn't awakened because he hadn't been well the last few days. The campaign had worn on him, and he was more worried than his father was. He had to spend Sunday and Monday in bed, and Tuesday morning he heard the joyful news, with the covers flying every which way as his feet and arms went haywire with delight.

The next day, when he should have been sleeping, Jim was up at the town house making ready to take over, but the following morning he managed to sleep until 9.30. Later he came up to check over a few other things, and by the time he finally took office on March 14 he was well-prepared to start out on a year's work which he hopes will qualify him as a worthy successor to Bill Cheever.

Add New Books at Local Library

New books recently added to the Memorial Hall Library follow:

BARRIE. THE GREENWOOD HAT. Six years before his death the author wrote this book for his own pleasure. Autobiographical in nature, it deals chiefly with his first adventures and mishaps as an author. Amusing, original, and possessing the inimitable Barrie touch. 92 B274b

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Other books added to the library:

Asquith. Moments of memory. 92 A8421
Bahr. Commercial floriculture. 716 B14
Brinton. Children of light. 289.6 B77

Carter and Healey. Why meddle in the Orient? 973.9 C24w

Chamberlain. Beyond New England thresholds. 749 C37

Collins. Coin collecting. 737 C65
Crothers. Susan and God. 822 C88su

Ferguson. Arctic harpooner. 910 F38a
Grover. Pageant of the heavens. 523 G91

Hayes and Gardner. Both sides of the microphone. 654 H32

Hewlett. Adonais, life of Keats. 92 K224h

Hunter. Biology. 570 H91

Jordan. Three rousing cheers. 92 J762
Jorgensen. 25 years a game warden. 92 J768

Jung. Psychology and religion. 150 J95p

Kaye. All about parties. 793 K18a

Leigh. Group leadership. 328 L53g
Scherman. The promises men live by. 330 S32p

Terman. Fundamentals of radio. 654 T27f
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Young. Portrait of a village. 914.2 Y85
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Bentley. Freedom, farewell.
Boileau. Ballade in G minor.

Buck. This proud heart.
Burt. Safe road.

Chase. Dawn in Lyonesse.
Corbett. Light of other days.

Croy. Sixteen hands.
Deeping. House of spies.

Dern. Song in her heart.
Du Bois. Death wears a white coat.

Ellsberg. Hell on ice.
Farnol. Crooked furrow.

Faulkner. The unvanquished.
Hauck. Climax.

Hull. The ghost it was.

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"SAMPLE BAZAAR" TO BE HELD BY WOMAN'S UNION

The Woman's Union of the Baptist church will hold a "Sample Bazaar" on Saturday, April 2nd, at the vestry. Bags will be sold at 25 cents, filled with sufficient samples to make the quarter well-spent. A baked bean supper will be served.

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Baseball Movie to Be Shown

Labeled a four-star picture by sports writers attending its eastern premiere, "Batter Up," the new official American League sound film, will be exhibited locally at the Square and Compass meeting on Thursday evening, April 7, at eight o'clock in the club hall. This is another different version of the film to be shown by the Legion on April 4 at the auditorium.

A print of the picture for the special showing is being obtained from the Fisher Body division of General Motors, which produced and is distributing it in 2- and 4-reel lengths and in 16 mm. and 35 mm. sizes. The longer version, which requires approximately 40 minutes for a showing, is the one selected by the Square and Compass club.

Many little known facts concerning play in the major leagues are revealed in the new film. Among the features is a sequence in which Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Detroit Tigers, demonstrates the system employed by the catcher, as field general, to signal the pitcher, second baseman and shortstop, and the method of changing from one code

to another when players of the opposing team are on base.

Frankie Frisch, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, who attended the preview at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, is reported to have found this expose of more than passing interest, since the signals illustrated by Cochrane coincided with those glimpsed briefly by the National League players in the 1934 World Series.

Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, likewise makes a unique disclosure, telling in his own words how he employs his famous score card to direct the team from the bench. Recorded also is the spiking of Al Simmons, Washington outfielder, by Umpire Harry Geisel in one of last season's games. It is said to be the first time in the history of big league baseball that an accident of this sort has occurred.

Practically every department of play is touched upon in the new film, which supplants the three previous editions, "Heads-Up Baseball," "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and "Play Ball." Roger Cramer, Boston Red Sox outfielder, demonstrates bunting as a sacrifice and for an attempted hit; Fred "Dixie" Walker, of the Tigers, the use of the hook slide; Shortstop Luke Appling and Second Baseman Jackie Hayes, of the White Sox, the double play; and Joe Kuhel, Washington, the defensive ability required of a first baseman.

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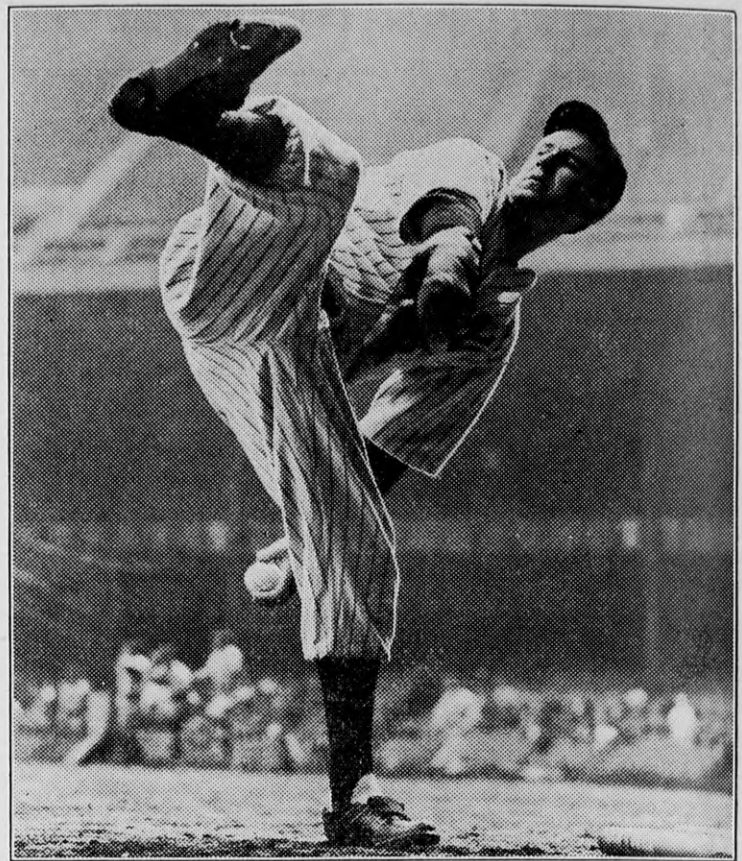
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"LEFTY" GOMEZ prepares to deliver his blazing fast ball as cameras record the action. The brilliant Yankee twirler plays a stellar role in the new official motion picture of the American League, "Batter Up", which has been produced and is being distributed by the Fisher Body division of General Motors.

Styles of the leading sluggers, Charley Gehringer, Detroit second sacker, who holds the titles of batting champion and the most valuable player in the league, and home-run hitters such as Joe DiMaggio, Yankee outfielder, Rudy York, Tiger catcher, Lou Gehrig, Jimmie Foxx, Hank Greenberg and Hal Trosky, New York, Boston, Detroit and Cleveland first baseman, also are analyzed. Slow motion and a device known technically as the "frozen frame," which stops the action momentarily, are employed to illustrate the more important points.

Included in the film this year are views of the baseball school maintained by the American League for boys under 17 years old, the All-Star Game in Washington and the World Series. There are also several problem plays to sharpen the eye of the

spectator. Another new feature is the inclusion of several sequences depicting the hobbies of the world champion New York Yankees.

Entirely new in every sense, "Batter Up" was written and directed by Lew Fonseca, director of promotion for the American League, and recorded by Ted Husing, ace sports announcer.

C. D. A. TO INITIATE

The local court of the C.D.A. will hold an initiation Sunday afternoon at three, followed by a catered supper. The state regent, Mrs. Lillian Murray, and her suite of officers will be in charge.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS. To all persons interested in the estate of 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 appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-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

ESSEX, SS. To all persons interested in the estate of George N. Hancock otherwise known as George Nelson Hancock late of Los Angeles 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 administrator, be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of April, 1938, the return day of this citation.

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 (18-25-1)

FOR RENT

TO LET—Three-room sunny apartment, furnished or unfurnished. Good location, steam heat. 134 Main street, telephone 1057.

THE ABERDEEN, exclusive, furnished and unfurnished, heated apartments, Shawsheen village; tiled bathrooms; shower, free refrigeration, passenger elevator, hotel lobby, ping pong room, barber shop, \$40 to \$80 month. Tel. Andover 215.

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 Clyde A. White and Harold N. Manthorne of Andover in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 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 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' east, one hundred seventy-six and 17-100 (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 hundred 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.

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 sale.

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



Town of Andover CALL FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that competitive sealed bids on coal requirements for public buildings in the Town of Andover will be received by the Town Clerk on or before 5:00 o'clock p.m. Wednesday, April 6, 1938.

Specifications and quantities may be had upon request.

By order of Board of Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk

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

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Lawrence, March 3, A.D. 1938

ESSEX, SS.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution which issued on a judgment at the District Court, holden at Lawrence, within said County of Essex, on the fourth day of February, A.D. 1938 in favor of Nishan Asoian and Gogas 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. 1937 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 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 1/4° west forty-seven and one-half rods by land I retain to a stake near the end of the wall, thence north 17° west forty-seven rods and ten links by land I retain to a stake and stones, thence north 30° west eleven rods to the spring, thence north 44 1/2° west ten rods and twenty links, thence north 61 1/2° west twenty-two rods and five links to a stake and stones by land of George Upton, the last three courses being by a ditch, thence north 31 1/2° east one rod and fourteen links, thence north 46° west ten rods, thence north 57 3/4° east seventeen rods, thence north 70 1/2° east twenty seven rods, thence north 83 1/2° east eleven rods, thence north 2° west eight rods, thence north 70° east thirteen rods to the said road the last seven courses being by land of said George Upton, thence by said road to the bound first mentioned being sixty rods and three 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 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 aforesaid right, title and interest to satisfy said execution and all fees and charges of sale.

Terms: CASH
LOUIS SILVERMAN,
Deputy Sheriff
(11-18-25)

WANTED

WANTED—Heated apartment, 3 or 4 rooms, for occupancy June 1. Call Lawrence 9922.

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 following 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 following-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 Alonzo 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 land of Job Abbott, thence south 46 degrees 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 Abbott's land to land now or formerly of Edward C. Upton, thence south 77 1-4 degrees west 47 1-2 rods by land now or formerly of said Upton to a stake near the end of the wall, thence north 17 degrees west 47 rods 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 seven 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 premises 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 Woodcock, thence by said Woodcock land north 36 degrees west 31 rods to the road, thence by the road 42 rods to the point of beginning, containing about 7 acres and 98 rods. Being the same premises conveyed by Stephen A. Lovejoy, administrator, to Daniel F. Harrington by deed 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 furniture and farming implements. Terms: cash.

LOUIS J. BOURDELAIS,
Executor
Joseph Monette, Attorney (18-25-1)

First Child: "You've got the same daddy that you always had, and I've had three so far."

Second Child: "Yes, I guess mine doesn't have any trade-in value."

William Crowley Passes Away

William C. Crowley, prominent resident of Andover for many years, passed away early Monday morning at his home, 2 Chapman avenue. Mr. Crowley had attended town meeting a week ago Monday, and during the meeting, while he was standing at the rear of the hall became ill. He walked home himself and he was later found there in a serious condition of shock. He remained in a coma until death relieved his suffering.

Mr. Crowley was born in Andover 66 years ago, the son of Cornelius and Ellen Burns Crowley. He attended the local schools, and after being employed for a short time at the Tyer Rubber company he entered the drug business. For the last 37 years he has worked in this business, part of that time in his own store on Main street. More recently he had been employed by a Lawrence pharmacy.

He was very much interested in sports, particularly football and baseball and rarely missed an academy, high school or town team contest. He was one of the first to become interested in the Poms pond bathing beach and was chairman of the committee at the time of his death. He visited the beach almost daily during the bathing season.

He was a charter member of the local Knights of Columbus council.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Buckley; four sons, William C., Jr., J. Woodrow, Paul and Philip.

A high mass of requiem was offered at St. Augustine's church Wednesday morning at 9.30 by Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O.S.A. Mrs. M. C. Kimball rendered a solo, and Miss Annie G. Donovan was at the organ. Father Austin conducted committal services at the church cemetery. The bearers: Roland S. Bateman,

Charles Bowman, Leo F. Daley, John Hurley, William Higgins and Frank Keefe.

Committees for "Dulcy" Chosen



Geoffrey Nicoll

The cast and committees for the production of "Dulcy," by the Adventurers on April 26 have been selected as follows:

Dulcinea	Helen Adams
Gordon Smith	Harry Emmons
William Parker	Richard Douglas
C. Roger Forbes	Roland Fraser
Mrs. Forbes	Dorothy Winn
Angela Forbes	Caroline Orr
Schuyler Van Dyck	Ernest Young
Tom Sterrett	Colin Kerr
Vincent Leach	Harold Wennick
Blair Patterson	Carl Gregg
Henry	Sumner Davis

The committee chairmen: Production, G. Clifford Emmons, General Chairman; Stage Technician, Allen M. Flye; Tickets,

Louise Hulme; Publicity, Agnes V. Dugan, assisted by Emma G. Carter and Evelyn Oliver; Program, Joseph Doherty; Properties, Mrs. Bartlett Hayes; Ushers, Mary Elizabeth Dix; Costumes, Cecelia Nicoll; Stage Model Making; Dorothy Winn and Mae Elander; Posters, Jesse West and Cecelia Nicoll; Make-up, Jesse West.

Punchard Notes

Swiss Scenes Shown

Last Friday and again on Tuesday, during the utility periods, motion pictures depicting winter sports in Switzerland were shown in the auditorium to the student body. The pictures were presented through the courtesy of the school service club.

Talk on Riding

Yesterday afternoon during the utility period Mr. Hatch gave a talk on riding (including trails in Andover, different types of horses and saddles) to all girls who were interested, whether they planned to ride or not, in the girls' gym.

Class Book Chairman

The senior class recently elected John Noyes chairman of the class book committee. At a recent meeting of the class the other members to serve on the committee were voted on but the results have not been announced as yet. An important meeting of the class was held yesterday during the utility period.

Barnard Contests

All those writing Barnard essays were required to write their final papers today.

Sophomore Hop

Tickets are now on sale throughout the school for the Sophomore Spring Hop to be held in the Memorial gym Friday evening, April 8, at eight o'clock.

Bernice Mundy is chairman of this committee and the other members are: Ruth Porter, Christine Hill, Augustine Rapisardi, and Winton Ramsay.

The committee has succeeded in securing Don Sully's Swingers for the affair. Tickets are thirty-five cents.

Ticket Competition

Tickets for the Shakespearean play "Twelfth Night" to be presented by the senior class in the Memorial auditorium Friday evening, April 1, are being sold fast.

There are nine teams in charge of the sale of tickets and competition is keen among them. A prize of \$2.50 is offered to the individual selling the most tickets and this adds to the keenness of competition between both individuals and teams.

P. T. A. Projector Party on Tuesday

On Tuesday evening, at eight o'clock, in the Memorial Gymnasium, the Central 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 privilege of practical classroom work. This also includes a fund for films.

All forms of card games will be played, refreshments will be served, and prizes are to be awarded at each table.

The Misses Hill of the Colonial Food Shop are donating a large cake which will be awarded as a special prize.

Tickets for the card-party may be secured from Miss Catherine Barrett, at the Stowe School; Mrs. James Eaton, Mrs. Harold Houston; Miss Evelyn Oliver, Junior High School, and Miss Agnes Dugan, at Punchard High School.

Committee assignments are as follows: General Chairman, Mrs. Howard Sawyer. Assistants: Mrs. Charles Arnold, Mrs. James Seldon, Mrs. John Humphreys, Mrs. Benjamin Cole, Mrs. Dennett McDuffie, Mrs. Herbert Carter, Mrs. Stafford Lindsay, Mrs. John Barss, Mrs. Henry Tyer, Mrs. Vasco Nunez, Mrs. Harold C. Dunn, Mrs. Dean Walen, Mrs. Roy Hardy, Mrs. Needham Brown, Mrs. W. R. Hill, Mrs. Everett Collins, Mrs. Stearns Cormey, Mrs. Morris Hallowell, Mrs. Lloyd Thayer, and Evelyn Oliver.

Refreshments: Mrs. Julius Rockwell, Mrs. Morris Hallowell, Mrs. Lloyd Thayer, Mrs. Francis Leland, and Mrs. Carleton Kimball.

Publicity: Agnes V. Dugan.

Officers Chosen by W.W.G. Girls

Mrs. Arthur Smith, Jr., was elected president of the World Wide Guild of the Baptist church at a meeting held last Monday night at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Thompson. A dinner at Sailor Tom's preceded the meeting.

Other officers elected were: Vice-president, Mrs. Thompson; secretary, Miss Ella Cederberg; treasurer, Mrs. Everett M. Lundgren; chairman of the social committee, Esther Stocks; publicity, Mrs. Samuel B. Overstreet; program, Miss Helen Thompson.

A flooded oil burner was the cause of a slight fire in a bedroom at the Millett estate on Wildwood road on Monday night. Box 38 was sounded.

MODERN GEOMETRY

If we were to revise the old geometric principle about the shortest distance between two points being a straight line to apply to our business, it would read:

"The shortest distance between two shopping points is a telephone line." We have four lines at your disposal; try them and let us convince you that this is really the best way to do your shopping.

MAPLE SYRUP TIME IS HERE

We have just received our first lot of 1938 Vermont Maple Syrup. We sell it in bulk—Pints 39c, Quarts 75c

GROCERY SPECIALS

DRIED GREEN PEAS	1 lb. pkg.	5c
FELS NAPHTHA SOAP	2	for 9c
BLUE SUPER SUDS	2 lg. pkgs.	20c
CAMPBELLS TOMATO JUICE	No. 5 tin	21c
KING ARTHUR FLOUR	24 1-2 lb. sack	\$1.19
SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR	pkg.	25c
BAKERS CHOCOLATE	1-2 lb. pkg.	15c
FRESH ANDOVER EGGS	3 doz.	\$1.00

HOT HOUSE RHUBARB—FRESH ASPARAGUS—CUCUMBERS
ENDIVE CELERY RADISHES

THIN RIB CORNED BEEF	lb.	15c
ROLLED SHOULDER BEEF	lb.	20c
SHORT CUT THICK RIB	lb.	27c
FACE END HAM	lb.	28c
LEG AND LOIN LAMB (Soft Meat)	lb.	28c
FORE LAMB (soft meat)	lb.	17c
SOUP CUTS OF BEEF	lb.	15c
PRIME RIBS OF BEEF	25c-30c-35c	lb.
SIRLOIN ROLL (no waste)	lb.	39c

ATTENTION

All Items sold by the S.S. Pierce Co. can be bought or ordered through this store, as we are their local agents.

The J. E. GREELEY CO.

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WE DELIVER ON EVERY STREET IN ANDOVER

TELEPHONE ANDOVER 1234 ACCOMMODATION SERVICE

FREE PARKING ANDOVER TEL. II-W PLAYHOUSE

MATINEES, 2:15 - EVENINGS, 7:30

TODAY and TOMORROW

BORDERTOWN—Bette Davis, Paul Muni	Fri. 3:45; 9:00
	Sat. 3:30; 6:30; 9:30
CARNIVAL QUEEN—Dorothea Kent, Robert Wilcox	Fri. 2:25; 7:40
	Sat. 2:25; 5:25; 8:25

SUNDAY—MONDAY, MARCH 27, 28—Sunday Continuous Show
PARADISE FOR THREE—Frank Morgan Sun. 3:50; 6:45; 9:40
and Robert Young Mon. 3:55; 9:10
CHARLIE CHAN IN MONTE CARLO—Warner Sun. 2:25; 5:20; 8:15
Oland and Keye Luke Mon. 2:25; 7:40

TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY, MARCH 29-30-31 Wednesday Continuous Show

WELLS FARGO—Joel McCrea and Frances Dee	T&Th 3:35; 8:50
	Wed. 2:25; 5:35; 8:45
SHE LOVED A FIREMAN—Ann Sheridan	T&Th. 2:25; 7:40
	Wed. 4:20; 7:30

FRIDAY—SATURDAY, APRIL 1-2—Saturday Continuous Show
DR. SYN—George Arliss Fri. 4:00; 9:15

SEZ O'REILLY TO MCNAB—Will Fyffe and Will Mahoney	Sat. 2:25; 5:20; 8:15
	Fri. 2:25; 7:40
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