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Town Meeting Petition Filed

Over 100 Signatures Certified —Selectmen to Take Action Monday

The petition which was put into circulation last week asking for a special town meeting to reconsider the two Elm street articles was filed this week with the selectmen, and town clerk George H. Winslow has certified the necessary amount of signatures. The selectmen will consider it next Monday.

While the state law does not require the selectmen to call a special meeting when the necessary 100 signatures are filed, such a request is rarely refused, and it is very probably that within the month Andover will have another discussion of whether or not to pave Elm street this year under chapter 90. The project would cost the town \$4500 for the resurfacing of the road from the square to Washington avenue, and \$1700 for various stretches of sidewalk building. The state and county would contribute \$13,500 on the road work.

The arguments generally advanced for the project are based on the statement that chapter 90 work might not be available hereafter. It will also provide more work, a pre-town meeting estimate being \$7000 worth. The regular B.P.W. men, it is understood, would do the work.

In opposition to these arguments it has been said that there has been no indication that chapter 90 work would be discontinued. The present estimated high tax rate is also advanced as an argument against the project. The project would add approximately 40 cents to the rate.

Police War on Angular Parking

Red tags have been very much in vogue on Main street the last week, with the local police department waging an intensive drive on angular parking. The red tags are merely warnings, with the stubs filed at the police station to be used in the event of a second offense. The tag asks that the offending motorist co-operate with the police in observing the parking rules and warns that a second offense will mean a call to the police station and possible further action.

BAKERY SALE TOMORROW

A bakery sale is to be held in the vacant store of the Musgrove building tomorrow morning by the Sacred Heart sodality, for the benefit of St. Augustine's school.

CLAN AUXILIARY TO INSTALL

The officers of the Clan auxiliary will be installed next Thursday evening. A supper will be served at 6.30, with the installation by the suite from Quincy following. There will also be an entertainment.

Mrs. Ann Driscoll is the new president.

Dramatic Critic to Address Club

John Mason Brown, dramatic critic of the New York Evening Post, formerly lecturer for the American Laboratory Theatre in New York City and at Yale University, now staff lecturer for the Institute of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University, for The League for Political Education, New York City, for The Philadelphia Forum and for The Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and author of four notable books on the theatre, will be the speaker at the annual guest night of the November club on April 4, at 8.30 o'clock. He will present "Broadway in Review," a discussion of current plays.

Mr. Brown is said to bring to the platform the perfect recipe for a successful lecturer, wide knowledge, good taste, clear delivery, gay humor. He informs, he amuses, he captivates. Not only to those who are interested in the theatre as such, but also to all who enjoy an alert and enthusiastic speaker capable of bringing to his subject a rich background and keen judgment will the lecture be of unusual interest.

Clan to Install Officers Tonight

Thomas B. Gorrie is to be installed as Clan Johnston's Chief at a ceremony to be held in conjunction with the 30th anniversary of the Clan in Fraternal hall tonight. A meeting will be held at six, supper at 6.30 and the installation will follow. Royal Deputy James Cowie of Lawrence will be the installing officer.

The list of officers: chief, Thomas B. Gorrie; 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.

"The Mikado" to Be Given Next Week

Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta, "The Mikado" is to be presented in the Free church parish house on next Wednesday and Friday evenings under the auspices of the Free church Sunday school. It is being directed by Mrs. H. Allison Morse, and Mrs. Marjorie Pace Edwards. Mrs. Morse is well known locally for her fine musical ability, and Mrs. Edwards has an enviable record in Providence, and throughout Rhode Island for many successes in the field of dramatic art.

Mrs. Edwards is a professional instructor of the spoken drama, and since coming to town has taken a keen interest in the various dramatic clubs. She is a member of the Adventurers, and is coaching this local organization this year. Mrs. Morse will be remembered for her superb presentation in 1935 of "Pinafore" by the Sunday school. It is mainly due to her

To Give Pageant Sunday Evening

The Alpha Dramatic club of the Baptist church sponsors the presentation of the pageant "The Challenge of the Cross," in the main auditorium of the church Sunday night at seven o'clock. The cast of characters include: Evangel, Ruth Thompson; First Disciple, Joyce Hansen; Second Disciple, Arthur Smith; Third Disciple, Doris Goff; Fourth Disciple, Esther Stocks; Fifth Disciple, Louis Sanborn; Sixth Disciple, Mrs. James Butler. The music to accompany the play will be furnished by the Baptist choir. The play ably portrays the meaning of the Cross, and demonstrates the various difficulties people encounter when they decide to accept its teachings. The climax is unusually inspiring, and quite fitting as a prelude to the Easter season. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sample Bazaar Here Tomorrow

Something unusual in church events, a "Sample Bazaar" will take place here tomorrow when the Women's Union of the Baptist church will sell bags full of samples at a bazaar to be held from 3 to 7 in the vestry. From 5 to 7 a baked bean supper will be served.

The Union has secured hundreds of samples from nationally known concerns. These will be placed in shopping bags and sold for a very moderate price. Local merchants are also co-operating.

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS SUBJECT OF TALK

The April meeting of the Andover Garden club will be held at the November clubhouse on Tuesday, April 5th, at the usual hour—ten o'clock a.m.

The speaker, Mrs. Louis E. Phaneuf, has for her subject, Flower Arrangements. Various members will display daffodils in competition.

Welfare Costs Hit New High

Textile Inactivity Continues— Doubtful If Welfare Funds Will Last

Andover's welfare expenditures are again mounting and this week they reached what officials believe to be an all-time peak. They were amounting to about \$3300 monthly in January, but the start of the unemployment compensation checks brought temporary relief. However, some of those payments have expired and there have been many more welfare applicants, with the result that the January peak is now being surpassed.

The W.P.A. quota is now double what it was in January, there being 157 men on the rolls. It is doubtful if the \$14,500 allowed for W.P.A. materials in the W.P.A. town meeting article and the Shawsheen drain article will be able to take care of this number of men, and it is also a question whether the \$27,000 welfare appropriation will last out the year.

Town officials are hoping however for a let-up in the present depressed state of the textile industry. The W.P.A. men average three days or \$13.50 a week. Those on welfare who are able to work but whom the W.P.A. either through regulations or the small size of the quota cannot absorb are put to work on various projects either under the public works department or the tree department. They get on the average two days a week. The group of so-called regular B.P.W. men are working three days a week, and if the Elm street articles go through at a special town meeting the chances are that this group will be given four days.

Textile prospects still look poor, with a slight gain in employment at the Shawsheen mills recently being described as purely temporary, a small special job having come in. Marland's are still at low mark and the Tyer Rubber company is also working well below capacity.

TO MAKE PLANS FOR MAY BREAKFAST

The members of the Legion auxiliary will meet with the Sons of Veterans auxiliary on Wednesday evening at 55 High street, the home of Mrs. William H. Navin, in order to make plans for the May Breakfast.

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Ratios

Did you get the answer to last week's question on the number of inmates in that institution? The answer was 80. We'd tell you how we got it, but frankly we used so many different unknowns that we don't believe it was orthodox algebra on our part. Anyway the 80 checks, and it is the right answer.

They had another one down at the town house this week, and it dealt with ratios. If you remember your work on ratios, you can solve them by doing something with the means and with the ends. The problem, as we remember it was this: "A theater is half full, with some of the audience being men and some women. If the rest of the theater were filled with men, the ratio of the men to the women would be ten times what the ratio would be if the rest of the theater were filled with women. The question is: what was the original ratio between the men and women?"

We'll give you the answer next week, or if we haven't solved it by then, you'll have to wait another week.

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Fire Department Driver Retires

William Rea, member of the fire department for 26 years, will reach the compulsory retirement age of 65 on Monday. He has been driver at the Vale station for the past few years.

Mr. Rea started on the fire department in March, 1904, and continued in service until May, 1912. He rejoined in February, 1920, and has been with the department ever since.

Mr. Rea is the son of the town's oldest man, Charles P. Rea of Park street.

Under special regulations applicable to policemen and firemen they are credited with five years' extra service. Public safety employees must retire at 65, whereas other employees may continue on the payroll until they are seventy.

RUNAWAY CAR HALTED IN SQUARE

A runaway car was halted in the square Saturday morning by Patrick McDonald before it could do any damage to itself, a post, store, pedestrian or other automobile. The car belonged to Paul Rice of Shawsheen village who had parked it on Post Office avenue while he went into a store. It started into the square but was halted by Mr. McDonald who scraped a wrist in jumping into the car.

TWENTY-FOUR HOUR TELEGRAPH SERVICE

The Western Union launched on Wednesday twenty-four hour telegraph service through Lawrence. After the local office is closed messages will be taken over the phone either at the Lawrence office or at a sub-station which operates at the Franklin hotel when the office is closed.

Plays Part of Second Wife



Dorothy Winn

Mrs. Forbes, the young second wife of the millionaire business man, will be ably interpreted by Miss Dorothy Winn, in the play "Dulcy," to be presented by the Adventurers Tuesday, April 26, at 8.15 in Memorial auditorium. Miss Winn has appeared on the stage in Andover many times, and all who have watched her performances in the past will be looking forward to seeing her in this part of the much younger wife trying to please an older husband of whom she is not a little afraid.

The cast follows:

Dulcy	Helen Adams
Gordon Smith	William S. Hughes
C. Roger Forbes	Roland Fraser
Mrs. Forbes	Dorothy Winn
Angela Forbes	Caroline Orr
Schuyler Van Dyck	Ernest Young
Vincent Leach	Albert Swenson
William Parker	Richard Douglas
Tom Sterrett	Colin Kerr
Blair Patterson	Carl Gregg
Henry, the butler	Sumner Davis

BAKED BEAN SUPPER PLANNED

Baked bean supper will be served by the Junior Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters on Saturday evening, April 23, according to plans formulated at the meeting Tuesday evening. There was also a discussion of a fashion show and a spring formal dance.

REBEKAH VISITATION

The local Rebekahs will have as guest on Monday evening district deputy president Miss Lottie Pettingill, marshal Miss Louise Hurt and her staff from East Lynn.

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.)

FRIDAY—Punchard Senior Play, "Twelfth Night," Memorial Auditorium.
Saturday, April 2—Sample bazaar, Baptist church Woman's Union.
Sunday, April 3, Pageant, "The Challenge of the Cross," Alpha club, Baptist church, 7 p.m.
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.
Friday, April 22, Philathea class play at Baptist church.
TUESDAY, April 26, "Dulcy," Adventurers play, Memorial Auditorium.
FRIDAY, April 29, "Miss Andover" dance, Legion, Crystal ballroom.
Friday, May 20, Andover Male Choir joint concert, Memorial auditorium.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, May 26, 27, "Huckleberry Finn", Junior High play at Memorial Auditorium.

A. P. C. to Hold Vesper Service

The annual Lenten Vesper service sponsored by the A. P. C. sorority of the South church will be held next Thursday evening at 8.15.

The speaker will be Rev. Robert Wood Coe of the Leyden church in Brookline. He is chairman of the directors of the Board of Home Missions of Congregational and Christian churches.

Mrs. Frederick B. Noss is in charge. Miss Marion L. Abbott is in charge of the music and Mrs. G. Richard Abbot of the flowers. J. Archibald Wain of Methuen, tenor, will sing.

WOMAN'S GUILD TO HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held in the parish house on the coming Thursday afternoon. Members are asked to note that the monthly meeting has been advanced a week.

The speaker will be Mrs. William C. Miller, who has recently returned from Alaska where she has been stationed with her husband, a colonel in the United States Army.

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Rev. Mr. Savage to Be Installed

On next Friday afternoon at three o'clock, an ecclesiastical council of the Andover Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers will be convened at the West church for the purpose of dismissing the Rev. Newman Matthews and installing the Rev. Donald H. Savage as pastor of the church. The Service of Installation will be held at 7.30 p.m.

The only two living former pastors of the West church will take part in the service: President J. Edgar Park of Wheaton college will preach the sermon, and the Rev. Newman Matthews, who has just concluded twenty-four years of ministry to the parish, will give the prayer of invocation. Dr. Park was pastor of the West church from 1904 until 1907, and went from here to a distinguished ministry of nineteen years at the Second church in West Newton. He was then called to the presidency of Wheaton college, which has grown both materially and spiritually during his administration. Dr. Park has also achieved eminence as a preacher in constant demand among the schools and colleges of the East.

Others who will take part in the service are the Rev. Frederick B. Noss of the South church, the Rev. Clinton W. Carvell of the Trinitarian church, North Andover, the Rev. Egbert W. A. Jenkinson of Methuen, the Rev. Frederick W. Alden of Taunton, and the Rev. Ralph M. Timberlake, president of the Massachusetts Congregational Conference. The public is cordially invited to be present at the evening service.

Abbot Academy Notes

School to Resume

The spring vacation at Abbot ends at 8.00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 6, and the school will resume its regular schedule Thursday morning.

Dancers to Appear

On Saturday evening, April 9, Abbot is to present the Miriam Winslow Studio Group of Dancers. The Miriam Winslow School of the Dance in Boston is the foremost in New England and one of the most noted in the country. Miss Winslow's dancers have travelled extensively on tour and have been most enthusiastically received wherever they have appeared. After a recent Chicago program the Daily News reported that the dancers had "an agility and a coherence that made their performance actual dancing, not just pleasing movement." "The dance schemes," the report continued, "are fragile rather than heroic, but they are worked out by an artist with an authentic gift; they are beautifully costumed and they are based on something that often gets lost in modern dancing, a rhythm of time, not merely of line."

The program planned for the Andover appearance at Abbot includes dance episodes from many countries and many forms. A small charge for admission will be made for the entertainment which will be presented in Davis hall at eight p.m.

Vesper Service

On Sunday evening at the regular vesper service in Abbot hall, Mrs. Leslie Glenn of Cambridge, will present the Northfield Conference to the students of the academy. She will be assisted by one or two students of other schools who have recently attended the conference. A brief devotional service will be conducted by Mr. Kellogg, Mr. Leslie Glenn's assistant at Christ church, Cambridge.

ANDOVER BOYS

WIN P. A. LETTERS

Eight Andover boys have been awarded winter sports letters at Phillips academy. They are: hockey, Charles W. Arnold; and Frank O'Brien; skiing, McClain Reinhart; fencing, Scott Walker; basketball, Charles Tower and John Arthur Rogge; wrestling, John Lindsay; swimming, Charles Gabeler.

To Give Broadcast for Religious School

A radio broadcast in behalf of the Northern New England School of Religious Education will take place next Sunday at 5.15 p.m. from the Lawrence station, WLAW (680k). Participating will be Dr. Ruth Richards Miller of Medford, executive secretary of the school, Mavis J. Avery of Lawrence, a trustee, and Thaxter Eaton, treasurer and business manager.

A general alumni reunion will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening at the Andover-Newton Theological school.

The balance in the treasury of the Andover Vacation church school has been transferred to the Northern New England school and will be used to provide scholarships, covering the \$6.00 tuition fee, for six members of the Andover churches. Application may be made to Mr. Eaton. The dates of this year's session of the school are August 21-28.

NOVEMBER CLUB ART DEPARTMENT ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the art department of the November club was held Monday, March 28, at the home of Miss Alice C. Jenkins, 39 School street. The following were elected as the committee for the year 1938-1939: Miss Jenkins, chairman; Mrs. Hylda O. Sheppard, Mrs. Edward C. Nichols and Miss Marjorie E. Davies.

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Extension of public recreation as a means of wholesome discipline for unemployed young people was advocated here by A. Graham Baldwin of Phillips Academy in a communication this week to members and friends of the National Recreation association, of which he is local sponsor.

Referring to an address by Owen D. Young, chairman of the General Electric company, on the restlessness and ferment among 5,000,000 unemployed young people, Mr. Baldwin wrote:

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Mrs. William H. Simpson of Wolcott avenue is ill at the New England Baptist hospital.

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"The Last of the Home-Owners"

Down in Boston at present the State House is considering adding another chapter to an interesting story called: "The Last of the Home-owners." Legislators for decades have been working in a seeming effort to finish this story, and if the present legislature adopts the proposed sales tax, the end will be not far off.

It seems that the real estate tax on the home-owner was becoming quite a heavy burden some years ago, and so the legislature decided to help out the home-owner by finding a new source of revenue. Governmental expenditures were mounting, but to curb them was unheard of. Instead the law-makers looked around for a new means of getting more money to spend, and they decided that it would be a good idea to take a certain percent annually of a person's income, in order to help the poor over-burdened home-owner.

However, real estate taxes didn't drop the way that the legislators had promised they would. Morever the home-owner as a wage-earner now had to pay an additional tax on his income. Governmental expenditures kept mounting, and since it was obviously unheard of to curtail them, the legislators felt that they had better find a new source of revenue in order to help out the poor over-burdened home-owner. Automobiles were fairly new, with hard-surface roads replacing the old cow-path type. "Why not tax motor vehicles?" The cry went up in the State House. Arguments for such a tax were built up, and in order to provide safeguards for the motorists it was decided that the new gasoline tax should be used only for highway purposes. In this way the cost of these roads would not be a burden on the home-owner and real estate taxes would be reduced. So the legislature adopted an excise tax on automobiles and a tax on every gallon of gasoline bought in the state, all in order again to help out the poor over-burdened home-owner.

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The end is near. New taxes have periodically been added with relief of the real estate owner as the ostensible reason for the new tax, but he has never been relieved. His real estate tax has continued to increase, and in addition he has had to pay taxes on his income, his purchases and just about everything else. Today the sales tax arguments about taking the burden away from real estate falls on deaf ears, for the home-owner from experience knows that every new tax merely is used to pay for more governmental expenditures.



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However, real estate taxes didn't drop the way that the legislators had promised they would. Governmental expenditures kept mounting, and since it was obviously unheard of to curtail them, the legislators felt that they had better find a new source of revenue in order to help out the poor over-burdened home-owner. Sales—there was a new source that hadn't been tapped here in the Bay State. Of course other states had tried it, very unsuccessfully, but that was an unimportant consideration. If people when purchasing anything had to pay a certain amount of tax, that would reduce the real estate taxes, so the proponents said.

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Siftings

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Many Americans are wondering just how important a part of our Ship of State its Hull is. * * *

Mexico is not only keeping its oil; it's keeping its silver. * * *

Some of us think that reorganization of the executive branch of the government would be a good thing—provided it started at the very top. * * *

Looks as if we're going to have to listen to some of our town meeting orators again shortly.

Communications

On the Tariff
Ballardvale, Mass., March 30, 1938
To the Editor of the Townsman:
You ought not to talk as if the rise of American manufactures dated from Henry Clay. Before the Revolutionary War all the power of the government was exerted to keep down the manufacturing industry in America, and they couldn't keep it down. The pages of diagrams bound into recent editions of the Century Dictionary at the word "wages" show not only how the American workingman's living has sometimes gone down when the tariff went up, and up when it went down, but still more conspicuously how often his progress has simply refused to pay any attention to the rise or fall of tariffs.

It should not be forgotten that almost any reduction of any part of the tariff will increase Uncle Sam's tariff revenue, and thus help to keep down our other taxes, for the same reason as the recent reduction of railroad passenger fares increased the passenger revenue of most railroads.

STEVEN T. BYINGTON

Marriages

Miss Hazel Rolletschek, 6 Maple avenue, to Edward J. Cameron, 19 Groton street, Lawrence, by Rev. Alfred St. Martin, S.M., at the Sacred Heart church, Lawrence, on Tuesday.

Births

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent of River, road at the Barr sanitarium Wednesday.

A daughter, Catherine, to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Duke, 121 North Main street, March 22.

That important door key will not be evasive any more when the housewife returns from the grocery, if she will sew a large-sized dress hook inside her hand-bag, near the top, on which to hang the key.

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Fifty Years Ago

Watch dogs are very good and so are concerts, but the concerts that the peaceful inhabitants of Cuba street have been getting for the last two nights have not been so very agreeable. Perhaps the owner of the dogs may be able to remedy this nuisance, so that a night's rest and sleep may be had.

A deer in the window of Rea and Abbott's market, attracts a good deal of attention. It was mounted by Mr. Alfred Playdon. Our readers must not think this means a rise in the prices of meat as Messrs. Rea and Abbott assure us they are no dearer than ever.

Mr. James Elliott, who has been staying in West Parish for the last two years, returned to his home in Freedom, Maine, a few weeks ago, and after a short stay there returned last week to Andover, bringing a wife with him.

Messrs. John Holt, Nathaniel Cutler and Arthur Boutwell are home from Amherst spending their spring vacation.

We understand that the 3 1-2 percent, semi-annual dividend of the Andover National Bank, usually payable April 1, will be paid next Monday. No April fooling for the stockholders of the Andover Bank!

Three fire department horses have been purchased of C. H. Hanson and company, Lowell, for \$225 each. They came to town this morning, and are stabled for the present at Bean's.

Twenty-five Years Ago

Buchan and Francis' men kept busy nearly all day Wednesday packing clothing for the Dayton sufferers. Seven large packing cases full of all kinds of wearing apparel, donated by the boys of Phillips academy were gotten off by express to the stricken city. The boys handled this matter with the fine spirit that is the chief characteristic of the school.

Miss Madeleine Hewes returned home Saturday from a trip to New York.

Miss Margaret Manning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Manning of Temple place, is sick with measles.

Hardy and Cole have been awarded the contract to erect the house for David R. Lawson on Wolcott avenue which he is to build on his newly-acquired land.

Improvements and repairs are being made in J. E. Whiting's store.

The number of books issued at the Memorial Hall library during March was 2942 volumes.

Ten Years Ago

Misses Louisa and Helen Eaton of Bartlet street are enjoying a sojourn in Washington, D. C., and Baltimore, Md.

Miss Natalie Page, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Peirson S. Page, of Main street is visiting Miss Dorothy Hayes in Indio, Calif.

Frances Dalton, Mary Gertrude Bailey and Abbot Cheever are enjoying a week's vacation from their studies at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

Burton S. Flagg gave the address last Friday at the dedication and unveiling of tablets at the new insurance building at Morrisville, Pa.

Rev. and Mrs. George Driver and two daughters have returned to Ellsworth, Maine, after visiting Mrs. Driver's sisters, the Misses, Bell of Bartlet street.

Mrs. Andrew Kydd is ill at her home on Summer street.

MOTHERS' CLUB PLANS

The Mothers' club will meet Wednesday afternoon in the Pynchard high school drawing room. A whist party is being held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Boddy on Maple avenue with the hostess being assisted by Mr. Alexander Crocket, Mrs. George Sni and Mrs. Paul Schmotlach.

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Card Party Aids
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A very successful card party to add to the projector fund was held in the Memorial gymnasium on Tuesday evening by the Andover P.T.A. About 150 were present.

Much of the success of the affair was due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Howard Sawyer, general chairman.

A hooked rug provided by Isabel Orr, proprietor of the Drop Stitch shoppe, was won by Mrs. Osborne Sutton. The Botany flannel skirt and the yarn for matching sweater provided by the Drop Stitch shoppe was won by Mrs. Julius Rockwell. The knitting bag provided by the Drop Stitch shoppe was won by Mrs. Milton Blanchard. The cake donated by the Colonial Food Shop was won by Dr. Stowers. Moderator Butler drew the numbers. The gentleman's prize for highest score, donated by Mr. Hill of Hill's Hardware, was won by Clifton Shaw. The ladies' prize for highest score was won by Mrs. Byron Hall. The committee is very grateful to all who donated cake, candy, money and their services to make this affair a success and to Leon Davidson who donated the coffee and C. N. Wood for sugar.

Candy and other delicacies were sold by the following group of girls: Alice Bertram, Esther Bryant, Mildred Forsythe, Priscilla Glines, Mary Hartmann, Judith Hardy, Agnes Mattinson, Evelyn Smith, Shirley Thompson, Joan O'Riordan, and Ruth Leitch.

Dressed in green and white aprons and green and white caps with P.T.A. insignia, these girls proved their efficiency, and lent color and atmosphere to the party.

The committees: 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. Stearn Cormey, Mrs. Morris Hallowell, Mrs. Lloyd Thayer Evelyn Oliver, Catherine Barrett and Florence Gates.

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

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Philathea Class
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Rehearsals are in progress for a three-act comedy "His Women Folks," which will be presented by the Philathea class of the Baptist church in the vestry Friday evening, April 22nd. The presentation is in charge of Mrs. Clinton H. Stevens. Mrs. Colver J. Stone is chairman of properties, Mrs. Clare W. Norton will have charge of the sale of candy, Mrs.

Lorentz I. Hansen, tickets and Mrs. Harold Wood will supervise the entertainment between the acts.

Members of the cast include: Mrs. Myles Ward, Mrs. Henry Albers, Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, Mrs. Philip B. Dodge, Miss Helen Thompson, Mrs. James Butler, Mrs. Herbert Stedman and Mrs. Charles Bryant.

V. F. W. TO ELECT

The V. F. W. will nominate and elect officers at the meeting to be held tonight.

MALE CHOIR IN
LENTEN SERVICE

A special Lenten service, featuring songs by the Andover Male choir, meditation by Rev. Donald H. Savage, solo by selectman J. Everett Collins and organ selections by Miss Marion L. Abbott, will be held at the West church Sunday afternoon at four. The public is invited.

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Legion Juniors to Be Feted

The members of the Andover Legion Junior baseball team of 1937 are to be feted on Monday evening at a testimonial banquet to be held at the Memorial cafeteria. Following the banquet a motion picture, "Batter Up," will be shown in the auditorium, with Lynn English high school's well-known Tom Whelan giving a

talk. Tom is well-known here through his umpiring.

The general public, men and women, may attend the banquet and picture. The ticket committee: James Sparks, chairman; Harold L. Peters, Herman Hilton, Arthur Jowett, George Napier and James Welch, who directed last year's team.

Rev. A. Graham Baldwin spoke at the banquet of the Merrimack valley area of Business Girls' clubs of the Y.W.C.A. in Lawrence Tuesday evening.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY BREAKFAST SUNDAY

The annual Holy Name society communion breakfast of St. Augustine's church will be held Sunday morning in the school hall following the 8.15 mass. The Knights of Columbus and the Hibernians are assisting.

The men will attend communion in a body. At the breakfast there will be a prominent speaker.

Local News Notes

Dr. Chester J. Farmer, professor of Biological Chemistry at Northwestern University Medical School in Chicago, Ill., spent the week-end with his sister, Miss Nellie H. Farmer of Whittier street. Dr. Farmer came East as a guest of the Milbank Memorial Fund to participate in a program devoted to the consideration of public health and nutrition, at the New York Academy of Medicine, New York City. His subject was the estimation of Vitamin C in blood and its relationship to health and disease. From New York he will go to Baltimore, Md., and Washington, D. C., before returning to Chicago.

After ten years of inactivity in Shakespearean drama, the students of Boston University's college of liberal arts will present Twelfth Night on April 8. Among those in the cast is Joan Moody of Andover.

Frank Whiting, son of Mrs. Sophia H. Whiting of Maple avenue, is at home enjoying the spring recess from his studies at New Hampton school, New Hampton, N. H.

Miss Barbara Reinhart, daughter of Mrs. McClain Reinhart of Main street, and Clara Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Holland of Chestnut street, are enjoying a ten-day recess from their studies at the Erskine school, Boston. Miss Reinhart served on the ushers committee for the production of "The Wild Goose Chase," presented by the Erskine Department of Drama and Allied Arts, last Tuesday and Wednesday evening, assisted by members of Harvard University.

Barbara Bruorton, and Laura and Charlotte Marland were among those who heard Nelson Eddy in Symphony hall, Boston, last Sunday afternoon.

Annie Rizzo of South Main street has returned from a short vacation to New York.

Robert Meadowcroft of Maple avenue sailed for Galveston, Texas, last week.

Among the survivors of Joseph Corr who died at Roslindale Sunday is a son, Rev. John J. Corr, O.S.A., assistant at St. Augustine's.

Rev. Albert C. Morris was the guest speaker at St. Augustine's Episcopal church in Lawrence Wednesday evening.

Walter M. Lamont of Lowell street, who has been confined to the Lawrence General hospital for several weeks as the result of a back injury received in the flood period two years ago, is able again to take over his duties as resident manager of the Wood Worsted mill.

Donald D. Dunn, instructor of physical education at the local schools, spoke before the Lawrence Rotary club yesterday on "The Use of Physical Fitness Test in Hiring Employees."

Mrs. Florence G. Herrick of this town was yesterday named to the Republican state committee.

Judith Napier, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Napier of Elm street, is ill at her home with rheumatic fever.

BRIGGS-ALLEN SCHOOL TO REOPEN MONDAY

The Briggs-Allen school opens April 4th for the last term of the year. The Hobby club will start on Wednesday, April 6th. Other spring activities will be in full force. Rehearsals for the play on June 10th will start next week.

TO RECEIVE MEMBERS

New members of the Free church are to be received at the evening communion on Thursday, April 14. Rev. Mr. Johnson is now preparing candidates.

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West Parish

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Mrs. George D. Ward enjoyed a week-end visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Marshall, of Chicopee.

Albert Kimball of Lowell street met with a serious accident when he fell from a load of brush which was being carted away from his land. He is confined to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Northey and Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis enjoyed a Sunday visit with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hartz of Hingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis of Fulton, N. Y. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter (Sandra Elaine, weight eight pounds) Sunday night, March 27.

Mr. Lewis, who is employed by the Davey Tree Expert company is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis of Sunny Ridge Farm.

The West Andover Boy Scout troop met on Tuesday evening in the church vestry.

Miss Marilyn Lewis was awarded a token for outstanding work in 4-H club activities at a meeting at Hathorne March 23 in the evening.

Mrs. Roger H. Lewis and son Larry, Mrs. Arthur Peatman and son Glenn, Mrs. Clayton Northey and Mrs. Alfred Kneth and son Billy are spending today as the guests of Mrs. Ellery E. Metcalf of Saugus.

Fred Boutwell and his niece, Miss Winona Boutwell, have returned from a trip to Florida.

Mrs. Kenneth Barnard, Billy Barnard, Mrs. Arthur McLean and Edward McLean attended the play Osma of Os given by the Newtonville Dramatic club last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Calvin (Eleanor Barnard) have moved from Auburn, N. Y. to Akron, Ohio, where Mr. Calvin has accepted a position in the firm operated by his father and uncles.

Grange Notes

Vesper Services

Andover Grange is invited to attend the vesper services at North Tewksbury on Sunday at four o'clock. The Young People's choir of Chelmsford conducted by Mrs. Marion Johnson, an organization of twenty-five members will sing and Miss Sylvia Robson, violinist of Andover Grange, will play several selections. Mrs. Harry C. Dawson has the program in charge.

Ladies Invited

The ladies of North Andover Grange have extended an invitation to the Woman's club of Andover Grange to meet with them on Tuesday afternoon at North Andover Grange hall. The invitation has been accepted.

Rehearse for Degree

Rehearsals for the second degree, which is to be put on by the men's degree team, Arthur Peatman master, are being held this week and next week. Deputy Fogg of Peabody will be the inspecting officer for this year.

Pomona to Meet

Essex Pomona, Grange No. 2, will hold its April meeting Thursday with Salisbury Grange. A good program is planned, the afternoon to be taken up by a group of students from Essex Agricultural school, Hathorne, in charge of Director Fred A. Smith. Dinner will be served by Salisbury Grange.

West Church Notes

Union to Meet

The Woman's Union of the West church will meet in the vestry Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Mrs. Harold Peters, Mrs. John Fielding and Mrs. Lawrence Wood will entertain. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Frank A. Tredinnick af

Wakefield and her subject will be "The Only Book."

Give Lenten Service

Sunday afternoon at four o'clock the Andover Male Choir will conduct a Lenten vesper service in the West church. The program will include organ selections by Miss Marion Abbott, a baritone solo by J. Everett Collins, conductor of the choir and a brief meditation by the pastor, Rev. Donald Savage.

A silver offering will be taken for the work of the Woman's Union.

To Install Pastor

Rev. Donald Savage will be installed on Friday, April 8. The council will meet in the afternoon and in the evening President J. Edgar Park of Wheaton college will preach the sermon. A cordial invitation is extended to members and friends of the church to be present.

Supper a Success

The baked bean supper on Saturday evening was a success. One hundred and fifty attended and a goodly sum was added to the Union's treasury.

Ballardvale

John Moran of Oak street attended the Bruin-Toronto hockey game Tuesday evening at the Boston garden.

Frank Donovan of Center street is ill at his home.

Miss Olive Shaw of Boston visited Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ballou of Center street Monday.

Misses Bernice Mundy and Helen Nicoll spent Tuesday evening visiting friends in Melrose.

Harold Baker of Center street is recovering from a recent illness at his home.

Frank Yates of Andover street spent the week-end visiting friends in Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell and family of High street spent Sunday visiting relatives in Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beaulieu of Clark road spent Sunday visiting relatives in Salem, N. H.

C. G. Packard of Connecticut spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell.

Postmaster and Mrs. Richard E. O'Brien and family of Andover street spent Sunday at Salisbury beach.

Miss Catherine Regan of Marland street has recovered from a recent illness.

The St. Joseph's Guild will hold its last of a series of whist parties April 27, in the Community room.

James Haggerty of Andover street, a student at Tufts college, is enjoying the spring vacation.

The junior choir of the Methodist church will rehearse Easter music at the home of Miss Alma MacTammany of Andover street Friday evening.

Rev. George R. Moody of Marland street is ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cochell of Watertown and Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon of Andover street recently.

Elwood Eiterman of Tewksbury street is a member of the jury in Lawrence.

Dr. Robert Earl Moody of Wellesley Hills and George Moody of Swampscott visited Rev. and Mrs. George Moody of Marland street.

Miss Mollie Donovan and Miss Patricia Lowry of Andover street attended a concert in Symphony hall in Boston Sunday afternoon.

James O'Donnell of Tewksbury street has accepted a position in Philadelphia.

The regular meeting of the Get-Together club was held Wednesday evening at the home of Misses Helen and Norma Matthews of Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphy of Reading visited Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Nason of Clark road Sunday.

The Ballardvale kindergarten will re-open Monday.

The Men's club of the Union Congregational church will meet in the vestry Monday evening at eight o'clock. Rev. Claude Butterfield pastor, will speak.

PLAY PRESENTED

Wednesday evening a play at the Easter sale was sponsored by the Ladies' Aid of the Union Congregational church. The following were members of the cast: Jessie Willsons, a college girl, Mrs. William McEntyre; Emily Day, her chum, Mrs. Ernest Edwards; Mehitable Willsons, Mrs. Walter Simon; Phoebe Smith, Mrs. Elvin Gilfoy.

Fancy work, aprons, food, candy, and grabs were on sale at decorated booths. The white elephant table proved an added attraction.

GIRL SCOUTS MEET

The Girl Scout troop, No 19, met Tuesday afternoon in the Bradlee school with Mrs. Elvin Gilfoy and Mrs. Theodore Olson in charge. The regular program was held and several of the girls passed tests.

A number of the girls will be awarded tenderfoot pins at the next meeting.

ROLL CALL AND SUPPER

The annual roll call and supper of the Union Congregational church will be held Wednesday at 6.30 o'clock in the vestry. A business meeting will follow the repast.

Shawsheen Village

Mrs. William C. Ford of York street is working for the success of the large card party to be given by the Reading Circle for the Blind on April 22nd at the Lawrence Boys' club.

Mrs. A. C. Dame of York street assisted at the large luncheon bridge of the Florentia club of the Universalist church in Lawrence on last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton E. Shulze of York street attended the performance of "Tristan and Isolde" last Friday night in Boston and on Wednesday evening saw "The Barber of Seville" in company with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Miller, Thomas Davies, and Miss Ethel Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stern and two children have taken the house at 15 Arundel street. Mr. Stern is in the knitting business in the Everett mills in Lawrence. Mr. Stern has been living at the Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peck will make their home at 21 Arundel street, coming here from Chicago.

Dorothy and Barbara Dean are very much improved in health since last week.

Doris Anderson of William street is enjoying a recess from Smith college.

Mrs. William Kurth was in Franklin, N. H. on Monday.

Marilyn Barlow of York street and Jane Butler of Lowell street were two of the young ladies who modeled in the style show which was given in Grace church parish house, Lawrence, Monday

evening under the auspices of the Eureka society.

The MacMackin family visited in Auburn, Maine last Saturday.

Miss Althea Morrison of Canterbury street has fully recovered from a recent illness.

Pauline MacMackin of Carisbrooke street was confined to her home on Monday with a bad cold.

Edward Anderson of William street is home from college.

Thisbe Grieco of Sherbourne street, a student at Mt. Holyoke, is enjoying a vacation.

Jeremiah J. Twomey of Haverhill street gave an address on "Americanization" before the Ancient Order of Hibernians and auxiliary members last Sunday morning in Hibernian hall, Lawrence.

Allen S. Vaughan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Vaughan of York street is under observation at the Children's hospital in Boston.

Mark Pettoruto, who has been employed at the Spa until Tuesday evening, when he resigned, will continue his law studies in Boston.

COURT OF HONOR

There will be a Court of Honor at Troop 71, Shawsheen Boy Scouts, on April 8th.

Press Night to Be Observed

The Shawsheen Village Woman's club will observe Press Night, Monday evening at eight o'clock in Balmoral hall. Presidents and press chairmen of the Tenth District, Mrs. Lawrence G. Dodge of West Newbury, Tenth District director and members of the staff of several papers will be the invited guests.

Francis Dahl, cartoonist, of the Boston Herald staff will speak on "Art from the Viewpoint of a Cartoonist" and music will be furnished by Joyce Hansen, violinist and Rebecca Stevens, accompanist.

Arrangements are in charge of the Press and Publicity committee, Mrs. Clinton H. Stevens, Mrs. Vernon R. Walker and Miss Barbara Bruorton.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Eugene V. Lovely, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Frank J. Kefferstan, Mrs. A. E. Knowles, Mrs. William W. Kurth, Mrs. Michael J. Lane, Mrs. David R. Lawson, Mrs. Edward R. Lawson, Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis, Mrs. Stafford A. Lindsay, Mrs. John M. Lynch, Mrs. Roger Lewis and Mrs. Frank R. MacMackin.

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Plan Memorial for William Crowley

On the first Sunday of the 1938 swimming season a memorial and dedication service will be held for the late Bill Crowley at Poms pond. The selectmen have given their approval. His 12 years of service on the committee merit such recognition. He was one of the sponsors of the project. Bill Crowley was a sympathetic friend of the youth of Andover. He gave generously of his time to their cause. He advocated public playgrounds. He often assisted in the various contests as judge. He was an impartial baseball umpire. He knew how to run a game because he knew the rules. Andover is going to miss this favorite son, but we won't forget him. He was a friendly man who went about doing good. Plans are underway for

a suitable memorial plaque to be placed at Poms pond as a tribute to his humane interest in directed summer play for the boys and girls who could not afford to go to camp.

A public subscription toward this worthy cause will give Andover an opportunity to pay a belated reward to the late Bill Crowley for his service to the youth of our town.

Donations may be sent to George Brown, Ballardvale, Robert Deyermond, Elm street, or J. Everett Collins, selectman.

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JUNIOR WOMAN'S GUILD TO MEET TUESDAY

The Junior Woman's Guild of Christ church will meet at the home of Mrs. Peter Dantos, 123 Elm street, on Tuesday, April 5, at eight o'clock. Mrs. Ralph T. Berry will speak on the work of the Church Periodical Club.

HOSPITAL SEWING

The April sewing meeting for the Lawrence General hospital will be held on Tuesday, April 5, at All Saint's Episcopal church on Broadway, Methuen, from two to five. Sewing for the hospital. Tea will be served.

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"I can't hear you, dear," his mother whispered.

"Wasn't talking to you," the small boy answered, firmly. —Brown Jug

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Next Week's Church Calendar

SOUTH CHURCH—Sunday, 9.30 Church school and The Little Church; 10.45 Morning worship and sermon; 10.45 Church kindergarten. Monday, 6.30 Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters, supper and meeting. Tuesday, 7.00 Paek No. 1, Cubs; 7.30 Church school officers and teachers. Thursday, 3.00 Prayer meeting, Women's Union; 4.00 Choir of The Little Church; 7.00 Church choir; 8.15 Vesper services, 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 and communion. Mr. Overstreet speaks on: "The Dangerous Choice"; 2.00 Rehearsal for Easter pageant; 6.00 Alpha club; 7.00 Pageant, "The Challenge of the Cross." Monday night in the church, the World Wide Guild will hold a rehearsal for their coming annual installation of officers' service. Wednesday, 7.30 The Fellowship Forum will be held in the home of Mrs. James Butler in Ballardvale. Thursday, 2.30 The Woman's Union will meet in the home of Mrs. Nettie Hudson, 50 Maple avenue. Friday, 4.00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7.00 Senior rehearsal; 7.00 Boy Scouts.

CHRIST CHURCH—Sunday, 8.00 Holy Communion; 9.30 Church school; 11.00 Holy Communion and sermon. Monday, 7.45 Girls' Friendly society. Tuesday, 4.00 G. F. S. candidates. Thursday, 2.30 Woman's Guild; 8.00 Lenten service, Rev. Gray M. Blandy, curate of Christ church, Cambridge. Friday, 7.00 Boy Scouts.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Sunday, 9.30 Church school; 10.45 Morning worship with sermon by the minister on "Rightly Dividing"; 12.00 Brotherhood class; 12.00 Pastor's class including the Margaret Slattery class; 6.30 Evening Lenten

service with sermon by the Rev. Claude Butterfield, attended by the Intermediate Christian Endeavor. Monday, 7.30 Margaret Slattery class monthly business meeting at the church. Wednesday, 7.30 "Mikado" by the Sunday school; 7.45 Young Married Group will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan. Thursday, 6.00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7.30 Senior choir rehearsal; 7.30 Candidates for church membership will meet the Standing Committee in the pastor's study. Friday, 7.30 "Mikado" by the Sunday school.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH—Church school at 9.30; service at 10.30, with sermon on the subject, "Embracing Reality."

COCHRAN CHURCH—Sunday, 11.00 Rev. Sidney Lovett, D.D., of Yale University.

WEST CHURCH—Sunday, 10.30 Morning worship with music by senior choir, Mrs. Florence Fielding, soloist; sermon, "Jesus Confronts His Enemies"; 12.00 Church school; 4.00 Lenten vesper service. Andover Male Choir, Miss Marion L. Abbott, organist; J. Everett Collins, conductor and soloist; 6.30 Young People's study group at parsonage. Tuesday, 7.00 Boy Scouts. Wednesday, 2.30 Woman's Union in vestry. Mrs. Frank A. Tredinick of Wakefield will speak on "The Only Book." Hostesses: Mrs. John Fielding, Mrs. Lawrence Wood, Mrs. Harold Peters; 3.45 Junior choir; 7.30 Senior choir. Friday, 3.00 Andover Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers; 7.30 Service of Installation of the Rev. Donald H. Savage.

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.

Punchard Notes

Punchard Baseball Schedule

The 12-game baseball schedule for this season is to be played as follows: April: 27, Punchard at Howe; 29, Tewksbury at Punchard; May: 9, Punchard at Wilmington; 13, Punchard at Chelmsford; 18, Methuen at Punchard; 20, Howe at Punchard; 23, Punchard at Tewksbury; 25, Wilmington at Punchard; 27, Punchard at Johnson; June: 3, Johnson at Punchard; 6, Chelmsford at Punchard; 8, Punchard at Methuen.

Donald Spinney will captain this season's varsity nine.

Class Book Board

The senior class at a recent meeting elected the following classbook committee: Chairman, John Noyes; Gretchen Herrick, Marie Hutchins, Harold Walker and Raymond Lynch.

Senior Play Tonight

The senior class play, "Twelfth Night," by Shakespeare, will be held at eight o'clock this evening in the Memorial auditorium. Mr. Stevens has been directing the cast. Sale of tickets has been increased greatly by the spirit of friendly competition in selling them. There have been nine teams of seniors in charge of sales. A prize of \$2.50 will be given to the individual who has sold the most tickets. The play will be well worth seeing and a large attendance is expected. Tickets are 40 cents.

Sophomore Hop

The sophomore class will hold a Spring Hop in the Memorial auditorium next Friday evening, April 8. Bernice Mundy is chairman of the dance committee and the other members are: Christine Hill, Ruth Porter, Augustine Rapisardi, and Winton Ramsay. Don Sully's Swingsters will furnish music for the occasion. Tickets are on sale at 35 cents.

Talk on Riding

Lyle Phillips recently gave a talk and demonstration on riding, before a group of high school students.

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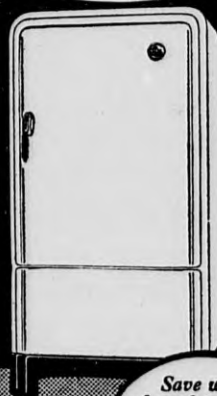
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"Of course, madam," the conductor replied, politely, "he will be treated the same as other passengers and can occupy a seat provided he does not put his feet on it."—Boston Evening Transcript

For want of a nail the shoe was lost; for want of a shoe the horse was lost; and for want of a horse the rider was lost; being overtaken and slain by the enemy, all for want of care about a horseshoe nail.—Benjamin Franklin

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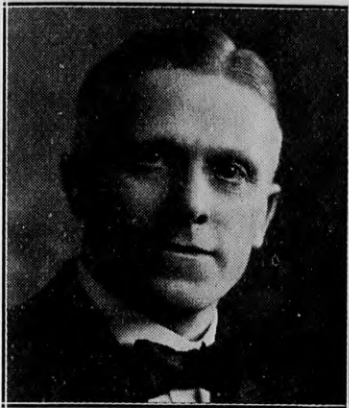
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Launch Fund for Veteran Pastors

A campaign to raise \$1,517,000 in order to "keep faith" with 1400 of their veteran Christian pastors and widows of pastors, has just been launched by the Congregational and Christian churches of the United States and will run in this region until May 30. The quota of the Debt of Honor Campaign for the Northern New England region is \$555,000 and the Massachusetts quota is \$400,000. Rev. Newman Matthews, esteemed pastor-emeritus of the West church, is on the committee for this district.



Rev. Newman Matthews

Local committees of Congregational business and professional men in Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont are at work in every community where there are Congregational and Christian churches. This is called the Northern New England region and Rev.

Leon E. Grubaugh of Adams, Massachusetts, has been given six months' leave of absence from the First Congregational church of that city to act as director of the Northern New England region with headquarters at 14 Beacon street, Boston.

"The Debt of Honor Fund of a little over a million and a half dollars is being raised by the Congregational and Christian churches of America to complete the amount necessary for an annuity promised to some 1400 older ministers or their widows," explains Director Grubaugh. "The maximum of this annuity is only \$500 to a minister who has served the church thirty or more years, \$300 to his widow, and less for a shorter term of service. Of the funds needed 73 percent are in hand from income from payments made by the ministers themselves and from a fund raised by the church some years ago, known as the 'Pilgrim Memorial Fund.' These sources have provided more than expected.

"The remainder has been paid to date out of the Missionary funds, but this plan cannot longer be continued because of the great decrease in Missionary giving in recent years, while the amount required for these annuity payments has been rapidly increasing. It would work much greater hardship on Missionary pastors, teachers, schools, hospitals, etc., at a time when they are desperately pressed and sorely needed. Appeal, therefore, is being made directly to the churches throughout America this spring to pay this Debt of Honor to these older ministers, without further sacrifice of the Missionary cause."

Director Grubaugh further explained that this is a special group who stand in need of this Fund, these so-called original annuity members having joined the fund before 1922, when the plan was closed. All younger ministers are provided for in another plan, whereby their annuities are earned by payments made annually during their ministry.

Obituaries

George Chandler

George Curtis Chandler passed away last Saturday at his home in East Moriches, L. I., N. Y. He was born in Andover 56 years ago and was educated in the local schools, leaving here about 30 years ago. He leaves a wife, Louise.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, with burial following in Mt. Pleasant cemetery, Center Moriches, L. I.

Mrs. John West

Mrs. Agnes West passed away at her home, 84 Maple avenue, last Friday afternoon, having been stricken ill near her home a short time before. She was born in Franklin, N. H., nearly 64 years ago, the daughter of James Heape and Elizabeth Buchanan.

Besides her husband, John West, the well-known former baker, she leaves a brother, Andrew of Vermont.

Rev. Herman C. Johnson conducted funeral services at the late home on Monday afternoon, burial following in Spring Grove cemetery.

The bearers: Gayton Abbot, Leslie Christion, Dr. William Emmons and Stanley Swanton.

"When the judge ruicd Smith had to pay alimony, how did he feel about it?"

"Chagrined."

"And how did his wife feel about it?"

"She grinned."

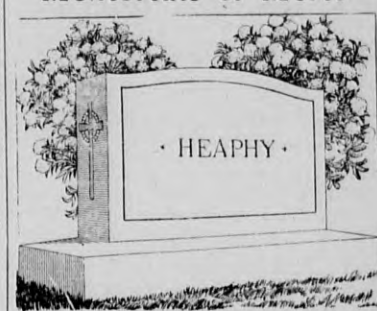
Courteous Circle to Admit Members

The Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters will meet Monday at the South church vestry. Miss Madeleine Hewes is chairman of the supper committee. She and her helpers will serve supper at 6.30 promptly.

The regular business meeting will be held at 7.30 which will be followed by an admission service.

The Circle is most fortunate to have as guests at this meeting the State officers, Mrs. Trull, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Smardon. Each will give a message which will be worth the hearing. An invitation is given to each member of the Circle to be present and share in the inspiration and help of the meeting.

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Junior High Notes

Attend International Friendship Luncheon

Sixteen pupils from the Junior High school attended the luncheon of the International Friendship League in Boston last Saturday. It was held at Gundlach's Bavarian restaurant on Stanhope street, where the waiters are equally proficient at serving and singing. An excellent

orchestra furnished music at intervals throughout the luncheon.

The toastmaster was Dr. Roy Lamson of Harvard and other speakers included the Assistant Supervisor of Education in Massachusetts and Miss Edna MacDonough, who is the Boston secretary for the Friendship League.

About 300 people attended the luncheon and it was voted to make it an annual affair. Miss MacDonough stated that she was most proud of the Andover group

which is one of the largest, if not the largest, to join. We did have the largest delegation present at the banquet and so had the honor of being the only school to be represented by its own speakers. Miss Glenna Markert and Frederick McDuffie gave very original and interesting talks on what the Friendship League has meant to us in Andover through the exchange of books, music, coins, and ideas.

About 90 Andover Junior High school pupils are actively interested in the League and have correspondents from every country in the world. At frequent intervals some of the best letters are read in English class. The entire correspondence is carried on in English and it is wonderful to see what an excellent command of our language these foreign students have. Some of them, especially the German boys, seem to possess a scholarly mastery of English.

Those who attended the luncheon on Saturday were Jean Davis, Helen Gahm, Kathleen Quill, Isabel Johnson, Nornie Johnson, Glenna Markert, Edith Dumnells, Janice Hyland, Marilyn Miller, Frank Rockwell, Ernest Lakin, Charles Sawyer, Russell Lord, Benjamin Cole, Vasco Nunez, Jr., and Frederick McDuffie.

The group was accompanied by Miss Dorothy Trott, under whose guidance this work in the Friendship League has been done.



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Chorus of School Girls:

Dorothy Barnett, Constance Boddy, Helen Renny, Catherine Craig, Barbara Ferrier, Jessie Ferrier, Dorothy Paine, Grace Stewart, Isobel White, Mildred Videto

Act I: Court of Ko-Ko's palace in Titipu. Nobles discovered standing and sitting in Japanese attitudes.

Act II: Ko-Ko's garden. Yum-Yum discovered seated at her bridal toilet, surrounded by Peep-Bo and Pitti-Sing and chorus of girls who are dressing her hair, and painting her face and lips.

Synopsis of musical numbers:

- Act I
1. If you want to know who we are
Chorus of Nobles
 2. A wandering minstrel
Nanki-Poo
 3. Young man, despair
Pooh-Bah and Nobles
 4. Behold the Lord High Executioner
Ko-Ko and Chorus
 5. I've got a little list
Ko-Ko and Chorus
 6. Three little maids from school
Yum-Yum, Pitti-Sing, Peep-Bo and Chorus of School Girls
 7. Finale
Ensemble
- Act II
8. Braid the raven hair
Chorus of Girls
 9. The sun whose rays
Yum-Yum
 10. Here's a pretty how-de-do
Yum-Yum, Ko-Ko, Nanki-Poo
 11. Miya Sama (entrance of Mikado and Katisha)
Chorus
 12. My object all sublime
Mikado and Chorus
 13. The flowers that bloom in the spring
Nanki-Poo, Ko-Ko, with Yum-Yum, Pitti-Sing and Pooh-Bah
 14. Tit-willow
Ko-Ko
 15. There is beauty, in the bellow of the blast
Katish and Ko-Ko
 16. Finale (For he's gone and married Yum-Yum)
Ensemble

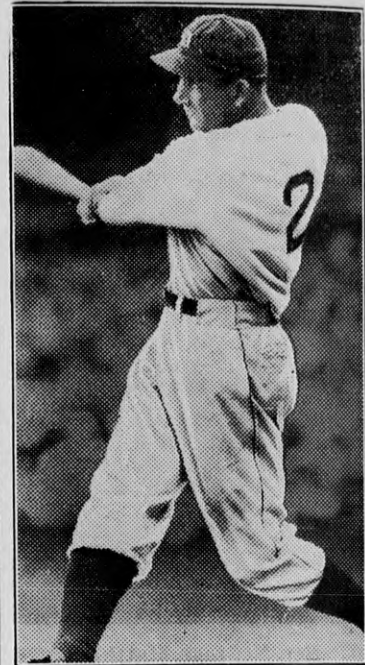
Special attention is asked to the change of time from 7.45 p.m. to 7.30, on the dates of both performances. The operetta will start promptly at 7.30, on account of the children.

Tickets are selling rapidly. They can be secured from any of the cast, or from Superintendent Mrs. Leslie Christison and Treasurer George Keith.

It has been estimated that in a day the average farmer walks twenty-six miles, a letter carrier twenty-two, policemen fourteen, boys fifteen, girls eleven and a half, and housewives eight.

To Show "Batter Up"

"Batter Up," the new 1938 baseball picture will be shown next Thursday evening at the meeting of the Square and Compass club. A large attendance is desired. Rowland Luce is in charge of the entertainment.



CHARLEY GEHRINGER, star second baseman of the Detroit Tigers, who not only was named the most valuable player in the league but achieved top batting honors as well, demonstrates his form at the plate in "Batter Up", the new official sound motion picture of the American League, which has been produced and is now being distributed by the Fisher Body division of General Motors.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS INITIATE CANDIDATES

Ten candidates were initiated at a banquet held by the local Catholic Daughters in the parochial school hall on Sunday afternoon, with 50 members being reinstated. Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., and Mrs. Lillian Murray, state regent, spoke.

A short entertainment was presented, consisting of a recitation by Norma Quinn, solo by George Levi, and reading by Mrs. Catherine Lane of Lawrence. The Levi boy was accompanied by Mrs. Henry Schultz.

Special guests seated at the head table in addition to the speakers were: Grand Regent Mrs. M. A. Burke, State Vice-Regent Mrs. Josephine Donnelly, State Lecturer Mrs. Catherine Madden, State Historian Mrs. Irene M. Hacknell, State Monitor Miss Mary Healey, District Deputy Mrs. Catherine Marcoux, Grand Regent of Court St. Joan of Arc of Lawrence Miss Minnie Hession, Grand Regent of Court St. Therese of Methuen Mrs. Kathryn Harty, and Grand Regent of Court Haverhill Miss Mary Ryan.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Town of Andover PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at the town house at 7 p.m. Friday, April 8, to act on the petition of Harold H. Henderson to maintain a roadside stand on River road.

BOARD OF APPEALS,
JAMES S. EASTHAM,
Chairman

Town of Andover MOTH DEPARTMENT

Bids will be received for a new power sprayer rated at twenty-five gallons a minute capacity with two hundred gallon 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, April 11, at 4.30 p.m.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Signed, GEORGE R. ABBOTT
Moth Superintendent

April 1, 1938

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Bids will be received for a supply of Arsenate of Lead (State Standard) in 4-lb. bags in amounts up to 6000 lbs. delivered to the Moth Department.

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Signed, GEORGE R. ABBOTT
Moth Superintendent

April 1, 1938

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

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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)

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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)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Agnes Heape West, otherwise known as Agnes H. West, late of Andover in said County, (wife of John P. West), deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by John P. West of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof 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 Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of April 1938, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(1-8-15)

LOST

Andover Savings Bank

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

Payment has been stopped.
Book No. 36886.

LOUIS S. FINGER,
Treasurer

March 18, 1938

Andover National Bank

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

Payment has been stopped.
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CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier
April 1, 1938

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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 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 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 20 degrees west 8 rods, thence north 70 degrees east 13 rods to said road, the last seven courses being by land of said George

LEGAL NOTICES

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)

BOSTON MUTUAL LIFE REPORT

Substantial gains for the Boston Mutual Life Insurance Company during 1937 are reported by President Jay R. Benton in the Company's 38th annual statement to the policyholders, advertised in today's Townsman.

On December 31, the number of policyholders was 261,974, a gain of 8,594 for the year. The insurance-in-force increased \$3,721,428, bringing the total amount in force to \$83,078,530. The total admitted assets stood at \$12,618,076.63, having increased during the year \$654,852.74.

The principal items are bonds, notes and stocks \$7,570,771.68, which sum includes obligations of the United States \$2,581,340.97; bonds of States, Cities and Towns, \$425,186.62; Canadian Municipal bonds, \$131,387.94; Public Utility bonds, \$2,562,537.25; Railroad bonds, \$1,298,595.90; Miscellaneous Bonds and Notes, \$390,827.50; and Common and Preferred Stocks, \$180,895.50.

Real estate mortgages amounted to \$1,499,725.09; Cash in Banks and Office, \$437,615.28; Interest and Rents due and accrued, \$126,404.77; Loans on Company's policies, \$1,220,187.74; Home Office and Other Real Estate, \$1,756,316.53; Premiums due and deferred, \$294,312.51.

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Local Pythians Install Officers

Robert O'Hara was installed as chancellor commander of Garfield lodge, Knights of Pythias, on Monday evening by Sheriff Frank B. Raymond and staff. Past Grand Chancellor and Mrs. Herbert Brimmer of Lawrence were guests, as were the members of the local Pythian Sisters. Refreshments were served after the installation and general dancing was enjoyed.

Other officers installed were: vice chancellor, Ralph T. Berry; prelate, James C. Souter; keeper of records and seals, Thomas B. Gorrie; keeper of the exchequer, Thomas W. Neil; master of work, George T. Cilley; master at arms, William A. Stevens; master of finance, Jesse E. West; inner guard, Dr. Henry Doerr; and outer guard, Hugh Steed.

To Address League on Japan Problem

Mrs. Anton de Haas, who has recently returned from Japan will speak on "Japan's International Problem" at the next meeting of the League of Women Voters, Tuesday, April 5, at three o'clock at the November clubhouse.

The department of Government and Foreign Policy is entertaining Mrs. de Haas at luncheon at Fieldstones before the meeting.

MORE ASSISTING IN B. U. CAMPAIGN

New volunteers have been enlisted to serve with the Boston University alumni already at work in Andover, in behalf of the current campaign to raise \$1,150,000 for the construction of the new home for the College of Business Administration. These former students of the college will

Work of John Sloan in Gallery Exhibit

The major spring exhibition at the Addison Gallery of American Art, Phillips academy, is an important one in the field of American Art—a retrospective exhibition of the work of John Sloan. This exhibition is somewhat unique in that the selection of the pictures and the writing of the catalogue has been left almost entirely to the artist. It is not often that an artist is allowed an opportunity to pass critical judgment in print on his own work, but in the Andover exhibition, John Sloan has written a comment on each picture, and in the foreword to the catalogue sets forth his own creed and experience as an artist.

In the early part of this century, Sloan's work was considered revolutionary—mainly because he departed from the prevailing custom of 19th century painters—i.e., in painting the beauties of landscapes and turned to the life about him in New York City. In his early pictures, he treats such themes as "Chinese Restaurant" and "McSorley's Back Room" of which he writes:

"The back room (of McSorley's Bar) was like a sacristy. Here old John McSorley would sit greeting old friends and philosophizing. Women were never served, indeed the dingy walls and woodwork looked as if women had set neither hand nor foot in the place."

One of the most delightful pictures of this period is "Roof Gossips" which combines Sloan's gift for anecdote with excellent composition and color harmony. "Backyards, Greenwich Village" which

join with the coordinated effort of more than 1,500 others throughout New England to provide funds for the first building which will be erected on the University's Charles River campus.

Among the latest group of College of

has been lent to the Andover exhibition by the Whitney Museum of American Art, New York is also one of the best paintings of this period.

In Sloan's work from 1928 to the present time we find an abrupt change, and over this change considerable controversy has taken place. Sloan appears to have abandoned his earlier interest in the life of the city and is absorbed in a new technique. The later pictures are in the main studies of nudes in which a kind of cross-hatching is used to form "the colour-shell which embraces the shape beneath." To many visitors to the Addison Gallery exhibition the earlier works will be preferred, but one cannot help but admire the artist's refusal to remain static in his work but to continue to experiment and develop. Of his later work he says:

"I find myself naturally more enthusiastic over the efforts of the last ten years. The creative artist will never find many who care to follow in his line of progress. That tiny group which composes the art public, having at first scorned his works of past decades, have finally accepted them, and they would have him spend his energy in producing more of these now acceptable commodities. The painter who has placed his intelligence in command of his actions must always find himself at least a decade ahead of contemporary judgment."

The exhibition opens formally on April 2nd and will continue through May 18th, but a pre-view will be held on Friday evening from 7.30 to 9.30 to which the public is invited.

Business Administration volunteer campaign workers in Andover are Francis Poole, Jr., of 6 Sutherland street, Shawsheen and Walter C. Caswell of 25 Enmore street, Shawsheen.

POLL TAX BILLS MAILED OUT

The annual poll tax bills were sent to the post office yesterday afternoon by the new collector, James P. Christie, and were due to arrive in Andover's homes today. Thirty days are given in which to pay the two dollar tax.

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Tonight, Clan installation; Monday, Rebekahs visitation, Shawsheen Woman's club Press Night, November club; Tuesday, Garden club; Wednesday, Mothers' club, Odd Fellows, Sons of Veterans auxiliary; Thursday, Square and Compass club, Thimble club, Clan auxiliary installation, Legion.

Senior Class Play Tonight

"Twelfth Night," a hilarious comedy by William Shakespeare, is to be presented by the seniors of the Punchard high school at eight o'clock in the Memorial auditorium this evening. This play, under the capable direction of Mervin E. Stevens, has Alice Carmichael in the role of Maria, gentlewoman to the Countess Olivia played by Elinor Bishop. Miss Bishop, who is active in class affairs, shows remarkable possibilities as she plays this role with a finish rarely found in amateur production.

One of the leading roles will be capably acted by Miss Virginia Batcheller, who will take the part of Viola. Miss Batcheller has had dramatic experience in church and The King's Daughters' social affairs.

Barbara Smith and Ruth Napier are cast as Ladies-in-Waiting to Olivia. These two girls who are active in school affairs have had previous experience in minstrel shows and church plays. Although they have only minor parts, the way in which they execute them adds to the atmosphere and color of the play.

The cast:

Osino, duke of Illyria	John Noyes
Sebastian, brother to Viola	Foster Zink
Antonio, a sea captain, friend to Sebastian	Alfred Miller
A Sea Captain, friend to Viola	Roger Davideit
Valentine } gentlemen attend-	Clarence Coupe
Curio } ing on the Duke	Harold Walker
Sir Toby Belch, uncle to Olivia	Robert Bissett
Sir Andrew Aguecheek	John Thomas
Malvolio, steward to Olivia	William Hannan
Fabian } servants to	Richard Sutton
Feste, a clown } Olivia	Robert Crosby
Olivia, a rich countess	Eleanor Bishop
Viola	Virginia Batcheller
Maria, Olivia's woman	Alice Carmichael
First Sailor	Alex Blamire
Second Sailor	Walter Pike
First Officer	Alex Blamire
Second Officer	Walter Pike
First Gentleman } attending Mitchell Johnson	
Second Gentleman } on the Duke James Goodwin	
First Lady in waiting	Barbara Smith
(attending on Olivia)	
Second Lady in waiting	Ruth Napier

MALE CHOIR PLANS ANNUAL CONCERT

The annual concert of the Andover Male Choir is to be held in the Memorial auditorium on May 20. Taking part in addition to the local group will be the Men's Singing Club, Inc., of Beverly, also directed by J. Everett Collins; the auditorium choir of Haverhill and the Anchor and Ark Glee club of Maynard.

FREE PARKING ANDOVER TEL. 11-W PLAYHOUSE

MATINEES, 2:15 - EVENINGS, 7:30

TODAY and TOMORROW
Saturday Continuous show

DR. SYN—George Arliss	Fri. 4:00; 9:15
	Sat. 2:25; 5:20; 8:15
SEZ O'REILLY TO McNAB—Will Fyffe and Will Mahoney	Fri. 2:25; 7:40
	Sat. 3:40; 6:35; 9:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY—April 3-4
Sunday continuous show

SLIGHT CASE OF MURDER—Edward G. Robinson and Jane Brian	Sun. 3:35; 6:25; 9:15
	Mon. 3:40; 9:00
MAN PROOF—Myrna Loy and Franchot Tone	Sun. 2:25; 5:15; 8:05
	Mon. 2:25; 7:40

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—April 5-6-7
Wednesday continuous show

GOLDWYN FOLLIES—Charlie McCarthy, Ritz Bros. and Adolph Menjou	T.-Th. 3:35; 8:50
	Wed. 2:25; 5:35; 8:45
FIGHT FOR YOUR LADY—John Boles and Ida Lupino	T.-Th. 2:25; 7:40
	Wed. 4:15; 7:25

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—April 8-9
Saturday continuous show

SALLY, IRENE AND MARY—Alice Faye and Fred Allen	Fri. 3:50; 9:05
	Sat. 3:40; 6:35; 9:30
KING SOLOMON'S MINES—Roland Young	Fri. 2:25; 7:50
	Sat. 2:25; 5:20; 8:15

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