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To Hold Special Meeting April 20

Selectmen Grant Petition—Three Articles Included in Warrant

The selectmen Monday evening voted to call a special town meeting to be held the evening of April 20, at 7.30, in the Memorial auditorium to reconsider the Elm street reconstruction project and the sidewalk job, involving town appropriations of \$4500 and \$1700 respectively. Both were turned down at the annual town meeting less than a month ago, but a petition for a special town meeting was filed by over 100 bona fide voters.

There will be three articles, the above two and a third to take up any other matters which may legally come before the meeting. The complete warrant is published in the Townsman legal advertising section this week.

School Committee to Save \$2300

The school committee will be able to cut its annual budget \$2300-\$2500 hereafter as a result of action taken on the transportation item Tuesday night by virtue of which a new school bus would replace the present railroad and railway costs. Superintendent Henry C. Sanborn has been studying the problem since a suggestion was made at a February meeting to the effect that a new bus might mean a saving.

A sum of \$4000 had been allowed for street railway transportation and \$2000 for the railroad, taking care mainly of children from Shawsheen, South Main street and the Vale. It was suggested in February that the present bus routes might be rearranged and a new one added to materially reduce the \$6000 cost.

Mr. Johnson's routes would remain as they now are, but some changes were made in Mr. Wright's schedule. Mr. Johnson would travel 85 miles per day, Mr. Wright 76 miles and the new bus 68 miles. It is proposed however to specify a bus three feet longer than the present buses, accommodating 70 children. The bus drivers are paid on a basis of \$3350 per year for the first 75 miles per day, with 15 cents per mile per day being allowed for extra mileage. This figure includes the bus-owner's investment, operating costs and wages. This \$3350 for the new driver would almost entirely replace the \$6000 now paid the railroad and the railway.

The board voted approval of the suggestion, and every endeavor will be made to have the new bus placed in operation this spring if possible.

RED CROSS NURSE HOURS

The Red Cross nurse, Miss Marie Campbell, will be in the Red Cross room at the Guild every week day afternoon, except Wednesday, from 1.30 to 2.30. Anyone who desires to get in touch with her may call the Guild, Andover 554, or may see her there at this time.

Passion Play at Baptist Church

The "Passion Play," a moving picture version of the life and passion of Christ, will be shown in the Baptist church Wednesday night at 7.30. The play comes to Andover highly recommended by The Edited Pictures Corporation of New York. The company making the film has been chosen out of several of the best groups to present religious drama in this country. Such a picture will no doubt be received as being highly appropriate for showing during Holy Week. No tickets are being sold, but a free-will offering will be received to cover the expenses. The public is invited.

B. P. W. Launches Efficiency Moves

Several improvements in a desire for more economical operation of the public works department have been put into effect recently by the Board of Public Works. Included among the changes are an inventory system on tools and other equipment so that the tools won't disappear as they often do in municipal departments, and a more close check-up on the workers themselves.

The board has received bids on the new motor vehicles but has come to no decision as yet, wishing to examine the various cars first. This will be done Wednesday evening.

FOOD DEMONSTRATION

A food demonstration was held last night by the Baptist church Philathea class at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Thompson of Gould road. Refreshments were served.

Selectmen Make Annual Appointments

The selectmen on Monday evening made their annual appointments, with changes being few. Edward Lefebvre was named to the Pumps pond committee to take the place of the late chairman William Crowley. A number of special officers were dropped from the list.

The appointments follow:
William C. Brown, town hall janitor, weigher in charge of public scales, deputy sealer of weights and measures; Bertha W. Thornton, infirmary matron; Robert Y. Cairnie, keeper of the dump; Arthur Sweeney, town counsel; Dr. John J. Hartigan, town physician; James L. Smith, civil constable; William J. Young, wire inspector; John J. Driscoll, building inspector; John W. Stark, board of registrars for three years; Francis P. Markey, burial agent; Herbert H. Lyle, dog officer; Sidney P. White, animal inspector; George R. Abbott, moth superintendent; Roy E. Hardy, board of appeals for three years; Edmond E. Hammond, board of retirement for three years;
Pumps pond committee: George G. Brown, Robert V. Deyermund, Edward Lefebvre.

Choose Barnard Prize Speakers

Six seniors, one junior and one sophomore have been chosen to compete in the annual Barnard Prize speaking contest to be held April 22 at the Memorial auditorium.

The subjects and the speakers were announced by Principal Nathan C. Hamblin Monday as follows:

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| Aurora Borealis | Dorothy Babb '38 |
| A Sojourn in the Woods | Phyllis Burridge '38 |
| Health Heroes | William Hannan '38 |
| What Price Speed | Clarence Coop '38 |
| Formal Gardens | Joanne O'Riordan '40 |
| Products Made by Chemical Synthesis | |
| | Valerie Simmers '38 |
| Louis Pasteur-Humanitarian | Doris Welsh '38 |
| Tramping with a Camera | Philip Wormwood '39 |

It was announced yesterday that Ralph Lakin will be unable to deliver his essay. Clarence Coop, another senior, whose essay, "What Price Speed," was considered the next best among those read by the judges, will take Ralph's place.

Award Annual Fuel Contracts

Cross coal company was awarded the annual town coal contract at a meeting of a group of town officials Wednesday evening. The prices were all the lowest bids except for the pumping station coal where a Lawrence dealer quoted five cents a ton lower.

For the central schools the price was \$5.94 per ton, for the other town buildings and the Indian Ridge and Shawsheen schools \$6.29 and for the pumping station \$6.16.

Tuesday evening the school committee went on record as being in favor of giving utmost consideration to Andover dealers.

Announce High School Honors

Virginia Batcheller Leads by Three Points—Three Boys Included

Miss Virginia Batcheller, with an average of 93.05, has been chosen valedictorian of the Punched senior class, principal Nathan C. Hamblin announced today. The salutatorian will be William Hannan, with 90.76.

Robert Bisset with 87.38 will deliver the first honor essay and Ralph Lakin with 86.94 the second honor essay.

It is rather unusual to have three boys in the honor parts. Both Bisset and Lakin were prominent backfield men on the football team.

Repeat "Mikado" Success Tonight

On Wednesday evening the Free church Sunday school presented the first performance of the Gilbert and Sullivan popular light opera, "The Mikado." A second performance will be presented at 7.30 tonight when a capacity audience is expected after Wednesday night's success.

Much credit is due the various members of the cast, beautifully costumed in Japanese raiment thanks to the generous labors of Mrs. Geoffrey Nicoll who was also responsible for the scenic effects, dragons, cherry trees and so forth. The program was further enhanced by James Gillespie at the piano in a duet overture with Mrs. H. Allison Morse and also a Mikado medley during the intermission.

The excellent musical direction of Mrs. Morse and the dramatic coaching of Mrs. William Edwards was largely responsible for the admirable performance and the committee anticipates a much larger audience tonight to see the charming Yum-Yum, the romantic Nanki-Poo, the formidable executioner, the ever-adaptable Lord High Everything Else and the impressive Mikado.

Those who have neglected to buy tickets in advance may pay at the door.

Harvard Club to Meet Thursday

Raymond Dennett, Phillips academy 1932, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Harvard club of Andover to be held next Thursday evening at Peabody House. Academy and high school students planning to go to Harvard are to be special guests of the evening.

Mr. Dennett, whose father was former president of Williams college, graduated from Harvard in 1936, being prominent in the activities of the Phillips Brooks House in his last two years. He is now graduate secretary of the house.

There will probably also be a coach of one of the Harvard teams present as a speaker.

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This Sober Town

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

Drawing Class

"Don't draw your own name," was the advice given moderator Fred Butler by Dr. Nathaniel Stowers as Fred arose to draw the principal prize-winner at the P.T.A. card party last week.

The county commissioner proceeded to draw out a slip of paper, and then the name of the winner was read aloud: "Dr. Nathaniel Stowers."

Easy Problem

The answer to the problem that ran in last week's Townsman is that there were twice as many of one sex in the theatre as there were of the other.

We found a very, very easy way of solving it, since we had forgotten practically all we knew of algebra. We did manage to concoct an equation that had possibilities, but then we became all tangled up. So we finally hit on an excellent way of working it out. We made a few queries and found that the question had been given to a high school group preparing for college by one of the high school teachers. Then the rest was easy; all we had to do was call up the teacher and ask her how to work it.

There are two answers: either there are twice as many men as there are women or there are twice as many women as there are men. Both are correct. You can't separate the two—but after all, it's a theatre, isn't it?

When you know a thing, to hold that you know it; and when you do not know a thing, to allow that you do not know it; this is knowledge.—Confucius.

Clan Auxiliary Installs Officers

The annual installation of officers of the Clan auxiliary was held last night in Fraternal hall, with the Clansmen being invited guests. Jane Linnen and her installing suite of Quincy were in charge. Gifts were presented to the retiring president, Mrs. John Thomson, and to the installing group.

A supper was served, with the following committee in charge: Mrs. Ann Driscoll, chairman; Mrs. John Thomson, Miss Ina Petrie, Mrs. Jean Wood, Mrs. Merrill Watts and Mrs. Frederick Scott.

The officers installed were: president, Mrs. Ann Driscoll; vice-president, Mrs. Merrill Watt; chaplain, Mrs. Archibald Davidson; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas B. Gorrie; financial secretary, Miss Edna Anderson; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Grant; conductor, Mrs. Ann Renny; assistant conductor, Mrs. Jean Wood; guard, Mrs. William Cargill; sentinel, Ella Petrie; American flag bearer, Louise Keith; Scottish standard bearer, Ina Petrie; pianist, Nan Lindsay; and trustee for three years, Mrs. John Thomson, retiring president.

Legion Junior Players Feted

The boys of last year's Legion Junior baseball team were tendered a banquet at the Memorial auditorium cafeteria on Monday evening, with each player being presented with engraved eversharp pencils. John Cussen and Edward Lefebvre, umpires, also received pencils, with James F. Welch, the 1937 coach and manager, making the presentations.

The boys present were: William Ander-

son, Joseph Barrett, Harold Bishop, Robert Bisset, Edward Brucato, Robert Burnham, John Collins, Warren Deyermund, Douglas Howe, Walker Lindsay, John Noyes, Robert Proctor, Wilbur Sanborn, Donald Spinney, Harold Walker and Alfred White.

Tom Whelan, director of athletics at English high and a familiar figure as an umpire on local diamonds, was the guest speaker, and he told of many of the interesting figures he had met in his baseball work. With him was Jimmie Hegan, catcher-captain of the national champion East Lynn post, whom Tom as a Cleveland Indian scout is sending to the major league outfit at the close of school. County athletic officer Arthur L. Coleman, a boyhood playmate of Whelan's, introduced the speaker, and he also spoke of the growth of interest in Legion junior baseball.

Other speakers included high school coach Eugene V. Lovely, commander Stafford A. Lindsay and James E. Greeley, one of the team's sponsors.

In addition to the above-named guests the following Legionnaires, several of them members of the committee sponsoring the affair, sat at the head table: James Sparks, Herman Hilton, Harold L. Peters, James H. Hilton, Watson Leitch, Joseph T. Remmes, Joseph A. McCarthy and George Napier.

MORE HOPE FOR DR. WALKER THIS MORNING

Dr. W. Dacre Walker, who has been critically ill at a Boston hospital the past few days, was reported as being slightly better this morning, although it will be a few days before the crisis is passed. The esteemed physician has double pneumonia with the added complication of an infection of the blood-stream. Yesterday he was given little chance for recovery, but this morning more hope was expressed.

NOVEMBER CLUB DRAMATIC DEPARTMENT MEETS

The Dramatic department of the November club held its annual meeting at the Phillips log cabin last Friday. A short dramatized ballad and the play "The Romancers" were given as entertainment. Mrs. Foster Barnard presided at the business meeting, and the department chose the following committee to take charge of its program for next year: Miss Evelyn Rumney and Miss Dorothy Trott, co-chairmen, with Miss Mary Bell and Mrs. Myron Gutterson to assist them. Delicious refreshments were served following this meeting.

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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.)

FRIDAY, April 8—Punchard Sophomore Hop, Memorial Gymnasium.
SATURDAY, April 16, Joint concert, Abbot academy and Governor Dummer.
SUNDAY, April 17, Easter pageant, Margaret Slattery class, Free church.
WEDNESDAY, April 20, special town meeting, Memorial auditorium.
FRIDAY, April 22, Punchard high Barnard prize speaking, Memorial auditorium.
FRIDAY, April 22, Philathea class play at Baptist church.
SATURDAY, April 23, Baked Bean supper, Junior Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters, South church.
TUESDAY, April 26, "Duley," Adventurers play, Memorial Auditorium.
FRIDAY, April 29, "Miss Andover" dance, Legion, Crystal ballroom.
FRIDAY, May 6, Girls' Friendly society play, "Take a Chance," Christ church parish house.
FRIDAY, May 13, Lincoln Spelling matches.
FRIDAY, May 20, Andover Male Choir joint concert, Memorial auditorium.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, May 26, 27, "Huckleberry Finn", Junior High play at Memorial Auditorium.

Dramatic Critic Addresses Club

John Mason Brown, dramatic critic, gave a very interesting talk on "Broadway in Review" at the annual guest night of the November club held Monday night.

Mr. Brown, who is also an author and lecturer, pleased the enthusiastic audience with his witty and caustic comments on the season's plays and players. His hour and a quarter of vivid discussion was both entertaining and instructive.

The annual business meeting of the club year will be held Monday afternoon, April 11 at three.

Refreshments were served by the following committee: Mrs. Howell F. Shepard, chairman; Mrs. Frederick W. H. Stott, Mrs. Henry J. Stevenson, Miss Ethel H. Tewksbury, Mrs. Colver J. Stone, Mrs. Kirk Temple, Miss Esther W. Smith, Miss Mary Byers Smith, Mrs. Augustus P. Thompson, Mrs. Flora M. Temple, Mrs. John M. Stewart, Mrs. J. Eldredge Smith, Mrs. Arthur Sweeney and Miss Mary L. Smith.

V. F. W. TO ELECT

The local post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet to elect officers next Friday evening. The annual poppy day will be held May 28.



Most parents whose children have reached the age of adolescence consider the health hazards of childhood safely past. But beneath the radiant loveliness of "sweet sixteen" profound changes are taking place. The young mind and body are awakening to a new and vital conception of life.

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Miss Hilda Wood Lynde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Lynde of 195 yonain street, became the bride of Mr. Donald Penniman Wylie of Upper Montclair, N. J., son of the late John Wylie, and Mrs. Wylie of Lynnfield, at a ceremony which took place last Saturday at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. A. Aham Baldwin, school minister, officiated. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Carl Pfatteicher, director of the academy, played the wedding

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Holds Annual Breakfast

The annual Holy Name society breakfast was held last Sunday morning at the parochial school hall after the 8.15 mass at which nearly 200 men received communion in a body. The Knights of Columbus and the Hibernians also took part.

The principal address was given by Edward J. Martin of Lowell, who was first president of the Holy Name society at the United States Naval academy at Annapolis. He gave an interesting talk on life at Annapolis, and then went on to talk about the navy today. He described the difficulties of an air attack by bombers on this country, since the bombers' cruising radius is limited.

Jeremiah J. Twomey of Shawsheen village, past state commander of the Legion, spoke on patriotism. Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., expressed his pleasure at the excellent turnout of men at commun-

Page of Andover, Miss Barbara Wood of Philadelphia and Miss Margaret Slade of Fall River. Schuyler Paterson of New York was best man.

A reception was held following the wedding. The couple will make their home in East Orange, N. J.

The bride was graduated from Abbot academy in 1932 and Vassar in 1936. Mr. Wylie graduated from Phillips academy in 1923, Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1927, Harvard Business school in 1930 and he received his degree of doctor of laws at New York university in 1936. He is at present connected with the New York Telephone company.

ion and at the breakfast. The toastmaster was William A. Harnedy.

There were two musical renditions, "The One Rose," by Charles O'Neill and "The Old Shillalah" by Martin Darby, with William Burbine at the piano.

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Plans Formulated by Mothers' Club

Plans for various coming events were made Wednesday at the Mothers' club meeting. A matinee whist is to be held on Tuesday, April 26, at the home of Mrs. Thomas Platt on Bancroft road, with the following committee in charge: Mrs. William Coupe, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. James Feeney, Mrs. Alex Crockett, Mrs. Paul Simeone and Mrs. Austin Hastings.

A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Feeney in May, and an evening whist will also be held in May, both at dates to be announced later.

The directors will meet on April 28 at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Collins, with Mrs. Aubrey Polgreen and Mrs. Asa Stocks as hostesses. The next meeting, to

be held on the second Wednesday in May, will include a Mothers' day program in the form of a roll-call.

Tea was served Wednesday by Mrs. Feeney, Mrs. Percy J. Dole and Mrs. Thomas Brucato.

Truck Rerouting Meeting Tuesday

A meeting on the trucking situation will be held in the town hall next Tuesday evening, the board of selectmen having invited 21 trucking concerns to send representatives. It is hoped that co-operation will be given by the concerns in an endeavor to minimize the traffic problem through the center of the town, especially during the race-track season at Rockingham.



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Let Industry Hire Men Five years of the New Deal, and where are we? Five years of drastic changes, unlimited spending, concentration of power—just what has it all amounted to? The answer is all around us today: the United States in the grip of another depression, with ten million unemployed and industry unable to put them back to work.

There is one very important difference between the so-called Hoover Depression and the present Roosevelt Depression. Back in 1931 the economic depression was world-wide; today it is confined to the United States. The cause then of the present situation must be found within this country of ours, and an examination of just what has been done in the past five years will show where the trouble lies and what must be done to rectify the situation.

The United States has been up and down, economically speaking, twice since President Roosevelt first took office in 1933. In the first four months of his administration during which he adhered to the pledges made by his party in the pre-election campaign the country made a truly remarkable recovery. Industrial production rose 67 percent in those four months, inspired by a new confidence based on a truly sincere spirit of co-operation between government, business and labor. But then the change began. The President, apparently intoxicated by success, with a wonderful opportunity to become truly great, veered off on another tack which was very much at odds with the party's campaign pledges. It involved wild spending, money machinations and the centralizing of power. Whereas the party had promised to cut routing governmental expenditures twenty-five percent, the President now went on a spending orgy that plunged the nation deep into debt as even the annual governmental operating expenditures went far over the annual income. Whereas the pledge had been made to reduce taxes, the President started to increase present taxes and find new means of taking money from the business-man and from the wage-earner.

The drop in business activity came shortly after this sudden change in policy. Four months later the recovery index which had jumped from 60 to 100 was back at 73, and it kept on dropping. The year 1936 and early 1937 saw an artificial gain that finally collapsed, and today the country is no better off than it was when the President took office back in 1933. In fact Essex county today is far worse off than it was then.

The United States could again make the recovery that it made in the first four months of the Roosevelt regime if the President would return to the policies which were in force at that time. And that recovery would be a long-lasting one, not just an artificial peak similar to last year's. The 1933 rise was based on co-operation among government, industry and labor; the 1937 collapse came because that co-operation had been displaced by belligerency fostered and encouraged by the administration.

When the President of our country returns to his senses sufficiently long enough to realize that the United States was made into the world's most prosperous nation because its industrialists were given the right to build their industries on investments made secure by a stable business-like government, we will again return to the days of 1927 and 1928 when industry was allowed to employ men. By "sitting on" big and little business the way he has been doing for the past few



years, the President has in effect prevented businessmen from hiring men, from keeping them at work. By spending wildly he has made exorbitant taxation necessary, and every cent that industry has had to put into taxation has been a cent taken away from the wage-earner.

Government, industry and labor can go hand-in-hand on to a new prosperity if the present crazy policies are dropped. If President Roosevelt would announce that he intends to give business a permanent "breathing spell," and if he would follow up his announcement by returning to the policies of early 1933, he would be taking a step that would do much more toward eliminating unemployment than all the superficial, artificial stimuli that he has been experimenting with in the last four years.

Siftings

The President is proposing more pump-priming. What we need is not a new pump, not more priming, but a new primer.

The telegraph wires evidently got the wires all crossed up on the reorganization bill.

April 20 is the night after Patriots' day, in case you were thinking of shirking your duty by not going to the special town meeting.

Obituaries

Mrs. John J. Greely

Mrs. Helen A. Greely of 12 Quinoy street, Medford, passed away last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clinton F. Rian on 14 Binney street. She had been visiting here for about two weeks.

Mrs. Greely was born in East Boston 42 years ago, the daughter of James Byrne and Margaret Walsh Byrne.

Besides her husband and Mrs. Rian she leaves a younger daughter, Marilyn Greely.

The funeral was held from the late home in Medford on Monday with a solemn high mass at ten o'clock at St.

Raphael's church, conducted by an uncle of Mrs. Greely's, Father James Walsh of Bedford.

Burial services were held in Holy Cross cemetery in Malden.

Thomas Morton

Thomas Morton of 41 Elm street passed away at the Lawrence General hospital on Tuesday evening after a short illness. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, 62 years ago, but had lived in Andover for a number of years. His fraternal affiliations included Clan Johnston, St. Matthew's lodge, and the British War veterans.

He leaves his wife, Margaret; a daughter, Mary of this town; and three sons, James H. of Ballardvale, Thomas, Jr., of Philadelphia and John of Buffalo, N. Y.

Funeral services were held from the late home this afternoon, with burial following in Spring Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Howard

Mrs. Margaret Howard, 84, a long-time resident of Andover, passed away on Wednesday after a four months' illness. She was the widow of Henry Howard.

Mrs. Howard was a member of the local Sons of Veterans auxiliary.

Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Mary White of Somerville, and a nephew, John Donovan of Newton.

Funeral services were held from the M. A. Burke Funeral home this morning with a high mass of requiem being offered at St. Augustine's church.

James F. McCauley

James F. McCauley of 54 Balmoral street passed away on Wednesday morning at the Lawrence General hospital after a month's illness. A native of Lawrence he had resided in this section all his life, having for the past seventeen years been employed as a steamfitter at the Shawsheen mills. He was a member of the Lawrence Knights of Columbus.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary J. (Rolls) McCauley; a daughter, Mrs. Florence Smith of New York; and a sister, Mrs. Mary Fraser of Brighton.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow with a solemn high mass of requiem at St. Augustine's church at 9.30. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

APRIL SHOWERS

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Fifty Years Ago

A private note written to a friend by Miss M. H. Dow, formerly partner with Miss Neal in the millinery business, but now doing an excellent business in Warren, Mass., says: "Call on me next Friday and I will astonish you by a magnificent display of New York styles in Spring millinery. Wear your blue glasses, for the sight will be dazzling."

E. Stuart Jenkins is attending the Bryant and Stratton Commercial college at Boston.

Mr. Frank Phelps purchased a fine pair of Canada horses last week.

George S. Cole suffered a severe sprain of his ankle on Monday and will be tied to a cane for several days.

Chief of Police Cheever has been assigned an office in the town house—the north ante-room, over the post office.

William Spark who has been working for the last year on the town farm is to work for Joseph W. Smith during the summer.

Twenty-five Years Ago

Another change of hands in the Main street stores occurred this week when Mike Francis sold his shoe store to William A. Allen. The new owner is planning to open a music store, where he will maintain his agency for the Victrola machine. Mr. Francis expects to vacate in a week's time.

James G. Anderson of Dartmouth college has been spending his vacation at the home of his parents on Chestnut street.

Carpenters are tearing down the old Seminary barn on Morton street.

Dan Hilton has bought the last house lot on the east side of Wolcott avenue.

Miss Alice Temple has been spending a few days at her home on Highland road.

John V. Holt's new house on Bartlett street is nearly ready for occupancy.

Ten Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, Jr., returned home Monday after several weeks in Bermuda.

Mrs. Laura Juhlman, clerk at the office of the Board of Public Works, is ill at her home in Ballardvale.

Martin Sawyer of Maple avenue in J. returned to his home after submitting an operation at the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston.

Miss Mary E. Bancroft of Andover is at Grace Dodge hotel in Washington. Witley her is Mrs. William J. Long of Stamford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hardin occupying their new home on W. street.

Births

A daughter, Josephine, to Mr. Mrs. Charles Padova, 22 Webster street, March 30.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Loris D. Stefani of 41 Red Spring road at the Lawrence General hospital Saturday.

A son, Charles, Jr., Monday, April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neil of 84 Haverhill street, Shawsheen. Mrs. O'Neil was formerly Leda Houle.

A daughter, Patricia Ann, on March 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Durland of San Francisco, California. Mrs. Durland was formerly Mary Lillian Cole of Andover.

Engagements Announced

Mrs. Melina Towne of Nutter road, North Reading, has announced the engagement of her daughter Rose, to George Lyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lyle of Andover.

This afternoon coincided with the Newman Mass Parish church. Donald Savary in the West council will next evening. Rev. Wheaton coll evening. Past will be guest church and fr dially invited.

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To Install New
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This afternoon and evening the exer-
cises coincident with the dismissal of Rev.
Newman Matthews as pastor of the West
Parish church and the installation of Rev.
Donald Savage as pastor will be observed
in the West church. The ecclesiastical
council will meet at three o'clock and the
installation will be at seven o'clock in the
evening. Rev. J. Edgar Park, president of
Wheaton college, will be the speaker of the
evening. Pastors of many other churches
will be guests. Members of the West
church and friends of the Parish are cor-
dially invited to be present.

The program follows:
Organ Prelude—"Preghiera"
The Prayer of Invocation
The Reverend Newman Matthews
Hymn No. 74
The Report of the Council
The Moderator
Anthem—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"
The Scripture Lesson
The Reverend Frederick B. Noss
The Sermon
The Reverend John Edgar Park, D.D.
Baritone Solo—"The Lord's Prayer"
The Reverend Frederic Waldo Savage
The Prayer of Installation
The Reverend Ralph M. Timberlake
Hymn No. 327
The Charge to the Minister
The Reverend Frederick W. Alden
The Charge to the People
The Reverend Clinton W. Carvell
The Right Hand of Fellowship
The Reverend Egbert W. A. Jenkinson
Hymn No. 352
The Benediction
The Reverend Donald H. Savage
Organ Postlude—"Nun danket alle Gott"

Discuss Plans for
May Breakfast

Preliminary plans for the May Break-
fast were discussed on Wednesday evening
at a joint meeting of the Sons of Veterans
auxiliary and the Legion auxiliary May
Breakfast committee held at the home of
Mrs. William H. Navin. Another meeting
will be held Easter Sunday in the Legion
halls.
Next week a group of Sons of Veterans
auxiliary members will attend the annual
day encampment in Boston at the
yford starting Tuesday. Planning to
participate are president Mrs. Henry S.
Keating, Mrs. Paul L'Antigua, Mrs.
William H. Navin, Miss Anna Neas,
Mrs. James Keating, Mrs. Mary Peatman
and Mrs. Annie Kent.

SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP
TESTS REORGANIZATION

Former members of Social Justice met
Monday evening at the home of Paul A.
Antigua, 50 High street, to take action
against the Reorganization Bill pending
before Congress. Hundreds of telegrams,
was disclosed had been sent by former
members throughout the town protesting
the legislation and urging Congressman
Lawrence J. Connery to defeat it.

More telegrams and letters were urged
by Mr. L'Antigua and following the close
of the meeting a dozen more protests were
sent over the wire to Washington.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jay O'Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J.
O'Connor of 367 North Main street enter-
tained a group of his young friends on the
occasion of his tenth birthday last Satur-
day afternoon. Games were played. Delic-
ious refreshments were served by Mrs.
O'Connor.

Those present were: Albert Malley, Jr.,
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Charles Bradley, Billy Bradley, Jay
O'Connor, Robert Phinney and Betty
Jane O'Connor.

Youths Arrested
for Car Theft

Two Lawrence youths, one a juvenile,
were taken into custody shortly after noon
Thursday by officer Winthrop White on
charges of larceny of a car and operating
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evening had broadcast the theft on the
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Local News Notes

Miss Katherine Sullivan of Elm street was the speaker Monday evening at a meeting of The Players of Greater Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Lamont of Lowell street visited in New York recently.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry V. Dearborn are enjoying a cruise to the tropics.

William Jaques has sold his house on Andover street, Ballardvale, to John M. Wilson through the Fred E. Cheever agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cunningham of Highland road spent a week recently visiting John and Thomas Brucato, their nephews, in New York City.

Mrs. William Simpson of Wolcott avenue who left the New England Baptist hospital on Monday is visiting in Waban.

Mr. and Mrs. William Graichen of Passaic, N. J., are visiting David Cunningham of Shawsheen road.

Gives Talk on

Flower Arranging

A delightful meeting of the Andover Garden club was held at the November clubhouse on Tuesday morning.

After the usual business at opening, the president, Miss Bessie P. Goldsmith introduced the speaker, Mrs. Louis E. Phaneuf, who gave her audience a rare treat by her skill in arranging a variety of flowers in most appropriate and novel containers. Applause from time to time told of the appreciation and delight of those present.

She brought interesting echoes from the recent New York Flower Show which she had attended.

Mrs. Phaneuf emphasized suggestion in what she had to say, and the fact that after all the decorative work in the home should be suited to that home, and the individual doing that work should be pleased and satisfied with the result. In other words, have what you like is a privilege.

It was interesting to note that the prevailing notion at present when arranging flowers is less foliage and conspicuously large and intense spots of color.

Several good books were suggested and a variety of photographs shown.

The next meeting will be on May 3 at the log cabin in the game sanctuary belonging to Phillips academy. Details will be announced later.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL BROADCAST HEARD

Thaxter Eaton was heard over the air last Sunday when as treasurer and business manager of the Northern New England School of Religious Education, he introduced speakers on a program for the school. He paid tribute to George A. Mellen, of William street, for the service he rendered the Religious Education school as a valued trustee for five years.

TAXPAYERS' ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS TO MEET

The directors of the Andover Taxpayers' association will hold a special meeting next Wednesday evening at 7.45 at the town house to decide what action to take in connection with the coming special town meeting.

ALPHA CLUB TO MEET

The Baptist church Alpha club will meet this evening at seven at the home of the Misses Helen and Doris Goff, 224 North Main street.

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West Parish

The R. P. C. Girls' club will hold their 14th annual anniversary supper at Shaker Glen House, Woburn, on Monday evening.

The Lafalot club met with Mrs. Russell Foster Tuesday evening. Miss Dora Ward assisted in entertaining. The next meeting will be with Miss Ruth Kilburn, South Union street and Mrs. Dudley Young will assist in entertaining.

Mrs. Karl Haartz and little David have returned from their winter's stay in Hingham.

Albert Kimball is able to be about again, although still feeling the effects of his fall.

Mr. Sprague and Miss Mary Sprague of Shawsheen road visited in West Newton on Wednesday.

The executive board of the Alliance of the North Parish church met with Mrs. Kenneth Barnard, Shawsheen road Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boutwell of Shawsheen road have arrived in Andover after a winter's stay in Deland, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis entertained a party of friends at dinner Saturday evening.

Mrs. Kenneth H. Barnard, Mrs. Arthur McLean and Edward McLean visited Mrs. Frank Plimpton in Wilmington Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Lewis visited Mrs. Ellery E. Metcalf of Saugus Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLeish who are living in Carl H. Stevens' house have bought a home on Highland road and are planning to move there at an early date.

West Church Notes

Woman's Union Meets

The Woman's Union held their April meeting in the vestry Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Frank Tredinnick of Wakefield was the speaker, and her subject, "The Only Book." Mrs. John Fielding, Mrs. Harold Peters and Mrs. Laurence Wood were hostesses.

Male Choir Concert Tribute to Organist

The beautiful and impressive Lenten vesper service given by the Andover Male Choir at the West church Sunday afternoon was as a testimonial to Miss Marion Abbott, who acts as accompanist of the choir and is organist at the West church. The exceptionally fine work done by Miss Abbott is much appreciated by the choir and by the church which she has served so faithfully.

Grange Notes

Thirteen members of the Woman's club of Andover Grange accepted the invitation of the ladies of North Andover Grange to attend a meeting at Grange hall on Tuesday afternoon. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by the many present. A delicious supper was served at 5.30 and a social time enjoyed until the evening meeting when an interesting illustrated lecture on Gaspe was given by the principal of Johnson high school.

Miss Madeleine Hewes is chairman of the supper committee for the third and fourth degree supper of April 26. She will be assisted by the "second third."

Essex Pomona Grange met with Salisbury Grange Thursday. It was an all-day meeting. The May meeting will be with Merrimac Grange and the fifth degree will be worked in full form. It will be an afternoon and evening meeting.

Andover Grange will work the first and second degrees on Tuesday evening. The first degrees by the regular officers and the second degrees by the men's degree team with Arthur Peatman as master.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Three Andover boys have made the dean's list at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. They are James Francis Levis, Earl Edwin Larson, and Winthrop Blackstone Reed.

Ballardvale

The Get-Together club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry Trow of River street.

Fred Kidd attended an Epworth League business meeting in Lawrence Tuesday night.

George and Roy Brown spent Sunday skiing in the White Mountains.

Josephine Coolidge of River street was the leader of the Junior-Intermediate Epworth League meeting of the Methodist church Sunday at 5.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haggerty of Andover street visited relatives in Winchester Sunday.

Rev. Claude Butterfield, pastor of the Union Congregational church, was the speaker at the Junior-Intermediate Christian Endeavor Union, held in the Trinitarian Congregational church, North Andover recently. Members of the Vale society were in attendance.

The roll call and supper of the Union Congregational church was held Wednesday evening in the vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Argilla road spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Arthur White of Ayer.

John O'Donnell, Boston and Maine railroad station agent, has resumed his duties in the local station.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marjerison have been spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Stott of High street.

Carlton Brown of Andover street is ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Clemons of Wakefield visited Miss Annie Clemons of Marland road recently.

Misses Evelyn and Dorothy Meuse of Melrose spent the week-end visiting Miss Bernice Mundy of Marland street.

Rev. Howard Joslyn of Salem, N. H. was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Junior-Intermediate Christian Endeavor society of the Union Congregational church recently.

The Methodist church Epworth League have made definite plans to hold a roller-skating party at a date to be announced later.

COMMUNITY ASS'N MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of the Ballardvale community association was held Monday night in the community room with president John Mason presiding. Miss Norma Matthews read the secretary's report and Mrs. William Riley, the treasurer's report.

Owing to the good financial condition of the association it was voted not to hold a minstrel show this year.

The meetings will be resumed in September.

A social hour followed the business meeting.

TO FORM BASEBALL CLUB

All members of last year's Y.M.A.C. baseball team and all other young men who were interested in forming a baseball team met Wednesday evening in the precinct room. The boys are planning to form a team and play games with teams of Andover and Lawrence and other neighboring towns and cities.

MEN'S CLUB ELECTS; PLANS BEAN SUPPER

The regular monthly meeting of the Men's club of the Union Congregational church was held Monday night in the vestry with Francis Wilson presiding. Walter Simon read the minutes of the last meeting and Rankin Grant the treasurer's report.

The officers were elected as follows: President, Walter Simon; secretary, Ralph Berry; treasurer, Howard Coon.

It was voted that Rev. Claude Butterfield be an honorary member of the club.

Plans for the bean and ham supper to be held in the vestry on April 20 were discussed. Mr. Edwards, chairman gave his report. The supper committee: Ernest Edwards, chairman; Arthur Rogge, Amos Loomer, William Greenwood, Ed-

ward Hall, William McIntyre, Clester Matthews, Leslie Hadley, Howard Coon, and Ralph Greenwood. Tickets, Charles Gilliard.

Shawsheen Village

Mrs. Ann Sleeper, and daughters, Mary and Sally Sleeper, moved from the Argyle apartments to Methuen on Saturday.

Albert Malley, Jr., was confined to his home on Arundel street by illness on Monday.

Good skiing on the Tecumseh Trail in Waterville Valley above Plymouth, N. H. was enjoyed last Sunday by Donald Carter, Jr., Douglas Howe, Bobby Emmons, Kerr Sparks and Mr. Gerrish of Enmore street. The trip was made in Mr. Gerrish's car.

Dorothy Paley of Jamaica Plain was the guest of Mrs. Frank Richardson of Shepley street over the week-end.

Past State Commander Jeremiah J. Twomey of Haverhill street is on the committee for the American Legion Oratorical Contest for Zone 2 Finals which are being conducted in the Oliver school in Lawrence this evening at 7.45.

Miss Barbara Bruorton of York street attended the Ice Carnival put on by the Skating Club of Boston at the Boston Gardens on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Smith of Canterbury street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Wright of Boston over the week-end.

Mrs. Percy Nutton, Edna Nutton, and Ruth Manahan were in Boston last Saturday night to see the opera "Aida."

Those who are working for the Y.W.C.A. membership drive in the village are: Mrs. Joseph Gagne, Mrs. James Baldwin, Mrs. James L. Dean, Mrs. Harold Houston, Mrs. H. P. Kitchin, Mrs. Harold Rutter. The first report meeting was held Thursday evening and the final report meeting will be April 11.

Mr. and Mrs. James Waters who are enroute from Lakeworth, Florida to Muskoka Lake, Ontario, Canada are spending a few days with Mrs. James Page of 15 Balmoral street.

Marilyn Greely of Medford who entered Junior high a week ago will live at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clinton F. Rian of 14 Binney street.

Mrs. Douglas Donald is ill at her home on Carisbrooke street.

Miss Alice Sawyer of Lawrence has been assisting the Shawsheen Girl Scout Clover Troop during the absence of Mrs. Harold Houston, who has been ill.

MARKS 74TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Robert Taylor of 385 North Main street received congratulations on her 74th birthday last Saturday, from friends and relatives. She was also the guest of honor

at a birthday supper and those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Haphey, Mr. and Mrs. George Cilley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor, Miss Roberta Cilley, Arthur Jowett, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Jowett, Miss Catherine Jowett and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor recently observed their 53rd wedding anniversary.

COURT OF HONOR

There will be a Court of Honor at the Shawsheen Boy Scout meeting tonight in the Shawsheen school.

Pupils to Entertain Shawsheen P. T. A.

Pupils of the Shawsheen school will present their program of folk dances, exercises, stunts and games at the next meeting of the P.T.A. on Wednesday evening at the Shawsheen gym.

Donald Dunn will be in charge of the program. Frequent rehearsals have been held under the direction of the Shawsheen teachers. After the performance all children will go to their school rooms and there served refreshments.

The nominating committee with Albert Malley chairman, assisted by Miss Vera Thurston and Mrs. Harry Emmons will present candidates for P.T.A. offices for the ensuing year.

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Gives Address on Japan's Problem

Tuesday afternoon at the November clubhouse 92 members of the local League of Women Voters were keenly interested in hearing Mrs. J. Anton de Haas bring to light many facts dealing with the beleaguered Chinese nation and the war-ridden people of Japan. Professor and Mrs. J. Anton de Haas have recently returned from Japan where the Professor, a member of the Harvard faculty, headed the United States delegation to the International Education Conference in Tokio, last July.

Mrs. de Haas stated that the population of Japan is over 77,000,000. Many modern cities were being rebuilt after the earthquake, with large department stores and up-to-date apartment houses. Rail-

ways were increasing; in 1920 there were about 12,860 miles of railway. The mineral resources are considerable, comprising gold, silver, copper, tin, lead and iron. The tin and copper of Japan is considered to be of superior quality. Coal, petroleum and sulphur are found in various parts of Japan.

The leading agricultural crops are rice, wheat, barley, rye, tobacco, tea and hemp. Silk is a very important commodity of Japan. Raw silk and silk goods form the chief export, while the imports include cotton, textiles, metals and machinery. The speaker brought out the fact that particularly in the textile industry, the wage scale is very low, being only fifteen cents per day, but clothing and living are furnished by the Government.

Some of the causes which have led Japan to invade China are: (1) Need for foreign markets, (2) Full recognition among world powers, (3) More territory, (4) Greed, (5) Lack of certain raw materials which she can obtain in China.

Mrs. de Haas spoke also of the Gentlemen's Agreement of 1908, in regard to coolie labor's attempting to enter United States.—Versailles Peace Treaty (1919) by which Japan was awarded German holdings in Chinese territory.—Nine-power Treaty (1921-1922), by which Japan agreed to give up Shantung territory, evacuate Siberia and return German concessions to China.—Japan (1931) occupying South Manchuria, North Manchuria and Manchoukuo.—Kidnapping (1936) of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, resulting in an understanding between Chiang and the Red Armies (this caused

Next Week's Church Calendar

BAPTIST CHURCH—Saturday, 9 to 12 Rummage sale in the Baptist vestry, auspices, the W.W.G. Sunday, 9:30 Church School; 10:45, Church worship. This service includes hymn singing, prayers, readings from the Scriptures, and sermon by the minister. Mr. Overstreet has chosen for his topic this Sunday: "The Shadow of Greatness." 6:30 Alpha Club; 7:00 Evening service. Wednesday, 7:30 Passion Play, a moving picture version of life and passion of Christ. Friday, 4:00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7:00 Senior choir rehearsal, 7:00 Boy Scouts.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Tonight, 7:30, last performance of the Mikado by the Sunday School, Sunday, 9:30 Church School; 10:45 Morning worship with sermon by the minister on "Worship as Praise"; 12:00 Brotherhood Class; 12:00 Pastor's Class, including the Margaret Slattery Class; Mr. Johnson will answer questions from the "Question Box"; 6:30 Evening Lenten service with sermon by the Rev. Donald Savage, West Church, Andover; 6:30 Intermediate C. E. will attend the Lenten service. Tuesday 2:30 Helping Hand. Thursday, 7:30 evening service with brief sermon by the pastor, music by the choir, reception of members and communion.

CHRIST CHURCH—Saturday, 10:00 Children's Lenten service followed by confirmation instructions; Palm Sunday, 8:00 early service; 9:30 Church school; 11:00 Holy Communion and

sermon; Monday, 7:45 Girls' Friendly society. Tuesday, 4:00 G.F.S. candidates. Wednesday evening, adult confirmation class. Thursday, 2:30 Woman's Guild. Thursday, 8:00 Lenten services, the Venerable Arthur O. Phinney, archdeacon of the Lowell Archdeaconry. Friday, 7:00 Boy Scouts.

WEST CHURCH—Sunday, 10:30 Palm Sunday Service, with music by the Junior and Senior Chorus; Sermon: "Jesus' Choice of the Cross." Tuesday, 7:00 Boy Scouts. Wednesday, 3:45 Junior Choir; 7:30 Senior Choir. Thursday, 7:30 Holy Thursday Candlelight Communion service.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH—Church school at 9:30; service at 10:30, with sermon on "My Patron Saints."

ACADEMY CHAPEL—Sunday 11:00 Rev. John Crocker, Princeton, N. J.

SOUTH CHURCH—Sunday, 9:30 Church school; 10:45 Morning worship and sermon; 10:45 Church kindergarten; 7:30 Fortnightly gathering. Tuesday, 7:00 Junior Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters. Thursday, 4:00 Junior choir and supper; 6:30 Church choir; 8:00 Memorial Communion service with reception of new members. Friday, 7:00 Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

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.

the military party to bring pressure in Japan to dominate China by force)—(July 7, 1937). A small clash between Chinese-Japanese troops near Peking, each claiming other troops precipitated trouble. Undeclared war spreads. Japanese take Peiping, Shanghai, Nanking and Tsingtao. This clash caused the Chinese Government to move to Chungking.

China has an enormous development of domestic, export and import trade. She has extensive railways, telegraph lines, inexhaustible beds of kaolin and salt, extensive coal fields and large supplies of minerals, including gold, silver, copper, manganese and iron. Her exports of Tung Oil to the United States in 1937 were valued at \$20,000,000.

China proper consisting of 1,532,420 square miles with a population of over four hundred million is considered the most compact nationality in the world. It is no wonder that Japan has looked upon China with covetous eyes for many years in the attempt to secure dominion over her.

The speaker considers it a war of attrition—human attrition against social and economic attrition. The decisive factor will be China's capacity to organize guerrilla warfare long enough to compel the Japanese to maintain three hundred thousand or more troops in China for two or three years. This procedure is likely to exhaust Japan and force her to accept a settlement that will leave China free.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. John S. Barss, chairman of the department of government and foreign policy. President Mrs. Harold R. Rafton presided.

A social hour followed the meeting, coffee being served by Miss Mary W. Bell and Mrs. Charles S. Warden.

Prior to the meeting Mrs. de Haas was the guest of honor at a luncheon held at Fieldstones, by the department of government and foreign policy. Those present at the luncheon were: Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, Mrs. John S. Barss, Mrs. Thomas Brucato, Mrs. Joseph L. Burns, Mrs. Frederick Butler, Mrs. James A. Campbell, Mrs. Alexander Crockett, Mrs. Willard A. Currier, Mrs. William J. Doherty, Miss Mary Gardner, Mrs. J. W. Keeney, Mrs. C. Carleton Kimball, Miss

Anna W. Kuhn, Mrs. Arthur W. Leonard, Mrs. Stafford A. Lindsay, Mrs. John D. Little, Mrs. Alden D. Nute, Mrs. Horace M. Poynter, Mrs. Phillips C. Pray, Mrs. Harold R. Rafton, Mrs. Harold S. Ramsay, Mrs. Richmond of Tyngsboro, Mrs. Harold A. Rutter, Mrs. Emery J. Trott, and Mrs. Henry G. Tyer.

Voters' Hour

The program for the Voters' Hour, Tuesday, April 12 at 3:30 o'clock over Station WEEI, is "Sources of Consumer Information," by Leslie Arnold. This topic is considered especially interesting.

Junior High Notes

Press Club Notes

At some meeting in the near future the Press club will have moving pictures, under the direction of Philip Blake, a club member. An effort will be made to finday films which deal with press work and the technique of publishing a newspaper. These will be enjoyed during a regular Monday club period.

Spring Edition of An-Ju-Hi

The An-Ju-Hi, literary magazine of the school, made its second appearance of the year on Thursday. All the stories, articles and features were composed by members of the staff, of which Janet Gillen is editor-in-chief. The cover for this issue, which is especially attractive, was drawn by Mary Carroll O'Connell.

Projects on Ivanhoe

The college division, 9Cb has just about finished reading Ivanhoe by Scott. Many of the students worked on projects concerning different subjects connected with the story.

The first two projects to be passed in represent important scenes in the story. Sally O'Riordan made a scene of Cedric's dining hall and Kathleen Quill made a scene of Rebecca's trial. Some of the students did written work. Katherine McCarthy made an old English manuscript and Frederic McDuffie has written short biographical sketches of all the English kings from Alfred the Great to Richard the Third. Frank Rockwell's model of the siege of Torquilstone is an especially attractive one. Its closest rival is the scene of Rebecca's trial at Templestowe by Nancy Smith and Theresa Whalen.—Marguerite Goodwin

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Alice C. Dean late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by George M. Dean of Los Angeles, in the State of California, 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 Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fifth day of April 1938, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register (8-15-22)

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)

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LOST—About February first, pair of tinted glasses. Maroon case with initials W. F. W. Reward if returned to Abbot academy.

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.
Book No. 5137.
CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier
April 1, 1938

LEGAL NOTICES



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS ESSEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Town Affairs to meet and assemble at the Memorial Auditorium in said Andover, on

Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1938 at 7.30 p.m., to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of forty-five hundred (\$4500.00) dollars for the improvement of Elm street between the square and Washington avenue; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State and County, or both, for this purpose, at the discretion of the Board of Public Works, on the petition of Floyd B. MacDonald and others.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Public Works to construct Tarvia-Lithic sidewalks on Elm street between Maple avenue and Walnut avenue on the north side and between Whittier street and Washington avenue and the south side and appropriate the sum of seventeen hundred (\$1700.00) dollars therefor, on the petition of Floyd B. MacDonald and others.

ARTICLE 3. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies and publication thereof, seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by the By-Laws of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourth day of April, A.D., 1938.

HOWELL F. SHEPARD
J. EVERETT COLLINS
ROY E. HARDY
Selectmen of Andover

LEGAL NOTICES

Town of Andover PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 7 p.m. Friday, April 15, to act upon the petition of Edward Topping to adapt the requirements of the Zoning By-Law to narrow and shallow lots at the corner of Corbett street and Emile road.

BOARD OF APPEALS
JAMES S. EASTHAM
Chairman

Town of Andover PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 7.15 p.m. Friday, April 15, to act upon the petition of Edward Shattuck to operate a tea-room on River road.

BOARD OF APPEALS
JAMES S. EASTHAM
Chairman

Town of Andover NOTICE

Catherine B. Byrne of South Main street, Andover, having petitioned the Board of Selectmen for a license to keep and store gasoline in the amount of 3500 gallons in three underground tanks on land situated on South Main street, a public hearing on said petition will be held April 18, 1938 at 7.30 p.m. o'clock at the Town House, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws relating thereto.

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

LIBRARY AGAIN SETS

NEW CIRCULATION RECORD

During March, the Memorial Hall library issued for home use, 8559 books. At Ballardvale, 843 were borrowed, making a total use of 9402 volumes, the largest monthly use in the history of the library. During the first three months of 1938, we have circulated 27,161 books, an increase of 3684 over the same period of 1937.

TENDERED SURPRISE ON 75TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Irene Whittier Cole of Elm street was tendered a surprise party on last Sunday on the occasion of her 75th birthday. Many friends from nearby towns were present to offer their felicitations.

Mrs. Cole was born in Methuen, but has lived here for 50 years, 43 of them in her present home. At the party a number of her family were present, including three daughters, Miss Irene Cole, Mrs. Arthur Lewis and Mrs. Ada Brown and two sons, Arthur W. Cole and Ralph Cole of Methuen.

Also present were two sisters, Mrs. Charles Dustin of Salem, N. H., and Jean Whittier, and three brothers, Robert, David and Horace Whittier. The last four are still living on the old homestead in Methuen. Another sister, Martha, is living in Miami.

ROB FILLING STATION

A filling station and grocery store owned by James Dailey of 41 Summer street and located at the junction of Salem street and the by-pass was broken into on Wednesday night, he reported to police yesterday. Smoking materials were taken and a telephone box was ripped from the wall.

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Punchard Notes

Prizes Awarded Seniors

After school last Friday afternoon, free tickets to the play, "Twelfth Night," were awarded at a special class meeting to all those who had sold ten tickets. Esther Elliot was awarded the prize of \$2.50 for selling the most tickets.

Sophomore Hop Tonight

This evening at eight o'clock the sophomore class is holding their Spring Hop in the Memorial gym.

The committee in charge is as follows: Bernice Mundy, chairman; Ruth Porter, Christine Hill, Augustin Rapisardi and Winton Ramsay.

Tickets are 35 cents. Refreshments will be sold in the cafeteria during intermission.

Speaking Contest

The Boston College club of Greater Lawrence has extended an invitation to the Punchard boys to participate in an oratorical contest which will be held Friday evening, May 13. The first prize will be ten dollars. All Greater Lawrence high school boys are invited to participate. This is the night of the Lincoln spelling contest.

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Monday, K. P.; Tuesday, Grange, C. D. A.; Wednesday, Shawsheen P.T.A., Odd Fellows, V. F. W. auxiliary, British War Vets' auxiliary; Thursday, Service club, Pythian Sisters; Friday, Clan.

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Clan Observes 30th Birthday

Clan Johnston installed its officers last Friday evening on the occasion of the clan's thirtieth anniversary. In addition to the installation, the program included a supper, an entertainment and general dancing. Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Clansmen and friends were present.

Royal Deputy James Cowie and staff of Lawrence installed the officers.

The list of officers: chief, Thomas B. Gorrie; pianist, 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; senechal, Edmund Sorrie; warder, Thomas B. Thin; sentinel, Alfred R. Harris; physician, Dr. John J. Hartigan; trustee for three years, Past Chief Hector Pattullo.

The entertainment program included two solos by Mrs. Alfred R. Harris, "Just a Cottage Small" and "The Song of Songs," and a song and dance by Kenneth Tomlinson. Miss Minnie Valentine was at the piano.

The supper committee: Fred Scott, chairman; Peter Anderson, Edward Brown, James Caldwell, William Vannett and William Watt.

Slattery Class to Present Pageant

The Margaret Slattery class of the Free church will present a pageant on Easter Sunday night entitled "The Immortality of Love and Service," by Professor H. Augustine Smith. The public is invited.

The class met on Monday evening and worked on scrapbooks for hospitals. Plans were discussed for a Mother and Daughter banquet to be held on May 10.

Academy Thespians Invite Townspeople

Dress Rehearsal of Annual Play to Be Open to Public Without Charge

Though the Phillips academy dramatic club has had a long and successful existence, this year marks a completely new innovation. For the first time they are inviting the townspeople to be their guests at the dress rehearsal which will take place on Thursday evening, April 21, in George Washington hall.

The play to be presented is "Cock Robin," written by Elmer Rice and Philip Barry. Of it the business manager says, "When a representative playwright takes his pen in hand to write a play, we have reason to expect an interesting result, but when two of America's foremost authors decide to join hands and collaborate, we feel justified in saying the height of entertainment will be reached. It is for this reason the actors are so sanguine over their forthcoming performance of Cock Robin. Both Mr. Barry and Mr. Rice have a long long list of distinguished plays to their credit, such as Tomorrow and Tomorrow, Holiday, Outward Bound, Hotel Universe, White Wings, Street Scene, See Naples and Die, and others.

"In Cock Robin the authors have struck off into a new field, that of mystery melodrama, heavily interspersed with comedy. Thrills of excitement pervade the drama, judiciously interspersed with gales of laughter.

"To prove to you that this is not just a press agent's dream, we quote from the write-up Brooks Atkinson of The New York Times gave the show when it appeared on Broadway. He praised the show a great deal, saying, Dividing its attention between humor and melodrama there are more torso laughs in it than there are in a carload of musical comedies.

The entertainment is novel and attractive. Why not take Mr. Atkinson's word for it—he is one of the toughest critics writing today—and come as the guest of the Dramatic club to see the annual production at eight o'clock on Thursday evening, April 21. We openly defy all the efforts of amateur sleuths to determine the villain by the end of the second act."

Couple Observe Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gould of North Reading observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage at their home on the Reading road Wednesday evening. A large gathering of relatives and friends were present to extend best wishes and congratulations to the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould, although residents of the neighboring town are identified with Andover life as the Gould family has been one of the prominent families in the town for several generations. Mr. Gould's father, Asa T. Gould, is the last of the family which occupied the old homestead on Gould road for so many years. Mr. and Mrs. Gould are members of Andover Grange and have been active in its work and Mr. Gould and his son have been employed at the John Shea grain store on Park street until recently.

Many beautiful gifts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Gould and dainty refreshments were served, with a bride's cake being the centerpiece at the table.

Among those present from Andover were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holt, Mrs. Lucy Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Boutwell, Miss C. Madeleine Hewes and Samuel Bailey.

Appointed Agent

John A. Robertson, who served as town construction representative on the Memorial auditorium project, has moved with Mrs. Robertson and their baby to River street, Ballardvale, Mr. Robertson having been appointed agent for the Adams Insulation company in this territory. Following the couple's marriage they moved to Melrose, but Mr. Robertson's new position brings him back to Andover. The company specializes in the insulation of both existing and new homes.

Mr. Robertson is a graduate of Phillips academy and of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Mrs. Robertson was the former Hazel Polgreen.

Girls' Friendly to Present Play

Have you considered rejuvenating this spring? A little spring tonic is just what you need—a good hearty laugh.

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"Paw" Hadley, a confirmed invalid, as played by Miss Helen Smith will keep you worried and amused, while Miss Doris Hilton in the role of "Maw" Hadley, although opposed to betting when the "prizes are small," is extremely interested when the winnings are large, even to the extent of "titivating" a bit. Ted, the serious lad of sixteen whose main ambition is to become an actor, as played by Miss Betty Carmichael, will exhaust the audience from laughter. You can't afford to miss this joy feast. Get your tickets early from any member of the society.

The cast is composed of the following: George Hadley, who believes in luck Helen Smith Mrs. Clara Hadley, his wife, who doesn't

Doris Hilton

"Ted" Hadley, their son, who wants to be an actor Betty Carmichael

Ruth Hadley, their daughter, who has ambitions Mildred Forsythe

Martha Hadley, George's maiden sister Minnie Valentine

"Jim" Burke, a gas station attendant Betty Deyermond

Mrs. Clement, a society woman Gertrude Taylor

Dobbs, a butler Thelma Beck

"Jack" Garland, a reporter Alice Bertram

Miss Cooper, a saleslady "Dicky" Thiras

The cast is under the efficient coaching of Miss Laura Marland, who has had a great deal of experience in this line of work.

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COUNTRY CLUB ELECTS

Clarence S. Waugh was re-elected president of the Andover Country club on Wednesday evening at the annual meeting of the club.

Other officers named were: first vice-president, Emil J. C. Shulze; second vice-president, Alden R. Taylor; secretary, Frank L. Brigham; treasurer, Edward A. Anderson; Board of Governors, George C. Best, M. Phillips Graham, Thomas E. Garry; auditing committee, Harold T. Houston, George G. Brown and Edward C. Nichols.

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SUNDAY and MONDAY—April 10-11

Sunday Continuous Show

BIG BROADCAST OF 1938—W. C. Fields, Martha Raye	Sun. 3:20; 6:15; 9:10 Mon. 3:35; 8:50
SERGEANT MURPHY—Ronald Regan, Mary Maguire	Sun. 2:25; 5:20; 8:15 Mon. 2:40; 7:55

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—April 12-13-14

Wednesday Continuous Show

HOLLYWOOD HOTEL—Dick Powell, Frances Langford	T.-Th. 3:30; 8:15 Wed. 2:25; 5:35; 8:15
QUICK MONEY—Fred Stone, Dorothy Moore	T.-Th. 2:25; 7:40 Wed. 4:20; 7:30

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—April 15-16

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