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## Respected Resident

### Passes 90th Year

Among the flowers that he still proudly cares for himself, William C. Coutts happily greeted the many friends and relatives who called on him Monday in honor of his 90th birthday. One of his daughters, Mrs. Robert L. Morrison of Detroit, Michigan, arrived in town, Saturday, with Mr. Morrison to be present for the occasion, and Mrs. Dana W. Clark of 72 Maple avenue, his other daughter with whom he resides, was the hostess. A son, David L. Coutts of Elm street, and family were also present. He has one other son, Mr. William M. Coutts of Somerville.

Mr. Coutts was born in Arbroath, Scotland, and lived with his family in France for fourteen years, returning to Scotland for his education. He has lived in Andover for the past 67 years where he has been active in church and fraternal organizations. He is one of the oldest members of the Free church and is a member of the St. Matthew's lodge and the Square and Compass club. He was employed by the old Smith and Dove Manufacturing Company until his retirement twenty-five years ago.

## To Ask Out-Of-Town

### Bids On Coal Supply

A third call for bids on the town coal supply is being issued by the selectmen, school board, and the Board of Public Works, following a conference with the three local coal firms on Monday evening. It is understood that bids from out-of-town dealers will be considered.

At the conference Chairman Shepard asked why this year's figures were so markedly higher than last year's. The dealers reported that this year's prices were fair, since they had been granted no concessions by the wholesalers.

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

George W. Smith, Tewksbury street, Ballardvale, and Jennie Stella, 125 Springfield street, Lawrence.

Carl Hansen Caverly, Stratford street, Bow Lake, N. H., and Ruth Hartmann, 89 Elm street.

## Young Republicans Enjoy Fishing Trip



Young Republicans and friends on fishing trip Sunday: Alex Stewart (yes, he felt better in about a half hour); Dick Zecchini, President Donald Bassett, Henry Porter, Allen Flye, Fred Winn, attorney Carl Gregg, Ed Bradford (back to), Herb Egerton, Ted Andrew and Walter Davis. Not in the picture are Tom Fallon, who was getting ready to find a tuna to lose, and Irving Whitecomb, camera-clicker.

Two motor launches, chartered by the Young Men's Republican Club of Andover, sailed from Plum Island Point at 8:30 a.m. Sunday with a cargo of 40 lusty, enthusiastic, would-be fishermen.

After the anchors were made fast on the floor of "Gitchie-Goomy," the Young Repubs and their friends baited their hooks and from then on the fun started with Boston blue fish and various species of the briny deep flying thick and fast over the gunwale.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Alex Stewart for the first fish caught Irving Whitecomb and Carl Gregg were tied for first for the biggest fish, Edward Bradford took second in this event. The awards for the longest time fishing went to Walter Davis and Chandler Bod-

well. A special consolation prize was awarded Tom Fallon, for hooking, but not landing a large tuna. The group was thrilled by the two hour struggle between Fallon and the "big game" fish, and the groan was unanimous, when the tuna, estimated by Captain Flye to be between three and four hundred pounds broke the line.

Being such a perfect day the 48 foot "Langlois skippered boat" pulled up anchor and cruised up the coast in and about the Isle of Shoals and then headed out to sea five miles to witness the salvaging operations of the ill fated Squalus. The very browned and tired young elephants docked at 6:30 all set for a good snooze between the sheets after a most enjoyable day.

## Selectmen Hold To

### Original Decision

### To Remove Officer

## Attorney States He Plans To Ask For Review By District Court

The board of selectmen this week remained steadfast in their earlier decision to remove William R. Shaw from the police force, nothing having come forth at the hearing on Monday to refute the reasons for which they removed him. Five charges were made by the Chief of Police on Monday afternoon, with the selectmen finding the former officer guilty on three, not guilty on the fourth and partly guilty on the fifth.

The first three charges were the same made against Shaw on June 20 following his reported crashing into a lamp standard in Shawsheen square. They were: drunkenness, operating so as to endanger and operating under the influence of liquor. The officer, under indefinite suspension at the time, was fined a total of \$60 on the last two of these charges in Lawrence District court.

The fourth charge was that he had been drinking while on duty on May 1 at or about 1:15 prior to

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### ARBROATH PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Arbroath association will be at Angle Pond, N. H., July 29. Miss Georgina Petrie, William Watt, William Vannett and Fred Scott are in charge of the tickets.

### TOWNSEND CLUB OUTING SUNDAY

The Townsend club will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. George York of Summer street to make the final arrangements for their annual outing to be held next Sunday. The members expect to leave Sunday morning in private cars to spend the day at the Yorks' cottage at Cobbetts Pond.

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**Further Plans****For G. O. P. Dance**

Members of the activities committee of the Young Men's Republican club met Monday evening at the Shawsheen Spa to further plans for the dance to be held in the Balmoral Gardens, August 17. A second meeting was held Tuesday night at the home of Clifford P. Wadman on Maple avenue.

The committee: Irving J. Whitcomb, chairman; Thomas Fallon, assistant chairman; Clifford Wadman, secretary; Carleton A. Read, publicity director; Milton Jackson and Richard Zecchini.

**SILVER ANNIVERSARY OF ACADEMY TEACHER**

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Boyce of 154 Main street celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last Saturday at a dinner party given in their honor at Covelly Farm, Westport, Maine. Misses Dorothy, Anne and Adeline Tarbox, sisters of Mrs. Boyce, were the hostesses. Mr. Boyce is the well-known physics instructor at Phillips academy.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sweeney of Florence street have been spending a few days at the World's Fair.

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**Ballardvale**

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. O'Brien and family of Andover street spent a few days at Falmouth recently.

—Miss Edith Seymore of Clinton is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Pendleton of Tewksbury street.

—Thomas Dunn is spending several weeks at New Haven, Conn., and will also visit the New York World's Fair.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spadoni of Framingham visited Mrs. Mina Kibbee, Clark road, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Haggerty and family of Winchester have been visiting Mrs. Mary F. Haggerty of Clark road.

—Miss Helen Nicoll of Clark road spent Sunday at the Cape.

—Mrs. A. Burke and daughter of Beverly visited Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks of River street recently.

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—Miss Bernice Mundy has returned to her home on Marland street after spending a week with Miss Evelyn Meuse, Melrose.

—Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews and family visited in Wrentham, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Cheyne, Center street, have been spending a week at North Turner, Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Moran of Oak street spent Tuesday at Hampton Beach.

—Miss Eleanor Ness of Center street spent Sunday at Biddeford Pool, Me.

—Mrs. Grace Cooper, Andover street, is on a motor trip to Nova Scotia.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Morton and family of Marland street spent the week-end at Portland, Maine.

—Miss Josephine Tuttle and Mrs. C. R. Packard have returned to Hartford, Conn., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell, High street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dunn and family have moved to a residence on Chester street.

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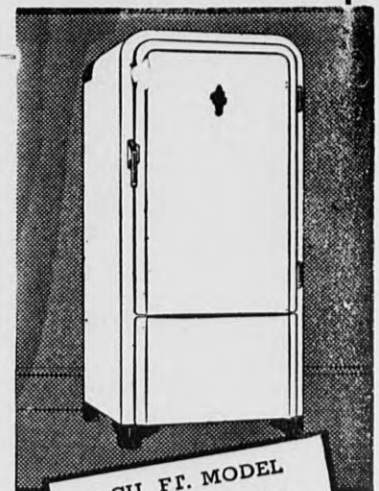
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**West Parish**

—Miss Mary Winslow of West Newton Hospital recently spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow, Lowell street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright and son Robert and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sutherland, are enjoying several weeks with relatives in East Bluehill, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, Jr., and daughter Judith are spending two weeks at Lake Ossipee, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith have returned to their home on Argilla road after enjoying a trip to Vermont and Hartford, Conn.

—Miss Betty Wood is enjoying her annual three weeks' vacation from her duties in the Lawrence General Hospital. At present she is enjoying a visit with relatives in Concord, N. H.

—The following boys of the Parish Scout troop left Sunday for several weeks of camping at the Boy Scout Camp Onway at Raymond, N. H. Thomas Carter, Loring Batchelder and Charles Davidson.

—Fred Doyle, Jr., of Chandler road is enjoying the week with relatives in Hudson, N. H.

—Misses Dorothy Foster, Elsie Rasmussen and Barbara Hill are enjoying the week at Pine Knoll Camp. Miss Foster was awarded one week at Camp as a prize for selling Scout cookies during their annual cookie week.

—Mrs. Walter Piper of Springfield recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Piper of Lowell street.

—Lewis Lane of High Plain road has returned to his duties at the Lawrence Gas and Electric Co., after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lewis and son Larry spent the week-end with friends at Rock Pond, Georgetown.

—Mrs. Alfred Kneath and son of Melrose and Mrs. Gordon Reblin and son of Malden were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Herbert Lewis.

—Officer and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens and daughters are spending their two weeks' vacation with Mrs. Fred Thresher of Braintree, Vt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emil DesRoches and daughter of Argilla road spent the week-end with relatives in Abington.

—David and Priscilla Batchelder of Argilla road are spending the week with their aunt, Mrs. William Hamilton of Arlington.

—Miss Ebba Peterson of Greenwood road spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. John Hall, Jr., at her summer home at Lake Ossipee, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Batchelder and family spent Sunday at Hampton Beach, N. H.

—Mrs. Herbert Merrick of Lowell street is spending some time in Brimfield as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and family of Dayton, Va., are also guests there. Mr. Lawrence is Mrs. Parker's son, and Mrs. Lawrence is the former Frances Merrick.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shulze and son Charles of High Plain road spent the week-end at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Miss Betty Artinian of Boston is spending the week with Mrs. Henry Kazaz of High Plain road.

**GRANGE TO MEET**

—Andover Grange will hold their meeting for July Tuesday evening, July 25, at 7:30 in Grange hall. There will be a short business meeting after which the members will go to Berry Pond for a weinie roast. The program is in charge of the Educational Aid Committee.

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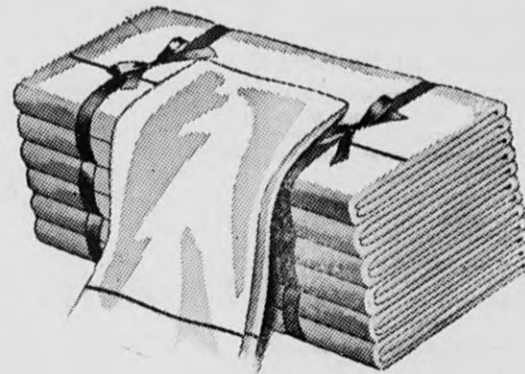
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### Varied Contests At Playground Friday

Seven o'clock will be the magic hour Friday evening when the playground contests will begin with a baby show in Andover, boxing at Ballardvale and a Professor Quiz contest at Shawsheen. Andover's "Best Babies" are to be chosen from five groups; under one, under two, under three, under four and twins. A fifteen-year-old playground child must sponsor each contestant.

Those who will be quizzed in Shawsheen will be divided into two groups; eleven years or under and twelve years or more.

Boxers who will enter the matches at Ballardvale are asked to register with Miss Eleanor Driscoll or Benjamin Dimlich.

### Playground Children Picnic At Berry's

Children thirteen years of age and over from the three playgrounds enjoyed a picnic at Berry's pond Tuesday evening. Parents and friends of the children joined in the community singing around the fire, and toasted marshmallows topped off the picnic lunch.

Instructors in charge were: Miss Margaret Davis, supervisor; Miss Mildred Schruender, Alma MacTammany and George Zink.

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### OFFICER REMOVED

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answering a call to Hidden road. The fifth charge was that the officer had been guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer on June 20th and on May 1st. The selectmen found him guilty of unbecoming conduct only on the June 20th complaint.

The officer had first applied for a public hearing, but five minutes before it was to have been held, he waived public hearing and asked for a private hearing. Louise Belanger of Lawrence and Mrs. Ralph Herrick of Andover were present as witnesses for the defendant, who was represented by a Haverhill attorney. Officer George H. Dufton was the only one of the six police officers present who was called up-

on to testify. Town counsel Sweeney was also present. The defense took exception to the fourth charge and the pertinent part of the fifth. When the selectmen's decision was made known, the Haverhill attorney announced that he would ask for a review by the district court.

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### Death Of Mrs. H. Winthrop Peirce Recalls Charming Chapter Of Andover Life

With the death of Mrs. H. Winthrop Peirce, at West Newbury, on July 14, at seventy-six, Andover sees the last of a couple, who in their time did more for the town than its present-day citizens understand.

Winthrop Peirce was an artist by profession, painter of portraits and landscapes, illustrator of books, designer of pageants and the like, lecturer and writer in the general field of art and its history. Ethel Davis, born in Cambridge, daughter of a banker, was a student at the Art School of the Boston Museum and at Radcliffe College in the early days of both, herself a writer, and a member from her youth up of a brilliant literary and artistic circle in late nineteenth-century Boston. The two, married in 1900, after a scant half-dozen years in Billerica, adopted Andover, and built the one-story house at 36 Morton street. There they remained until 1918, when their two children being grown up, they removed to Cambridge, returning to Andover for a few years on Avon street, and then settling finally in West Newbury and Boston.

One of the first things the Peirces did on coming to Andover was to set themselves deliberately to closing the rifts that in those days separated "Hill, Mill, and Till," and made strangers of persons who should have been intimate. They tried also, really as part of the same project, to reproduce in Andover something of the social atmosphere that one of them had known in Paris and both had known in the Back Bay. The result was that, in a short while, several scores of people, young and old, from all parts of the town, who had gifts of any sort from music to good looks, or who hadn't and liked good company, along with not a few who were just plain lonely, found themselves, at any reasonable hour of day or night, in the big living-room at 36 Morton street or in the studio over it or the dining-room below, or in the loggia overlooking what is now the playstead, amidst perfect sur-

roundings, sharing such talk as they seldom got elsewhere. Ethel Peirce, for more than a decade, maintained a veritable New England salon, such as Andover had not had since the days of Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Partly for interest in drama, but more as a device for getting together people who ought to know one another, Mrs. Peirce, along with others, created the Barnstormers of blessed memory, forebear to all that host of dramatic organizations that have flourished and died hereabouts up to the present day. She was herself a clever actress, especially in comedy parts. She was President of the Barnstormers, Director of several plays, property man for more, and pretty much everything else by turns short of Scene Shifter that nobody else at the moment seemed up to being. Much of the early rehearsing was done in her living-room—she must have spent hours cleaning up afterwards. Most rehearsals brought together a dozen or two active or associate members of the company and their friends, nominally to watch the development of the play, actually to see one another "Sir Winthrop" and "Lady Ethel."

As for the drama, that really was not the main thing. The players did not take themselves too seriously. Much of the acting would hardly get by among the Adventurers. But the public, until the war spoiled everything, when it was time for tickets, used to make a cue from the bookstore well up Chestnut street.

Ethel Peirce's philosophy summed up in a saying that she probably repeated to many of her friends: One has one's work that must be done—beyond that, every day, one should take time off and just live! This she did, daily, out of a housewife's day. But living, for her, was life with people. She and her husband alike had a genius for friendship. For anyone under heaven, if only he had some sort of good stuff in him, their door was open. They had, moreover, an uncanny insight into other people's

qualities, so that many an unpromising specimen, under their encouragement, blossomed out into talents and interests that even themselves did not suspect. Art, books, "the best that has been thought and done in the world," were the Peirces' daily bread. They shared it all with anybody who cared for the same things. Ethel Peirce herself was the perfect complement to her brilliant spouse. She had high courage, much sorrow, and a great heart.

### Playground Instructor



Mrs. Adeline Wright, local public school teacher, has been appointed an instructor at the Ballardvale playground to succeed James Haggerty, who has resigned.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coutts have moved from Elm street to the new apartment on Park street.

—Mrs. John G. Hilton and daughter Ann of Wisconsin are enjoying a stay with Mrs. Hilton's parents. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Stevens of Summer street, Rev. Mr. Hilton is expected to arrive in Andover by motor next week.

—Mrs. Dora O'Hara and Miss Ruth Stanley of Andover street are enjoying a motor trip to New York and the World's Fair.



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### Will You Sign My Petition?

Are you a petition-signer? Have you ever signed a petition asking town officials to do a certain thing that you really didn't believe should be done? And why did you sign it? Just because it was the easiest thing to do? Just because you didn't want to offend the person who asked you to sign it?

There are an awful lot of petition-signers, some who sign them without even knowing what they're about, others who know what they're about but sign them even without believing in them. A classic example occurred in a little town in New Jersey where enough citizens signed a petition for nomination for a certain man to be mayor—without knowing that that man was the same one then in jail for having taken a shot at President Roosevelt and having killed Chicago's mayor. Closer in time and place is the story of a recent petition here in Andover. The selectmen report that numerous persons came to them and said that they had signed the petition without believing in it just because it was the easiest way out. More numerous are the ones who did the same thing without disowning their signatures before the board.

Here in America we have a good deal of freedom, part of which encompasses the right to petition officials from the President down. Elsewhere that freedom is not so liberally passed out. Here in America too we abuse that freedom by careless, irresponsible treatment. It's a grand thing to be able to tell officials what we really think by sending in a petition to them, but it's pretty bad when we use that privilege to say we want something that we don't want. Just how much importance are officials expected to attach to petitions when they know that some of the signers, how many of them they can't tell, do not really believe what they are signing. It's a weapon of public opinion; why not aim it straight?

Why not show your backbone? When someone asks you to sign a petition hereafter, why not first make sure that you thoroughly understand what you're signing and then sign it only if you firmly believe in the petition's preamble? Your opinion is worth more than money; guard your signature on a petition just as closely as you'd guard it on a check.

### Do You Like Mid-Week Holidays?

How did you like the last two holidays? They came, you will remember, on Tuesdays. Do you remember what the Monday in between Sunday and the holiday was like? If you're a businessman, you remember, because you probably kept your store open on that Monday with very few customers dropping in. If you were a school teacher, you met your classes that day, but the students were in no frame of mind to accomplish much.



"The Plaid Shirt," one of the most interesting of the paintings of Andover's Abbott Cheever, now on exhibit at the Addison Gallery.

And so on through other professions.

It's within the power of our legislatures, state and national, to declare certain days to be holidays. It's just as much within their power to declare that all holidays shall fall on a certain day, and that day shall be Monday. Broken-up weeks are an economic waste, and if Congress and the General Court really want to help business, here's a sure-fire way of doing it.

### Awarded \$1700 In Shooting Accident

Awards of \$1500 and \$200 were made to Edward A. Gordon, 11, and his father, James Gordon, respectively, by a Superior Civil court jury Tuesday afternoon after hearing the evidence in a suit in which the two asked damages of \$10,000 and \$300 from Mr. and Mrs. George M. Wallace. The suit was the outgrowth of injuries received by the Gordon youngster a year ago when he was wounded in the chest by a .22 revolver allegedly fired by Duncan Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace. The Gordons claimed that Mr. and Mrs. Wallace knew their son was in possession of the weapon.

### Young Gops To Go Back After Tuna

Republicans never say die; so Andover's Young Republicans are going back Sunday, July 30, to catch the tuna fish that Tom Fallon almost but not quite caught last Sunday. A 50-foot launch is to be chartered, and all members wishing to go should contact the activities committee. It is expected that the latter part of the day will be spent in a pleasure trip, with the Squalus operations again the center of attention.

Members are asked to bring their own sandwiches and lemonade.

### Senate Committee Against Investigation

A resolve calling for an investigation by the state department of public works into the control of flood waters in the Shawsheen is having a hard time in the state legislature. It finally succeeded in going through the House, but on Tuesday the Senate Ways and Means committee reported "Ought not to pass."

### ALTAR BOYS' OUTING

The altar boys of St. Augustine's church enjoyed a baseball game, swimming and other sports at their outing at Salem Willows last Thursday. A basket luncheon was served. Rev. Matthew F. McDonald was in charge of the trip.

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### Obituaries

#### Mrs. Ethel D. Peirce

Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon for Ethel Davis Peirce, 79, widow of Heman Winthrop Peirce, who died in West Newbury, July 14. Mr. and Mrs. Peirce resided for some time in Andover before they moved to West Newbury. Since her husband's death, Mrs. Peirce had been very active in the Copley society to which they both belonged.

She is survived by a son, Heman Peirce, of Boston, and a daughter, Mrs. John Russell Carty (Mary Peirce) of New York. Interment was in the Woodlawn cemetery, Everett.

#### Mrs. Sarah Sleath

Services for Mrs. Sarah Sleath of Chester street, Ballardvale, who died on July 11, were held at the Lundgren funeral home on Elm street, Friday. Rev. Wilbert W. Marzahn, pastor of the Methodist church in Ballardvale, officiated. Interment was in the family lot in the Spring Grove cemetery.

The bearers: Ralph Bruce, William Greenwood, Frederick Cheever and Harold Walker.

#### Walter Broadhurst

A high mass of requiem was offered in St. Augustine's church Friday morning for Walter Broadhurst who died last Wednesday at his home on Ayer street, Shawsheen. Rev. Henry Smith, O. S. A., officiated. Mrs. M. C. Kimball sang several selections and Miss Annie G. Donovan played the organ. Interment was in the family lot in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers: Ralph Dean, Walter Broadhurst, Leonard Broadhurst and Joseph Healey.

—Thomas Eldred of Main street is spending the summer months at Falmouth, Cape Cod, Mass.

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**Weddings**

**Dix-Russell**

LaVerna Russell, daughter of Mrs. Annie Wheaton Russell of 81 Park Drive, Boston, became the bride of Allan B. Dix, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Dix of Myrtle street, Greenwood, formerly of Alden road, Andover, at a pretty pri-



ate ceremony, Saturday afternoon, in Natick. Rev. Robert M. Rice, cousin of the groom, officiated.

The bride wore a becoming blue gown with a corsage of orchids. The maid of honor, Nan O'Loughlin of Boston, wore yellow. Carleton B. Dix, brother of the groom, was the best man.

A reception followed immediately after the ceremony.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Maine and will reside at 37 Maple avenue upon their return. Mr. Dix is employed as a salesman by Smith and Coutts.

**Playground Picnic  
At Canobie Lake  
Next Wednesday**

Buses will leave the playgrounds at 10:00 Wednesday morning for Canobie Lake where the annual picnic will be held. A full program of sports and games has been planned as well as a round of the many amusements. Children are requested to bring box lunches. Buses will leave the Lake for Andover about 4:00.

The playgrounds will be closed all day Wednesday.

**Fifty-five Join  
Swimming Classes**

Fifty-five members have already joined the swimming classes at Poms pond which are given every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The Red Cross classes, held on Tuesday and Thursday, have a total enrollment of eighteen. All building and construction work has been completed in preparation for a busy July and August.

Frank McBride, Jr., and John Devermond, Jr., two of the Pond's lifeguards, were detailed to attend the playground picnic last Wednesday and supervise the swimming.

**Four Weddings In  
Family This Year**

Weddings have reached a new popularity locally this year, but nowhere has the Mendelssohn had such a strong influence as in the family of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hurley of 10 Harding street. The marriage of Francis Hurley, youngest son, occurring early in the year, was the first in the family and was followed in May by the wedding of Josephine Hurley, now Mrs. Clarence Meuse.

Next Sunday, Miss Katharine Hurley will become the bride of Clarence Buckley, manager of Langrock Men's Shop. Miss Hurley is employed by the Irma Beene department store. The fourth wedding in the family will take place sometime in August, it was recently announced, when Miss Katherine Reynolds of Central street will become the bride of John Hurley.

Miss Reynolds was recently tendered a shower by a group of friends at the Capri cafe in Lawrence. She was presented with a shower bouquet of money.

Those present: Misses Nora Sullivan, Katherine Golden, Nellie Sheehy, Hannah Sheehy, Maria Gorman, Elsie Nugent, Della Freely, Molly Twohig, Sadie Fitzmaurice, Agnes Fitzmaurice, Mary Rynne, Celia Kelly, Anna Twomey, Maria Herlihy, Kathleen Leahy, Margaret Manning, Anna Burke, Helen Burke, Anne Regan, Irene McCarthy, Mary Reilly, Alice Fitzmaurice, Beatrice Kennedy, Katherine Kennedy, Betty Hurley, Nellie McCarthy, Helen Burke, Mary Hart, Eliza Fitzgerald, Katherine Jones, Ellen Dineen, Lena Naughton, Margaret Keefe, Mary Maloney, Betty Maloney, Katharine J. Hurley, Margaret McCarthy, Josephine Creamer, Lucie Lassus, Mrs. Mary Lasher, Mrs. John Macklin, Mrs. Frank Connolly, Mrs. Patrick Garvey, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. Augustine P. Sullivan, Mrs. James Kerins, Mrs. William McCarthy, Mrs. Francis Hurley, Mrs. Charles Hughes, Mrs. Thomas Heard, Mrs. John Grady, Mrs. John Thornton, Mrs. David Mulcahy, Mrs. Charles Durkin, Mrs. John Niance, Mrs. Thomas Kerins and Mrs. Dora McCarthy.

**New Librarian To  
Come August 1st**

Miss Miriam Putnam, chosen in the spring by the library trustees as the new head librarian, will take over her duties on August first. The retirement of Miss Edna Brown, under whose guidance the library has flourished for the past three decades, will take effect the end of this month.

**Trustees Praise  
Retired Super**

High praise for the years of service of Fred A. Swanton, retired superintendent of the Spring Grove cemetery, is contained in the official announcement of his retirement just issued by the trustees of the cemetery.

The statement reads as follows: "Mr. Swanton has been a very able and conscientious man in the position he occupied, and it is due to his efforts during the past twenty years that the cemetery has reached the high standard it now occupies.

"The Trustees join in wishing Mr. Swanton every success in his future life."



Principals in the recent North Andover wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Stevenson, who are to reside on Main Street Terrace; left to right: John Stott of Lawrence, Frank Stevenson of North Andover, Betty Buchan of Andover, Mrs. Stevenson (Margaret Stott), Mr. Stevenson, and Robert Ford of Hartford.

**Locals**

—Edward Batten of Reading, employed by Smith and Coutts Co., Inc. is on his annual vacation and is enjoying a motor trip to New York and the World's Fair with his family.

—Mrs. E. Burke Thornton, matron of the infirmary, has been enjoying her annual vacation at Hampton Beach.

—Mrs. Ruby Wray and daughter Dorothy and Miss Dorothy Boddy of Maple avenue are spending two weeks at the World's Fair and at Mrs. Wray's summer home on Fire Island.

—Mrs. Ada Brown of Elm street and Mr. and Mrs. James Weeks of North Andover are enjoying a week's vacation at Crystal Lake, N. H.

—Mrs. William Bateson of Monclair, N. J., has returned to her home after spending the past week with her friend, Mrs. Blanche Noyes of Main street.

—Miss Constance Cole has returned to her home on High street after enjoying two weeks at Camp Kiwanis, Hanson.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Haselton spent Sunday at Camp Lawrence, Lake Winnepesaukee, where their son is at present enjoying camp life.

—Miss Helen Dowd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dowd of Pasho street, is spending the month at Alton Bay. Marjorie Ann Weeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weeks, has returned after visiting with her for a week. —Mrs. Mary Flint and Louis Russell have sold their 87 acre farm on Bailey road consisting of a 12-room Colonial house, barns, and large henry to Lawrence A. Thomas of Lawrence. Mr. Thomas is connected with the New England Power and Light Co. The sale was made through the Fred E. Cheever Real Estate Agency.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. Merrill and daughter of Summit, N. J., visited with Rev. and Mrs. Donald Savage on Tuesday. Mr. Merrill is the grandson of the third pastor of the West Church, Rev. James H. Merrill, who served from 1856 to 1879.

—James C. Sawyer of Main street has contributed his painting "The Smith and Dimon Shipyard on the Hudson River, New York" by Pringle to the special loan exhibition depicting "Life In America for Three Hundred Years," now being shown in the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Zumpfe have returned from a two weeks' vacation trip at their camp at Webster Lake and also on a tour through Maine.

—Miss Clara Boynton of Main street is spending two weeks at Hotel Harrington, Rye Beach, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. John S. Barss and children, Helen and Lawrence, have been enjoying a stay in New York City.

—Mrs. Frances P. McClellan of Orchard street has been in New York looking at some private collections for her gift shop. While there she visited the World's Fair.

—Mrs. Clarence Weeks and daughter, Marjorie Ann, have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harding, formerly of this town, but now of Naugatuck, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Elliott of Summer street are enjoying a few days' trip to the Mountains, and are at the Hawthorne, Jackson, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin R. Sawyer of Wolcott avenue have returned from Hampton beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brogan of Brechin Terrace are spending two weeks at Hampton Beach.

**MALE CHOIR TO  
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The Andover Male Choir will sing in a joint concert with the Haverhill Male Choir at the Topsfield Fair on Sunday, September 16.

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## Legal Notices

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### Essex, ss. PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah A. Best otherwise known as Sarah Ann Best 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 C. Best (named in said will as George Best) 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 Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of July 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register, Joseph M. Hargedon, 706 Bay State Bldg., Lawrence, Mass.

(6-13-20)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### Essex, ss. PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Susan B. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of J. Bradford Richards and others.

The seventeenth account of said trust has been presented to said Court for allowance.

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 thirty-first day of July, 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register, (13-20-27)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### Essex, ss. PROBATE COURT

To all persons who are or may become interested and to all persons whose issue not now in being may become interested in the trust estate under the will of William D. Currier, late of Andover in said County, deceased for the benefit of Carrie Baker Currier and others.

A petition has been presented to said Court by the trustees of said estate for authority to sell, either at public or private sale, certain estate held by them as such trustees.

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 thirty-first day of July 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register, (13-20-27)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Walter R. Shorten of Andover in said County, an insane person.

The guardian Mildred R. Shorten of said ward has presented to said Court her first and second and final accounts for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of July 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register, (6-13-20)

### Andover Savings Bank

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

Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 52,410

LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer

July 20, 1939

### Legion Juniors

Win One 6-2;

Lose Two 4-3

The Andover Legion Juniors go to Lynn tomorrow night to play their final game of a season that started out auspiciously but at present finds the local team in fifth place after two heart-breaking 4-3 defeats. Lack of pitcher replacements making it necessary to use infielders in the box, proved a handicap to the local team, although the converts did a fine job on the mound.

Both the 4-3 defeats took place in the seventh inning. On Tuesday night in a play-off of the recent tie with East Lynn, Andover was ahead 3 to 0 in the fifth inning, by

virtue of Lindsay's double and an error in the third and Coleman's single, Lindsay's double, and a technicality in the fifth. Three runs in the sixth tied up the game, with a pass, double and squeeze bringing in the winning run in the seventh.

Last night history repeated itself at Lawrence. This time, however, Lawrence was ahead 3 to 2 when two passes, two errors and a wild pitch allowed Ferguson to knock the count. But in the last half Gibbons scored the winning run when the latter half of what would have been a double play went on a wild throw to first. Bishop's hit, followed by Burnham's sacrifice bunt, and Erler's single accounted for a run in the second. In the next inning Coleman scored on Bishop's single after receiving a free ticket.

### BAPTIST CHURCH TO CLOSE FOR AUGUST

The Baptist church will close as usual for the entire month of August, the July 29th service being the last one before Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Overstreet start their vacation.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Sunday, 8:00 Holy Communion; 10:00 morning services.

### FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday, 10:45 Morning worship, sermon by Rev. Frederick B. Noss.

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:15, 9:45, 11:30; week-day masses at 7:30.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, 10:30 Morning worship and sermon.

### WEST CHURCH

Sunday, 10:00 Morning worship and sermon; "Paul's Ministry in Europe." Vocal duets by Miss Hazel Alexander and Mr. J. A. Wain; Wednesday, 2:30 special meeting of Woman's Union in vestry.

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● All pictures should be in by Tuesday noon of the week in which it is intended that they shall appear.

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# News of Other Days

## Fifty Years Ago

Mrs. Libby and daughter are now pleasantly located in Paris. Miss Libby had a very hard passage over, suffering very much from sea-sickness, but she is fast recovering from her voyage.

Painter Barnard is putting the color on to the several new houses down on Abbot street.

Workmen have begun to demolish the old chimney at Marland Mills.

Treasurer George A. Parker and family are spending their vacation at Old Orchard Beach.

While Jonathan Towle was loading hay in a field near his house yesterday, his horse became restive and started to run. When turning into the road, the wagon struck the curbing and threw Mr. Towle, who was standing on top of the load, to the ground. No bones were broken, but he received some very bad bruises.

The contract for the new school at Ballardvale has been signed and calls for the completion of the building by February 1st, 1890.

The rainstorm of Monday spoiled the Moonlight ride to Haggetts Pond for the young people of Abbot Village and it has been postponed.

## Twenty-five Years Ago

Miss Mary L. Smith of North Stonington, Conn., the newly elected teacher of English at Punchedard, will reside with her mother at 79 Chestnut street.

Lawrence Cushing Goodhue, son of Mrs. Frances Goodhue of this town, was admitted to the Massachusetts Bar this week.

Arthur Jackson is enjoying the sea breezes at Old Orchard where he is spending two weeks with his family.

John Carse, employed by "Burns the Tailor," has been visiting in New Jersey for a short time.

William J. Cronin of Stevens street was one of the youngest men to pass the bar recently. He is just a few months over the minimum age limit of twenty-one years.

## Ten Years Ago

Miss Mary Simeone of High street is enjoying a week's vacation at Salisbury beach.

Miss Jessie Campbell of Punchedard avenue sailed last Friday on the steamship Scythia for a three months' tour abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collins and family of York street are spending two weeks at Wells Beach, Me.

Misses Irene Cole and Mildred Buck of the Merrimack Insurance Company are enjoying a motor trip to Niagara Falls and Lake Champlain.

Mr. and Mrs. David MacCokindale of Kearney, N. J., have returned to their home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Dunwoody on Stevens street.

## SPECIAL MEETING OF WOMAN'S UNION

There will be a special meeting of the Woman's Union in the vestry of the West Church on Wednesday at 2:30 to make final plans for the Fair which is to take place September 14. A large attendance is desired.



## Shawsheen

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caswell of Enmore street spent the last two weeks at Brockton.

—Mr. and Mrs. George McCollum and family are spending two weeks at North Falmouth.

—Mrs. Roger Woodbury and daughter Doris are spending the week at Providence, R. I.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Warhurst spent Sunday at Hampton Beach.

—Allan Mosher left Sunday for a visit at Camp Onway, Raymond, N. H.

—William Cottam of Juliet road is spending the week at Camp Onway, Raymond, N. H.

—Jackie Caswell of Enmore street went fishing recently at Great Herring Pond, Plymouth. Of seven perch caught at the pond Jackie caught five.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford North of William street are spending the week at Maine.

—Miss Elaine Ashworth of Burnham road spent the last week at Providence, R. I.

—Miss Marguerite Coleman of Enmore street spent the week-end at Hampton Beach.

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—Miss Marilyn Littlefield of Enmore street enjoyed a stay at Hampton Beach recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Holt and family were recent visitors at the Benson Animal Farm.

—Miss Eileen McDonough of Boston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Flaherty of Enmore street.

## To Choose Miss

### Shawsheen Tonight

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### Andover Historical Society Members To Attend Meeting

Perhaps more than any other has done worth while work in prenas done worth while work in preserving the history, customs and traditions of the Shakers. Saturday, July 22, at two o'clock, she will give a paper before the Bay State Historical League entitled "Gleanings from Old Shaker Journals."

The meeting will be held at Harvard, in Worcester County, with the Harvard Historical Society in the Unitarian church on the Common. There will be opportunity to visit the Shaker Village and the old Shaker burying-ground. Later in the afternoon guests will go to Prospect Hill to visit Fruitlands where Bronson Alcott carried on his transcendental experiments, the Wayside Museums of Indian life and customs. Tea will be served by the Harvard Society. Members and guests of the Andover Historical Society are asked to be present—and those wishing to attend should telephone Mr. William A. Trow, President, for instructions to delegates.

There are no convenient train or bus connections. The only practicable way to attend the meeting will be by automobile. Adequate parking space will be provided at the church and at the Wayside Museums.

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### British Veterans To Hold Outing

The British War Veterans and their guests will be off to Millville Lake park, No. Salem, N. H., Sunday morning at 11:00 for their annual outing. The entertainment committee met last night at the home of Alexander Beedie to make the final arrangements which al-

low for no dull moments on Sunday. The softball teams, ladies vs. men, each predict a sure victory for their own side. Hundred yard and 50-yard dashes will be included on the program of sports.

The committee: Charles J. Fettes, chairman; William Cargill, John Nicoll, Norman K. MacLeish, David Wallace, George Addison, John Wynton and Alexander Duke.

### MOTHERS' CLUB OUTING

The Mothers' club spent last Thursday at Beverly Beach and enjoyed a shore dinner at Salem Wil-lows. Mrs. Fred C. Collins was in charge of the arrangements for the outing.

—Tax collector and Mrs. James P. Christie and family are enjoying a stay at Moody Beach, Me.

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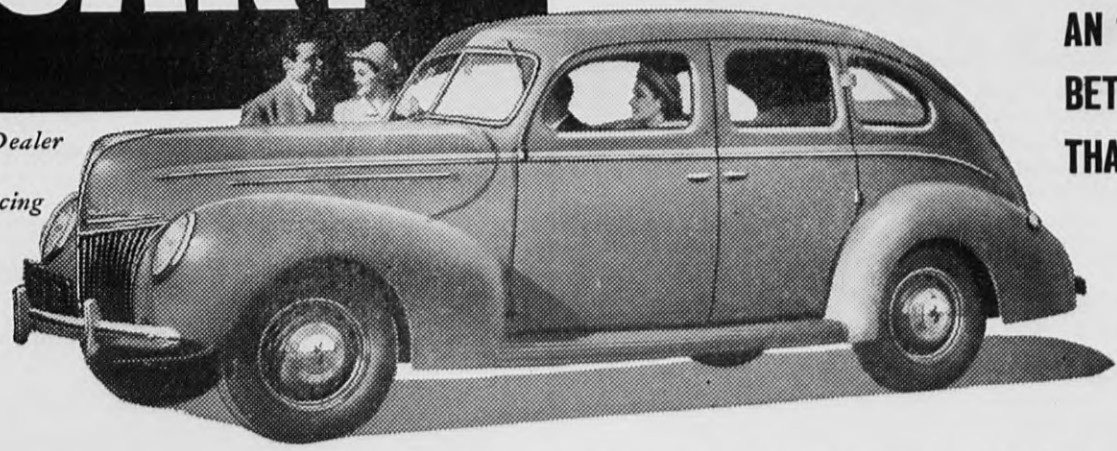
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Soap bubbles of unbelievable dimensions were blown by contestants under ten years at the local playgrounds Friday evening. Skill was more important in determining the winners than chance because the prizes were given to the children blowing the largest bubbles five times.

Andover winners were: first, Zita Surette; second, Dorothy Keith, and third, John Lynch.

Vale winners were: first, Robert Mitchell; second, Arthur Marion; third, Clark Mitchell.

Claire Berube was the winner at Shawsheen, with Raymonda Turpen, second, and Jean Court, third.

Judges: Andover, Mrs. Whelton Muise and Mrs. Binnie; Ballardvale, Mrs. Foster Matthews and Mrs. Clyde Mears; Shawsheen, Lincoln Clark, James Boardman, and H. Garrison Holt.

Blue ribbons were awarded for first prize, red for second and white for third. Balloons were given to all the contestants.

—The Misses Josephine and Eleanor Daly of Chestnut street spent last week-end at Hampton Beach.

—Miss Marjorie Crosby of Allen court is enjoying a week's vacation at the 4-H Camp at Amherst.

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### BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Dwyer of 17 Enmore street, Shawsheen Village, at the Lawrence General hospital last Tuesday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Willis MacLean of Walpole Sunday morning. The mother is the former Charlotte Holt, daughter of Mrs. George Holt.

A son, Raymond Clarence, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jewell, (Mary Clark Laurie) Clark road, Wame-sit, at Tewksbury street, Ballardvale, Sunday.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Basamian of 14 Essex street on July 4.

A daughter, Sally Warren, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer W. Hanscom of Norwalk, Conn., July 12, at the Norwalk hospital. The mother is the former Miss Charlotte Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield S. Chase of this town.

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**Persons In Oratorio**

Several Andover persons will take part in the production of Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado by the Boxford Oratorio society at Pine Grove, Keasey-Highlands Nursery, East Boxford, Saturday afternoon at three. Horace N. Killam of Porter road will again conduct.

Among the characters will be Miss Margaret Wynton of Andover as Yum-Yum. Miss Wynton's fine voice has been a feature of Mr. Killam's past several productions. Joan Hickok of Andover will take the part of Pish Tush, a noble lord.

The society will give The Mikado in its entirety, including the dialogue, and the program will last about two hours. The chorus of many voices will be accompanied by a professional orchestra.

Associate members from Andover are Miss Alice Farnum, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hickok, Miss Mary Johnson, Superintendent and Mrs. Henry C. Sanborn, Miss Mary Byers Smith, Miss Elizabeth Swift and Miss Miriam Sweeney.

**Tuna Granted**

**Reprieve; Gops To Hook Him Aug. 6**

That tuna which Tom Fallon didn't catch in the recent Young Men's Republican fishing trip was this week granted one week's respite. The club decided last week to go right back after the potential sandwich filler and set this coming Sunday as the day for the catch. However, all the boats were taken, and the boys set the date ahead to August 6th, when aboard the 42 foot Sea Urchin, fastest off Plum Island point, they'll go after that tuna.

Only a limited number may go, and those wishing to make the trip should contact Cliff Wadman or the runner-up in the contest with the tuna, Tom Fallon. Norman Scott, whose feat of catching the biggest fish won him a prize but no publicity last week, has been studying up on "The Lore and Lure of the Tuna" this week.

**Noted Orchestra**

**Leader Coming Here**

Swingsters will get a thrill dancing to tunes played in the inimitable style of Ray Hill and his Sweet Swing Orchestra, August 17, at Balmoral Gardens. The Young Men's Republican Club, sponsors of the dance, have been fortunate in securing Ray Hill whose rapid rise to the very first rank of American dance orchestras has been sensational.

Door and dance prizes totalling \$150.00 will be offered as additional attractions. The affair is public in every respect and tickets may be obtained at the Gardens.

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**Painting Interior Of St. Augustine's**

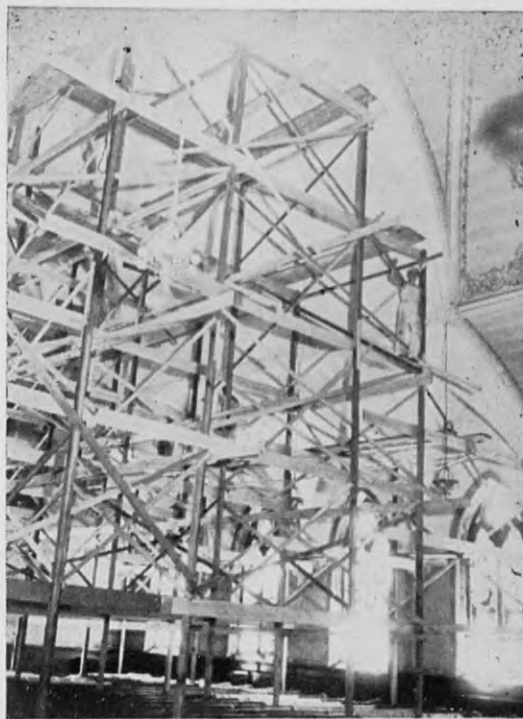


Photo by Donald Surette

What would painters do without carpenters on a church painting job? This forest of staging is necessary in the painting of the inside of St. Augustine's church. It is expected that the entire job will be finished the middle of next month. The interior of the church will be done in cream, which replaces the old color which some thought was gray, some thought was orchid and all knew was black. It was found that much of the ornamentation around the windows had been done in water colors, and all this will be eliminated.

**Professor Quiz At**

**Village Playground**

Miss Mildred Schruender made a very convincing "Professor Quiz" at the Shawsheen playground last Friday night, but she found it difficult to "stump" such contestants as Dorothea Blomquist of Lowell street and Donald MacLellan of Poor street, winners of the two first prizes. Dorothea was first in the under-eleven class in which John Caswell and Patricia Holt won second and third places. Donald was first in the over-twelve group followed by Marjorie Howes, second, and Elsie Rasmussen, third.

Contestants were: Elaine MacLellan, Sally MacLellan, James Allen, Louise Doyle, William Doyle, Raymonda Turpen, John Byrnes, Patricia Holt, Claire Byrne, Dorothea Blomquist and John Caswell, Claire Turpen, Dorothy Foster, Marjorie Howes, Gordon Mears, Janet Gillen, Richard Steinert, Kenneth Quinn, Charles Timmons, Henry Giamo, Donald MacLellan and L. Carlton Conner, Jr.

A baby show will be held tomorrow night.

—Mrs. G. Richard Abbott of Upland road is spending the week at Amherst where she is attending the 4-H convention for Senior leaders.

**W. P. A. Employees**

**Await Discharge And Furlough Slips**

No local W P A employees have received slips as yet notifying them that they are being dropped in accordance with the nationwide W P A cut, but the slips are expected momentarily. All those who have been working 18 months will automatically go off the rolls for a month, and then they will be eligible for reregistration. Others will just be dropped.

There are 89 men now working under the W P A here, not including the so-called white-collar projects. There are also a number of women working on the sewing project. The men are working on the Ballardvale road water extension project and on constructing a gravel road on Chandler road near Lowell street.

The B. P. W. is preparing to take care of the roads in the Cairns development, and is also supervising water and sewer work done by a private contractor in the Johnson acres section.

Next month the department will start some sidewalk work, using the available money where most needed. The upper end of Park street near Chief Emerson's will be done, and the sidewalk on Elm street near the Lundgren funeral home will also be rebuilt.

**TAX RATE HELD UP**

Andover's assessors have everything in readiness for setting the tax rate, but they are being held up this year as are all the other towns and cities in the Commonwealth by the state department of taxation which cannot release its figures until the legislature decides where it's going to get the money it has decided to spend.

**BIRTH**

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Higgins of 74 Summer street last Sunday at the Lawrence General hospital.



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WOW! WHAT A BAND!

**Ballardvale**

—Arnold and Ainslee Schofield of Andover street are at Camp On-way for two weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell of High street spent Sunday with their son Teddy who is vacationing at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Peggy Ann Greenwood of Tewksbury street is ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ward and grandson Teddy Sharp spent Sunday at Beverly.

—Audrey and Diane Nowell are at Camp Wampatuck, South Hadley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Merton English are visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. John Greenwood of Center street.

—Ruth Tucker of Dover, N. H., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Ballardvale road.

—Bettina Greenwood has returned after visiting relatives in Salem, N. H.

—Elwin Matthews of Argilla road is spending several weeks with his grandmother in Ayer.

—Mrs. Fred Nowell and children, Judith and David, and Mrs. T. S. Haggerty and son Jack, spent Tuesday at Hampton Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks and grandson Kenneth spent Sunday at Salem Willows and Marblehead.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and children are spending two weeks at Ogunquit, Me.

—Shirley Anderson has returned from a week's vacation with relatives in Dover, N. H.

—Frank Haggerty of Andover street is spending the summer at Hampton Beach, N. H.

—Mrs. Anne Hess has returned to Norwich, Conn., after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. George Brown of Andover street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Haselton of Hall avenue spent Sunday with their son George at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Peggy McAdams of Falmouth is spending the summer with her cousin Joan O'Brien of Andover street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frazier of Jamaica Plain were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haggerty, Andover street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Caswell and Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood of Hartford, Conn., spent Sunday with Mrs. John Greenwood of Center street.

—Ruth Mears of Oak street is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mears of Haverhill.

—Miss Doris Kydd of Woburn street is spending a week at Old Orchard Beach.

—Miss Margaret Cronin of Center street has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives in New York.

—Miss Bernice Mundy and Miss Helen Nicoll spent the week-end at York Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Symonds of Hall avenue spent Sunday at Hampton Beach.

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**Church Outing To Be****Held Next Sunday**

St. Augustine's parish will hold its annual outing Sunday at the Franciscan Seminary in West Andover. Sports have been planned by the committee and a buffet luncheon will be served. Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O. S. A., chairman of the committee, will be assisted by: Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A., Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A., M. A. Burke, Mrs. John Shattuck, Mrs. James P. Welch, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mrs. Alice Kirwin, Mrs. Patrick Doyle, Clarence S. Delaney, Miss Marion Connolly, Mrs. Joseph J. Gallant, Miss Annie Schofield, Miss Eleanor Raidy, Mrs. David Milne, Frank E. Davis, Miss Annie G. Donovan, Miss Mary M. McNulty, Arthur Traynor, James D. Doherty, Miss Flora Raidy and Miss Margaret Reilly.

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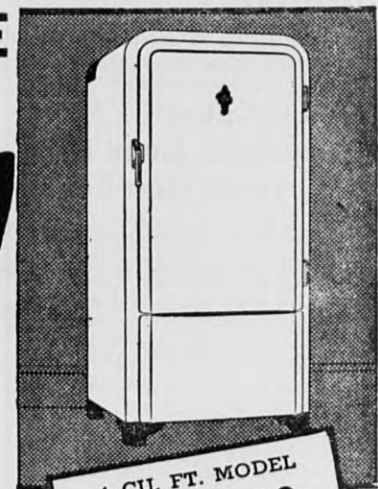
The first annual bird show of the Bay State pigeon club will be held on the playstead, August 20. Over 200 birds of varied breeds and classes will be shown by fanciers from all over New England.

The club members from Andover are: Charles Shorten, George Guthrie, James Kean and Irving J. Moss.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Castle and daughter Lola of High street are at Hampton Beach.

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**Shaw Bequest Paid  
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The Historical Society has just been paid a bequest of one thousand dollars under the will of Mrs. David Shaw, both Mr. and Mrs. Shaw having been members of the Society from its early days and deeply interested in its welfare. This will be kept as the David and Lucy Hayward Shaw Memorial Fund, the interest only being spent.

The Historical Society now has besides this newest gift, fifteen similar funds, in amount from twenty-five dollars to three thousand, in memory of: Charles L. Carter, Major and Mrs. William Marland, Rev. Francis H. Johnson, Rev. C. C. Carpenter, Madam Phoebe Foxcroft Phillips, Dr. Joseph C. Wilson, Mrs. Nellie E. Berry, Miss Florence A. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Goodhue, Walter Buck, Miss Kate A. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. and Miss Mattie Robinson, Miss Agnes Park, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Holt and Mrs. Mary Dove Johnson.

There are other names bound up in Andover's past which properly belong in this list and which the Society would gladly see added.

Twenty members of the Andover Historical Society motored to Harvard, Massachusetts, on Saturday to attend a special meeting of the Bay State Historical eLague.

Harvard is one of the old communities of the state, noteworthy in the past as the location of a flourishing Shaker settlement and Bronson Alcott's "Fruitlands," and in the present for considerable portions of the Harvard Observatory which have lately been moved there along with the entire seismological department of the university. The special attraction of the meeting was a paper by Miss Clara Endicott Sears on the story of the Shakers in general and the Harvard group in particular. This was followed by visits to the local Indian museum, "Fruitlands," the Shaker museum, and the Shaker settlement and burying ground. There was the customary tea.

**Vale Pugilists  
Entertain Crowd**

There were no knockouts in the boxing matches at the Ballardvale playground last Friday night but the punches were plenty powerful, nevertheless, and were encouraged by cheers of over two hundred people. Referee "Sol" Walker frequently found it necessary to separate the enthusiastic fighters whose clinches became less and less fierce as the bouts neared completion. Each exhibition lasted three rounds and the contestants were glad to revive their energy on the candy bars awarded them at the end of the bouts by Miss Eleanor Driscoll.

Joe Knox and John Miller, Cameron Mills and Charles Johnson, Ralph Lakin and Donald Whelton were the feature contestants who supplied many thrills for the audience, and they were supported by the following entries: Clifford Lawrence vs. Arthur Wycoff; Eddie Wycoff vs. Richard Stevens; Robert Ness vs. Norman Markenseines; James Abbott vs. Wallace Ferris; Harold Downes vs. Sammy Lowry; Robert Lawrence vs. Elwyn Hazelton.

Eddie Palenski and Benjamin Dimlich were the timers.

Next Friday night, Ballardvale will hold a Baby Contest.

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**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

A very enjoyable birthday party was held for Mrs. William Littlefield Saturday at her home on Enmore street. She received many lovely gifts and refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Janes, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan of New York, Miss Virginia Fenton, Philip Dowd, Mrs. Ann Fenton, Franklin Allen, Miss Carol Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Fiedler, Miss Grace Littlefield, and Miss Marilyn Littlefield.

—Irving J. Moss was recently appointed superintendent of the pigeon department of the Toppfield Fair, to be held in September.

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### West Parish

—The Coast Guard Ship Algonquin which has been stationed at Portland, Me., for several months left Saturday for Baltimore, Md. Abbott Batchelder of Argilla road is a member of the crew.

—John D. Little of Shawsheen road is enjoying his annual two weeks' vacation, part of which he is spending with friends in Laconia, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dehart of Haverhill are occupying the house on Lowell street owned by Romney Rouse.

—Rev. and Mrs. Donald Savage and son Robert attended the Historical Society meeting held at Harvard Saturday.

—Mrs. Herbert Carter, Janet and Betty enjoyed an outing at Nahant Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis and Marilyn and Barbara spent Sunday at Rye Beach, N. H.

—Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Cooper and daughter Helen of Omaha, Nebraska, are spending several weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hardy of River road.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall of Chicopee spent the week-end with Mrs. George Ward of Lowell street. Misses Dorothy and Evelyn Foster returned with them Sunday and they are going to spend a week in Chicopee.

—Mrs. Everett Mersereau of Lowell street spent the week-end with relatives in Milford, N. H.

—Warren Lewis and Burton Batchelder have returned from a two weeks' visit with William Barnard at Barnstable.

—Misses Isabelle and Mary Fraser of Haggetts Pond road are enjoying a visit at Harwich, Cape Cod.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slate and Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wood spent Sunday with relatives in Concord, N. H.

—Miss Barbara Hill of Lowell street is spending the week with her aunt in Quincy.

—Miss Barbara Evans of West Roxbury is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Earl Slate, Argilla road.

—Mrs. Frank Richardson of River road has returned from several days' stay at Hampton Beach.

—Walter Lewis of Mansfield, Conn., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis.

—Miss Agnes Chase of Laconia, N. H., spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Caroline Burt of Lowell street.

—Mrs. Carl Shulze and son Charles of High Plain road are spending the week at Lake Winnepesaukee.

—Mrs. Carlton White of Dedham and Miss Marjorie Metcalf of Saugus were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lewis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Putnam and daughter Mary and Rev. and Mrs. Donald Savage and Bobby of Lowell street have returned after spending several days at Chocorua, N. H.

—Rev. Richard Carter of Suffield, Conn., visited his father, George Carter Saturday.

—Albion Johnson of Amherst spent the week-end with Elmer and Ebba Peterson of Greenwood road.

—Miss Winona Boutwell of Shawsheen road and Mrs. Ada Power of Washington, D. C., who is spending several weeks at her family home on Lincoln street, spent last week-end at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leland Eaton, Jr., of Spartanburg, South Carolina, visited with friends in the Parish on Tuesday



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### Babies Entertain Playground Crowd

Charles Coyle was chosen by popular acclaim as the Andover Playground's favorite baby at the baby show last Friday night. The children paraded onto the playground accompanied by a playground sponsor with Edward Lefebvre, Jr., carrying the playground colors and Fred Dwyer, Branton Davey, James Lefebvre, William Eldred and Hugh Eldred bearing the standards.

Charles received a gold ribbon for winning the finals, and blue, red, and white ribbons were awarded the winners of each group.

The names of the winners and contestants followed by their sponsors follow: Under one: first, Ann Dolan and Katherine O'Riordan; second, Gertrude Stewart and Katherine Skea; third, Evelyn Waldie and Barbara Waldie; other entry, Gail McIntyre and Barbara Terry.

Under two years: First, Charles Coyle and Mary York; second, Glen More and Irene McKee; third, Richard Gidley and Doris Parsons; other entries; Robert Austin and Kathleen Lefebvre; Nancy White and Margaret Ruel; John Davis and Geraldine Connolly; Ruth Ann Frederickson and Evelyn Coolidge; Kathleen Farragher and Mary Golden.

Under three years: First, Arthur Traynor, Jr. and Dorothy Duff; second, John Danahy and Agnes McAtamney; third, Betty Lou Simeone and Mary O'Neill; other entries, Agnes Grant and Kathleen McCormick; Bernard St. Jean and Robert Connolly; Ronald Muise and Dorothy Muise; Rosemary McIntyre and Barbara Munro; Joyce Williams and Evelyn Smalley; Don-

ald Stickney and Christina Duke.

Under four years: First, Phyllis Heifetz and Jacqueline Rainville; second, James Dolan and Ruth Anderson; third, Leonard Eldred and Josephine Eldred; other entries, Richard Austin and Kathleen Lefebvre; Robert Stewart and Jane Stewart.

Twins: Marie and Marjorie Swenson, entered by Catherine Craig, only entries.

Neil Cleary acted as referee, James D. Doherty, announcer, and Miss Caroline Abbott, distributor of the awards.

### Veteranesses Lead Veterans In Softball

The British War Veterans have had red faces ever since their picnic at Millville Lake Park, N. H., last Sunday, and it isn't sunburn. It seems that the featured softball game between the men and the women resulted in a 6-2 victory for the women. It took five buses to transport the Veterans and their friends to the picnic grounds and so the ladies feel secure in having almost two hundred witnesses.

Other sports were enjoyed with swimming leading in popularity.

The winners were as follows: 25-yard dash, children under 6—Mary Young, Ann Keisling and A. Vannett.

50-yard dash, girls 6 to 8—Barbara Keith, Patricia McLay and Joan Lefebvre.

50-yard dash, boys 6 to 8—Fred Dwyer, Charles Dwyer and William Stewart.

50-yard dash, girls 9 to 11—Barbara Nicoll, Janet Haig and Catherine Lefebvre.

50-yard dash, boys 9 to 11—David Vannett, William Buchnell and William Downs.

50-yard dash, girls 12 to 14—Joan Fettes, Ellen Gorbel and Isobel Skea.

50-yard dash, boys 12 to 14—Robert Campbell, James Gentiles and David Cargill.

100-yard dash, girls 15 to 18—Helen Manning, Mary Nicoll, Florence Nicoll.

100-yard dash, men over 18, open—Norman K. MacLeish, Joseph Gentiles and Harvey Chase.

100-yard dash, women over 18, open—Mrs. Raymond Lefebvre, Mrs. Joseph Gentiles and Agnes Cairnie.

100-yard dash for veterans—Peter Doherty, Edward Bushnell and David Stewart.

50-yard dash for Ladies' auxiliary—Sarah Wallace, Elsie Thomson and Louise Keith.

Fat men's race—Robert Jackson, Joseph Keith and John Elder.

Old timers' race—James Thomson, Hugh McLay and Robert Williams.

Three-legged race, mixed—C. Stewart and Ellen Goebels, Mrs. Harry Stewart and Hector Pattulo.

Wheelbarrow race, mixed—Barbara Young and James Batty.

### Obituaries

#### Mrs. Elizabeth E. Roberts

Mrs. Elizabeth E. Roberts, 69, widow of William Charles Roberts, passed away Saturday morning at her home, 402 North Main street, Born in Bristol, England, she came to this country 23 years ago and had lived in Andover for the past eight years.

Five sons survive: Charles, George and William in Andover, and Sylvester and Ernest of New Hampshire.

Funeral services were held Monday, with cremation following at Harmony Grove.

#### Carrie Josephine Laubham

Carrie Josephine Laubham of Hidden road, a resident of Andover for the past three years, passed away Tuesday. She was born in Brighton 77 years ago. She was the wife of Charles A. Laubham.

Services are being held today, with interment at Forest Hills, Boston, July 27.

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Published on Thursday at Smith & Coutts Co., 4 Park Street, Andover, Mass., by Elmer J. Grover. Entered at the Andover Postoffice as Second Class Matter.

### Month's Vacation Without Pay

A number of our local employees are shortly to receive a month's vacation without pay under the recently enacted bill whereby all those who have worked on the W. P. A. for 18 months must take a month's furlough. Others will be discharged because of a nationwide quota reduction brought about by the reduced appropriation.

This month off without pay is going to be pretty hard on some of Andover's W. P. A. workers who are now having a hard time getting along on the little they make each week at present. It's going to save money of course, but do you realize why it's necessary to make the deserving needy go without pay for a month? It's because the administration has been spending so much on the undeserving needy and the undeserving unneedy. If the W. P. A. had been used properly, no such extreme measure would be necessary today.

It would be a different story today if the administration, sincerely considering the interests of the whole people, had insisted that those going on the W. P. A. projects were only those who could not do without this sort of help and those who in normal times would be gainfully employed in private industry. Unfortunately, a man who is never able to hold a job in private industry because of his own inability and laziness has just as weighty a vote in elections as the man who keeps busy in normal times and really earns his day's wages. So too often need and willingness were not given much consideration in choosing W. P. A. men; instead if you happened to know somebody who knew the Congressman from your district you stood a pretty good chance of having your name placed on the W. P. A. rolls. The public treasury has been milked by these undeserving men and women, with the result that today a serious curtailment is necessary. There's no doubt about it: the money going to the W. P. A. had to be cut just as everything else should be cut to bring down that deficit. But because of extravagances in the past, today some really deserving unemployed are looking ahead to a month in which it's going to be mighty hard going.

### Townsmania

#### Wet Sunset

Sundown will bring the rain. If our local farmers could only feel as confident as the Indians out in Clinton, Oklahoma, that Sundown would bring the rain, they'd ask the legislature to put daylight saving into reverse.

Spike Adriance quotes a May AP bulletin in the summer issue of the Phillips Alumni Bulletin. Some of you remember Roland Sundown, Indian in the class of 1928 who later went up to Dartmouth and appeared at football games in Indian Regalia for the



Six buses, filled to the hilt like this one, carried hundreds of playground children to the annual picnic at Canobie Lake yesterday.

Photo by Donald Surette

Wah-Hoo-Wahs. He had an exceptional voice which Dr. Pfatteicher used to use on occasion in the Chapel and which Dartmouth used in the stadia. But it seems that his voice is now even more exceptional. Sunny, now an instructor out in Clinton, was singing in the High School Auditorium. "Outside the sun was shining, Sundown began to sing the weird, imploring rain song of the Navajo medicine men. Scarcely had the last strains of the chant died away when the startled audience became aware of rain drops pattering on the roof—the first in almost a month."

We remember walking down Bartlet street one day with Sunny and he started to sing. No, it didn't start to rain. He was singing one of the current favorites of that period: "It ain't gonna rain no mo'."

### Reading Teacher Killed When Car Pins Her To Tree

A Reading school teacher, Miss Margaret Whittier, 42, was killed yesterday when her car rolled down an incline on Stinson road, pinning her against a birch tree and crushing her chest. The medical examiner stated that the crushed chest with possible collapse of a lung had caused asphyxiation.

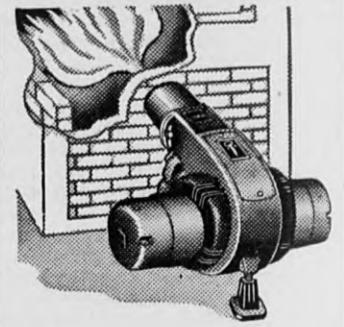
Chief Dane, Sergeant Saunders and officers Davis and McCarthy responded when they were informed by an ice-truck driver of the accident. Reconstructing the tragedy, they felt that the teacher had parked her car and noticing it rolling backward, opened the car door, leaned in to pull on the em-

ergency, and then was pinned between the door and the birch tree. The teacher was a niece of Dr. Torrey and had come here to pay a visit.

### SILVER TEA AND BEANO

A public beano and silver tea is to be held tomorrow evening by the Lawrence V. F. W. auxiliary at the home of Mrs. James J. Feeney of Holt road.

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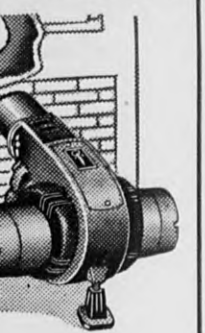
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Weddings

Hodgson-Batchelder

At a pretty informal ceremony at the West church Friday afternoon, Miss Isabelle Ellen Batchelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney S. Batchelder of Argilla road, became the bride of George Harold Hodgson, son of Mrs. Clara I. Hodgson of 150 Brooks avenue, Arlington.

The bride was smartly gowned in a blue crepe suit with a navy blue hat. Her accessories were white and she wore a corsage of white roses and baby's breath. Mrs. Dale Leonard Lanou of Boston was the matron of honor and her gown was powder blue with a corsage of Briarcliffe roses.

S. Abbott Batchelder was the best man and the bride's father gave her in marriage. Rev. Donald H. Savage performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Hodgson graduated from the local schools and from the Posse School of Physical Education. The groom is a graduate of the Preparatory of Fredericton at New Brunswick. After a wedding trip, the couple will reside at 12 Notre Dame avenue, Cambridge.

Buckley-Hurley

Miss Katharine Rita Hurley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hurley of 10 Harding street, became the bride of Clarence Ambrose Buckley at a pretty old-fashioned ceremony in St. Augustine's church last Sunday afternoon. The bride wore a quaintly styled gown of pink frosted organdie with matching hat. She carried a mixed bouquet of sweetheart roses, delphinium and lilies of the valley. Her sister, Mrs. Clarence Meuse, was the only attendant, and she wore a frosted organdie gown of pale blue, and a leghorn picture hat with long streamers.

Woodrow Wilson Crowley was the best man and Paul and William Crowley were the ushers.

During the ceremony, Frank McCarthy sang "Mother, At Your Feet I'm Kneeling" and Louis Scanlon gave two selections, "Ave Maria" and "O Salutaris." Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O. S. A., officiated.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents on Harding street where lawn and garden were beautifully decorated for the occasion. Refreshments were served on tables outside. After the wedding trip, the couple will reside at 72 Shawsheen road.

Local News Notes

—Miss Irene Cole and Miss Eleanor Brown commence their annual vacation from Smart and Flagg Insurance Company, Saturday, and are planning to visit Nantucket, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Carmichael and family of Dufton road are spending the week at Hampton Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Monte Z. Whitcomb and sons, Irving J. and Roger H., leave Monday for Moncton, N. B., Canada, where they plan to visit Mr. Whitcomb's youngest brother, Irving C., and family.

—Miss Catherine McMahon of Elm street is spending a week in Arlington.

—Miss Margaret Hodge, Maple avenue, has returned after spending a vacation at Nova Scotia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Livingston of Abbot street are spending a week camping in Maine.

Lawrence Girl Named Miss Shawsheen



Master of Ceremonies Harold Wennik congratulating Miss Shawsheen Village of 1939, Miss Bernice McIntyre

Once more a local popularity title was decided when Miss Bernice McIntyre of Lawrence was chosen Miss Shawsheen at the Spa employees' dance last Thursday night. She received a silver loving cup.

The judges were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beecher of Manchester, N. H., and Marco Pettoruto. Harold Wennik was master of ceremonies. The committee: Valerie Simmers, Kenneth Batchelder, Claude Thibault, Frank Rees, and Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jennings.

Photo by Donald Surette

—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dix have returned from a wedding trip to Maine and are now living on Maple avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Carney of Main street are leaving this weekend for the World's Fair.

—Miss Janet Carter of Lowell street is spending the week with her aunt, Miss Gertrude Berry at Plum Island.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. Frank McLellan (Miss Gertrude Walsh) now of Andover, were tendered a shower recently at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lawrence, Long Beach.

—Donald Cole, who is a counselor at Camp Lawrence, spent several days of the past week at his home on High street.

—Frank J. Kefferstan, 2nd, of Haverhill street has been awarded a scholarship for Tufts Medical school in the fall. He is now studying at the University of Munich in Germany.

—Dr. R. I. W. Westgate of the Phillips Academy faculty recently attended a dinner in New York given to H. R. H., the Crown Prince Olav of Norway by American members of Balliol College in Oxford. Most of them rowed in the same crew at college.

—Miss Esther Batchelder of the Merrimack Insurance office has returned to her duties after enjoying a week at Gloucester.

—Miss Frances Hartman has returned to her home on Elm street after spending two weeks as counselor at Camp Leslie, Georgetown.

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—Miss Marjorie Crosby of Allen court is spending the week with Lillian Lovely at South Portland, Me.

—The five room Cape Cod cottage on lot 27, Dartmouth road, Shawsheen Heights, owned by Frank J. and Cecelia M. Cairns has been sold to Thomas F. and Georgiana Scanlon who have already moved in. The sale was made through the W. Shirley Barnard real estate and insurance agency.

—Lieutenant James Craik of the Coast Guard has been visiting his home here.

—Police sergeant and Mrs. William R. Hickey are vacationing in Canada.

—Miss Alice Porter of Elm Court is entertaining Miss Joyce Hutchinson of St. John, N. B.

—Warren L. Richardson, Punchard correspondent for the Townsman, is branching out. He is now assistant editor of "The Balloon," the annual camp publication at the C. M. T. C. camp at Fort McKinley, Portland.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sunday, 10:45 Morning worship. Sermon by Rev. Frederick B. Noss.

CHRIST CHURCH Sunday, 10:45 Holy Communion; 10:00 morning prayer and sermon.

BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday, 10:45 Morning worship, special music and sermon by the minister. The services will be suspended during the month of August until September 3.

WEST CHURCH Sunday, 10:00 Morning worship and sermon: "Paul's Journey to Rome." Solos by Mrs. Dorothy Buzzell. (This will be the last service in the West church until September 10.)

ST. AUGUSTINE'S Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:15, 9:45, 11:30; week-day masses at 7:30.

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Payment has been stopped.  
Books No.: 50247, 52410.

LOUIS S. FINGER,  
Treasurer

July 26, 1939

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Susan B. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of J. Bradford Richards and others.

The seventeenth account of said trust has been presented to said Court for allowance.

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 thirty-first day of July, 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire.

First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(13-20-27)

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons who are or may become interested and to all persons whose issue not now in being may become interested in the trust estate under the will of William D. Currier, late of Andover in said County, deceased for the benefit of Carrie Baker Currier and others.

A petition has been presented to said Court by the trustees of said estate for authority to sell, either at public or private sale, certain estate held by them as such trustees.

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 thirty-first day of July 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(13-20-27)

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah E. Sleath late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that George F. Lawrence of Andover in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock on the fifth day of September 1939, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(27-3-10)

## SOFTBALL RESULTS

The Shawsheen Mystery softball team ran riot at Balmoral field last Friday night, defeating the Pacific Mill team 14 to 2. This week Hill's Hardware team outplayed the Greeley team to win 15-9 at Scherner's field and also annexed a 3-2 decision over the Shawsheen Realty team. The Hardware team will play the Shawsheen laundry tonight and the Shines of Lawrence tomorrow night, both games being at Scherner's field.

## PUTTING IN ROAD

Very little construction work is being done on the Hill this year. At present a new hard-surface road is being put in around the quadrangles near Samuel Phillips Hall.

—Frederick Ellsworth Watt, Instructor at Phillips Academy, is studying at the summer session of Cornell University ending August 12.

## SOFT-BALL GAME

The soft-ball game between the Young Men's Republican Club and the Men's Club is scheduled for tonight at 6:30 at the playstead. The results of the close battle last Tuesday between the Young Men's Republican Club and the Ballardvale team were 6-4 in favor of Ballardvale.

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## News of Other Days

### 50 Years Ago

The grounds of the Grammar school are being enclosed by a strong picket fence.

The current number of Harpers' Weekly contains an illustrated article on the new public library building at New London, Conn., of which Mr. George Warren Cole of this town is the supervising architect.

Lincoln Poor, George F. Smith, D. Churchill and John Dove started in two canoes Thursday morning to follow the Shawsheen river to its source. They will be gone several days, and camp nights along the stream.

Chief Cheever recovered the horse recently stolen from A. P. Pearson of Wilmington in Boston on Monday.

Mrs. Downs' new house on High street is nearly finished and presents a solid and substantial look to the passerby, somewhat of the old colonial style.

### Twenty-five Years Ago

Misses Katharine, Helen, and Elizabeth Sweeney of Florence street are at Popes Beach for a short stay.

Mrs. M. C. Dalton and children were among those from Andover who attended the opening of the Cape Cod canal on Wednesday.

Miss Carolyn Burt of West Andover has been spending a few days at the White Mountains.

Daniel Webster, who recently purchased the bungalow on Wolcott avenue from W. K. Barton, moved into the same this week.

The town assessors have not quite completed the compilation of their figures but it can be safely said that the tax rate for the year will not exceed \$18.00.

### Ten Years Ago

Mrs. Laura Juhlmann of the Board of Public Works office is enjoying two weeks' vacation at Nova Scotia.

Patrolman John Deyermond and Mrs. Deyermond and children left Monday for a motor trip to Philadelphia.

J. P. McCabe, Inc., of Boston has been awarded the contract for the reconstruction of North Main street to Stimpson's bridge and work on the road will begin shortly.

Colonel Charles A. Lirdborgh and his bride were guests this week at Pecos of Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Kidder of Main street. Dr. Kidder is superintending excavations at the Pecos ruins, among the oldest in the southwest, for Phillips academy.

Mrs. Harry H. Noyes has returned to the Caronel apartments after spending several weeks at her summer home at Fort Hill, Biddeford Pool, Maine.

### LAFALOT CLUB TO HAVE OUTING

All members of the Lafalot Club who are interested in an outing at Berry's Pond on Tuesday evening will please notify Mrs. Russell Foster. An out-of-door supper party is to be held.

## Legion Juniors End Season By Victory

The local Legion Junior team wound up its season last Friday night by defeating the Lynn team 2 to 1 behind the two-hit pitching of Hal Bishop. He fanned nine and issued no free passes, Lynn's one run in the seventh was scored through a three-base error.

Andover scored in the fourth when the Lynn pitcher became generous with his free tickets to first. Coleman and Bishop walked and Lindsay reached on an error, with Boucher's walk forcing Coleman.

The second run was scored in the sixth by Bishop after singles by Bishop, Lindsay and Burnham.

Hamilton was the team's heavy hitter for the game, making two in three trips. The sixth inning singles were the only other hits made by the locals.

—Miss Ruth Saunders of High street is spending her annual vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe at Chatauqua, N. Y.

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### GRANGE MEETING

Andover Grange met in Grange Hall Tuesday evening. After the regular business was transacted the members present journeyed to Berry Pond where a "weenie roast" was enjoyed in charge of the members of the Educational Aid Committee headed by Herbert Lewis. About forty members were in attendance. The next meeting will be held the fourth Tuesday in August. Tickets for the Fair which is to be held September 21 and 22 are in charge of Arthur R. Lewis and were distributed during the evening.

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**West Church To Close For August**

The West Church will close for a month following Sunday's services. Rev. and Mrs. Savage will spend some time visiting relatives on Long Island and in Pennsylvania. The next services will be on September 10th.

The Baptist church will also close after Sunday's services, reopening in early September. The South church services will continue to be held at the Free Church.

**New Dentist Opens Offices In Andover**

Andover has a new dentist in Dr. John Crichton Brown, who has opened his offices in the Caronel apartments at 102 Main street. Dr. Brown graduated from Harvard in 1934 and received his degree of D.M.D. at Harvard Dental in 1938. Last year he interned at the Children's hospital in Boston.

**OBSERVES 94th BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. James B. Smith of York street was 94 years old Thursday. She received from her friends on the occasion of her birthday, many cards, telegrams and gifts. She resides with her son, J. Lewis Smith of 5 York street.

**PLAYGROUND TOURNEYS AT HALF-WAY MARK**

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**Shawsheen**

—Miss Hazel Parsons of Dufton road and Miss Evelyn Rutter of Carlisle street are spending two weeks at Hampton Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Brindle and family of Enmore street spent Sunday at Hampton Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Warhurst are spending two weeks at Hampton Beach.

—Miss Joan Worcester of Reading is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Ann Scanlon of Arundel street.

—Misses Betty and Louise Prey of North Carolina are spending the summer months with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Enmore street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fielder and son Louis of Enmore street enjoyed a stay in Maine recently.

—The Money Makers' Club of Shawsheen Village visited Mrs. Coleman of Enmore street at her summer home, Salisbury Beach, Monday.

—Miss Marilyn Littlefield, Miss Grace Littlefield, Frank Allen, and Miss Claire Flaherty, all of Enmore street, had a very enjoyable stay at Dunkans Beach, Cobbett's Pond, N. H., recently.

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### Townsend Club In Annual Outing

The third Annual Outing of the Andover Townsend Club No. 1 was held last Sunday at York's Camp, Cobbetts Pond, Windham, N. H. Twenty-five members and friends left Andover in automobiles early Sunday morning and enjoyed a full day of sports at the Pond. Boating and swimming were the main attractions. A delicious dinner was served at noon by Mrs. George York, Mrs. Elmer Philbrick and Mrs. James Thomson. Supper was served by Mrs. George York, Mrs. Ella Hanson and Mrs. Edith Newman.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. George J. York, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Philbrick, Louis A. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Dennis, Roland Trauschke, William G. Trauschke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wetterberg, William Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L'Antigua, Mrs. Ella Hanson, Mrs. Maude Newman, Buddy Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Wetterberg, Robert and David Wetterberg.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Joseph Dennis, 8 Maple avenue, on Thursday evening, August 3.

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### Slight Accident On Sunday Night

Clarence Moss of Center street, Ballardvale, received damages to his car and was considerably shaken up himself when a car driven by Dr. Arden Ywoden of Woonsocket, Rhode Island, collided with his Sunday night at 9:30, at the junction of South Main street and Ballardvale road.

It was reported that Moss had stopped in the center lane to make the left turn into Ballardvale road. The Ywoden car, which had cut out of the center lane, grazed the right rear fender of the Moss car when cutting back into line.

### BIRTH

On Wednesday, July 19, at the family home a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Metcalf of Saugus. Mrs. Metcalf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis of Lowell street.

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#### SUNDAY-MONDAY—July 30-31

RETURN OF THE CISCO KID—Warner Baxter and Lynn Bari 3:45; 6:35; 9:25  
I'M FROM MISSOURI—Bob Burns and Gladys George 2:25; 5:15; 8:05

#### TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—August 1-2-3

YOUNG MR. LINCOLN—Henry Fonda and Marjorie Weaver 2:35; 5:45; 8:55  
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