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## Macdonalds To Present Sonata Recital

Phillips Academy will continue its series of winter term musicales in the Cochran Chapel on Sunday afternoon, March 3, at 5 o'clock, with a Sonata recital by Frank Macdonald, violinist, and Miss Margaret Macdonald, pianist.

Their program will be as follows: Sonata in A Major, Andante, Allegro assai, Andante, Presto, by Bach; Sonata in G Major, Op. 78, Vivace ma non troppo, Adagio, Allegro molto moderato, by Brahms; Sonata in F Major, Op. 24, No. 5, Allegro (First movement), by Beethoven.

## CANDIDATES TO SPEAK

The Legion will hold its annual open meeting tomorrow night at eight in the Legion rooms at which time the candidates for office will speak. The public is invited.

## Taxpayers' Association Directors Take Action On Special Articles

Definite action was taken on many articles by the Taxpayers' association directors at a meeting last night, with a large number of items being disapproved, most of them in the belief that they should be referred to one of the town departments. Water extensions and road work articles were mostly disapproved, it being felt that these should be taken care of by the Board of Public Works if that board feels that these projects are the most necessary. It was recommended that a lump sum of \$10,000 be appropriated for water extensions by the department, with the Board free to choose those extensions which from its knowledge of the town water system it feels are the most urgent. Articles in the warrant on water extensions call for \$22,915.

The same feeling existed on road work where several petitioners have asked for construction on particular roads. It was felt that the Board has a broad view of the entire town road system, and knows which roads most need repairs, etc. The High Plain road, Sutherland street, Vale sidewalk and Dartmouth road articles all received this treatment.

## Bleachers Disapproved

J. Augustus Remington reported on the ice skating article seeking \$500 and on the basis of his report of what had been done the past year under a similar appropriation, it was approved. However, the playground bleacher article asking \$1500 was disapproved. It was felt that since the income which would

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## Town Election Monday May Provide Surprises

One of the quietest campaigns in years will come to a close Monday when the annual town election will be held, with polls open from 7 in the morning to 7 at night. Many office-holders are unopposed, but there are four contests from which there hasn't emanated much noise but which might provide some surprises.

The most important office in which there is a contest is that of selectman, where the present chairman, Howell F. Shepard is opposed by P. LeRoy Wilson, proprietor of the Andover News Store. Mr. Shepard has been twice elected to the board, while last year Mr. Wilson opposed Selectman Roy E. Hardy. The contest was made more inter-

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## Obituaries

**Mrs. Sarah E. Moore**

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth (Jones) Moore, widow of George F. Moore, who died February 21, were held in the Congregational church in South Sudbury last Friday afternoon. Born in Sudbury, September 16, 1850, Mrs. Moore moved to Kennebunk, Maine, where she resided for thirty-three years, before returning once more to South Sudbury. Since the time of her husband's death, in 1929, she has been living with her son, Albert J. Moore of 9 Lowell street.

Besides her son, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Arthur W. Taylor of Sarasota, Florida; a grandson, Arthur Plummer of East Auburn, Maine; three great-granddaughters and a great great grandson.

Burial will be in Wadsworth cemetery in Sudbury in the spring.

**Mrs. Amos B. Loomer**

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mollie R. Loomer, 61, wife of Amos B. Loomer, who died Monday morning at the family home on Andover street, Ballardvale, were held Wednesday at her home. Rev. Claude A. Butterfield of Boston, former pastor of the Union Congregational church, and Rev. David I. Segerstrom, present pastor, officiated.

Mrs. Loomer was born in Washington, D. C., and resided in Ballardvale most of her life.

Interment was in the Spring Grove cemetery.

**Fernard McEnroe**

A high mass of requiem for Fernard McEnroe, 86, life long resident of this town who passed away Saturday at the town infirmary, was offered Monday morning in St. Augustine's church by Rev. Matthew A. McDonald, O. S. A. Mr. McEnroe was born in Ballardvale, and was formerly employed by the Boston and Maine railroad. An accident forced his retirement and he has been residing at the infirmary for the past thirty-eight years. He served as fireman there until three years ago.

A niece, Mrs. Mary Sanborn, and a nephew, William Adams of Lawrence, are his only survivors.

Interment was in the family lot in St. Augustine's cemetery. Committal services were conducted by Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O. S. A., and Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A.

**Mrs. Annie W. Rogers**

The funeral of Mrs. Annie W. Rogers, ninety-two year old resident of this town, who passed away Tuesday at midnight at her home on Maple avenue, will be held Friday afternoon at the Lundgren funeral home at two o'clock.

Mrs. Rogers was born in Brechin, Scotland, in June, 1847, and came as a young woman to Andover where she has made her home ever since. She was a de-

voted member of the Christ Episcopal church and was active in the affairs of the church.

She is survived by a son, A. H. Rogers, publisher of the Eagle-Tribune; a grandson, Irving E. Rogers; three great-grandchildren of North Andover, an adopted daughter, Margaret Rogers, of New York, and a brother, James Watson, of Maywood, Ill.

Interment will be in the family lot in the Christ church cemetery with Rev. Albert C. Morris officiating.

(Friends are requested to omit flowers.)

**Real Bolduc**

A high mass of requiem was offered in the Sacred Heart church in Lawrence, Monday morning, for Real Bolduc, 45, of Beacon street, who passed away Friday night in the Chelsea Naval hospital. He was a member of the Lawrence post, 15, American Legion, and served in the navy during the World War.

Surviving are a wife, Mrs. Ida Bolduc; six daughters, Delia, Rita, Doris, Theresa, Clara and Marianne; three sons, Henry, Adelard and Wilfred.

## WOMAN'S CLUB TO PRESENT PLAYS

The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will present two one-act plays Monday night, March 4. The first play, a trilogy without a moral, is entitled "Wrong Numbers," by Essex Dane. The cast includes Mrs. Herbert Clegg, Mrs. Joseph Mulvey and Mrs. Oswald Durkin.

The second play is "When You Marry the Navy," a new comedy by John Kirkpatrick. The cast: Mrs. Percy Nutton, Mrs. Lester Thompson, Mrs. Oswald Durkin, Miss Rebecca Stevens, Mrs. Leon Field, Mrs. Garfield Chase, Miss Barbara Bartlett, Charles Whiteside, Jr.

Mrs. William Poland, Mrs. Edward Carey and Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis are in charge of properties. Mrs. Luella Bartlett is the prompter and Mrs. Albion Burt is the coach. Mrs. J. E. Collins and Mrs. Paul Cheney are co-chairmen of the hostess committee. A very enjoyable evening is expected.

## VETERANS' AUXILIARY ENJOY BEANO PARTY

A penny beano party was held following the regular business meeting of the British War Veterans' auxiliary in the Square and Compass hall last evening.

The committee on refreshments included: Mrs. Peter Doherty, Mrs. Daniel Gallagher, and Mrs. John Greenhow.

An Irish night and entertainment will be held at the next meeting on Wednesday evening, March 13.

—Arthur Jenkins of Ballardvale road was one of the judges at the Lawrence Flying club show Sunday at the show rooms on Springfield street, Lawrence.

## Heirlooms Reveal Interesting Historic Facts

Despite the hazards of walking and driving, Open House at the Andover Historical Society brought together many persons from near and far who respond to things of earlier days. Mrs. Charles P. Smith of Methuen added to the local collections many fans of historical interest and a case of cameos large and small. These gems of varied patterns engraved in relief on stones of delicate shadings made charming effects. Mrs. Smith answered innumerable questions during the afternoon and explained in detail many fine points of interest. Many of those present wore their family heirlooms—lovely cameos, necklaces and earrings.

In the showcases there were hair brooches and bracelets, rings, watch chains, hair ornaments, engagement rings, gold-faced watches and intricate chains. Breast-pins of inlay, mosaic set in jet, and earrings attractive to see as well as to wear.

There was also on display canes of local historical interest—notably an ebony cane with ivory head, which was carried by Deacon Hezekiah Ballard, who was elected Deacon in 1755 and died in 1801. There were two canes loaned which were made of material from the old South Church which preceded the handsome silver head while the present building. One carried a other boasted an ivory head which tradition says was made from the keys of the original organ. An ivory headed stick made from a supporting column of the gallery of the John Bunyan Chapel in Bedford, England, was among the varied collection. This wood was brought to America by Mr. Andrew Draper who later presented the cane to Mr. C. C. Carpenter. From him it came to the historical society. Another plain wooden stick was made from timber taken from the wreck of the British frigate "Somerset" which lay buried in the sands of Cape Cod over many years. The Boston Post Cane of solid ebony and its gold head attracted the attention of many. Since 1909 it has been carried by Andover's oldest citizen and will soon be in the keeping of the next in line.

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## DRILL TEAM PLANS MINSTREL SHOW

The annual minstrel show of the Clan auxiliary drill team will be held on March 29th in the town hall. Mrs. William Valentine, Mrs. John Thomson, Miss Marion Hilton, Miss Isabel Maclaren, Miss Loretta Walsh and Mrs. Raymond Lefebvre will compose the endmen who will offer songs and humorous stories for the entertainment of the auxiliary and their friends.

The committee: Mrs. Raymond Lefebvre, chairman; Mrs. John Thomson, Miss Georgina Petrie, Miss Isabel Maclaren, Mrs. Edmund Smith, Miss Jennie Cairnie and Miss Agnes Cairnie.

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## Church Services

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Church school; 10:45 Church worship, sermon by the minister and communion; 6:30 C. E.; Wednesday 7:30 week night prayer service; Friday 7:00 choir; 7:00 Boy Scouts.

### FREE CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Sunday school; 10:45 Nursery class; 10:45 morning worship with sermon on "Character Comes First"; installation of new deacons, communion; 12:00 Slattery class; 12:00 Pastor's class for Church membership; 6:00 Jr. C. E.; 6:15 Intermediate C. E.; 5:00 Union Lenten service at South church; Tuesday 2:30 Helping Hand business meeting and St. Patrick's tea; 7:30 Slattery class business meeting at Church; Wednesday 7:45 Helping Hand whist and dominoes with Mrs. Charles Maier, Salem street; Thursday 6:00 Jr. choir; 7:30 Sr. choir; Friday 7:00 Boy Scouts.

### SOUTH CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Church school and The Little Church; 10:45 morning worship and communion; 10:45 Church kindergarten; 5:00 Union Lenten Vesper service with the Andover Mal' choir; 7:00 The Pilgrim Fellowship; Monday 8:00 The Courtous Circle of The King's Daughters, Miss Myra Church, speaker; Tuesday 6:15 Turkey dinner served by the men of the church, entertainment by a group of the men afterward; Thursday 3:00 Prayer Circle and Missionary department of the Women's Union; 4:00 Jr. choir; 7:00 Sr. choir; Friday 7:00 Boy Scouts.

### WEST CHURCH

Thursday 6:30 Leap Year supper served by men of parish; 7:30 Young People's Play rehearsal; Sunday 10:00 Church school; 10:45 Primary Department in vestry; 10:45 Worship service and sermon: "Jesus and Caiaphas"; 12:00 Sr. choir; 5:00 Union Lenten vesper service at South church; 6:00 Young People's Fellowship guests of Lawrence Street Congregational Church Young People; Tuesday 7:00 Junior Woman's Union Food Sale, Musgrove building; 7:00 Boy Scouts; Wednesday 2:30 Woman's Union in vestry; 8:00 Junior Woman's Union at parsonage.

### ACADEMY CHAPEL

Sunday 11:00 Rabbi Morris Lazaron of Baltimore, Md.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Tonight 8:00 Lenten service, Rev. Arthur Lee Kinsolving, D. D., Rector of Trinity church, Boston; Friday 4:00 children's Lenten services; 7:00 Esquires' degree, O. S. G.; Sunday 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Church school; 11:00 Holy Communion and sermon; 5:00 Union Lenten service at South church; 6:00 Young People's Fellowship; Monday 7:45 G. F. S.; 6:45 men's committee of parish council to cook and serve a meal for all men of the parish; Wednesday 4:00 Lads' and Pages' degrees, O. S. G.

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Thursday 7:30 at Ballardvale, sermon and stations; Friday 3:45 and 7:45 Stations and benediction; Wednesday 7:45 Rosary, sermon and benediction; Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30; week-day masses at 7:45.

### MOTHERS' CLUB

#### TO SPONSOR WHIST

The Andover Mothers' club will hold a whist party next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Harold Cates on 279 North Main street. Mrs. Paul Simeone, Mrs. James Feeney and Mrs. Annie Davis are on the committee in charge.

## THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

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### R. P. C. MEETS

The R. P. C. club met with Mrs. Sherman Boutwell of Shawsheen road Monday evening and enjoyed a social hour after the regular business meeting. Refreshments were served.

Miss Margaret Buchan and Mrs. Helen Cromie are co-chairmen of the committee in charge of the anniversary dinner which will be held sometime next month.

### Adventurers Begin Spring Production

The Adventurers began production of their spring play "Holiday" last Monday under the able direction of Mrs. Lyman Cheever. Rehearsals will be held three evenings a week with the following cast playing the major roles: Linda Seton, Thisbe Grieco; Johnny

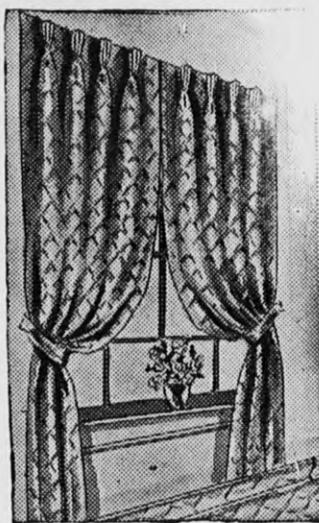
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### Ballardvale

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—Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks and family of River street visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Toll of Boston, Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Andover street visited Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and Mrs. Prudence Brown of Amesbury recently.

—Elwin Matthews of Argilla road is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Arthur White of Ayer.

—Miss Marie Hutchins, student-nurse at St. John's hospital, Lowell, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of River street.

—Miss Eunice O'Donnell has resumed her teaching duties at Manchester-by-the-Sea after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell of Tewksbury street.

—Miss Virginia Comins of Brookline spent Saturday renewing acquaintances in town.

—William Clemons of Andover street is recovering from a recent illness.

—Jack Sweeney of South Boston is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Edward Daly of Tewksbury street.

### BULOVA WATCHES

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—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell and family of High street spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Haggerty of Winchester.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moody of Andover street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Moody and family of Amesbury, Sunday.

### FELLOWSHIP TO HEAR TALK ON THE BLIND

The second monthly Bible lesson was led by Rev. Frederick B. Noss last Sunday evening at the meeting of the Fellowship at the South church. Mr. Noss' interesting talk was based on Exodus, the second book of the Bible.

Next Sunday, Mrs. Harold Leitch will be the guest speaker and will be accompanied by a blind man and his dog. Mrs. Leitch will talk on the blind and how we help them.

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—Clifford Dunnells, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Roy Dearborn and Clifford Marshall spent the holiday at Brewster, Cape Cod.

### JUNIOR WOMAN'S GUILD TO MEET

The Junior Woman's Guild will meet in the parish house of the Christ church next Monday evening to hear Rev. Albert C. Morris who will speak on "The Story of the Bible."

There will also be general singing of favorite hymns. Mrs. Roger Lewis and Misses Sally and Ann McCoubrie will be the hostesses.

## FRI. and SAT. — LAST 2 DAYS!

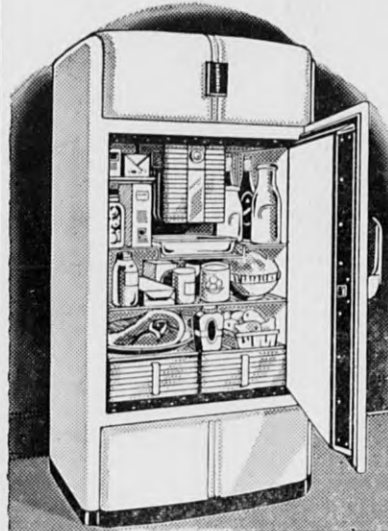


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**West Parish**

—Mrs. Bertha Reed of Argilla road is spending the week with her sister in Lowell.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Hodgson of Cambridge were recent guests of Mrs. Sydney Batchelder, Argilla road.

—Mrs. John Rasmussen and Elsie, and Dorothy Foster of Lowell street spent Tuesday in Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lanmen of Abington are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Emil DesRoches of Argilla road.

—Miss Mary Winslow of Newton recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow of Lowell street.

—Thomas and Janet Carter of Lowell street attended the Bruin-Chicago Black Hawk hockey game at the Boston Garden Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Nick Zock of Bellevue road recently visited in Boston.

—Miss Frances Metcalf has returned to her home in Saugus after spending several days with her cousin, Marilyn Lewis of Lowell street.

—Rev. and Mrs. Waldo Savage and Nancy of Dunstable were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Donald Savage on Sunday.

—Miss Mabel Greenough of Somerville spent the week-end at the Carter homestead on High Plain road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis of Lowell street visited with friends in Dover, N. H., on Sunday.

—Mrs. Malcolm Gavin and son Malcolm of Arlington were Sunday guests of Mr. H. B. Champion of Haggetts Pond road.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. Wilson Haley and Ruth and Edgar of Beverly were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood of Lowell street.

—Miss Julia Brine of Brockton spent the past week with Mrs. Walter Pike of Lowell street.

**Grange Enjoys Historic Talks**

"Boston Harbor in History and Commerce" was the subject of the talk by Miss Madeleine Hewes at the Grange meeting Tuesday evening in the Grange Hall. She illustrated her talk with a large map showing Boston.

Papers were read on the "Life of George Washington" by Harry Dawson; "Anecdotes in the Life of George Washington," Herbert Lewis; and excerpts from "The Life of Abraham Lincoln" by Ebba Peterson. Avis Robson rendered several piano solos.

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**Mr. Carter Celebrates 84th Birthday**

George M. Carter, one of the oldest residents of West Andover, celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday last Sunday at a dinner party at the Carter homestead. Two other members of the family, grandsons of Mr. Carter, also celebrated their birthdays the same week. David Haartz was three on Wednesday and George M. Carter, 2nd, of Suffield was eight last Friday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bryant and Winifred; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Strain of Somerville; Mrs. Richard Carter and sons George and Philip of Suffield, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz and David of Hull; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter and family; Mabel Greenough, Eliphalet Carter and Dudley Thompson.

Mr. Carter's many friends join in wishing him many happy returns.

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**TO HOLD UNION MEETING**

The Prayer Circle and Missionary department of the South church will hold a union meeting Thursday afternoon, March 7, at three o'clock. The subject of the Prayer Circle will be, "The Love That Conquers."

"Women and the Way," a symposium on Christ and the world's womanhood, will be reviewed by Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, for the Missionary department.

**LAWRENCE MEN'S CLASS HEARS VAN DER STUCKEN**

Dirk van der Stucken, Phillips academy instructor, addressed the Men's class of the German Presbyterian church in Lawrence last Friday evening, speaking on the "European Situation."

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## Ski Tales

The U. S. Eastern Amateur Ski Championship races and jumping contests are going to be held at the Laconia-Gilford Recreation area this week-end. (Does that ring any bells for you?...Amateurs, that means us doesn't it, or do you think the races are practically in the knapsack?)...Bradford Boynton of North Conway, formerly of Andover, entered the races at Cranmore mountain last week-end.... Although he hasn't been doing much skiing this winter, he came in thirtieth against seventy competitors...Kellogg Boynton is also at North Conway and is teaching at the Cranmore Ski school...

Among those who watched were Betty McDonald, Jack and Helen Twigg, H. Lester Utley, Frances Souter, and Alan Chadwick...John Doherty spent the week-end in the skimobile, preferring round trips to trips...Like the fireman who works night and day to put out a big forest fire and then sits down and has a smoke...Lyle Phillips of the riding academy enjoyed last week-end at Bristol, N. H., and was hardly ever out of his harnesses... (It spoils the point of the story to mention that they were ski harnesses)...Mrs. Phillips, Lila and Billy have also taken up widespread sport...("Skiers appendages are often widespread, too," says the voice of experience)...Virginia Wise and Dorothy McDonough chose the slopes at Epping which seemed the smart thing to do although when they arrived there it proved to be rather dotty...

Gilford's magnetic hills attracted many local skiers to steel away Sunday, among whom were Ronald M. Valentine, Jo Wright, Ed Goodwin, John Lowe, Midge and Norm Buchan...The drawing power of North Woodstock can not be overlooked with May Elander, Nance Hird, Elizabeth Stephen, Reta Buchan, Louise Sherman and Florence Gates enjoying their mid-winter vacation there...

Two regrettable accidents occurred recently however when Ralph Newton injured his back at Uncanoonuc, Thursday, and Sally Ballard sprained her ankle at the Country club, Sunday...

What constitutes an amateur standing, anyway, the fact that you're in good standing?... or is it the state of being not as good as you profess to be?... Ben says that until I learn to detour I can cut no (vice with him...

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### HOLD HOUSE WARMING AT NEW HOME

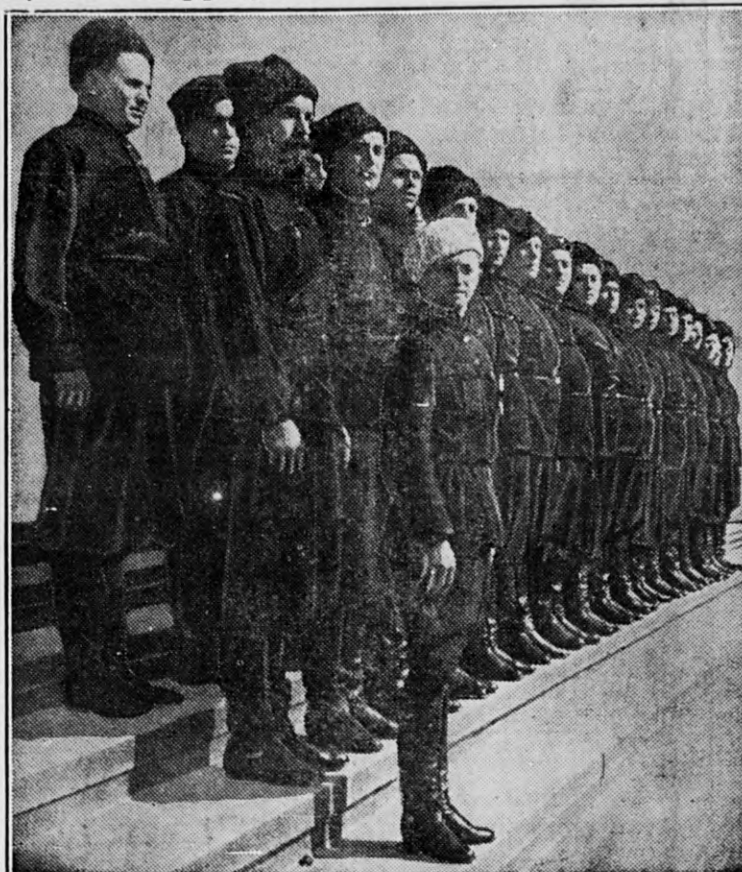
Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Carlton entertained a number of their friends at a tea Washington's Birthday at their new home on Cheever Circle.

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## Don Cossacks, "Giant Singing Horsemen Of The Steppes," In Concert Tomorrow



The celebrated Don Cossack Russian Male Chorus will offer a colorful program of folk songs and music of old Russia at the George Washington hall tomorrow evening at 8:15.

The program is divided into three parts, the first devoted to church music, the second to beautiful and haunting folk melodies of Russia,

and the final group to stirring Cossack soldier songs, accompanied by shrill calls, barbaric shouts, and frenzied dancing.

This is the third visit of the Chorus to Andover and at both previous visits they sang to a capacity audience. Tomorrow night's program is entirely new and especially entertaining. For tickets call Miss White, telephone 720.

### Male Choir To Sing At Union Lenten Services

Another in the series of Union Lenten Vesper Services will be held Sunday evening at the South church, with the Male Choir providing the music. John D. Newall will be organist and J. Edward Comtois violinist.

The Male Choir will sing: "Bless the Lord, O My Soul," "Rock of Ages," "The Lord's Prayer," "Holiness Becometh Thine House," "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring," "Prayer Perfect," "Thanks Be To Thee," "Softly and Tenderly," "The Lost Chord."

### TURKEY SUPPER TUESDAY NIGHT

The men of the South church will hold a turkey supper Tuesday evening at 6:15 at the vestry. There will be plenty of turkey for all. The committee chairmen are: Carl Elander, kitchen; Charles Armitage, entertainment; Foster Barnard, tickets, telephone 202 and 683-W; Roland Thompson, Jr., waiters. Tickets are 50 cents.

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Albert Asmeaga, 33 Brook street, Lawrence, and May Virginia Shorten, 10 Elm street.

### Ceremony Culminates College Romance

Culminating a long friendship begun in college at Yankton, S. D., Miss Bertha Gross Tripp of Claremont, Calif., and Rev. Edward Delavan Disbrow of Phillipston and this town were married recently at the hospital home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Kinney, 661 South Los Robles avenue. Mrs. Kinney is a niece of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Bruce Persing, another niece of the bridegroom, played the Mendelssohn Wedding March as the bride with her attendants, Mrs. Dudley Hedger, a cousin, matron of honor, and Miss Gertrude Cozard, maid of honor, entered the beautifully decorated living room to join the bridegroom and his best man, Dr. Cheney Gross, brother of the bride, at the altar.

Then followed the wedding hymn sung by Mrs. Ralph Disbrow Hoard, another niece of the bridegroom.

The impressive service written by Prof. Austin Phelps was used by Dr. Edward Burgi of Los Angeles. After the formal service, Mrs. Howard sang "O Promise Me" and "Because."

The bride wore her going away gown of blue with a corsage of violets, centered with pink camellias. Her attendants wore corsages of white gardenias.

## Cooling Off

LEAP YEAR  
Feb 1940

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According to our present calendar every year divisible by four is a leap year, with the exception, mark you, of those years divisible by 100 and not by 400... (this was evidently voted upon before the days of woman suffrage)... Thus the years 1800 and 1900 which Scarlett O'Hara strategically dodged didn't have any leap year...

BUT 1940 does...and today being Leap Day, this column has commenced a survey to see how many friendships have been altered... and in an interview yesterday with one of the town's most eligible bachelors found to its horror that the aforementioned had no fear of the pending Leap Day, evidently having armored himself against the advances of enamoured jeunes filles...and trying to side step the inevitability of June fees...

Anyway, it's here and every man for himself...if he can get away with it...After all, even the Liberty Bell cracked, and it has been said that the occasion occurred in 1776, also a leap year, although historians maintain the damage was done in 1846, which wasn't...And if it took a lot of rope to ring the Liberty Bell, it will probably take a whole lot more to ring the wedding bell...smiles and smiles...

The Greeks may not have had a Leap Year but they had a god who took care of the situation just as well—better even, if we are to believe our myths—His name was Anteros, the god of mutual love, and he had some very severe punishments for those who didn't reciprocate...Consequently life must have been a game of chance for the Greeks...if they wanted to be passed by, they had to Ante up... That is, if they didn't want to make any eros...

So happy Leap Day and here's hoping all the single men go into a hurdle...

A wedding breakfast was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Rollo Webber.

The officiating clergyman was an old friend of both the bride and groom and also attended Yankton college.

The couple departed for a quiet honeymoon after which they will return to their home at 452 West Sixth street, Claremont.

The bride comes of a family noted for civic and religious activity and the groom is of colonial and revolutionary stock.

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## GARDEN CLUB NOTES

Mrs. Ethel B. Eno of Bradford will be the speaker at the next meeting of the Andover Garden club to be held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning March 5, at the Andover Inn. Her subject will be "A Cutting Garden."

There will be an exhibit of "Arrangements of Greens" with Mrs. James L. Toohy as chairman of the committee in charge.

## ODD FELLOWS

## POSTPONE TOURNAMENT

The Odd Fellows held their regular business meeting in the upper Fraternal hall last night.

The indoor baseball-carpet bowling tournament which was scheduled to have been held with the United Brothers Lodge of Lawrence last Monday evening was postponed.

The next meeting will be held in the hall Wednesday evening.

## TO SING AT

## WOMAN'S UNION

The members of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club chorus will sing this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the mid-winter meeting of the Women's Union of the South church.

## MISS CHURCH

## TO SPEAK

Miss Myra C. Church of the Lawrence City Mission will speak to the members of the Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters at their meeting next Monday evening at eight o'clock. Her subject will be the Mutual Work of the Two Organizations.

## JR. UNION TO MEET

The Junior Woman's union will meet Wednesday evening at 8:00 at the home of Mrs. Donald Savage. Mrs. Karl Haartz and Mrs. Harry Wright will assist Mrs. Savage in serving refreshments.

## B. W. V. COMMITTEE

## PLAN BUSY MONTH

The British War Veterans are planning many activities for the month of March under the direction of the entertainment committee which is headed by John Nicoll. Assisting him are: Norman K. MacLeish, James Batty, George Mitchell, James Nicoll, William Cargill, Silas Walton, Alexander Beedie, George Addison, Peter Doherty and James Mitchell.

March 8, the local Post will entertain the Methuen Legion at Square and Compass hall at which time the two organizations will hold their annual bowling match.

The town hall has been selected as the setting for the public dance to be held Saturday evening, March 16.

William O'Brien will be the speaker at the meeting March 22 in Square and Compass hall.

The date of the anniversary banquet has been set for April 20.

The committee will meet at Mr. Nicoll's home on Essex street next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neil, Miss Katherine O'Neil, and Mrs. Sarah O'Neil of Amesbury visited Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCarthy of Main street Sunday.

## "The Reward Of Crime" Or "The Love Of Gold" To Be In Realm Of Super-Colossi

On Saturday, March 16, at 8:15 o'clock the drama-lovers of Andover will be treated to a rare and long-awaited thrill. Under the expert direction of Mervin Stevens of the Adventurers, the Evening Study Group Play Production Class will put on W. Henri Wilkins' soul-stirring classic of life in old New England, "The Reward of Crime or The Love of Gold."

This play whose subtle characterizations have baffled such immortal Thespians as the Divine Sara and John Barrymore, is at last to receive a production worthy of its merits. Lavish settings designed by Clifford Emmons of the Adventurers will delight the eye. The cast, without a doubt the greatest accoutrement of talent ever assembled on one stage, beggars description.

Come and see Beauty in distress, come and see Vice stamped out and Virtue triumphant. Come and bring your friends. Come with ten cents, one dime—that's all it costs. Watch for further information about this super-colossal production!

## Punchard Beaten As High School Tourney Opens

Punchard won the Upper Merri-mack Valley Smaller High school basketball tourney last year, but that didn't frighten the Essex Aggies team. Last night up they came from Hathorne and in the first round of the tourney they eliminated Punchard 25-22. They didn't score the first period, they trailed 8-9 at halftime, they tied it 15 all at the end of the third, and then their momentum put them ahead as the game ended. Tonight Punchard will meet Dracut in a consolation game, Dracut having lost 24 to 21 to Howe yesterday. Groveland and Central Catholic are playing this afternoon, they having defeated Georgetown and Johnson 30-13 and 30-21 respectively. The latter two will meet in consolation this afternoon.

Tonight Burlington will meet the Aggies, Burlington having eliminated Tewksbury 34 to 10. Howe will play the winner of the Groveland-Central Catholic game. Friday afternoon Tewksbury will meet the winner of Georgetown-Johnson and finals will take place tomorrow night.

## TO ENTERTAIN LAFALOT CLUB

The monthly meeting of the Lafalot club will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Roy Hood on Abbot street.

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## Ember Starts Attic Blaze

The fire department was called out Tuesday night to battle a blaze at the residence of Hugh Bullock, South Main street. The damage was confined to the attic of the house, but if there had been a heavy wind the blaze might have gained considerable headway. It apparently started from an ember which came out of the chimney from a fireplace fire, igniting wooden shingles.

## YOUNG REPUBLICANS TO DISCUSS WARRANT

There will be a round-table discussion on the town warrant at the meeting of the Young Men's Republican club in the National Bank building next Thursday. Fred Butler will pre-moderate, and the speakers will include members John MacKenzie and Elmer Grover, both of whom are interested in articles in the warrant.

—George A. Higgins of Chestnut street is at the Baker Memorial hospital in Boston where he underwent a serious operation last Friday. Although Mr. Higgins' condition is still very critical, friends will be glad to know that he is resting as comfortably as can be expected.

—Frank R. MacMackin, Caris-brooke street, will leave Tuesday to attend the 1940 Surfstyle Congress to be held March 7 and 8 by the McDougall-Butler Co., Inc., at Buffalo.

—Miss Mabel Marshall of Pasho street is spending the week renewing acquaintances in Mexico, Me.

## Class Holds Opening Performance Tonight

The Margaret Slattery Class Minstrel Show will be staged in the Free Church parish house tonight and Friday night at 8 o'clock.

The soloists for the performance will be Mrs. Sadie Denholm and Mrs. Marie Souther.

Specialty numbers will be given by Miss Ann Talleri of Melrose, Ernest Emory of Lawrence, and Miss Mildred Dennison of Andover.

Mrs. Dana Clark will act as interlocutor, and Mrs. James Sullivan will be at the piano.

The endmen include: Mrs. Thos. Woodhead, Mrs. David MacDonald, Misses Emma Stevens, Edna Anderson, Ruby Laurie, and Isabel Mac-laren.

Miss Margaret Laurie is chairman of the committee in charge and is being assisted by Mrs. David MacDonald, Misses Janet Barwell, Frances Jamieson, Frances Hartman, Grace Lake and Isabel Mac-laren.

## DRAMATIC DEPARTMENT TO MEET IN METHUEN

The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will meet March 8 at the home of Mrs. Frederick Higgins of Methuen. Mrs. George Weldon will be co-hostess.

## TO HEAR

## STATE CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Fritz Roethlisberger of Cambridge, Chairman of Legislation for the Massachusetts League of Women Voters, will speak on Friday afternoon at the final meeting of the local League study group on United States Foreign Policy. She will discuss the Hull Reciprocal Trade Agreements, and will answer questions from the group. The meeting will be held at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. John S. Barss, who has been leading the group, Hidden Field. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

## FASHION SHOW HELD AT V. F. W. AUXILIARY

A fashion show was held at the meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary meeting in the Musgrove building last night with the following members taking part: Mrs. Louise Simeone, Mrs. Annie Finucane, Mrs. Bertha Folley, Mrs. Elsie Ebersbach, and Mrs. Catherine Quinn.

Refreshments followed served by Mrs. Catherine Quinn, Mrs. Annie Finucane, and Mrs. Bertha Folley.

The V. F. W. auxiliary have accepted the invitation of the British War Veterans auxiliary to attend the entertainment and Irish night to be held in the Square and Compass club hall by the latter group on Wednesday evening, March 13.

Plans for a big public whist party to be held in March were also made at this meeting. The date will be announced later.

A beano party for auxiliary members will be held at Mrs. Cruikshank's, on 123 Easton street, Lawrence, on Wednesday evening. All members who plan to attend are asked to contact Mrs. Bella Blamire or Mrs. Elsie Ebersbach.

—Philip Christie, editor of the Daily Sentinel, marked his 12th birthday Sunday by giving away free copies of the Sentinel.



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#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas Farnsworth 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 Marion Elizabeth Farnsworth of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her 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 fourth day of March 1940, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register  
Halbert W. Dow, Atty.  
411-12 Bay State Bldg.  
Lawrence, Mass.

(15-22-29)

### Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Howard C. Watts and Margaret E. Watts, husband and wife, both of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, to the Andover Shawshen Realty Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and having its usual place of business in said Andover, dated December 7, 1938, recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 620, Page 25, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES NO. 8 ARGYLE STREET, ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS, ON TUESDAY, MARCH 26th, 1940, AT NINE THIRTY O'CLOCK A. M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:—

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of said Andover known as Shawsheen Village, being shown as Lot thirty-two (32) on plan entitled:—"Plan 'C' showing property owned by Textile Realty Company, Shawsheen Village, Andover, Mass., June 1932, John Franklin C. E., recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Plan No. 878, bounded as follows:—

Easterly by Argyle Street, seventy-five feet; Northerly by Lot thirty-three (33), as shown on said plan, one hundred fifteen and 4/10 feet; Westerly by Lots twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25), as shown on said plan, seventy-five feet; and Southerly by Lot thirty-one (31), as shown on said plan, one hundred fifteen and 6/10 feet.

The Northeasterly corner is at a point in the Westerly line of Argyle Street four hundred seventy-three and 08/100 feet South of its intersection with the Southerly line of Balmoral Street.

The said premises will be sold subject to a prior mortgage to the Lawrence Cooperative Bank in the principal sum of Six Thousand Dollars, plus interest and charges thereon, and also subject to all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and to the restrictions and easements of record insofar as the same are still in force and applicable.

Five Hundred Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

ANDOVER SHAWSHEN REALTY COMPANY, MORTGAGEE, By  
T. EDWIN ANDREW, Treasurer  
Eaton and Chandler, Attys.  
Bay State Bldg.  
Lawrence, Mass.

(29-7-14)

### Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Maude T. Atherton to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation duly established by the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and located at Andover, in the County of Essex, in said Commonwealth, dated October 28, 1937, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds book 611 page 544, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at two o'clock P. M. on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of March, 1940, on the mortgaged premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with all the buildings thereon, situated in said Andover at the southwesterly corner of Main and Locke Streets, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone bound set in the ground at a point in the westerly line of said Main Street at land now or formerly of Mrs. Katherine Pinkney; thence running northerly along said Main Street, one hundred eight and 5/10 (108.5) feet to a stone bound at the southwesterly corner of said Main and Locke Streets; thence turning and running westerly along said Locke Street ninety and 86/100 (90.86) feet to land now or formerly of Christiana Odlin; thence running south 11° east, ninety-one and 5/10 (91.5) feet to a stone bound set in the ground at land now or formerly of said Pinkney; thence running north 76° 47' east by said Pinkney land eighty-eight and 6/10 (88.6) feet to the point of beginning and containing 8,848 square feet. Being the easterly and greater portion of land shown on Plan by D. W. Clark, C. E. entitled "Survey of Land for William Odlin Adm. Andover, Massachusetts" dated

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Terms of sale: A deposit of five hundred dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.  
Andover Savings Bank  
by Louis S. Finger, Treasurer,  
present holder of said mortgage.

Rowell, Clay & Tomlinson, Attys.  
301 Essex Street  
Lawrence, Mass.

(29-7-14)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

#### PROBATE COURT

To Forrest J. McNary of unknown residence

An amended libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, Virginia I. McNary of Andover, in said County of Essex praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court within twenty-one days from the twenty-second day of July 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register  
From the office of:  
Albion G. Peirce  
606 Bay State Bldg.  
Lawrence, Mass.

### TELLS OF TRAVELS IN GREAT BRITAIN

Jean Wilson described her trip through Great Britain at the meeting of the Junior King's Daughters in the South Church vestry Tuesday, Mrs. Miller (Mother Waumpatuck) and Mrs. Smarsdon were unable to attend.

The Circle is planning a rummage sale for March 16 and on March 26, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Smarsdon will speak.

March 12 will be the date of the next meeting and Ruth Cowen's Circle 2 will be in charge of the refreshments. Circle 1, headed by Elinor Houston, was in charge of refreshments Tuesday evening.

## "Marigold" Cast Begins Rehearsals

"Marigold," an Arcadian comedy by L. Allen Harker and F. R. Pryor, has been chosen as the high school production to be given by the senior class this spring. The scenes are set in Scotland about the year 1842 and many of the members of the cast, having close Scotch ancestry in their families, roll their "r-r-r's" as naturally as if they had been born in kiltland. The four acts are packed with action and frivolity which should bring gales of appreciative laughter from all those who enjoy light humor.

The play is being produced under the direction of Mervin E. Stevens, a member of the Punchard faculty, who needs no introduction to Andover playgoing audiences. Mr. Stevens is assisted by Miss Lilian Fox of the English department.

The characters have been cast as follows:

Robina MacFarraline, servant, Ruth Keith; Mrs. Pringle, Minister's wife, Barbara Gahm; Miss Valencia Dunlop, Miss Sarita Dunlop, Archie's aunts, Ruth Cowen, Elinor Houston; Marigold, Andrews' daughter, Elinor Doherty; Peter Gloag, Divinity student, Thomas Davies; Madame Marly, Andrew's wife, Thisbe Papparella; James Payton, Laird of Kettinfoot, Warren Richardson; Archie Forsythe, soldier, Gordon White; Major Andrew Sellar, William Ferguson; Mordan, Archie's soldier servant, Norman Ross; Nigel Lumsden, soldier, Warren Deyermund; Bobbie Townsend, soldier, Philip Beck.

Rehearsals have already been held for the play, which is scheduled to take place in the Memorial auditorium on Friday evening, March 29.

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A large number of students will be away to college this week. They were unable to attend.

On Sunday Miss Friskin, Miss Howe will give a service at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Miss Hearse from the meeting attended last week with alumnae of the middle school.

## CURRENT AFFAIRS TO STUDY

The study group for the current affairs sponsored by the League of Women under the direction of Miss Graham will meet next Wednesday at 2:30 at Mrs. Johnson's home. The meeting will be held in the Welfare Association.

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There has been a meeting of the members and friends of the group.

—Burdette K. to his home from the Lawrence hospital where he is recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

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## Abbot Academy Notes

A large number of the students will be away this week-end because they were unable to go last week-end.

On Sunday afternoon pupils of Miss Friskin, Miss Tingley and Mr. Howe will give a recital at 4:30 o'clock in Davis Hall.

Miss Hearsey will return tonight from the meetings which she attended last week in St. Louis and with alumnae in various cities of the middle west.

### CURRENT AFFAIRS GROUP TO STUDY LOCAL WELFARE

The study group on Current Affairs sponsored by the Andover League of Women Voters and held under the direction of Mrs. M. Phillips Graham will hold its fourth meeting next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at Mrs. Graham's home on Johnson road. The subject for the meeting will be "Private and Public Welfare Activity in Andover."

The following Wednesday, March 13, the group will learn about the Andover Cooperative store, the Adult Education classes at the high school and the naturalization work in Andover.

There has been a large attendance at these meetings so far. Members and friends of the League are cordially invited to attend.

—Burdette K. Poland has returned to his home at 126 Main street from the Lawrence General hospital where he has been recuperating from injuries received in an automobile accident last month.

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### SKIER HURT AT UNCANOONUC

Friends of Ralph Newton of River road will be sorry to learn that he was seriously injured while skiing at Mount Uncanoonuc last Thursday. He was removed to the St. Joseph's hospital in Lowell where he will be confined for a number of weeks. Mr. Newton is an experienced skier.

### WOMAN'S UNION TO HEAR BOOK REVIEW

The Woman's Union of the West church will meet in the vestry next Wednesday at 2:30. Following the business meeting, Miss Angie Burt will review the book "The Great Tradition." A penny auction under the direction of Mrs. Dudley Young will also take place. Tea will be served.

### BIRTHS

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Waldie of 69 Essex street at the Clover Hill hospital, Monday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. George Knight Sanborn, February 26, at the Winchester hospital. The mother is the former Frances Flagg.

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## EDITORIAL

## Have You Decided?

Is your mind all made up about Monday's election? If it is, how did you make it up?

Did you say to yourself: "He's had it long enough. Let somebody else have it now."

Or did you say: "What does he want it for? Let the guy that's in there keep it."

Or perhaps you said: "So-and-so's a good fellow, likeable sort of a chap. I guess I'll vote for him. Whosis has done a good job, but maybe so-and-so will be all right."

Or maybe you felt this way: "Pete would be a good man for the job, but he's not very well-known. I might be wasting my vote, so I'll give it to so-and-so. He's not so good, but he's got a better chance."

And perhaps there are a lot of other things that you based your decision on. But do you think they are very good reasons? Why don't you turn to the back pages of this paper and look at the thumb-nail sketches of the candidates. That's a Who's-Who that can tell you who are the best candidates. Look at

the position to be filled, think of what type of a man should fill that position and what his qualifications should be. If he's been in office, don't automatically vote for him again; try to find out if his record as an office-holder has been good. If it has, by all means vote for him; if it hasn't, vote for someone else if you see anyone listed who would be better. Those sketches give such items as education and business experience, very important items.

More important than the town meeting is this election. These men that you elect Monday are the ones who will give most of the say as to how your money shall be spent, and how much shall be asked for next year. They are the ones who will appoint town employees, and the town employees spend your money. So look carefully at the qualifications, and if there is any doubt in your mind, ask yourself: "Will he serve the town's best interest and has he the capacity to serve those interests better than the others on the ticket?"

## Light On Lights

"Street lighting committee?" Of course we have one. What does it do? When does it do it? Well, now, we really don't know much about it. But from what we hear, it might be suiting our governmental organization to the facts a little better if we just didn't appoint a committee to supervise street lighting.

For actually the committee has met once in the past year, organized, and then for all practical purposes disbanded. They haven't met since. Bills have been approved, we guess; lights have been installed, we guess. And that's all the members can do about it too—just guess.

## Hold Hearing On Street Acceptance

The Board of Survey held a hearing Monday night on the acceptance of three streets which will come up at town meeting. At the meeting were the Board of Public Works and representatives of the Taxpayers' association, interested because it was reported that streets in the past had been accepted before the owners had

met the proper conditions, thus costing the town a considerable sum of money.

Careful consideration is being given the three streets, and the Survey board has not rendered a decision yet. The Public Works board has recommended that Apple-tree Lane and Cheever Circle be accepted as presented, but that Dartmouth road be accepted only to the end of the present water line.

## THANKS

We would like to thank our customers for their patience and understanding during the recent snow storms and ensuing days. The many drifts and impassable roads made the task of delivery one of the toughest we ever had. We have done our utmost to fill your orders with all possible speed, but even then some were unavoidably delayed. But we appreciate the way you understood and sympathized with our problem, and your cooperation was extremely valuable.

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## Honor Miss Farmer On Completion Of 50 Years Of Service

A devoted friend of the Townsman, one who has watched it from the days when it was something new to its present state, one whose part in its growth was a very important one, Miss Nellie Farmer was guest of honor on Washington's birthday at a tea which marked the completion of fifty years of service to the Andover Press. The tea, attended by directors and past employees, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip P. Cole, 35 Morton street.

Miss Farmer was for many years bookkeeper and assistant treasurer at the Press, and she is at present paymaster. She started work there on Washington's Birthday week in 1890, and except for a seven months' period when she was forced to relinquish her duties because of eyestrain, she has been active at the Press ever since.

Miss Farmer was presented with a large bouquet by the employees, with ten five dollar bills embellishing the blossoms. The directors also presented her with fifty dollars. A beautifully bound guest book and many other bouquets were also given her. There was a large birthday cake.

John N. Cole, 2nd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cole, greeted the guests at the door and Miss Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Cole received.

Light refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake were served by the following:

Miss Margaret Hodge, Miss Henrietta Cashan, Miss Barbara Elder, Miss Elizabeth Gordon, Mrs. Harold Johnson, Miss Catherine McMahon, Miss Ruth Saunders, Mrs. George Collins, Mrs. Dino G. Valz, Mrs. Mary C. Edmands and Mrs. Kenneth B. Mozeen.

Those who poured were: Mrs. Frederick B. Noss, Mrs. Burton S. Flagg, Mrs. E. D. Walen, Mrs. Harry H. Tyer and Mrs. Charles Smith.

## Two Election Officers Named

Two changes were made this week in the list of election officers appointed last August. Norman MacLeish will take the place of Alex Beedie in precinct two, Mr. Beedie's duties at the bank and Square and Compass club having made it impossible for him to serve. In precinct three George Cairns will be replaced by Leonard Johnson, since Mr. Cairns is running for office.

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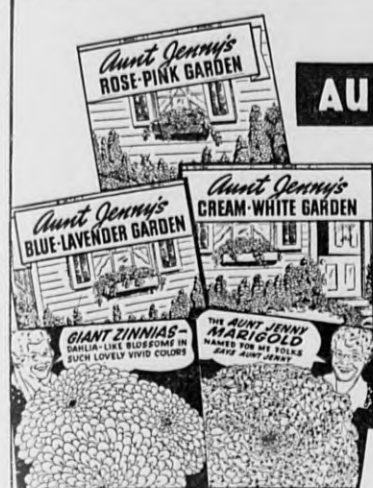
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## News of Other Days

### Fifty Years Ago

—The Fire company and steamer were out for the regular monthly practice Wednesday evening. Several members of the Ballardvale company were present, and witnessed the work of the engine. After the practice, all were invited to the Engine House where steamed clams and chowder, were served. Tables were arranged in the upper room in the building, which has just been repaired for a banquet hall. The room, which has hitherto been without a floor, has had a floor laid. Hardy and Cole giving the lumber, and members of the company laying it.

—Miss Nellie Farmer succeeds Miss Cole at the Andover Book store.

—One of our well-known anglers took a 3½ pound black bass from Poms pond Wednesday; also several pickerel.

—Hardly more than one quarter of the membership of the lower grades of the public schools was in attendance Monday on account of the severe snow storm.

### Twenty-five Years Ago

—The Scientific American of this week has for a cover illustration a finely executed painting from the brush of the well-known artist, William Hamden Foster. It depicts a locomotive about to fall into a river through a demolished bridge and is full of life and action. On the back cover appears another one of Mr. Foster's paintings and illustrates a race between an automobile and train.

—The Ballardvale Mills are running full time.

—Alfred Duncan of Beverly spent the week-end at the home of Henry Fairweather on Brechin Terrace.

—Jerome W. Cross has purchased the Harrington farm, located on Salem street directly west of his own residence. He will at once begin the remodelling of the barn and will make such additions as will be necessary for a first-class riding school.

### Ten Years Ago

—Miss Ann Harnedy of Summer street spent the week-end at Cohasset.

—Miss Betty Manning has returned to her home on Maple Court after spending a week with friends in Portland, Me.

—Widespread interest in the contests for the offices of selectman, town clerk, and treasurer, drew out 3533 voters on Monday (nearly 800 more than last year) resulting in the re-election of Dr. Jeremiah J. Daly as selectman and assessor, Thaxter Eaton as town treasurer and George A. Higgins as Town Clerk.

—Mr. Higgins was successful in being re-elected to the office of town clerk which he has held for twenty years. Tree Warden Ralph Berry secured re-election and William B. Cheever controlled the votes for tax collector.

### HOLDS MARCH SEWING MEETING

The March sewing meeting of the Lawrence General hospital will be held next Tuesday at St. Augustine's Episcopal church in South Lawrence from 2:00 to 5:00. Sewing for the hospital, tea will be served.

### MALE CHOIR ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Male choir will sing at the Union Lenten service next Sunday evening which will be held at the South church.

March 9, the choir will sing over station WAAB from 8 to 8:30. This will be the first in a series of programs sponsored by the New England Federation of Men's Glee Clubs, and the local choir, having won the grand prize at the Federation concert last spring, have the honor of rendering the first broadcast.

About sixty students from the public schools who have been chosen to sing with the choir at the P. T. A. concert to be given in April, will have a rehearsal in the Legion rooms tomorrow morning at 9:00.

Last Sunday's concert at the First-United Presbyterian church in Lawrence was ample proof that the choir is constantly improving and the prospect of a good showing at this year's Federation concert is certain. J. Edward Comtois played several violin solos.

### C. D. A. ENJOYS SOCIAL MEETING

The C. D. A. held their monthly social meeting Tuesday evening in Parochial school hall. Card games and singing were enjoyed by all members present. The next meeting will be held March 12.

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—Miss Freda Peterson of Kensington street was a recent visitor in Newburyport.

—Miss Jean Anderson of Dufton road was a recent visitor in New York City.

—Miss Esther Batchelder of the Merrimack Mutual Insurance Co. was a recent visitor in North Conway.

—Malcolm Bennert of Kenilworth street has recovered from a recent operation.

—Mrs. Fred S. Pidgeon of Lowell street has recovered from a recent illness.

—Edward C. Nichols of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance company is visiting in Miami, Fla.

—Miss Ethel Brindle of Enmore street is enjoying a respite from her studies at the Lowell State Teachers' college.

—Miss Marguerite Barrett of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company was a recent visitor in Milton.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall, Jr., of Chicopee Falls recently visited with Mrs. George Ward of Lowell street.

—Miss Marjorie Howes of York street has recovered from a recent illness.

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## T. P. A. ACTS

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be derived from these extra stands would not come to the town but instead to the athletic association of the high school, the association should seek means of taking care of this as one of its expenses. The Hussey's pond purchase article also received the same fate. It was felt that the purchase price of \$1500 was high since the property is assessed for only \$600. It was stated that the company would probably not agree to even \$1500. The town at present is paying \$100 a year for the use of the pond.

An article asking \$950 for a retaining wall and sidewalk on Walnut avenue was approved because it was felt that a dangerous condition existed here. The Dartmouth road drainage project, asking \$600, was disapproved since it was reported that serious doubt existed as to where the water could be drained to. The Argilla road relocating article of \$625 was approved because of the dangerous turn at the Baker homestead.

The article asking \$200 for the Brass Band concerts was disapproved. Under the garbage disposal article which merely asks for town action and not an appropriation it was suggested that the moderator should appoint a committee to study this matter. The Haggetts pond fishing article was disapproved, it being reported that the state department of health would not allow this anyway regardless of town action. Articles 57 and 58 asking three year terms for town treasurer and tax collector were approved, but article 59 asking the same for the tree warden was disapproved, it being suggested that savings could be made by having the tree warden appointive and the department a part of some other department. It was reported that the town counsel is now studying the Bailey school sale article to see if under the terms of the original deed the town has a right to sell. The straightening of Osgood road at \$150 was approved.

## Playground Changed

The playground appropriation of \$2470 was reported on by Herbert Lewis and it was approved. There

is an added item of \$560 this year for a toilet building at the Vale playground. In the past the fire station toilet has been used, with the children having to run across the street.

On the brush fire truck article asking \$3000, Mr. Remington reported that the department had admitted to him that it was necessary. The article was approved, but a study is being made to see if \$3000 is absolutely necessary.

A further report on the police department was made by Wallace Brimer who stated that the local expenditures compared very well with other towns such as Methuen and Reading. The latter town has two more patrolmen than Andover. It was felt that economy could be realized by making clerical help available for the chief of police, since at present much of his time is taken up by typing reports, summonses, etc., whereas his time as chief is more valuable in police work.

## PASTOR SPEAKS

## AT SOCIETY MEETING

At the weekly meeting of the Girls' Friendly society of the Christ church last Monday evening, Rev. Albert C. Morris spoke on prayer and the value of it.

Refreshments were served following the rector's talk by the following committee: Martha Howe, chairman; Mary Shiebler, Marjorie Forbes, Charlotte Marland and Bertha Hilton.

At the next meeting of the young girls on Monday evening, Missionary sewing will be carried on.

## For Election Results

MONDAY EVENING

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The Phillips Academy Jayvees were not "hepped" to the hoop last Saturday afternoon, as they fell down in defeat before a more versatile Andover Boys' Club variety five, to the rhythms of a stirring score that sang the tune "45 to 23."

The club presented an encore last Tuesday evening, when they met and conquered the Billerica B. A. A., this time playing "47 to 16."

The Boys' club will duel with the St. Michael's quintet tonight at the latter squad's court, and from all indications it should be a (w)hooping good game. Friday evening at 7:30, the Brooks Athletic club from Chelmsford will be entertained at the Andover Guild.

James Gorrie, James McKee and Frank Fettes were outstanding in the acquisition of the team's victories, while Captain David Brown and Manager Melville Holden have also been instrumental in their squad's success.

The prospects of the local team being invited to play in the Greater Lawrence tournament are very good, it having lost only three games so far.

The boys really look pretty "jazzy" in their new Andover blue and white uniforms and it seems to pep up their playing a bit as well as prove an attraction to the spectators.

Roger H. Whitcomb is publicity manager for the club.

## TOWN ELECTION

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esting by the withdrawal of former officer William R. Shaw.

In the school committee contest there are three positions to be filled, with only two incumbents running. They are William A. Doherty and John M. Erving. Harold C. Dunn, John E. Haggerty, William Hulse, Jr., John E. MacKenzie, and Malcolm B. McTernan are in the field, and anyone trying to make predictions as to who the three school committeemen will be had better not wager any money on their guesses.

A similar situation exists in the Public Works contest where eight candidates, none of them incumbents, are trying for two positions. They are: William F. Barron, George R. Cairns, William McCoubrie, Clinton D. Shaw, Eldon E. Stark, Arthur E. Steinert, Alexander Thomson, John B. White. Guesses would be useless.

The other contest is for tree warden, where George R. Abbott, the present warden, is opposed by Everett D. Burton, Thomas F. Morrissey and Thomas D. Taylor. This is Burton's first try for public office. Morrissey has tried for the position before, while Taylor, who has been prominent in federal, state and local tree work for many years, has polled a sizeable vote in past years. The department has been the subject of considerable controversy in the past year, with the finance committee, Taxpayers' association and the town meeting vetoing a proposed increase in appropriation and in salary last year and the first two having taken the same action this year.

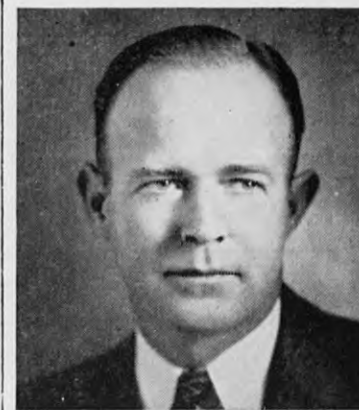
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Suffolk Law SchoolSigned: John E. Haggerty  
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**ELECTION DAY — MARCH 4, 1940**Signed: William F. Barron  
Haggett's Pond Road



## TOWN ELECTION

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those candidates who responded to the Townsman's request for this information.

## FOR SELECTMAN-ASSESSOR

**Howell F. Shepard**, Dascomb road, for re-election; educated Vermont Academy, Lowell Textile; 22 months in France, ambulance service; treasurer Watson-Park Company; trustee Vermont Academy; member Legion, V. F. W., Service club; secretary two years selectmen and chairman four years.

**P. LeRoy Wilson**, born Amesbury, proprietor of Andover News company; educated Amesbury schools; member Service Club; first president Brass Band, bugle sergeant Bugle and Drum corps, director Junior Legion drum corps; married, has three children.

## FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

**William A. Doherty**, for re-election; on school board 9 years, chairman buildings and grounds 8 years, elected on publicity issue; 14 years local correspondent Lawrence Tribune; over five years real estate, insurance business here.

**Harold C. Dunn**, 93 Salem street; born in Brockton, attended public schools there; traveled mid-west three years; in hardware, heating business many years; now developing Appletree Lane section; 2 years president Andover PTA, 4 years president PTA Council; Service Club, Masons.

**John M. Erving**, for re-election; born Andover, local schools, Phillips Academy, M. I. T., served World War, engineering department American Woolen 20 years, insurance engineer N. E. Fire Insurance Rating Assn., since 1936 in insurance business in Lawrence; school board 3 years, cemetery trustee.

**John Haggerty**, Andover street, born in Reading, attended Ballardvale and Andover schools, P. H. S. 1936, honor student at Suffolk Law school for three years.

**William Hulse, Jr.**, born in England, came to U. S. when 2 years old, Methuen schools, Lawrence Evening High 1926, two years McIntosh Commercial school, Lowell Textile, employed by Hardy and Ross 10 years, now assistant manager Andover Recreation Center; married, one child.

**John M. MacKenzie**, 35 Balmoral street, attended Hanover public schools, Everett High, Boston University, Columbia University Law school; employed as corporation secretary, office manager, safety engineer, now claim adjuster; married.

**Malcolm B. McTernan**, born in Andover, local schools, Phillips Academy, Tufts Dental, dentist here 33 years; member Historical Society, Square and Compass, St. Matthew's lodge, present time district deputy grand master 11th masonic district; married, two children.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

**William F. Barron**, born in Scotland; educated public schools Lawrence and Cannon's Commercial; 25 years foreman Pacific Mills; member street lighting committee; sponsored civil service police and fire department.

**George R. Cairns**, born Lawrence, educated Lawrence schools, lived in Andover 18 years; builder of Shawshien Heights and Lincoln Circle, constructed four streets, laid 4000 feet water main, raised property from \$23 taxes to \$4000; married, two children.

**William McCoubrie**, born in Andover; educated here, graduated Pynchard 1926; active athletics; organized Young Men's Republican Club 1935, president '35, '36; candidate B. P. W. 1937; Republican nominee representative 1938; married; employed mechanical department, Shawshien Mills.

**Clinton D. Shaw**, born Chichester, N. H., educated Natick, Natick H. S. 1919; attended Wentworth; with manufacturers of mahogany lumber and veneer since 1921, in direct charge of sales; lived here 10 years, conducts large dairy and fruit farm at Wildwood Farm with father-in-law.

**Eldon E. Stark**, born Guildhall, Vt.; graduated Haverhill, N. H., Academy, N. H. U. 1911, majored in engineering; worked with dam builders; five years with National Bank of Newbury; army service in war; for 21 years with Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co., now trust officer; lived here past ten years.

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**Arthur E. Steinert**, born Lawrence; in contracting business many years, building schools, theatres (Capitol), apartment houses, private homes; lived in Shawshien for almost 12 years; married, three children; in navy during war; member Legion, Masonic Lodge, Aleppo Temple.

**John B. White**, born in Scotland, lived here 30 years; employed in T. A. Holt company store, later foreman at Smith and Dove Mill; for past several years proprietor of Elm Street Service Station; member of Service Club and Clan; married.

## TREE WARDEN

**George R. Abbott**, for re-election; born in Andover; graduated Pynchard High, Lowell Textile; studied tree work Mass. State College 1925, 1937-38-39, M. I. T. 1938 in tree surgery and insect control; private tree work many years; elected warden 1937, 1938, 1939.

**Everett D. Burton**, educated Providence schools, construction and power plant fields; research chemist petroleum oils; sales engineer chemical, fertilizer equipment; designer commercial greenhouses, equipment for vegetable growers, florists; manager Andover Coal, later local manager Cross Coal; now in lumber, building material, fuel business; has studied tree maintenance, repair methods.

**Thomas D. Taylor**, lived here over 40 years; lifetime of tree work, including state conservation department, foreman; then foreman on forestry work for U. S. Agric. Dept.; then National Park work with U. S. Interior Dept., superintendent of over 200 men; supervised work on local shade trees done by N. E. Tree Expert Co.; married.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO HOLD MEETING

The executive committee of the Pynchard Alumni association will meet Monday evening at 7:30 in the high school.

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Members of the Andover League heard a most instructive presentation in Pan-American all-day meeting at the

The subject of the session, which was Civil Rights, was presented by Miss Mary S. Ham House, who presided at the meeting. She discussed four American citizens studying in Sweeney, who travelled extensively, studying schools on a feller Foundation. She gave a talk, telling of the conditions of the various countries. "We said," she said, "that we have a united continent of several different of which are while others, Argentina, and The South American are not hand European ones there is still progress, and ward the future."

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## League All-Day Meeting Presents Civil Rights Discussion

Members and friends of the Andover League of Women Voters heard a most interesting and instructive program on "Civil Rights in Pan-American Countries" at the all-day meeting held last Wednesday at the Andover Inn.

The subject of the morning session, which began at 11 o'clock, was Civil Rights in South America. Miss Mary Sweeney, head of Bertram House at Radcliffe college, presided at this session and introduced four women from South American countries who are now studying in this country. Miss Sweeney, who has recently travelled extensively in South America, studying universities and schools on a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation and Radcliffe college, gave a short introductory talk, telling the audience something of the geography and politics of the various South American countries. "We must realize," she said, "that South America is not a united continent, but is made up of several different countries, some of which are politically backward, while others, such as Uruguay and Argentina, are most progressive. The South American dictatorships are not 'hand and glove' with the European ones. In South America there is still the pioneer spirit of progress, and the people look toward the future with hope."

First of the South American speakers was Miss Herminia Kossen of Chile. She traced the growth of independence in her country, and told of the first constitution of 1818. Chileans have the same civil rights as those of the United States residents. An active feminist movement has brought women the municipal, but not the national, vote, and the right to administer the "fruit of her own labor." Women now enter the professions on the same footing with men, as doctors, judges, lawyers. Miss Kossen denied the existence of foreign influences in Chilean politics. In 1932, she said, a party was formed whose basic principles were those of Fascism and Nazism, but it had no connection with Germany or Italy; it was mainly nationalist in feeling. Bunds among the large German colony are suppressed by the government when they seem dangerous.

Representing Argentina, Miss Elba Picabea from Buenos Aires told of civil rights in her country. The constitution of 1853 was directly patterned on our constitution, and gives the same civil rights. Argentina has complete freedom of the press, and publishes two of the finest newspapers in the world. Here, too,

women have the municipal vote in some provinces, but not the national vote. There is legal separation, but no divorce. The Communist party in Argentina is small and negligible, and a Fascist organization which was once formed was declared illegal and dissolved by the government.

There were two speakers from Brazil. Mrs. Diva Martins and Miss Cecilia de Castro Silva. In their country, a very active feminist movement, of which the speakers traced the history, has given women the national vote and all equal rights with men. Women enter positions on the same salary basis as men. There is now a dictatorship in Brazil, but the speakers stated that it had no connection with foreign movements, and that it would soon be ended by a plebiscite.

Luncheon was served at 12:45. At the head table were Miss Sweeney and the South American guests. Mrs. John Little, president of the League, Mrs. Claude Fues, Mrs. Horace Poynter, Mrs. Henry Tyer, Mrs. Alan Blackmer and Mrs. Hart Leavitt.

The afternoon program concerned Civil Rights in the United States. Miss Anna Greeley of Andover, League Chairman of the Department of Government and the Legal Status of Women, spoke about the growth of property rights of women in the United States.

There followed a panel discussion conducted by members of the League on the growth and development of our civil rights. Mrs. John Little, president of the League, presided. She introduced the subject by emphasizing the vital importance of our civil rights, such as freedom of speech, the press and assembly, to the maintenance of democracy, and she read the amendments to the Constitution which guarantee these rights to all residents of the United States.

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Mrs. Alan Blackmer then traced the long fight for civil rights in English history, showing their development from Magna Carta down through the struggle of the English Revolution of the seventeenth century. This development was the heritage of our forefathers here in America, and the ideals of freedom for the individual expressed by English philosophers and statesmen formed the basis for our own Declaration of Independence and the Bill of Rights in our Constitution.

Mrs. Henry Tyer told of the few times in our history when the federal government has passed laws abridging our civil rights; the Alien and Sedition Laws of 1798, the suspension of the Writ of Habeas Corpus during the Civil War, and the Espionage Act of 1917.

Mrs. John Barss then spoke of instances today of violation and suspension of civil rights of certain groups, of the Worcester handbill decision, of the southern negroes, of the case of the Deerfield children whose religious principles would not allow them to salute the flag, and of the suppression of liberties by Mayor Hague of Jersey City. She spoke also of menaces to liberties today as represented by the teachings of such groups as the German-American Bund, the Communist Party and the Silver Shirts.

Mrs. Hart Leavitt, in conclusion, urged careful consideration of the problem of curtailing by law the liberties of certain of these groups at the risk of losing the whole meaning of freedom of speech. She quoted Justice Holmes who said that curtailment was only just-

fied when there is a "clear and present danger to the state." Reminding the audience that our regular criminal law effectively covers any instance of violence, treason or incitement to plot or violence, she pointed out that laws passed to suppress groups we may think undesirable and subversive, may in turn be used to suppress our own civil rights. "We should therefore think carefully before we advocate the passage of such laws," she stated, "and, above all, we must appreciate and defend the liberties we now have, both for those whose ideas we like, and for those whose ideas we hate, for this only is true freedom."

Notice was given at this meeting of an all-day institute on the subject of Child Welfare, to be held on March 19 at the home of Mrs. Stafford Lindsay, Andover League Chairman of the Department of Child Welfare. There will be speakers, and all members of the League are urged to attend.

### SCOUT TROOP

#### TO MEET

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**NOVEMBER CLUB  
DEPARTMENT NOTICES**

The Dramatic department of the November club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Guy B. Howe at her home on 28 Wolcott avenue.

The Art department will meet next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers, 89 Main street.

The Literature department will meet Wednesday, March 6, with Miss Ethel Brown of 41 Bartlet street.

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