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Enthusiasm Mounting for February 7th Rally "Know Your Schools"

The "Know Your Schools" Rally, on Feb. 7th, which is being sponsored jointly by the League of Women Voters and the Central P.T.A., is rapidly shaping up and promises to be a very well-attended meeting and an occasion of provocative discussion.

Letters are being sent to the 695 parents of public school children relative to the subject of the local schools, and it is hoped that, in addition to the Superintendent, School Board, School Principals, Teachers, Nurse and Hygienist, who have been invited, all who possibly can, especially the parents of the high school pupils, will attend.

A sample of the questions which are being sent out, and which represent typical problems in each department, follows:

1. Check the school or schools your children are now attending.
Punchard North School
Junior High Shawsheen
Stowe Indian Ridge
John Dove Bradlee
S. C. Jackson West Center
2. Do the Elementary schools meet the requirements of the Andover children?
3. Do you think a kindergarten would benefit the system?
4. Has the Junior High effectively prepared your child for further education elsewhere?
5. Do your children in the High school show an interest in their school work? (Please check)

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X-Rays by Clinic Completed at School

On Monday the public school health department completed chest x-rays for 251 high school students and 85 employees of the school department. The project was carried on in conjunction with the Chadwick Clinic of the State Department of Health over a three day period.

All students of the high school were x-rayed as a phase of the regular health and physical education work of the school. Only three students were not x-rayed due to absences. Bus drivers, teachers, janitors, cafeteria personnel, as well as all other employees cooperated to complete this worthwhile project.

The public school health department is particularly appreciative of the splendid spirit displayed by the Andover Christmas Seal Committee which furnished the necessary money to pay for student x-rays. The expenses of the employees x-rays were borne by the school department.

"Stunt Night" To Be Held for Servicemen

The Servicemen's Committee of the Free Christian Church has announced a "Stunt Nite" for Friday, February 2 at which time a series of acts, amateur and semi-professional, will be presented to the public in what is expected to be a different kind of entertainment program.

Tickets have been distributed through various Church groups and individuals and it is expected that a capacity audience will be on hand for this first function of the Committee in the New Year. The receipts will be used entirely for another box which is to be sent shortly to all the boys and girls of the Church in the service.

Miss Frances Jamieson is in charge of the program, Thomas Thin in charge of tickets. Other members of the Committee assisting are Mrs. George Gorrie, General Chairman, Mrs. Etta Chadwick, Miss Margaret Cargill, Mrs. Robert DePniquertaine, Alexander Campbell, George Keith, Ivar Sjoström, and Rev. Frank E. Dunn.

Public Meeting by Council of Churches

"Young People and Their Spare Time" will be the subject for discussion at a public meeting of the Andover Council of Churches at the Baptist church, Sunday at 4 p. m. Everyone is welcome to come and hear Chief of Police George Dane, Rev. Frank Dunn of the Recreation Council, and Calvin Metcalf of the Cub Scouts. Delegates will meet at 3:30 to hear reports from officers and committees and delegates to the Worcester meeting of the Massachusetts Council.

Circulates Petition to Plow Private Ways

A petition requiring 200 names to become valid is being circulated throughout the town to have the town clerk include on the ballot a referendum to see whether the voters will favor the removal of ice and snow by the Board of Public Works from private ways open for public use. If included on the ballot, it will be brought up at the annual town elections in March.

CO-OP STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET

A meeting of the Co-op stockholders will be held on February 12, at 8 P. M. in the Memorial Library. Fred A. Hall of the Eastern Wholesale Co-op is going to talk on food supplies and food shortages for the coming year.

Infantile Paralysis Drive Ends Jan. 31

The national campaign for Infantile Paralysis which opened on January 14 is now in its second week and the Andover Committee reports that the results so far are encouraging.

In order to attain its goal of \$1500, the Committee is urging Andover residents who have not yet contributed to make their contributions this week. Coin collectors for DIME contributions have been placed in convenient locations throughout the town. Cash contributions of one dollar or more will be accepted at the Andover Savings Bank and the Andover National Bank and checks should be made out to the Infantile Paralysis Foundation or to Frank E. Dunn and mailed to 156 Elm Street, Andover.

The appeal for this cause is universal and on the close of the Drive on January 31 there should not be a single person in Andover who has not contributed at least a DIME toward the rehabilitation of some youngster who would not otherwise receive this help.

From 9 to 4 on Saturday, the Junior high school girls will conduct a Tag Day for the March of Dimes.

Vaudeville Show by Boy Scouts on Feb. 9

Announcement was made today by officials of Boy Scout Troop No. 72 that a Vaudeville show will be given in the Parish House of the Free Church on Friday evening, February 9.

Tickets will go on public sale this week and the income from this function will be used in furthering the program of the troop this coming Spring and Summer.

SERIES OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR POLICE, FIRE DEPTS.

The first of a monthly series of instruction periods to acquaint the members of the Andover police and fire departments with the use of the Inhalator was held at the Central Fire Station under the direction of Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan and Police Chief George A. Dane.

The first session was in charge of Joseph MacInnes, demonstrator for an inhalator company. Mr. MacInnes described in detail the mechanism of the inhalator to many of the members of both departments who took the opportunity to work with the artificial respiratory equipment.

Future workouts are planned and will be under the direction of Acting Deputy Chief Albert Cole on one shift, and Acting Lieutenant Kerr Sparks on the other.

Several Candidates Enter Contest for Annual Election

With nominations closing next Thursday, February 1, the local political situation took on a little interest the past week with the entry of several newcomers into several of the contests. Unopposed as yet are: moderator Shepard, selectman and assessor Hardy, and town clerk Winslow in the major offices.

The odds are pretty good on Bill's being elected to the Board of Public Works, but whether it be William Titcomb of Chandler road, William Snyder of Baker Lane or William R. Edwards of Carisbrooke street, time alone will tell. Others in the field not originally endowed with the name William, are Llewellyn Pomeroy of Foster's pond, and James R. Mosher of 78 Haverhill street. Fred Doyle is running for re-election and Jesse Bottomley is retiring.

George Connors of 404 North Main street is a candidate for the school committee.

Two newcomers to Andover politics have entered the race for the board of health against Franklin Stacey. They are: Charles McCullom of 111 Chestnut street, well-known for his activities in behalf of the Servicemen's Fund association and the Andover Town Team; and Vincent Treanor of Osgood street, active as a precinct warden in the air-raid warning days.

Arthur W. Reynolds is a candidate for the five-year unexpired term of John D. Little on the library board, and Leo Daley is a candidate for the seven-year term. Winsor Gale, reported last week as having retired from the board, is still serving.

Fred Cheever is in the field for the planning board to succeed Walter M. Lamont, retired.

Elect J. A. McCarthy Taxpayer's Leader

A meeting of the directors of the Andover Taxpayers association was held recently and the following officers were elected: President, Joseph A. McCarthy; vice president, Philip W. Thomson; secretary-treasurer, Frank R. Petty. Atty. James S. Eastman was recently elected to fill a vacancy caused by the retirement of Atty. E. Barton Chapin.

The following committee was appointed by Mr. McCarthy to make a study of the town's recreational problems: Wallace E. Brimer, Stafford A. Lindsay and Harry I. Emmons.

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Class 1-C: Already in Service—Hervy W. Croteau, 43 Beacon St.; Francis M. McEvoy, No. Andover; John B. Holt, No. Andover; Cuthbert E. Fisher, 116 Haverhill St.; Francis J. Mooney, 12 Sutherland St.; Thomas J. Redgriff, Lawrence; Ralph A. Kimball, Appletree Lane; Kenneth B. Langtigua, Jamaica Plain; Franklin K. Haggerty, Center St.; Roland H. Buell, Saugus; Charles S. Kaczynski, Jr., Lowell Jct. Rd.; David L. Cargill, 44 Stevens St.; Thomas E. J. Gosselin, No. Andover; Gerwin K. H. Rohrbach, Sunset Rock Rd.

Class 2-A: Civilian Necessity—Carl S. Cregg, St. Albans, Vt.; Frank W. Ward, Jr., Hohokus, N. J.; Thomas A. Cruickshank, No. Andover; Charles C. Hay, Greeley, Col.; Stephen H. Brennan, Jr., 10 Pasho St.

Class 2-B: Necessary in War Production—Durwell F. Vetter, No. Andover; John D. Newall, Porter Rd.; Leo E. Pimpare, High St.; Stephen A. Lovejoy, No. Andover; Prescott C. Perver, New York City; Walter H. Perry, No. Andover; Joseph C. Doiron, Lawrence; Philip L. Beaulieu, 58 Haverhill St.; William M. Munroe, No. Andover; Alfred Blanchette, Lawrence; Roland W. Starke, No. Andover; Leo A. Gaudet, 7 Juliette St.; Andrew C. Harnden, Wakefield, R. I.; Arthur J. Darveau, No. Andover; Robert C. Wilkie, 221 So. Main St.; Stephen E. Gallant, No. Andover; John C. Ruddy, Milford, Conn.; Edward C. Girard, Jr., No. Andover; Frank E. Roskovic, Jr., No. Andover; John H. Cole, No. Andover; Joseph Walsh, No. Andover; Harold N. Manthorne, Jr., 31 Washington Ave.; John A. Winters, 11 Shepley St.; John J. Zemba, No. Andover; Peter B. Sluskonis, Lawrence; Paul B. Grant, No. Andover; Elliot W. Cate, No. Andover; Erwin H. Neal, No. Andover; Raymond T. Winnina, Lawrence; Donald L. Tille, Danvers; Spencer A. Crosby, 87 River Rd.; Richard Hargreaves, Jr., No. Andover;

Maurice F. Lynch, Gray Rd.; Howard E. Bredbury, Lowell St.; Warren A. Harrington, Knoxville, Tenn.; Frank J. Rizzo, 279 So. Main St.; Alexander R. Manderson, 8 Dartmouth Rd.; Anthony C. Lumenello, Andover St.; James H. Twist, No. Andover; William J. McDuffie, No. Andover; Samuel Q. Jackson, Ballardvale Rd.; Herbert M. Henderson, 24 Pleasant St.; Ralph S. Champion, Winchester; Francis H. Magoon, No. Andover; Clayton W. Kennedy, Jr., No. Andover; Philip J. Howard, Lynn; Francis J. Manning, Jr., 106 River Rd.; John C. Gaudet, 17 Cuba St.

Class 2-C: Agricultural Necessity—Eligio M. Forgetta, No. Andover.

Class 3-D—Clayton Goodrich, Lawrence.

Class 4-A: 38 and Over—Horace C. Bodwiel, New Boston, N. H.; Louis R. Roud, 26 Topping Rd.; William Mosher, Haggetts Pond Rd.; Charles E. Leslie, No. Andover; James H. Grew, Abbott House; John Duke, 19 River St.; Charles E. Platt, Bancroft Rd.; Fred Hilton, No. Andover; George F. Church, Lawrence; Henry J. Sartys, 35 Lincoln St.; Reginald H. DeVebe, No. Andover; George H. Dumont, Tewksbury St.; William A. Harnedy, 101 Elm St.; Charles H. Turner, No. Andover; Howard P. Nash, Jr., 98 1/2 aMin St.; Archibald E. Roberts, No. Andover; Joseph Guthrie, No. Andover; William L. Smith, No. Andover; George E. Keating, Andover St.; Romeo C. King, 4 Sutherland St.; Samuel Bardsley, No. Andover; Kenneth L. Carr, Newton; Walter Gage, Jr., Lawrence; Frederick N. Nowell, 63 Chestnut St.; Arthur J. Marcille, Tewksbury; Palmer Long, No. Andover; Thomas P. Driscoll, No. Andover; Sherwood W. Kelley, 16 Coolidge Rd.; Heinrich J. Rohrbach, Sunset Rock Rd.; George L. Brewster, Maryland St.; Herbert H. Otis, 70 Summer St.; George F. Collins, No. Andover; Richard E. Harmon, No. Andover; William S. Barnard, 12 High St.; Henry Albert Enaire, No. Andover; Dino G. Valz, 17 Stratford Rd.; Raymond W. Ela, No. Andover; Henry J. Dolan, 99 Chestnut St.; George McCarthy, 15 Magnolia Ave.; Harry Chadwick, 160 Lowell St.; James S. Martin, 9 Walnut Ave.; Alphonse J. Blanchette, 58 Summer St.; Joseph Misenti, 44 Corbett St.; Rev. Frederick B. Noss, 39 Morton St.; Frederick Scott, 8 No. Main St.; Carleton E. Schulze,

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ward J. O'Connor, 13 Carisbrooke St.; Penry L. Wilson, 9 Avon St.; William M. Lydon, River Rd.; Herbert Ackroyd, No. Andover; John W. Kenney, Jr., 16 Johnson Rd.; Edgar R. Born, 37 Enmore St.; Philip Sutcliffe, No. Andover; Joseph V. Markey, No. Andover; Arthur J. Pomerleau, 2 George St.; Francis L. Gaudet, 8 Juliette St.; Robert B. Northrup, No. Andover; Murray P. Curran, No. Andover; Harold A. Johnson, Prospect Rd.; John W. Hegarty, No. Andover; John A. Lamprey, 361 No. Main St.; Bernard J. Sweeney, 25 Florence St.; Anthony J. Rattyna, 38 Red Spring Rd.; Arthur W. Bentley, No. Andover; Norman R. Morgan, Lowell St.; William Pluff, Roxbury; Leonard F. James, 6 Highland Rd.; John P. S. Mahoney, No. Andover; John C. Henderson, Glenside, Pa.; Frederick J. Wallace, Cape Elizabeth, Me.; Clarence White, Malden; Eugene A. Zalla, Chester St.; Arthur N. Ellison, Ballardvale Rd.; Alexander Campbell, 54 High St.; Julius Stern, 3 Kensington St.; Leslie A. Runtun, Lowell.

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NOTICE

to our COMMERCIAL ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS

NATION-WIDE "BROWN-OUT" AFFECTING COMMERCIAL USERS OF ELECTRICITY EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 1945

UTILITIES ORDER U-9, ISSUED BY THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD, IS PUBLISHED BELOW TO ASSIST OUR COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS IN COMPLYING WITH THIS EMERGENCY MEASURE.

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TITLE 32 — NATIONAL DEFENSE

CHAPTER IX — WAR PRODUCTION BOARD

PART 4500 — POWER, WATER, GAS AND CENTRAL STEAM HEAT

(UTILITIES ORDER U-9)

§4500.61 Utilities Order U-9. (a) **PURPOSE OF THIS ORDER.** War requirements have created a shortage in the supply of coal and other fuels. The purpose of this order is to save fuels used in the generation of electricity by prohibiting certain unnecessary uses of electricity.

(b) **DEFINITIONS.** For the purpose of this order:

(1) "Person" means any individual, partnership, association, business trust, corporation, political subdivision, governmental agency or corporation or any organized group of persons whether incorporated or not.

(2) "Electric Supplier" means any person who generates, transmits or distributes electricity.

(c) **PROHIBITED USES.** No person shall use electricity for any of the following purposes:

- (1) Outdoor advertising and outdoor promotional lighting.
- (2) Outdoor display lighting except where necessary for the conduct of the business of outdoor establishments.
- (3) Outdoor decorative and outdoor ornamental lighting.
- (4) Show window lighting except where necessary for interior illumination.
- (5) Marquee lighting in excess of 60 watts for each marquee.
- (6) White way street lighting in excess of the amount determined by local public authority to be necessary for public safety.
- (7) Outdoor sign lighting except for:
 - (i) Directional or identification signs required for fire and police protection, traffic control, transportation terminals or hospitals; or directional or identification signs for any similar essential public services the lighting of which is specifically certified to be necessary by local public authority. Certification shall be made in writing to the appropriate electric supplier and need not be in any particular form;
 - (ii) Directional or identification signs using not more than 60 watts per establishment, for doctors and for hotels, and other public lodging establishments.

(d) **EXEMPTIONS.** (1) Any electric supplier who considers that compliance with this order by the persons whom it supplies directly and indirectly, will not reduce the consumption of coal or other scarce fuels may apply for exemption for the area it serves to the Office of War Utilities, War Production Board, Washington 25, D. C., Ref.: U-9.

(2) The War Production Board may from time to time issue directions exempting designated areas from this order if it finds that compliance within such areas will not reduce the consumption of coal or other scarce fuels in accordance with the purpose of this order.

(e) **APPEALS.** Any person affected by this order who considers that compliance with this order will work an exceptional or unreasonable hardship on him or who considers that compliance will endanger public health or safety may appeal for relief to the District Office of the War Production Board for the area in which the consumer is located, Ref.: U-9.

(f) **NOTICES.** (1) Every electric supplier shall, as soon as practicable, notify by publication or otherwise all persons to whom it supplies electricity for uses prohibited by this order of the terms hereof.

(2) If any electric supplier has knowledge of a violation of this order by a person to whom it supplies electricity, it shall inform the person of the violation. If the violation is continued, the electric supplier shall notify the person in writing of the specific terms of the order which apply and of the penalties prescribed for violation and shall mail a copy of the notice to the District Office of the War Production Board for the area in which the consumer is located, Ref.: U-9.

(g) **VIOLATIONS.** If the War Production Board determines that any person is using electricity in violation of this order, it may direct the electric supplier serving such person to disconnect service and prescribe the conditions under which service may be reconnected. In addition, any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order or who in connection with this order wilfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment.

(h) **EFFECTIVE DATE.** The effective date of paragraph (c) of this order shall be February 1, 1945.

Issued this 15th day of January 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD

By *J. Joseph Whelan*
Recording Secretary

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League Groups Study On Dunbarton Oaks

Study groups on the Dunbarton Oaks Conference which are being sponsored by the League of Women Voters for all interested, will be held at the homes of League members starting Thursday evening, Jan 25, at the home of Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast, 56 Whittier street, with Mrs. John S. Barss as leader. Other meetings will be held at the homes of Mrs. Annette L. Curran, 49 Salem street, on Monday evening, January 29, leader, Mrs. Barss; Mrs. G. C. Waterston, 691 Great Pond road, North Andover, on Tuesday evening, January 30, Mrs. Hart Leavitt, leader; Mrs. Byron Weiner, 15 Lincoln street, on Monday afternoon, February 2, Mrs. Barss, leader. The evening meetings will start at 7:45 o'clock and the afternoon meeting at 3 o'clock.

Commission Approves Fire Appointment

Announcement was made this week by Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan that the appointment of Charles H. Murnane, 56 High street as a permanent fireman had been approved by the Civil Service Commission.

Fireman Murnane has been serving as a military substitute for Henry Pomeroy, who is serving with the U. S. Coast Guard. Murnane's appointment will fill the vacancy brought about by the resignation of Lester Hilton as deputy chief last month.

A provisional appointment, subject to the approval of the Civil Service Commission has been given to Benjamin Brown, 39 Main street. He is an honorably discharged veteran of 19 months service in the Army. He started his duties this week at the Central station.



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Insurance Companies Hold Annual Meeting

The 116th annual meeting of the policyholder members of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company and the 110th of the Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Company were held Monday at the head offices in Shawsheen.

President Flagg reported that premiums written by the two companies increased approximately 14% in 1944. Losses incurred in 1944 exceeded \$900,000 including over 2800 claims aggregating more than \$175,000 in the New England hurricane of September 14. Dividends returned to policyholders amounted to \$420,000,000 in 1944 being 20% of the expiring premiums.

The Merrimack Mutual has entered the State of Texas which will make a total of twenty-two states in which the company operates.

The following directors were re-elected:

- Burton S. Flagg
President and Treasurer
- Edward C. Nichols
Senior Vice-President and Secretary
- Frank L. Brigham
Vice-President
- Herbert H. Veit
Vice-President
- Charles H. Cole
Asst. Vice-President
- Kenneth A. Churchill
Asst. Treasurer

The following new officers were elected:

- Geoffrey B. Nicoll
Asst. Secretary
- Irving H. Patterson
Asst. Secretary
- Alfred F. Souter
Asst. Secretary
- Albert C. Butterfield
Asst. Secretary

Officers Installed By Local Grange

Andover Grange, No. 183, met in Grange Hall on Tuesday evening at 8. The following were installed into office for the year 1945:

Master, Floyd K. Darby; Overseer, Hartwell Abbott; Lecturer, Mrs. Hartwell Abbott; Stewart, Lois Rollins; Assistant Stewart, Mr. Ernest Rollins; Chaplain, Mr. Roland Transchke; Treasurer, Harry A. Wright; Secretary, Mrs. Gladys Colmer; Gate Keeper, Mrs. Myrtle Darby; Ceres, Mrs. Floyd Darby; Pomona, Mrs. Margaret Baxter; Flora, Mrs. William Corliss; Lady Assistant Stewart, Mrs. Helen True; Executive Committee for three years, J. Harry Playdon; Pianist, Mrs. Grace Dawson.

The officers were installed by Worthy State Overseer Mr. L. Roy Hawes of Sudbury and suite. Refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall, Mrs. John Hall Jr., Harry Playdon and Floyd Darby.



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PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, Italy—Promotion of **Cpl. Cecile M. Poisson**, daughter of Mrs. Adelard Poisson, 160 High street, to the grade of sergeant is announced by her commanding officer. She has been in the WAC since May, 1943, enlisting in Boston. In Italy she fills a clerical assignment with the supply section of Peninsular Base Section.

BOSTON—**Robert C. Connolly** of 24 Cuba street, was among the scores of 17 year old volunteers who took the Navy oath of allegiance Saturday at the Navy Recruiting Station, Federal Building, Boston.

Sgt. William R. Dentrement, son of Mrs. George E. Dentrement, 12 Essex street, and husband of Mrs. Florence Gero Dentrement, 19 Stevens street, Methuen, Mass., recently was graduated from the eight weeks Instrument Trainer Instructors Course at Bryan Army Air Field, Texas. Prior to entering the service in January, 1942, Sgt. Dentrement was clerical supervisor for Tyer Rubber Co. He is permanently stationed at Dow Field, Bangor, Maine.

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, England—In addition to his successful combat operations, it recently was officially revealed that **Second Lieutenant Frederick Butler, Jr.**, 22, a local man, who is an Eighth Air Force P51 Mustang pilot, has scored for aviation medical research. Lt. Butler is among the pioneering pilots of the 339th Fighter Group, who for several months tested the new flying suit which has defeated "blackening out," or temporary loss of vision by preventing blood from rushing from the brain of a fighter pilot during high speed maneuvers.

Gerwin K. Rohrbach, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rohrbach, Sunset Rock road, is receiving his initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois. When his recruit training is completed, the seaman will receive a period of leave.

Word has been received that **Second Lieutenant Edward M. Lindholm**, formerly of 44 Chestnut street, was wounded in action in Germany on December 23, while serving with the Eighth Air Force in England. He is the son of the late Edward Y. and Mary (Foley) Lindholm. Lt. Lindholm is a graduate of St. Augustine's parochial school and Central Catholic High. Before entering the service in May, 1943, he was employed at the Charlestown Navy yard. He received his training at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., Arlington Field, Texas, and Coral Gables, Florida, where he received his wings. It was announced this week that Lt. Lindholm has received the Air Medal.

Corporal John R. Ashburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Ashburn of 135 Haverhill street has arrived at the Lederman Hospital, San Francisco, California where he will be under treatment for injuries sustained while overseas.

Pvt. James Dalrymple of Camp McClellan, Alabama is enjoying a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs. James Dalrymple of Beacon street.



Private William J. Doucette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Doucette of Boston road, is in the 225th Station Hospital in Italy, working as a ward boy. He has charge of a ward and says that the doctors and nurses are very pleasant to work for and the food is good. Private Doucette has been in service for two years.

John A. Hendrick, Aviation Radioman Third Class, of 10 Pasho street, has returned from a tour of combat duty in the Pacific, where he was the aircrewman of a dive bomber based on one of the Navy's big aircraft carriers. Hendrick was the radioman and tail gunner of a Curtiss-Wright HELL-DIVER. His plane inflicted substantial damage on enemy shipping. He also shares credit with another gunner for shooting down a Jap aircraft. In addition, the local bluejacket participated in our carrier plane attacks on the Japanese fleet during the second Battle of the Philippines and flew on numerous strikes against such targets as Guam, Palau, Nansei Shoto, Formosa, the Bonins and Philippines. He has been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Baptism of fire is an experience few soldiers ever forget—and the men of the 398th Infantry Regiment of the 100th (Century) Division have special reason never to forget theirs. **Pfc. Kenneth C. Bushway**, of South Main street, was in the group that went into action for the first time in one of the toughest sectors of the long Sixth Army Group front in Eastern France.

First Lieut. Winton G. Ramsey, 8 Beacon street, is one of 35 enlisted Massachusetts men to arrive at Fort Devens for a 21-day furlough under the rotation plan. More than 100 veterans of action in the European and Pacific theatres are in the group.

Lt. John W. Reading is now ready for active combat service against the enemy in Germany, having completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the states and combat soldiering. He was somewhere in England while receiving this training.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Burrige of Bancroft Road have received a card from their son, Chief Radioman **George T. Burrige** of the Navy. The card was sent from

Manila, and was not dated. Radioman **Burrige**, who has been a prisoner of the Japanese since the fall of Corregidor, told his family that he had received a box, which had been sent to him while he was on the Gripshold a year ago. He asked for vitamin food and pills, tooth powder, socks, soap and pictures, and also stated that he had received five of the more than two hundred letters which have been sent him.

Major Everett B. Mersereau, formerly of 164 Lowell street, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal, it was announced by the War Department Monday. The major was in command of an infantry battalion at Bougainville and Gauadalcanal, and was reported missing in the Pacific area eight days before the award was authorized on May 26, 1944.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. William G. Taylor, 24 Haverhill street, that their son, **James H. Taylor**, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant in the Marines. Sgt. Taylor has been in the Marine Corps for three years, and has been serving in the Pacific area for the past eight months. He is a native of No Andover, where he graduated from Johnson high school and was employed in the Wood mill prior to entering the service. He has two brothers in the service, Ernest in the Navy, attending radio school in Memphis, Tennessee, and Arthur S., who recently received a medical discharge from the Marine Corps.

Pvt. Ernest Couture of Camp Blanding, Florida, has returned to Camp Meade, Maryland, after enjoying a five-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Couture of Lowell street. He will soon leave for overseas duty.

James H. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G Taylor of Haverhill street, has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sgt. in the U. S. Marine Corps in the Pacific area where he has been serving for the past eight months. He has been in the Marines for three years. son, **Warrant Officer Albert Gilman**, ceived word in a letter from their son, **Warrant Officer Albert Gilman**, that his ship was torpedoed twice on Christmas Day in the English Channel. **Warrant Offices Gilman** writes that he was in the officers' mess at the time the ship was hit and that he was blown onto the upper deck. The ship's crew was saved by a French Destroyer and **Officer Gilman** says that they were royally treated. However, the harrowing experiences through which he went will never be forgotten.

Lieut. Frank O'Brien has returned to Chatham Field, Georgia, after enjoying a short stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Frank O'Brien of Phillips street. He is assistant Physical Director at the Field.

Cpl. George Putnam is enjoying a two weeks' furlough at the family home on Lowell street. He is located at the Twin Engine Flying

School, Pampa, Texas, and will return there.

Pvt. William Marudzinski of the U. S. Marines who was recently returned after spending many months in the South Pacific area is now a patient at the Chelsea Naval Hospital.

Staff Sgt. Henry Hilton of the U. S. Marine Corps is enjoying a well earned furlough at the family home on Shawsheen Road after spending many months in the South Pacific area.

Frank L. McLenathan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. McLenathan of Bancroft Lane, recently was assigned as Classification and Assignment Officer at Bryan Field, Texas.

Capt. McLenathan received his B. A. degree from Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., in 1940 and was employed by the Human Engineering Lab., of Philadelphia and Boston, Mass., until his enlistment in the Army Air Forces in February, 1942.

Corporal Richard Sutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Sutton, 119 Chestnut St., having displayed "exemplary behavior, efficiency, and fidelity" during his army career, has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal at Fourth Air Force Headquarters here.

Cpl. Sutton is a graduate of Punschool, class of 1938 and also of Northeastern University, Boston, class of 1943, where he specialized in Business Administration.

Pvt. Helen Jean Junkins of the WAC Y. S. A., who is stationed at the Rhodes Hospital, Utica, N. Y., recently spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Fred B. Batcheller of Lowell street.

A recent change of address comes from **Evelyn Hardy**, who has been transferred from Fishing Creek, Ind., to Auburn, Ala.

Robert J. Jordan, 9 Stratford road, received his commission as second lieutenant in the Army Signal Corps at Officers Candidate School, Fort Monmouth, N. J., on December 28. He spent a two weeks' leave at his home before reporting back to Fort Monmouth for further duty. He received his training at the Enlisted Reserve school in Boston, the University of Miami, Miami, Florida, and then served as supervisor and teacher of radar at Boca Raton, Florida. He is the husband of the former Miss Marion Quinn. Bob was a former track star at B. C.

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Naval Aviation Cadet Robert Mitchell Emmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Emmons of 50 York street, has successfully completed the course at the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School at Chapel Hill, N. C. He has been transferred to the Naval Air Station at Bunker Hill, Ind., for primary flight training. Cadet Emmons attended Holderness School, Class of 1943, where he won eight letters in sports and participated in dramatics. He later attended Bowdoin College in the summer of 1943 where he was a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity.

PFC. Edward A. Fraize, 3 Brechin terrace, is undergoing treatment at a hospital for wounds received in Belgium, according to a letter received by his wife. The letter was dated December 30, and he stated that he was "in a cast and getting the best possible treatment." Pvt. Fraize is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fraize, 87 Pine street. He was inducted in March 1942, and went overseas last March, where he was with a Combat Engineers unit and saw service with the First Army.

According to a wire from the War Department received by Mrs. Frank E. Lenane of Cambridge, her son, Pfc. Gerald Lenane was wounded Dec. 25, in the European area. His brother, Sgt. Bailey Lenane is with Gen. Patton's Third Army in Belgium. These boys formerly lived in Andover.

Cpl. Henry Buntin writes that in his travels through Africa, Italy and France, he has yet to meet any Andover boys. He has heard from Melton Perry, who is in the South Pacific and Sgt. Bob Stocks, who is in England, and his brother, who is in England, but hasn't set eyes on anyone from home in the flesh.

From Honolulu comes word that Ken Dole of the Seabees spent a very enjoyable overnight leave with the Carl Cannons, who now make their home there.

Cpl. Ken A. Lewis, in the Philippines, sends us his new A.P.O. number and says he would like to get in touch with some Andover boys, as he hasn't as yet met anyone from home.

WEDDINGS

A marriage of interest took place recently in St. Anthony's church, Lawrence when Miss Florence Gilman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilman of Lowell street, became the bride of Mr. Joseph Jurdi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tofik Jurdi of 369 Elm street. Rev. Joseph David performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and a few friends. Pvt. Edw. Jurdi was best man for his brother and Mrs. Ruth Fontaine, sister of the bride was matron of honor. After a wedding trip to New York the couple have returned and are

now living in Lawrence. The groom is employed at Camp Devens.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jamison of Sacramento, California have announced the engagement of their daughter, Isamay, to Technical Sergeant Donald Surette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Surette of 4 Locke street. Sergeant Surette is stationed at McClellan Field, Sacramento, California.

ENTERTAINS AT TEA

Mrs. Guy B. Howe entertained the executive board and the co-workers of the Andover Thrift Shop at tea on Tuesday afternoon, January 23 at her home on Johnson Road.

As retiring chairman Mrs. Howe was presented with a beautiful Staffordshire platter by Mrs. George E. Holdsworth, manager of the shop.

Mrs. M. Phillips Graham was hostess at the tea-table and the pourers were: Mrs. John S. Moses, Mrs. Geoffrey Glendinning, Mrs.

George E. Holdsworth and Mrs. C. Carlton Kimball

Those attending were the Misses Doris and Elizabeth Hilton, and Ruth Saunders; Mrs. Vernon R. Walker, Mrs. Wilson Knipe, Mrs. Irving Humphreys, Mrs. Harold B. Keifer, Mrs. Lloyd Humphries, Mrs. Walter Howe, Mrs. Thomas Platt, Mrs. Edwin F. Lewis, Mrs. Grace Nicoll, Mrs. Howell Stillman, Mrs. George Jaspert, Mrs. George Sawyer, Mrs. Arthur Steinert, Mrs. H. J. Ellis, Mrs. Jesse Bottomley, Mrs. Walter Dalglish, Mrs. Fred Van Hoesen, Mrs. John Barss, Mrs. James Baldwin, Mrs. Charles Hollis, Mrs. E. Dean Walen, Mrs. Mary Taylor, Mrs. Lester Thompson and Mrs. Granville Clark

MEMORIAL MASS FOR GERARD TWOMEY

A solemn high memorial mass will be offered in St. Augustine's church at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning for the late Private, First Class, Gerard N. Twomey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah J. Twomey, 20 Haverhill street.

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RED CROSS NOTES

Public Health Nursing Day will be celebrated in Andover for the first time on Friday, January 26th.

The Town is very fortunate in having the services of three able nurses. The Red Cross Nurse, Miss Mildred Lowe, gives local residents nursing information, health supervision and bedside care. Last year she made over 2000 calls.

The Board of Health Nurse and agent, Mrs. Lotta Johnson, has made more than 1500 calls, interviews, visits and inspections in caring for sanitation, communicable and contagious diseases. Also under her jurisdiction come Tubercular patients, the health of pre-school children and the operation of three clinics.

Miss Ruth Westcott looks after the welfare of Andover's children while in school and frequently checks cases in the home.

Governor Maurice J. Tobin in signing the proclamation designating Friday as Public Health Nursing Day in Massachusetts, called attention to the fact that at least 300 public health nurses are needed as replacements in Massachusetts for nurses serving overseas with the armed forces.

"In the face of drastic wartime nursing shortages," he added, "it may not be possible to secure these nurses until the war is over—especially as public health nursing requires special postgraduate training.

"But after the war," Governor Tobin said, "when nurses are no longer needed on the fighting fronts, will be the time for Massachusetts to strive for a goal of one public health nurse for every 2,500 men, women and children which is essential for maintaining good community health."

"Know Your Schools"

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All show interest____. Some do not____. All do not____.

If not, to what do you attribute lack of interest?

6. Would closer cooperation (some sort of conference arrangement) between parents and teachers be helpful?

7. Do you feel that the school buildings could be more adequately used by the community for after-school activities?

8. If you have any questions not mentioned above which you would like answered, please list them.

The Boys' Glee Club of the Junior High School will entertain at the meeting.

Three study groups, sponsored by the League of Women Voters, are scheduled for February, one on the elementary schools, one on the Junior High School, and one on the Senior High School. Dates for these will be announced at the "Know

Christ Church Holds Annual Meeting

The annual parish meeting of The Christ Church was held in the parish house Monday evening. The meeting opened with a catered supper served at 6:30, which was followed by the business session. Rev. John S. Moses, rector, was elected moderator. The various reports were read, and the following officers elected: Senior warden, C. Carlton Kimball; junior warden, Ernest S. Young; treasurer, William S. Hughes; clerk, Kenneth S. Minard; vestrymen, Wallace E. Brimer, Fred Van Hoesen and Charles F. Chipmon.

A resolution in appreciation of Mrs. Guy B. Howe's work in organizing and directing the Thrift shop was read by C. Carlton Kimball. Mrs. Howe is retiring from the board of directors of the shop in connection with a rotation system which she herself instituted.

The following delegates were chosen to the diocesan convention: C. Carlton Kimball, Irving Southworth and Charles F. Chipman; alternates, Kenneth S. Minard, Fred Van Hoesen and Mrs. Guy B. Howe. Delegates to the archdeaconry convention: Mrs. C. Carlton Kimball, Mrs. Scott H. Paradise and Mrs. Horace Bodwell; alternates, Mrs. John S. Moses, Mrs. Fred McCollum and Mrs. Howell Stillman.

JUNIOR HIGH NOTES

Another special joint assembly was held on Monday, January 22, at which Paul Lin, a Chinese Harvard student, spoke on the effect of the war with China and plans for a post war world.

The assembly last Friday was three Red Cross Films entitled "Since Pearl Harbor," "No Greater Glory" and "At His Side."

The Boys' Glee Club will have their public appearance at the joint meeting of the Andover Parent Teachers Association and The League of Women Voters. This meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall Auditorium on Wednesday, February 7, 1945 at 7:45 p. m.

The assembly on Friday, January 26, will present as guest speaker, Miss Alfreda Mosher, who will speak on "Stories of Other Peoples."

The Basketball games Reading vs. Junior High were both won by the Junior High Teams. The first team consisted of John Yancy, Richard Shaw, Clifford DuBois, Bruce Noble, Robert Wetterberg and the team won by the score of 24-2.

The second team consisted of John Craig, Robert Deyermond, Hervey Bernard, Edward Turner, John Barry, and John Higgins and they won by the score of 10-2.

BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. George King, 1 Clinton court, Monday at the Lawrence General Hospital.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. James White, 4 Harding street Wednesday at the Lawrence General hospital.

PUNCHARD NOTES

Mr. Paul Lin, now a student at Harvard College, gave an interesting lecture Monday morning on the present status of China, internally and externally with regard to her foreign and domestic policies. During his question period, the problems of religion and political parties were discussed. The similarities in the government and principles of our country and China's are many. Just for a novelty and in answering one of the questions, Mr. Lin spoke several words in Chinese, a language which he remarked was seemingly fairly easy to learn to speak but rather difficult to write.

Last Friday night, Punchard played a very close and exciting basketball game with Rockport. Following a three minute overtime, the score proved fatal to the Punchard quintet, being 28 to 26 in favor of the visitors. After the game there was dancing until eleven with

Mr. Phinney in charge of the recordings. This coming Friday night, Punchard will encounter the Methuen team for the first time this season at Central Junior High School gymnasium.

Since the beginning of this year several former Punchard boys now in the armed services have visited us. In the order of their visits are Philip Bryant, Cpl. AAF; John F. Crossley, T/Sgt. AAF; Alan Mosher, USA; John White, USNR; William Monroe, USA; John Murnane, USA; and Neil Cleary, USNR.

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TO HOLD VALENTINE PARTY

Andover Post, 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a Valentine party in the post rooms on Wednesday evening, February 14. The committee has planned entertainment, dancing, and refreshments will be served.

The members of the auxiliary are to be the guests at this party.

The committee in charge is Commander William J. Snyder, Harold S. Cates, Alexander Blamire, Thomas L. Raidy, Edward Dodge, Ira Buxton and Thomas Carter.

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Rubbish

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When newcomers come to our town, one of their first comments is about the lack of this very desirable health measure. Nearly every other town takes care of collecting both garbage and rubbish, but here where we have a great deal of civic pride, we leave this problem up to the individual householder to take care of or not, as he sees fit. And sometimes, even if he does see fit, the helter-skelter arrangements one is able to make these days leave a great deal to be desired.

It's a community service which we should most certainly undertake. It will cost money, but the total that the people of Andover have to put out yearly in taxes won't be any more than the total that is now being paid individually for inadequate service. And we could save the money right out of the present town budgets, if we only had the courage to make the necessary governmental savings.

Real Troopers

Anybody remember that Sunday of a couple of weeks ago, when we had a near blizzard? Were you out at all in it? Did you see those trucks driving along with a gang of kids on them, kids who would jump down to the roadside and pick up a bundle of paper as big as themselves and struggle with it until it was safely in the truck? And in a snowstorm, too!

They deserve a lot of credit, because every single one of them was a real trooper.

This Sober Town

Post-Publication Problems

Did you ever wonder what happens the next time the editor of a paper meets a man about whose work he has recently written an editorial? We've been through it, of course, many times, but we always wonder what will happen the next time, too.

There are office-holders here in town who once used to speak to us. They don't any more. There are office-holders who didn't speak to us, but who are gradually getting around to it again. There are nights after the paper comes out when we keep away from poorly-lit streets.

The two gentlemen whose offices have received the most criticism the past year have been the town treasurer and the town clerk, not because of any actions of the present incumbents, but because we feel it's an uneconomic set-up, unnecessarily expensive for the town. But both Thaxter and George have taken it in stride, and they're still cordial. Last week, for instance, we called George to get the latest on the candidates, and after giving the list to that date, he laughed and said: "No consolidations yet." Life would be much easier if they were all like that.

Those Headlines!

Jimmie Sullivan up at Hartigan's tells us that he's a little perplexed about our headline of a couple of weeks ago, and when we glanced at it again, we couldn't blame him for being perplexed.

This was it:
**ANNUAL ELECTION
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To clear up any misunderstanding, we'll publicly state that when the headline was written, we meant "promises" to be a verb. Whether we could have used it as a noun, time alone and the candidates will tell.

Just to show that we're not the only paper which uses words which can be both noun and verb and so capable of being misconstrued, we told Jimmie about the headline in our *Lawrence contemporary*, the *Tribune*. After reading this one, we couldn't help but say to ourselves: "Well, it's about time!" Here 'tis:

**NEW AIR
BLOWS OVER
GERMANY**

If you know Jimmie, you know that in story-swapping, he always has the last one. Even before the current series of puns about the Russian offensive on the river Oder, Jimmie had noticed a headline in a paper one night when we were heading for Cologne:

**NEW YANK
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COMMUNICATIONS

For Barnard Purchase
Dear Sir:

May I add a word to the very worth-while discussion of the advisability and location of a new Town House?

Although our Town House is not particularly attractive, it is respectable and fairly commodious. A new building would be a notable addition to the civic beauty of Andover, but I wonder if such a plan should be next on the list of essential expenditures. My own feeling would be that it is of vastly more importance to the life of this community that well-supervised, easily available recreation be supplied the young people. We certainly need more adequate swimming facilities, skating and sledding places which would have the oversight of capable adult leadership. It continually amazes me that a town as lovely and as wealthy as Andover should be so deficient in these very ordinary means to health and recreation.

However, if a new Town House were to be erected, I think the best resources of modern town planning would recommend the use of the Barnard rather than the Shaw estate. It is an oddly shaped piece of land, that is true, yet there is a beautiful building in the center of Shawsheen set on even narrower premises which we would be proud to possess as Town House. I am suggesting this location simply because it is in the normal and true center of Andover. Most cities, to their subsequent sorrow, have abandoned old civic centers and com-

Important Notice

Operators of passenger cars must have mileage rationing records to be eligible to apply for any gasoline rations. In the recent re-registration of Andover Basic "A" ration holders, each registrant was issued a mileage rationing form. The form replaced the old tire rationing record on which a list of all gasoline rations to the vehicle was kept. Without this important record, no motorist may be issued A, B, or C supplemental rations.

Many motorists did not understand the use of the record form and lost or destroyed them. Motorists who were not issued mileage rationing record form and lost or destroyed them should immediately apply to War Price and Rationing Board at Andover for duplicates.

The Board will not issue supplemental ration, furlough or special rations for cars with basic A rations without presentation of mileage rationing records with the application. Ration book holders should cross out the old registration number on the front of gas ration books and write, in ink, the 1945 number. It is not necessary to change registration numbers on coupons.

mons to move up-town or out toward the suburbs as the case may be, leaving behind depressed areas of the city and spoiling new residential areas.

It is my impression that town planning experts would always recommend the rehabilitation of the present civic center rather than merely removal to a new site, leaving the old one "high and dry" to deteriorate and eventually create an eyesore in the very center of the community.

It is my conviction that a long-term effort to build a Town House on the Barnard estate, rehabilitate the Musgrove Building, purchase and set to some civic purpose the property on the corner of Main and Central streets would be most in the direction of civic beautification and centrality of town design.

Andover's loveliness resides in her academies, schools, churches, and charming old residences. Her ugliness in the shopping center comes from a complete and utter lack of town planning, so that buildings are set just anywhere without relation in style or placement to all the other adjacent buildings. Have any town planning experts ever been invited to submit plans for the eventual civic layout of the center of town?

For a lovelier, PLANNED town!
Elton E. Smith

Assist at Blood Bank

The blood quota for Andover was oversubscribed Thursday and Friday, as a result of the untiring efforts of the committee while the mobile unit was here.

The following is the list of personnel who helped on the project:
General chairman, Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin.

Publicity, Selectman J. Everett Collins.

Church properties, Arthur W. Bassett.

Group of men from Tyer Rubber company who assisted with the heavy work of loading and unloading the trucks: James Bisset, Charles Gull, Thomas Saab, Joseph Reil, Charles Tateosian and Anthony Sanguedolce.

Volunteers, Mrs. C. Carlton Kimball, chairman; Mrs. Henry G. Tyer, Mrs. Philip Churchill, Mrs. Charles Hodges, Mrs. Bertrand Peck, Mrs. Richard Ward, Mrs. Charles H. Cole, Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast, Mrs. Marshall Clinton, Mrs. Ernestine Sand, Mrs. John S. Barss, Mrs.

Herbert Veit, Mrs. Alexander Henderson, Mrs. Lloyd Humphries, Mrs. Sally Beatie, Mrs. W. Shirley Barnard, Mrs. John S. Moses, Mrs. Joseph Dahle, Mrs. Benjamin Schuber, Mrs. Francis McCarthy, Mrs. Roger Lewis, Mrs. Vera Beck, Mrs. Edmond Taylor.

Canteen unit: Mrs. Charles D. McDuffie, chairman; Mrs. Kellogg Boynton, Mrs. Bernard Capen, Mrs. D. S. Andrews, Miss Margaret Curran, Mrs. Otto Eschholz, Mrs. Herbert Farnsworth, Mrs. Charles P. Gabeler, Mrs. George Haselton, Mrs. Ralph Herrick, Mrs. G. Richard Abbott, Miss Anne Jamieson, Mrs. Henry Kazaz, Miss Ruth Saunders, Mrs. William A. Trow, Mrs. E. Dean Walen.

Transportation by the motor corps group: Miss Elizabeth Boyce, chairman; Mrs. George Gibson Brown, Mrs. Frank H. Richardson and Mrs. J. J. Tavern.

Committee on registration: Mrs. John M. Erving, chairman; Mrs. James H. Eaton, Mrs. Norman Bearse, Mrs. William S. Hughes, Mrs. Joseph H. Higginson, Mrs. Clayton Northey, Mrs. Walter E. Billings, Mrs. E. Dean Walen, Mrs. Bertil Ryberg, Mrs. Albert Poulton, Mrs. G. John Johnson, Mrs. Joseph Blunt, Mrs. Fred Johnson, Miss Elizabeth Hilton, Mrs. William W. Kurth, Mrs. Edmund Taylor and Mrs. Otis Severance.

Volunteer nurses: Mrs. Charles A. Gregory, head nurse; Mrs. Dina Valz, Mrs. Wilson Knipe, Mrs. Theodore Peterson, Mrs. Foster C. Barnard, Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. Albert Heinz, Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. Charles A. Arnold, Mrs. Richard Seed, Mrs. Frederick Griffin, Mrs. Arthur E. Steinert, Mrs. Charles McCollum.

Nurses' aides: Mrs. Richard Hall, Mrs. Wallace E. Brimer, Mrs. Sulu Nason, Mrs. Herbert Holt, Mrs. Harvey G. Turner, Mrs. William C. Rich, Jr., Mrs. Lucille Leland.

Door tender, Mrs. Edward C. Nichols.

Water pourer, Mrs. Frederick R. Hulme.

PASS BILL TO ALLOW APPROPRIATION FOR TERCENTENARY

On Tuesday both houses of the Massachusetts Legislature passed the bill to allow Andover to appropriate money in 1945 for a tercentenary celebration in 1946 or thereafter.



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WALTER'S CAFE

Championship Town Team To Be Honored

Tickets are out and going like one of Jerry Lavoie's fast ones. Don't miss securing yours!

The fans of Andover are feasting our Championship Town Team at a dinner Monday evening, February 5th, in the High School Cafeteria, at 6:30 promptly.

A splendid program has been planned by the Fans Committee including some of the best sports mentors headed by Henry Lamar of Harvard, supported by Tony Lupien, first baseman of the Philadelphia "Phillies", Johnny Barrett of the Pittsburg "Pirates", and Coach Follansbee of Phillips Academy. Our own Ev. Collins will be Toastmaster.

There will be movies of Baseball's outstanding 1944 World Series, and one of our own Town Team in action.

The Committee named below have spared no effort to make this another enjoyable time.

We can't sit on the bleachers for a few weeks yet, but here is our opportunity to mingle with the Team and show them our appreciation of the excellent baseball they gave us last year, and encourage them on to another championship this coming season.

Everybody up for the 7th Inning Rally Monday, February 5th.

Here the Committee and they are working: Harold Phinney, Roy Hardy, Sumner Davis, Walter Young, Frank MacMackin, Dr. Malcolm McTernan, E. Burke Thornton, Rep. J. E. Collins, Fred Eaton, James Mosher, Harold Bishop.

CHURCHES

Andover Baptist Church

Saturday, 7:00 p.m., Christian Endeavor Society at First-Calvary Baptist Church, Lawrence. Local group to meet at bus stop by 6:30.

Sunday, 9:30, Opening session of the Church School. Devotional period in the Senior department; 10:00, Adult Class; 10:45, Morning Worship; 6:00, Christian Endeavor Society.

Tuesday, Meeting of the Diaconate at the home of the Pastor.

Christ Church

Sunday, 8:00, Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School; 11:00, Morning Prayer and Sermon; 4:00 p.m., Confirmation class for adults.

Thursday, 10:30, Woman's Auxiliary Sewing Meeting; 2:15, Confirmation Class; 6:45, Girl Scouts.

Cochran Chapel

Sunday, Rev. Richard S. Emrich, Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass.

Free Church

Sunday, 9:30, Church School; 11:00, Morning Service with Sermon; 4:00, Meeting of the Andover Council of Churches in the Baptist Church.

Friday, "Stunt Nite" — An entertainment program sponsored by the Servicemen's Committee.

St. Augustine's

Sunday, Masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45, and 11:30 o'clock, followed by Benediction.

West Church

Sunday, 10:30, Morning Worship with Sermon; 10:30, Church School; 4:00, Meeting of Andover Council of Churches at the Baptist Church.

North Parish

Sunday, 10:10, Church School; 10:30, Morning Service. Sermon, "The Song of Deliverance."

WE ARE STILL TALKING ABOUT RED RATION POINTS

We are giving every effort we can to get you as good a selection of Meats that take 2 - 3 - 4 and 5 points to buy. Last week we were able to serve almost two hundred customers with Choice Poultry, that cost no points at all. We will try and repeat this week.

Also fresh and smoked Beef Tongues—no points.

WE WILL HAVE PLENTY SIRLOIN STEAKS! PLENTY PORTER HOUSE STEAKS! PLENTY CLUB STEAKS!

- Very Little Beef for Pot Roasts
- very Little Lamb
- Very Little Veal
- Very Little Corned Beef
- Very Little Bacon
- Very Little Ham and Smoked Shoulders are coming to market—we expect to have a good supply of FRESH FISH!

Grocery Department

Supposing we state right here and now, that we're hitting the bottom of the barrel. You'll understand what that means. Here in the United States of ours, we are TOLD that almost every Food Commodity is short—YOU realize that—so do WE.

Well, we just received a shipment of FRESH DATES from one of our Wholesalers—and the dates came from IRAQ—Know where that country is? It's 1,300 or 1,400 miles inland of the Mediterranean Sea!

BULK PEARS (Dried) have come in
 Are also expecting **DRIED APRICOTS (unpitted)**.
MOP HANDLES — WET MOPS — CLEANSERS
COFFEE?—We have a fair supply of all the popular brands. — Also Bulk Tea and Tea Balls.
 Oh, Yes!—**POP CORN To Pop—Is NOW** in our store!

SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS - - - lb. pkg. 20c
SWIFT'S WOOL SOAP FLAKES—Buy Now! 10 lbs. \$2.39
DYNO (Dextrose) — Use instead of granulated
 Sugar — No Points! - - - - - 1 lb. 10c
BORDEN'S INSTANT HOT CHOCOLATE—
 Really the Tops - - - - - 1 lb. tin 25c
BOSCUL RICE—Extra fancy (Uncoated) - - - lb. 15c
BEECH NUT — GERBER'S — CLAPP'S BABY FOODS
Strained and Chopped
DUSTEX — 125-foot roll — (Kind to the Hands)
 For Dusting - - - - - 57c
ORANGE SLICES — Bulk — A fine confection - lb. 35c
AND NOW — SOMETHING YOU'LL RAVE ABOUT!
STRAWBERRY FRUIT PULP — Put on Ice Cream—
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Andover Flyer Sends German to Doom

The following very interesting account came to us from the Public Relations Office, Atlantic City, N. J.—The lone German fighter pilot evidently noticed that the tail-gunner in the end ship of the B-24 formation was busy throwing out propaganda leaflets.

Seizing the opportunity, he powered in for a seldom-attempted tail attack—but he reckoned without the alertness of an Andover gunner. Seconds later the German

pilot had joined the floating leaflets while his plane smoked down ahead of him. The gunner whose quick eyes saved his crew from almost certain destruction was T/Sgt. John F. Crossley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crossley of Rocky Hill road.

"We had dropped our load on an industrial alcohol plant at Guirgul, Romania, and were heading back for Italy," said the Sergeant, now at the AAF Redistribution Station here for a new assignment after completing 51 combat missions. "The tail gunner was away from his guns dropping leaflets when I spotted this single ME-109 from my top turret.

"I warned the tail-gunner, and the fighter wasn't more than 35 yards away when we both opened on him. That made him veer off to our right and he was duck soup for me then. He bailed out and the next day our bulletin board gave me a kill."

In recounting his experience overseas, Sgt. Crossley said the most interesting mission he took part in was the invasion of Southern France.

"It turned out to be nothing but a joy ride for our plane," he said. "We had a little trouble and were delayed on our take-off with the result that we were one minute late over our target. Because of that, we couldn't drop our bombs for fear of hitting our own troops. That should give you an idea of how carefully such invasions are planned.

"We could see all the troop convoys, aircraft carriers and other aircraft going about their business, though, and it was really an eye-filler."

T/Sgt. Crossley, who was based in Italy for seven months, wears the Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters.

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CLUB NOTES

SOUTH CHURCH MEN TO MEET

The newly formed men's group at the South Church will meet Sunday at 9:30 a. m. in the church kitchen. Roy Hardy will lead a discussion of town affairs. All men are welcome and coffee will be served. At the last meeting Robert Hatton, Scoutmaster, spoke most interestingly on boy scouting.

A son to Mr and Mrs. Lester Abbott, River street, at the Lawrence General Hospital Thursday, January 18.



Dantos Bros.

South Church to Consider Parsonage

The annual meeting of the South Church was held Wednesday, January 17, in the vestry, with about 135 in attendance. A committee was formed to look into the matter of a parsonage with the following appointed: Edmond F. Hammond, Roy E. Hardy, Edward A. Anderson, Mrs. Augustus P. Thompson and Mrs. Frank Videto.

A catered supper was served before the business session under the direction of Mrs. Clinton D. Shaw and her committee consisting of Mrs. George D. Glennie and Mrs. Gilbert Cromie.

Moderator Edmond E. Hammnd presided over the business session. The reports of the officers were accepted as presented in printed form. A gain in membership was shown by the clerk's report, with ten having been admitted during the year on profession of faith, 12 by letter, while nine were removed by death and six by letter.

Officers were elected as follows: Clerk, Arthur W. Bassett; treasurer, John Halford, Jr.; assistant treasurer, Thaxter Eaton; assistant for benevolences, Mrs. Roy E. Hardy; auditors, Dr. Percy J. Look and Dr. William V. Emmons; deacon, Harold Harshaw; deaconess for six

years, Mrs. John A. Jenkins; deaconess for one year, Alice McTernen; prudential committee members, Alvin J. Zink and Mrs. Robert Hatton; finance committee, Frederick Flather; commissioner of cemetery, Chester D. Abbot; Superintendent of ushers, Dr. Malcolm B. McTernen; church school superintendent, Harold N. Wood.

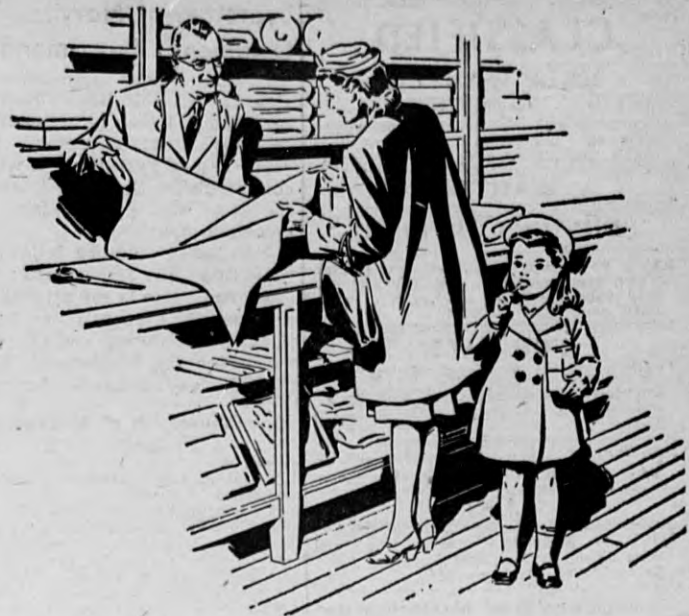
The nominating committee was as follows: Harold N. Wood, George D. Glennie, and Howard T. Mailey.

A vote of thanks was given to the committee which has been studying the matter of a parish study and office for the assistant and secretary as a post war project, and it was also voted that they should continue their work. The committee consists of: Roy Hardy, chairman; Louis S. Finger, Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, Philip F. Riley and Rev. Frederick B. Noss.

NOVEMBER CLUB NOTES

The Art Department of the November Club will meet with Mrs. Henry Bodwell, 31 Morton street, January 29th at the usual hour.

The Literature Department will meet January 31st at three o'clock with Miss Julia Twitchell, 43 Bartlett street. At this meeting Miss Fannie Davis will review "The Life and Culture of Poland" by Waclaw Lednicki.



Better—or Just as Good?

MOST of us aren't satisfied with buying—or growing or manufacturing—something that's "just as good." We want something better. And, in most cases, that something better comes through competition.

For competition—real competition—is something besides two people making, or offering for sale, the same goods or services. It involves a lot more. And anybody who serves the public prospers because he has something better to offer—whether it's quality, prices, service, or just a clean appearance and a pleasant smile.

Real competition doesn't come from punitive taxes, or subsidies, or any other sort of horse-race handicapping to make everybody in business start even. For it isn't equality that's needed; it's the *inequalities* that are the true measure of progress.

Real competition is the kind that encourages the manufacturer, the farmer, or business man to get his quality up, his costs down, and to develop new things his customers want. It's this kind of competition that produces something better rather than something just as good—that insures to the public a steady increase in the value it gets for its money. *General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.*

Hear the G-E radio programs: "The G-E All-girl Orchestra" Sunday 10 p.m. EWT, NBC—"The World Today" news, Monday through Friday 6:45 p.m. EWT, CBS—"The G-E House Party," Monday through Friday 4:00 p.m. EWT, CBS.

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LOST — Monday afternoon. Good-sized loose diamond in or near November Club. Reward. Call Andover 685.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the petition hereinafter described.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Gertrude Alma Müller, formerly Gertrude Goss, of Andover in said County, praying that her name may be changed as follows: Gertrude Alma Müller to Gertrude Alma Miller.

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 twenty-ninth day of January, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
Office of Atty. Thomas J. Lane,
705 Cregg Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass. (11-18-25)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Maud T. Belknap late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that James Lyman Belknap of Brookfield, County of Carroll and State of New Hampshire, 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 in the forenoon on the fifth day of February, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
(18-25-Feb. 1)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the petition hereinafter described.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Stephen Alexander Fischer-Galati, by Theodore I. M. Fischer-Galati, his father and next friend, of Andover in said County, praying that his name may be changed as follows: Stephen Alexander Fischer-Galati to Stephen Alexander Farrell.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of February, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
(25-1-8)

Andover National Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover National 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 90, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.
Books No. 6962, 7126.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier.

Secretary of Navy Commends Deyermonds

Police Officer and Mrs. John Deyermond, 11 Shawsheen road, received a letter of commendation recently from Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, in which he congratulates them on having had six sons and a son-in-law in the armed forces.

The letter reads as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Deyermond:

"It has come to my attention that your family presently has five sons in the armed forces and that a sixth was recently discharged because of injuries received aboard ship

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the petition hereinafter described.

A petition has been presented to said Court by John William Vaphiades and Loisy Marguerite Vaphiades, his wife, of Andover in said County, praying that their names may be changed as follows: John William Vaphiades to John William Vaff, Loisy Marguerite Vaphiades to Irene Marguerite Vaff.

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 fifth day of February, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
Office of Atty. Thomas J. Lane,
705 Cregg Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass. (18-25-Feb. 1)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of John T. Lord 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 Annie Barker Lord 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 fifth day of February, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
(18-25-Feb. 1)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Ryan, 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 Francis X. Ryan 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 Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of February, 1945, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
(25-1-8)

SHERIFF'S SALE

Essex, ss.
On January 26th, A.D., 1945, at 2 o'clock, P.M. I will sell on Mesne process, on the premises at No. 74 Salem Street, Andover, Massachusetts, known as the Andover Riding Academy the following personal property, to wit:

Eleven well-broke, good mannered ride or dirve horses. Included in the lot are two polo ponies, also three English riding saddles, nine bridles, and one light driving harness, twenty polo mallets, one open two horse pung, and other stable implements.

Terms: Cash.

FRANK MARSHALL,
Deputy Sheriff,
724 Bay State Bldg.,
Lawrence, Massachusetts

after three years of active service on a destroyer in both the Atlantic and Pacific. I am also informed that your son-in-law has served four years in the Army and thus your family group represents seven individuals with a total of twenty-four years of creditable service.

"The Deyermond family is indeed doing its bit. If there were a citation of American families, yours would most certainly deserve it.

"Good luck to the fighting Deyermonds."

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) James Forrestal

The six sons are:

Corporal John Deyermond, Sergeant Robert V. Deyermond, Tech. Sgt. William J. Deyermond, Sergeant Warren H. Deyermond, Sergeant Calvin C. Deyermond, and James Deyermond who was discharged from the Navy after three years of service. The son-in-law is Sergeant Frank Dushame, who married the former Elizabeth Deyermond.

CATHOLIC CLUB ORGANIZATION COMPLETED

A meeting of the Andover Catholic club was held in St. Augustine's school hall Monday evening, at which time President Timothy J. Scanlon announced the appointment of the following directors: Andrew J. Crotty, Bruno Prevost, John J. Kelly, Stephen A. Boland, William A. Harnedy, Leo F. Daley and John Cussen. Chairman for the membership committee is Edward J. Dowd, and the program committee is headed by William F. Lucey as chairman and Robert Leete, Harold H. Phinney, Jeremiah J. Twomey, Eugene A. Bernardin, William H. Merchant, and James E. Coleman. George J. McCarthy was appointed auditor, with the following finance committee: Augustine P. Sullivan, Frank O'Connor and George P. Markey.

Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A., assistant pastor, gave a brief talk after the business session adjourned.

WEST PARISH

Robert McCabe of High Plain road is making satisfactory recovery from a serious cut which he received on his index finger on Saturday. He was treated at the Lawrence General hospital . . . John Hathaway of Carisbrooke street is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital . . . Mrs. Harold Dowding of Lowell street spent several days the first of the week in Stoughton where she was called by the death of a relative . . . Mrs. Fred Thresher of Melrose is visiting her daughter Mrs. Carl Stevens of High Plain road. . . Friends of Mrs. Daniel Fitzpatrick of River road will be sorry to learn that she is quite ill at her home . . . Karl Haartz spent the week end with her husband, Tech. Sgt. Karl Haartz, who is located at Indian Town Gap, Penn.

Friends of Mrs. William B. Corliss will be very sorry to learn that she received word on Monday of the death of her brother Mr. Stephen P. Marvin in Brockway, Penn. Mrs. Corliss and her daughter Mrs. Helen True left on Wednesday to attend the funeral services which were held in Richford, Vt. and burial also took place there.

ATTENTION Ladies'

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Doughgirls

Ann Sheridan, Alexis Smith

3:05; 6:05; 9:05

Waterfront

John Carradine, J. Carrol Naish

1:45; 4:45; 7:45

SUNDAY, MONDAY — January 28, 29

Lake Placid Serenade

Vera Hrubá Ralston

Eugene Pallette

3:05; 6:00; 9:05

The Missing Juror

Jim Bannon, Janis Carter

1:55; 5:00; 7:55

TUES., WED., THURS., FRI., SAT. — January 30, 31, February 1, 2, 3

And Now Tomorrow

Alan Ladd, Loretta Young

3:20; 6:15; 9:10

Tahiti Nights

Jinx Falkenburg, David O'Brien

1:45; 4:40; 7:35

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January 25, 1945

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DEATHS

James Moss, 71, 167 Andover street, died Saturday night following a short illness at the family home.

A retired plasterer, he had lived in Ballardvale for the past 24 years. He was born in Bradford, England.

Surviving are his wife, Emma (Waites) Moss; two sons, Clarence and Irving, both of Ballardvale; one daughter, Mrs. Edith Luminello, of Ballardvale; one brother, Squire Moss of Bradford; two sisters, Mrs. Marcia Lithgow of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Alice Newton of Washington.

The funeral was held from the late home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. William S. Crawford, pastor of the Ballardvale Methodist church officiating at the ceremony. Burial was in Elmwood cemetery, Methuen.

Miss Henrietta Symonds, 68, Andover street, died Thursday morning at the family home following a short illness. She was born in Reading, but had lived in this town since childhood.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Myra E. Ward, with whom she made her home, and also four nephews and a niece.

The funeral was held from the Lundgren funeral home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. Elton E. Smith, pastor of the Andover Baptist church officiating. Burial was in Ridgewood cemetery, North Andover, with committal services conducted by the Rev. Mr. Smith.

The bearers were: Everett Ward, Dean Ward, William Ward, James Butler, George Symonds, and Charles Emerson.

Mrs. Mary (Butterworth) Donovan, 63, widow of John Donovan, 20 Brook street, died Wednesday evening, January 17 at the Lawrence General hospital.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. William J. Corey; a son, William Donovan; a sister, Mrs. Thomas Spottiswood of Lawrence; and one grandchild and a niece.

The funeral was held Saturday morning from the Michael A. Burke funeral home, with a high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock in St. Augustine's church. Very Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor, was the celebrant.

Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery, where committal services were conducted by Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A. The bearers were: Thomas Spottiswood, Thomas O'Riordan, William and James Corey, Edward Neagle and Bart Donovan.

George K. Stevens, 57, 1 Highland avenue, died Monday morning at the Lawrence General hospital following a short illness. A World War I veteran, he was born in Lawrence, and was employed by the Shawsheen mill. He was a member of Lawrence post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and served with the Sixth Infantry.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Kathryn (Myatt) Stevens; a brother, Arthur Stevens of Lawrence and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held from the Douglas and Dewhirst funeral home Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Cornelius Heyn, pastor of the Unitarian church of No. Andover officiated at the services. Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery, No. Andover.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cook, 70 Stevens street Saturday at the Lawrence General hospital.

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