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## Finance Comm. Approves \$150,000 For Water

### Three Contests In Monday's Election

Andover's voters will go to the polls on Monday for the annual town election, with three offices providing the only contests. All polling places will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

The three contests are for the two positions on the public works board, the three on the school committee and one on the Board of Health. Fred W. Doyle is running for re-election on the Board of Public Works, and Arthur R. Lewis, Barbara Loomer and Jerome W. Cross, Jr., for school committee. Franklin H. Stacey of the Board of Health is being opposed by Charles McCullom and Vincent Treanor.

Fred Doyle is generally conceded re-election to the public works board, but the rest of the field is so large and so varied that the sec-

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### Red Cross Drive Launched Today

The annual drive for funds put on by the American Red Cross starts today. Andover Chapter has been assigned a quota of \$22,500, which is a challenge to the whole community. The support and the good will of all will be needed to put the town over the top, but since both have been unstintingly given in the past, the solicitors look forward again to a successful climax to their efforts. The drive will extend through the entire month, but a concerted effort is being made to cover the greatest part of the house-to-house canvass during the first two weeks. Following is a list of the solicitors:

**ABBOT VILLAGE**—Mrs. Isabel Valentine, Captain; Mr. John Campbell, Co-captain; Mrs. Edwin Anderson, Mrs. John Sullivan, Mrs. John Keith, Mrs. Elizabeth Dushame, Mrs. Kenneth Dolan.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

**YOUR VOTE IS REQUESTED**  
FOR A  
**Proven Executive**  
VOTE FOR  
**VINCENT TREANOR**  
FOR  
**BOARD OF HEALTH**  
Signed, Vincent Treanor, Osgood Rd.

### REVIEW GAS APPLICATIONS

The Andover rationing board has been notified by the O. P. A. that, due to the serious gasoline situation, it has been found necessary to make a review of gasoline applications in the various boards, in order to eliminate any possible over-issuance.

### Two Andover Boys Killed In Service

Two more Andover boys have lost their lives in the service, one of them with the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Warrant Officer, second class, Hugh A. Davey, Royal Canadian Air Force, was killed on active service overseas on February 21. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davey, 16 Brook street, were notified of the tragedy by RCAF headquarters at Ottawa, Canada, on Saturday morning.

The young flier enlisted three years ago, returning to Canada as a recruit with Phillip Beck, who had been home on a furlough at that time. Warrant Officer Davey had a furlough around Christmas, 1943, and shortly afterward went over to England. He had been piloting Lancaster multi-motored bombers on flights over Germany. A recent letter to his parents stated that he expected a furlough soon, and that he hoped to visit some relatives in Scotland.

Besides his parents, Warrant Officer Davey is survived by six brothers: Sgt. James K., with the

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### Auxiliary to Present Minstrels March 9

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Clan Johnston will present a minstrel show on Friday, March 9th in the Memorial Auditorium. There will be many outstanding specialties including Frank Fresselle, former drummer with Rudy Vallee; Ivar Sjostrom, well-known organist and pianist; and Joan Lefebvre, a local singer of great promise. Elizabeth Moore is the pianist for the show and Mary A. Smith will be the interlocutor, with Theresa Burbine, Joan Fettes, Marjorie Thomson, Thelma Thomson, Isabel Skea and Frances Bradish as end men. John M. Caldwell is directing the show.

### WANTED in ANDOVER ROOM AND BOARD

For refined Gentleman and Two Children, Ages 5 and 6½ Years. Children will require care. Apply Box A, Andover Townsman

### Turns Down Garbage Plan; Big Increase in Fire Budget

The requests for \$150,000 to start work on the water system improvements and for \$21,000 for the Tercentenary celebration have been approved by the finance committee, according to the annual report released yesterday. Other important features of the report are the failure to approve the garbage disposal article and an increase in the fire department appropriation of nearly 25%.

The fire department appropriation has been increased in the recommendations to \$38,737, a jump of \$7,276. The police appropriation is up \$1793, schools are up \$2500, and the various public works articles up over \$10,000.

Articles approved are:

Article 5—To see if the town will appropriate \$150,000 to improve the water system of the town.

Article 6—To appropriate \$22,500 for the purpose of improving the sewer system.

Article 8—\$21,000, provided the town wishes to commemorate its 300th anniversary as outlined by the committee.

Article 9—\$1700 for the purchase of an automobile for the Police Department.

Article 11—\$125.00 for the purchase of an under water light.

Article 12—To build new sidewalks for the sum of \$5000.

Article 13—\$1500, for repair and painting of the Central Playstead bleachers.

Article 14—\$4400, for the purchase of a motor driven street sweeper with equipment.

Article 18—\$400.00 to purchase from Charles W. and Alma Dwyer a piece of land on Lewis street for B. P. W.

Article 19—\$1000 to continue the special committee's study of the improvement of the water and sewer facilities.

Article 20—\$780.00 in payment of bills for tuition, with the town of Tewksbury.

Article 21—\$600.00 to pay teaching staff only, for vocational aid (\$1000 requested).

Article 22—\$575.00 to purchase a compressor.

Article 31—\$1250 to purchase Hussey's Pond.

Article 32—\$300.00 to clean out Hussey's Pond.

Article 34—\$500.00 for skating purposes.

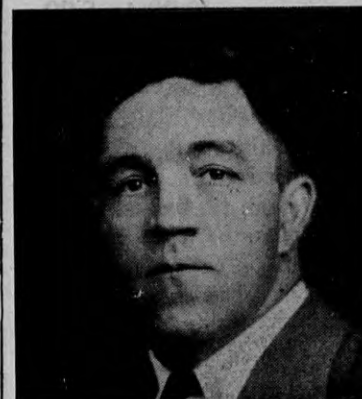
Articles disapproved, with comments, are:

Article 16—The enclosing of Rogers Brook. (We recommend this be a Post War Project.)

Article 17—The repairing of the band stand at the park. (We understand that it is unusable as a band stand.)

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT



### For Board of Public Works FRED W. DOYLE

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## FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended 1945	Change from 1944
American Legion	600.00	
Veterans of Foreign Wars	600.00	
Armistice Day	150.00	
Memorial Day	950.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	8,000.00	+ 500.00
Soldiers' Benefits	7,000.00	+ 1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	41,000.00	+ 1,000.00
Public Welfare	10,500.00	+ 500.00
Retirement Fund	18,413.57	+ 578.00
Damage to Persons and Property	500.00	- 2,500.00
Election and Registration	2,535.00	- 1,940.00
Civilian Defense	1,200.00	- 600.00
Rationing	400.00	
State Guard	250.00	
Insurance	10,000.00	- 500.00
Essex T. B. Hospital	10,187.04	+ 478.95
Pomps Pond	2,200.00	
Public Dump	1,000.00	
Printing Town Report	966.00	+ 230.50
Selectmen	2,345.00	+ 24.00
Treasurer	3,300.00	- 115.00
Collector of Taxes	5,237.75	- 26.75
Accountant	3,193.00	+ 98.00
Assessors	5,346.00	+ 294.00
Town Clerk	3,263.00	+ 48.00
Moderator	10.00	
Town Counsel	750.00	
Finance Committee	20.00	
Planning Board and Survey	200.00	
Dog Officer	225.00	
Animal Inspector	350.00	
Building Inspector	525.00	
Town Scales	175.00	
Inspector of Wires	425.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	450.00	
Municipal Buildings	5,170.00	+ 590.00
Infirmiry	11,000.00	- 400.00
Moth Suppression	5,400.00	+ 125.00
Police Department	32,949.00	+ 1,793.00
Fire Department	38,737.00	+ 7,276.00
Brush Fires	1,925.00	
Interest	5,823.75	- 776.25
Retirement of Bonds	26,000.00	
Perambulation of Bounds	100.00	+ 100.00
State Census	900.00	+ 900.00
Tree Warden	5,600.00	+ 50.00
Board of Health	4,689.00	+ 229.00
Care of Tubercular Patients	6,000.00	
Trustees of Memorial Library	16,638.62	+ 1,860.17
Spring Grove Cemetery	9,470.00	- 190.00
School Committee	205,940.50	+ 2,512.99
Playground Committee	2,694.00	+ 454.00
Highway Maintenance	49,850.00	+ 1,450.00
Parks	5,800.00	+ 200.00
Water	43,100.00	+ 3,000.00
Trucks, Garage and Repair Shop	8,000.00	+ 1,000.00
Snow Removal and Sanding	15,000.00	+ 4,500.00
Street Lighting	20,000.00	+ 2,000.00

## New Snow Loader Finally Arrives

The new snow loader which was purchased by the Board of Public Works arrived last Thursday and was immediately put to work clearing the snow from the streets, in the main sections of the town. While the snow loader was accomplishing its goal, the citizens of the town stopped their work, both in offices and stores, to watch the rapid progress with which the snow was loaded into the trucks and hauled away.

It was quite some time before the town received the snow loader, but it has more than proven its worth in the few days that it has been in use.

The loader may be quickly moved from one section of town to another and will not have to be trilled behind a truck, since it may be moved under its own power.

At last year's annual town meeting, 7200 was appropriated to make this purchase from Clark-Wilcox Company of Boston.

At the present time, the loader is equipped with snow removal equipment, but in the summer time, it may easily be converted to a sand and gravel loader by replacing the present boom with an extra sand and gravel boom which will shortly be shipped.

During the first ten days of operation a man from the manufacturer's was supervising the operations of the new machine, while Floyd MacDonald, truck driver from

the Board of Public Works, was operating the loader.

Andover is fortunate in securing this loader, since the B. P. W. had considerable difficulty in obtaining it. Arrangements had been made for the purchase of a Barber-Greene loader, but the Board was advised that the War Production Board had prevented the deal from going through. Having found that the Haiss loader was available, the local board was successful in obtaining the necessary release from the W. P. B.

## HOME NURSING CLASS

The Home Nursing Class to be held by the Red Cross will hold its first meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Chapter House on the Shaw estate.

After 24 months of duty in the South Pacific, Ernest N. Hall, USNR, of Dascomb road, has returned to this country. He is a gunner's mate, third class, and has been with a battalion in the New Hebrides and Admiralty Islands, setting up bases and other facilities. Before he entered the service, he was employed by B. McKay in Stoneham.

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## Red Cross

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**CENTER DISTRICT**—Mrs. Harold Goddard, Captain; Mrs. Justin Curry, Mrs. Raaburn Hathaway, Miss Charlotte Marland, Mrs. Hilda Wylie, Miss Mary Bancroft, Miss Olive Butler, Mrs. Elwood Chase, Mrs. John Monro, Miss Judith Hardy, Miss Edna Marland, Miss Alice Bell, Mrs. Edward Rice, Mrs. Ernestine Land.

**CENTRAL STREET DISTRICT**—Mrs. Joseph Dahle, Captain; Mrs. Harvey Bacon, Mrs. John Gorrie, Mrs. Norman Scott, Mrs. Stanley Parker, Mrs. Herbert Auty, Miss Katherine Walsh.

**ELM STREET DISTRICT**—Mrs. Mary Dalton, Captain; Mrs. John MacKenzie, Mrs. Byron Smith, Mrs. Charles Baxter, Miss Florence Abbott, Mrs. Ella Curtis, Mrs. David Coutts, Mrs. Charles Shattuck, Mrs. Louis Muise, Mrs. Matthew Colquhoun, Mrs. William Haig, Mrs. Robert Deyernmond, Mrs. Irene Dantos, Mrs. Ralph Berry, Mrs. John Corrigan, Mrs. Harold Godfrey, Mrs. Preston Blake, Mrs. Wilson Knipe.

**HIGH STREET DISTRICT**—Mrs. Prescott Coan, Captain; Mrs. Arthur Cole, Mrs. Geoffrey Glendinning, Miss Thelma Beck, Miss Ruth Saunders, Miss Elizabeth Stone, Miss Margaret Purcell, Mrs. Harry Donovan, Miss Florence McCarthy, Miss Evelyn Parker, Mrs. Sam Wright, Mrs. Harold Fraser, Mrs. George Haselton, Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Mrs. Walter Billings.

**NORTH MAIN STREET DISTRICT**—Mrs. Edward Buchan, Captain, Miss Louise Sherman, Miss Virginia Remington, Miss Barbara Loomer.

**SALEM STREET DISTRICT**—Mrs. Bertil Ryberg, Captain, Mrs. Carlton Strong, Mrs. Wilfred Groves, Mrs. William Jaquith, Mrs. Douglas Pitman, Mrs. Robert Meadowcroft, Mrs. Edwin Bramley, Mrs. J. S. Billington, Mrs. Charles Williamson, Mrs. James Downes, Mrs. Bruno Prevost.

**SCOTLAND DISTRICT**—Mrs. Clayton Northey, Mrs. Henry Tyer.

**SHAWSHEEN DISTRICT**—Mrs. Stafford Lindsay, Captain; Mrs. Clifford North, Mrs. Robert Marland, Mrs. Edward O'Connor, Mrs. Walter Caswell, Mrs. Lester Thompson, Co-captains; Mrs. William Trow, Mrs. Albert Wade, Mrs. Ralph Wilkinson, Mrs. Frank Galloway, Mrs. Arthur Jowett, Mrs. Ann McDonald, Mrs. Harold Gens, Mrs. Bowen Hodges, Mrs. Raymond Walker, Mrs. Arthur Pomerleau, Mrs. Arthur Dame, Mrs. Douglas Donald, Mrs. Carleton Shulze, Mrs. Harold Bowen, Mrs. Edgar Best, Mrs. Gordon Thompson, Mrs. Norman Warhurst, Mrs. James Ashburn, Mrs. Leslie Christison, Mrs. Roger Whitcomb, Mrs. Edward Carey, Mrs. Daniel Gailey, Mrs. Richard Abbott, Mrs. Frank Brittingham, Mrs. Richard Seed, Mrs. Clyde Barlow, Mrs. Andrew Baillie, Mrs. Claire Flaherty, Mrs. Edna Justice, Mrs. Chester Blanchard.

**WEST PARISH**—Mrs. Raymond Cooper, Mrs. Halbert Dow, Captains; Mrs. Fred Doyle, Mrs. John Collins, Mrs. Clarence Sanborn, Mrs. John Greenwood, Jr., Mrs. Roger Lewis, Mrs. Lester Dixon, Miss Bertha Johnson, Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. Lewis Lane, Mrs. Horace Thomas, Mrs. Granville Cutler, Mrs. Alex Ritchie, Jr., Mrs. Byron Weiner, Mrs. Herbert Carter, Mrs. Dowding, Mrs. Earl Slate, Mrs. Leon Davidson, Mrs. Hornden, Mrs. Vincent Treanor, Miss May Noyes, Mrs. Munroe, Mrs. Herbert Treeman.



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NSMAN, March 1, 1945

## DEATHS

Mrs. Grace Rose (St. Jean) Landry, 57, wife of Joseph Landry, Greenwood Road, died Sunday morning at the family home following a long illness. She was born in Plessisville, P. Q., Canada and came to this community 20 years ago.

She is survived by her husband and three daughters Mrs. Lerus Latulipe of Methuen, Mrs. William Beliveau, and Mrs. Geo. Belanger of W. Andover; three sons, Arthur, Eugene and Wilfred, all of Lawrence; 15 grand children; her mother, Mrs. Jean Baptiste St. Jean and one sister, Irene St. Jean, both of Canada.

The funeral was held from Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning and burial was in Sacred Heart cemetery.

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Mrs. Mary E. Bisset, of 6 Englewood road, Peabody, died Monday after a short illness. She was the wife of Lt. Robert L. Bissett, formerly of Andover, and daughter of Mrs. Delie J. (Connolly) and the late Patrick J. McGann.

She leaves besides her husband and mother, a sister Ann Marie McCann, of Peabody.

Her funeral was held Thursday morning from the late home. A requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Thomas Church.

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Mrs. Margaret (Christie) Scott of 454 Huntington Avenue, Boston, died Monday night at her home following a short illness. Born in Arbroath, Scotland, she made her home in Andover for a number of years before she later moved to Lynn.

She was a sister of the late George Christie, and is survived by a sister, Annie M. Christie of Arbroath, Scotland, and two daughters, Margaret of Boston, and Mrs. Richard Huntrods of Leicester, England.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the Richardson Funeral Home in Lynn.

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## Prof. De Haas To Address Women

The Shawsheen Village Woman's Club is to hear J. Anton De Haas on "What To Do With Germany After the War," at their meeting, Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Shawsheen School Hall.

Mr. De Haas is an author, lecturer and Professor of International Relations at the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

Music will be furnished by Mrs. Elliott P. Knight, soprano, of Newburyport, who will be accompanied by Mrs. Frederick C. Smith at the piano.

Mrs. Raymond W. Howe will be hostess chairman, assisted by Mrs. William A. Trow, Mrs. Murray Tuttle, Mrs. Jeremiah J. Twomey, Mrs. H. Lester Utley, Mrs. Dino Valz, Mrs. Wando Viets, Mrs. Earl J. Waddington, Mrs. Albert N. Wade, Mrs. Vernon R. Walker, Mrs. Alvin S. Webster, Mrs. Walter N. Webster, Mrs. George F. Weldon, Mrs. Chester Wells, Mrs. Harold W. Wennik, Mrs. Robert Whittaker, Mrs. Walter Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Norton and son of Springfield, are visiting Mrs. Carrie Norton of Elm street.

## FAMILY NIGHT PARTY

The second Family Night Party for the young people of the South Church, the church school and their families, will be held on Friday evening, March 16. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. Games will be played and an entertainment presented. The committee in charge of arrangements includes: Mr. Harold Wood, chairman; Mr. George Glennie; Mr. Preston Blake; Mr. Elbert Weaver; Mr. Ralph Draper; Miss Peggy Shaw; and Miss Ruth Glennie.

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## SING A SONG OF SPRING COATS

It's such fun to be one of the coke crowd . . . entering spring with hearts so young and gay, blissfully dressed in fashions so definitely their very own . . . dramatic . . . alluring and above all else, fashions enduring. Youth is "at ease" this week . . . No school . . . and what a fine time to select pretty clothes!

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# NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sgt. Frederick C. McDuffie and PFC Robert S. McDuffie, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. McDuffie of No. Main street met in France recently. They have been with the 7th Army under General Patch for some time but have not met before. Bob was recently discharged from a rest camp where he had been sent after a prolonged period of active combat fighting.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Batcheller that their son Robert who recently left for overseas has arrived safely in Belgium.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thomas of Lowell street have received word from their son Corp. John Thomas that he has safely arrived in New Guinea. In his letter to the home folks he says that he cannot imagine snow being anywhere as it is so very hot where he is.

Samuel Waugh of Williams street and Robert Simon of 12 Arundel street are among the 197 Midshipmen of the Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Hyannis, who will embark on their annual practice cruise on board the U. S. M. S. T. S. American Pilot.

Wave Specialist Q First Class, Dorothy Winn spent the past weekend at her home 37 Maple avenue. Miss Winn is stationed in Washington, D. C., and recently was promoted to Specialist Q first class.

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, England—Knowing their new gunsight will, when properly used, give them five times as many strikes on enemy aircraft as any other existing type sight, pilots of this Eighth Air Force P51 Mustang station spend many hours practicing in the Link trainer building. Second Lieutenant Frederick Butler, Jr., 22, of Andover, a member of the 339th Fighter Group commanded by Colonel John B. Henry, Jr., of San Antonio, Tex., is one of those preparing for a session with the sight which Army Air Forces gunnery experts claim will triple the present percentage of kills.

Sergeant Kenneth C. Bushway, son of Mrs. Annie E. Bushway, of South Main Street, was recently promoted from private, first class to his present grade. He is with a company of the 398th Infantry Regiment. The local soldier's division is fighting on the front of Lt. General Alexander M. Patch's American Seventh Army in France.

Sgt. Tommy Eldred, over there somewhere, writes: "I thought I'd drop you a line and let you know my new mailing address. I've changed twice recently and kept on the jump doing it. I still get the Townsman and enjoy it immensely. At present it's the only mail I've received for over a month. I bumped into Roger Davidelt a short while ago. He was at my base. They had a boxing night and a fighter from his base was on the card and he accompanied him. We both had ringside seats and didn't recognize each other at first. It's been three years since we had seen each other. He's the first fellow from Home that I've met over here in over a year. Well hoping to see and be with you all again soon."

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE LIBERATOR STATION, England—First Lieutenant Frank Koza, 119 Andover street, B-24 Liberator pilot, has received the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement and heroism in combat over Europe. Veteran of 35 missions to France and Germany, the Andover airman also holds the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters for meritorious achievement. His citation read: "For extraordinary achievement on combat missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. Displaying great courage and skill, Lieutenant Koza has materially aided in the success of these missions and his actions are an inspiring example for his fellow flyers. His courage, coolness and skill on these occasions reflect the highest credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States." Lieutenant Koza's unit, the 392nd Bombardment Group, commanded by Col. Lorin L. Johnson of Payson, Utah, was twice cited by the commanding general, Second Air Division, for distinguished and outstanding service on 200 missions. Second Division is commanded by Major-General William E. Kepner. The 392nd made its 100th mission on D-day, its 200th on Armistice Day. Lieutenant Koza graduated from Punchard High School. Prior to entering the service, he was employed by General Electric as a machinist. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antoni S. Koza, live at the Andover street address.

WITH THE 3rd ARMY IN LUXEMBOURG—Leading an engineering platoon which had set construction records, has won the Bronze Star Medal for Second Lieutenant James C. MacLachlan, son of Mrs. Mary MacLachlan of 22 Haverhill street. For more than twenty years Lt. MacLachlan had been a theatrical entertainer. Until assignment with the 398th Engineers on April 9, 1943, he had had no engineering experience. Through personal aptitude and conscientiousness he turned successfully to engineering practices. At the present time his regiment is attached to the Third Army as provisional rifle regiment which has established a mainstay defense line along the Moselle River just below the Ardennes salient. Lt. MacLachlan enlisted March 25, 1942, and was assigned to the 242nd Coast Artillery (harbor defence of Long Island). On January 14, 1943, he received his second lieutenancy direct from the ranks. He has been promoted from platoon commander to battalion adjutant. Overseas 18 months, he has two brothers with the Merchant Marines: Lieutenant (j.g.) Edwin C., U.S.N.R., and Andrew, Jr., an assistant engineering officer.

WITH THE 100th DIVISION, SEVENTH ARMY, France—Technician Fourth Grade John W. Crowley, son of Mrs. Mary E. Crowley, of 37 Elm street, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge. This badge is awarded for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, and entitles the soldier to \$10 per month additional pay. The badge is worn on the left breast above the service ribbons.

Jan. 29, 1945.

Dear Sir:—

I've been getting the "Townsmen" pretty regular lately and it sure is awfully nice to read about all the folks at home.

I noticed that quite a few of the fellows have received their Christmas packages from the Andover Servicemen's fund, but I'm sorry to say I haven't.

A lot of our mail was lost around Christmas time and I just hope it wasn't in that bunch. You see I'm in the Third Army and we've been pretty busy lately and perhaps our mail hasn't caught up with us. We received our Bronze Stars for the invasion of Germany the other day, but I can assure you, I don't want any more of them.

I used to think it was cold back there in Andover, but now I'm really finding out what cold weather and snow is really like. Just keep my "Townsmans" coming and I'll be all set.

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Sincerely,

CPL. RALPH MANNING

A NINTH AIR FORCE ENGINEER COMMAND BATTALION, Belgium—Robert H. Proctor, of Andover, is serving with an Aviation Engineer Battalion assigned the task of constructing front-line airstrips for fighter and fighter-bomber planes of the Ninth Air Force. Proctor, recently promoted to the grade of corporal, is the mail clerk for "B" company of his unit. The battalion has been commended several times for the merit and speed of its work. On more than a few occasions the unit has completed ahead of schedule, in the face of almost constant German artillery and air attacks, strips that were urgently needed in the tactical operations of the Ninth Air Force. Corporal Proctor, in civilian life, worked as assistant production manager for the Barbour Woolen Mills of Brockton, Mass. He is a graduate of Punchard High School, Andover, and the Lowell Textile Institute of Lowell, Mass. In high school he won his letter in baseball besides participating in basketball. He is a member of the Lowell Chapter of De Molay. Inducted in February of 1942, he joined his present outfit in May of the same year. Sailing overseas with it at a later date he now has more than 30 months of foreign service. He wears the European Theater Ribbon with three campaign clasps attached. Proctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proctor, live at 50 Summer street in Andover. He has a brother, PFC Howard Proctor, now serving with the Signal Corps somewhere in Luxembourg.

Albert H. Chamberlain, Jr., son of the late A. H. Chamberlain, former treasurer of the Arlington Mills and Mrs. Chamberlain has been awarded the Purple Heart for "wounds received in action Oct. 4th" and the Bronze Star for "meritorious service from Oct. 4 - Oct. 12 in Germany."

Corporal Lawrence J. Spinella recently returned from the Aleutian Islands after 27 months of overseas service. Before entering the ser-

vice in 1942, he was employed at the Shawsheen Mills. He received his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala. and in Drew Field, Tampa, Florida. He is now stationed at Drew Field with the Army Air Forces. His brother, Salvatore J. Spinella is also in the service. He entered the service in September, 1944, and received his basic training at Camp Fannin, Texas. He is now on duty overseas. Before entering the service he was employed with the Boston & Maine Railroad. Both boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spinella, 35 Middle street.

Word has been received that Timothy F. Cronin, 237 Center street has been promoted to Marine Master Technical Sergeant somewhere in the Pacific where he is serving with a unit of the Fourth Marine Air Wing under command of Major General Louis E. Woods. Before enlisting in July, 1942, he was employed by the Merrimack Mutual Fire Ins. Company. He took his basic training at San Diego, California, and left for overseas duty in August, 1944.

Several Andover men are included in the group of 197 who will make their annual practice cruise from the Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Hyannis, on board the USMSTS "American Pilot." The local men who will take part in the cruise are: Samuel G. Waugh, 18 William street; John F. Nicoll, 69 Summer street; and Robert A. Simon, 12 Arundel street. Upon completion of the cruise, eighty of the cadets will have completed the required six months of sea experience, in addition to the necessary theoretical training, and those who qualify will be commissioned officers in the U. S. Maritime Service and the U. S. Naval Reserve.

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## Fetter Family At Baptist Church

The annual Fetter Family Supper will be held on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the vestry of the Baptist church. The Fetter Family is a group of college students of the Greater Boston area who engage in deputations to local Baptist churches. The adult advisor of the group is the Rev. Mr. Prentiss L. Pemberton, minister to Baptist churches in Boston.

The nine young people to be guests will be introduced at the dinner tables and then will conduct an evening of games and fellowship for all present. The young people of the First-Calvary Baptist church of Lawrence will be the guests of the Andover Christian Endeavor.

At 5:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, the Christian Endeavor will be hostesses at a Parish Tea, to which all members and friends are cordially invited to attend. Miss Evelyn Locke is chairman of the Tea and is being assisted by Miss Vernie Livingston, Miss Beatrice Paine, Raymond Lloyd and Arthur Hall. On Sunday evening at the regular Lenten Evening Service to be held at 7:30 o'clock, the Fetter Family will present a Panel Discussion on the topic, "Boys and Girls Together."

## PURSE RECOVERED

Sgt. William R. Hickey investigated a call from Mrs. W. R. Ingalls of West Boxford last Wednesday night, when she stated that she thought she had left her pocket-book behind her when she got off the train at the local station. Sgt. Hickey found the purse on a bench at the station and notified the owner that the contents were intact.

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## Inductee Group Leaves Friday

A sizeable group of men will assemble at the town house Friday morning at 7:30 to leave for Boston on the 8:09 train for induction into the armed forces.

Included in the March quota of the local draft board are the following:

Charles S. Woodbury, Lynn; John M. Wilson, Andover street; Daniel Dennis, No. Andover; Frank W. Leslie, 15½ Elm street; George H. Laird, Lawrence; Glenn O. Hay, 2 Stonehedge road; Edward W. Phelan, No. Andover; Arthur J. Doucette, Boston road; Joseph F. Kenney, Lawrence; Henry J. Beliveau, 19 Corbett street; Ralph T. Vernile, No. Andover; Prescott H. Sherrburne, Georgetown; Same Picardi, Revere; Arthur J. Temple, No. Andover; Richard S. McAtamney, 6 Buxton court.

Clarence J. A. Johnson, Boxford, and Arthur L. Hall, 87 High street, have had their induction postponed by the board, as they are still in high school.

## DEATH

Frank J. Sherman, 70, father of Superintendent of Schools Kenneth L. Sherman, now a Lieutenant Commander in the Navy, died of a heart attack at his home in Melrose last Friday.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, and six sons, all officers in the service.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Unitarian church in Melrose. Burial was in the Wyoming cemetery.

Lt. Commander Kenneth L. Sherman, who is in charge of surface craft at Quonset, after duty in the Solomons and New Hebrides, was able to attend the funeral.

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## WHITE PARTY FRIDAY

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## VALLEY BAPTISTS TO MEET

The Mid-winter meeting of the Merrimack River Baptist Association will be held at the First Calvary Baptist church on Wednesday, March 7. At the evening service, conducted by the Baptist Youth Fellowship, Miss Vernie Livingston of Andover will read the scripture lesson.

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## WEDDINGS

### Lundgren—Howes

On Friday evening in the West Parish church Miss Marjorie Louise Howes, daughter of Seva Howes of 25 Enmore street, became the bride of Sgt. Donald E. Lundgren, son of the late Everett and Mrs. Ruth Lundgren of 20 Elm street.

It was a very pretty candlelight service performed by Rev. Elton Smith, pastor of the Baptist church. Dr. Chas. Currier played the nuptial music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Malcolm Lundgren acted as best man and Mrs. Malcolm Lundgren was matron of honor.

Mrs. James Phillips and Miss Nellie Irvine acted as usherettes.

The bride was gowned in satin and net with a court train and a Juliet cap with finger tip veil. She carried white gardenias. The matron of honor wore a gown of pale blue chiffon with a pink Juliet cap and shoulder veil. She carried pink snapdragons.

A reception followed in the church vestry.

After a brief trip to New York City Sgt. Lundgren will report on Friday at Camp Meade, Maryland.

### Zink—Warren

Miss Helen V. Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Warren of Richland, Missouri, became the bride of Sgt. Foster D. Zink, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Zink, 35 Chester street on February 25th.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Wilson Branstetter in the Methodist church at Richland, Missouri. Miss Lois Jeanne Warren, a cousin of the bride was maid of honor, and Lt. H. B. Jackson, a friend of the groom was best man. Sgt. and Mrs. Zink will live in Missouri, where he is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood.

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs. Ashton Lee, 117 East street, Methuen, announced the engagement of her daughter Jane to Edward F. Hogan, 126 Main street at a dinner party held Saturday evening at the Shawsheen Manor.

Miss Lee is a graduate of Pine Manor Junior college and the Katharine Gibbs school. At present she is serving in the WAVES as seaman, first class, on duty in New York City.

Mr. Hogan is a graduate of Drexel Institute of Technology, Pennsylvania. He is employed by the Bolta Company at the present time.

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## ABBOT ACADEMY NOTES

The Fidelio Society, under the direction of Walter E. Howe, will go to Governor Dummer Academy on Saturday night to give a joint concert with the Glee Club of that school. Fifty-eight girls and a number of the faculty will make the trip. The concert will be followed by a dance.

On Sunday the Reverend Herbert Gezork, of the Andover-Newton Theological School, will speak at the vesper service at 7:30 P. M. Friends of the school are cordially invited to attend.

## MAIL SERVICE RESUMED

Effective immediately, limited mail service is being resumed between the United States and Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, parts of Poland, and Bessarabia, parts of northern Bukovina, and localities in Moldavia, Postmaster Stephen A. Boland, Acting Postmaster has announced.

Mail will not be accepted for localities in the Polish Provinces of Pomorze and Kotowice, parts of which are still held by the enemy. For Poland, as for Finland, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, the service will be limited to letters not exceeding one ounce and non-illustrated post cards. The Post Office Department has been informed that mail for certain areas in Poland may be delayed because of military operations.

## WEST PARISH

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slate and Mrs. Albert Batchelder of Argilla road on Sunday attended the wedding in the Methodist church, Somerville of their neice Miss Shirley French to Mr. Frank Martin. Edward Schmidt of Rutherford, N. J. spent several days last week with John Davidson of Lowell street . . .

Friends of Raymond Munroe of Lowell street will be pleased to learn that he is able to return to his work at the Lawrence post office after being confined to his home since the first of the year . . .

Nancy Whitcomb of Wakefield spent a few days recently with her grandmother Mrs. Horace Thomas of Lowell street . . .

Mrs. Abbott Batchelder and daughter Faith have returned after visiting the former's sister in Melrose . . .

Mrs. George Winslow of Lowell street left on Saturday for Knoxville, Tenn. where she will enjoy an extended vacation with her daughter and family . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harrington . . . Maryanne and Richard Schmidt of Rutherford, N. J. were guests on Friday of Marjorie and Bruce Stewart . . .

Andrew Innes is somewhat improved following a recent illness that has confined him to his home on Haggett's pond road for the past two months . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lovejoy and children of Springfield were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton of Lowell street.

## Births

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Colburn, 189 North Main street at the Lawrence General Hospital, Wednesday.

A son, Frederick Leigh on February 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Smith of Katonah, N. Y. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Smith of Maple avenue.

Born to Captain and Mrs. John A. B. Faggi (Jeanne Sawyer), a son, John Alexander Butler, Jr., February 24th, at the Lawrence General Hospital. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sawyer of 60 Bartlet street, and Mr. Alfeo Faggi of Woodstock, New York. Captain Faggi is at present serving overseas.

## LAFALOT CLUB

The Lafalot Club will meet on Monday evening, March 12 at the home of Miss Marion Abbott, Cedar road. Her sister Mrs. Ruth White will entertain with her.

## Warfare Topic of P. A. Broadcast

For the last of its winter series of broadcasts over WLAW, the Phillips Academy Hour will this Thursday at 8:00 p. m. present a group of four of the Academy's youngest students in a round table discussion of "Warfare, Ancient and Modern." The speakers include William Stopford of Andover, Frank A. O'Reilly of Lawrence, Hugh D. Stone of Brockton, and Philip F. Buckner of Northboro. Kenneth Minard of the P. A. History Department will serve as Moderator.

## LOCAL

Mrs. Emery Trott of Andover will be the guest of the WCOP program, "Virginia Dwyer Presents" on Friday. The broadcast time is 10:15 to 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. Bruce Gesing of 232 No. Main street has returned from a few days' visit with her father in New York City.

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# Editorials



## Let's Not Wait

Those of us who have decided that it's about time something is done in Andover about collecting our garbage can't help but being a little disappointed at the summary dismissal given to the proposition by the finance committee.

It's disapproved by our advisory committee, with no more explanation than: "Insufficient information available at present." Why wasn't there sufficient information? Why wasn't the problem studied? Why wasn't the investigation of a few years ago, when a special committee was appointed—why wasn't that looked up? Nothing much has happened in the meantime to change the results of that study.

Probably the budget as estimated by Mr. Stacey is a bad underestimate; probably it was meant to include as a starter only a small portion of the town—but the important thing is that it is a start on the fulfilling of a longfelt need.

Garbage collection is important; town meeting will probably show that the great majority of Andover residents want garbage collected by the town. Why, then, just dismiss it with a few words? Why doesn't it merit more consideration than that? Let's appropriate the requested sum; let's instruct the Board of Health to launch this work, possibly with the approval of the Selectmen as to methods, contracts, etc. Let's not just brush it aside again this year.

## Sober Town

Oink-Oink!

Listen, little piggie: If you went to market anywhere around here just now, you'd be just as hungry as if you stayed back in the snow-bound pens near Foster's pond, because we're not getting much to eat ourselves.

They were misled, those pigs that finally decided to take their feeding into their own hands, or snouts, or whatever those things are. The blizzard came, three weeks ago, but nobody else came, and gradually the pigs began to think that the Federal Government, in its amazing omnipotence, had finally prevailed upon the gods of weather to launch a new program of burying hogs alive. But they arose in their wrath, and said, "These d—d Democrats can't do this to us. Let's all go to market. Let's none of us stay at home. Let's have bread and butter, even if everybody else has none."

You can't blame them much. They were hungry, and, gosh, when a pig gets hungry —! In fact, when no provisions arrived, some of them looked around and decided that they wouldn't mind having a little pork, and so, without any points or anything, they just started eating pork in the flesh. One of them, as he grasped voraciously at a fellow pig's knuckle, was heard to snort: "What! No sauerkraut?" Another said: "Why should we refrain from eating pork? After all, wasn't it a guy named Bacon that wrote the

Essay on Roast Pork? — or was it Lamb?" The only trouble with this new diet was that the other pigs that were being eaten didn't like it one bit. They didn't want to die yet.

Anyway, without giving a second thought to the possible presence of big bad wolves around here, they broke out of their pens and headed for Ballardvale. Some children whom the pigs decided might make a nice meal managed to escape, and pretty soon Chief Dane had asked Charley Gilliard that a way be plowed to the pig pen so that the threat to the calm and quiet of Ballardvale could be eliminated. The two officials winked at the fact that law doesn't just yet allow the plowing of private ways in Andover — and, anyway, we in Andover think that this private way is in Wilmington. So in went a tractor plow, and in behind it a truckload of nice choice garbage. In went Gillespie, too, and shot the pigs that were suffering from malnutrition and those who were suffering because some of the others had decided to use them to take care of their own malnutrition.

Yesterday afternoon the Townsman telephone rang, and it was a call from Chicago. We have a customer in Chicago, whose telephone number strangely enough is Andover 1067, the Windy City apparently having an Andover exchange. We thought sure this customer might have called Andover 1943, thinking it wouldn't cost anything—but instead it turned out to be the Chicago Tribune. They had an A.P. paragraph about pigs running loose in Andover, and they wanted to develop a real story on it. Having spent \$2.65 already on a person to person call, they asked if we'd get everything we could on it and call them back. We spoke ten minutes — collect, of course (why should we spend ten dollars just to tell somebody in Illinois about our Andover pigs?) But it's an encouraging sign, not so much because it gives Andover pork publicity in the stockyard city, but because it shows that Mr. McCormick's paper has relaxed its isolationist policy at least long enough to admit that beyond the shores of the Great Lakes lie other territories with people much like their own—and pigs just as hungry.

## Elect Local Boys to Cum Laude Society

Phillips Academy held the second mid-year graduation in its 167-year history Friday afternoon in the Cochran chapel, with Hon. Leverett Saltonstall as the guest speaker. The class, which included 20 graduates, was part of the accelerated wartime program which includes summer courses. Bernard G. Harig was the only graduate from this town.

Senator Saltonstall, whose son was one of those to graduate, stressed good citizenship in his address. The diplomas were distributed by Headmaster Claude M. Fuess. Prizes were awarded during the exercises, with William Stopford, 79 Chestnut street, a junior, receiving the Butler-Thwing prize for the highest mark on his en-

trance examinations last June. Harold B. Reid, Jr., of Bristol, Conn., received the Aurelian honor society prize for character, scholarship and leadership. The Charles C. Clough prize for literary essay was awarded to John Snook of Upper Montclair, N. J.

Three local boys, seniors not under the accelerated program, were elected to the Cum Laude honor society. They are: John P. Eastham, Bartlet street; John B. C. Little, Shawsheen road, outstanding scholar of the whole academy; and Loring E. Batchelder, Argilla road.

## Lieutenant Matthias Wounded in France

Word has been received that Second Lieutenant James F. Matthias, husband of the former Barbara Lord of Andover, was seriously wounded in action in France on December 9 and is hospitalized in England, according to information given by his father-in-law, Wilfred Lord, 23 Wolcott avenue. Lieutenant Matthias, a former teacher at New York City college, entered the Army in November, 1942, as a private and about a year ago was sent overseas as an infantry sergeant. After distinguishing himself in action in France last August, he received a battlefield commission to second lieutenant.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Matthias were married in Andover in August, 1941. Mrs. Matthias is at present residing at Oxford, Ohio, where she is academic dean at Weston College.

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## Three Contests in Monday Election

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and choice is anybody's guess. Those in it are Edward Doyle, no relation to Fred; William Edwards, William Titcomb, William Snyder, James R. Mosher and Llewellyn D. Pomeroy.

For school committee the incumbents are opposed by John Bolten, Jr., George Connors and Edward F. Hogan. Possibilities of any change are remote.

The town is also asked to vote on the question of acceptance of a statute whereby the plowing of private ways used publicly would be allowed. A previous decision of the Taxpayers Association directors to recommend the defeat of this article is probably to be modified in view of an interpretation by Town Counsel Tomlinson to the effect that the selectmen would have to approve the list of streets. It is felt that this would not make it a political football.

Biographical sketches as submitted by the candidates follow:

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Vine Street, Andover, born at Andover, educated Andover Public Schools, Pynchard High School; courses on Engineering at Lowell Textile School and Mass. Inst. of Tech. Now attending Lawrence Industrial School, Lawrence and Lowell Trade School, Lowell, Member National Association of Power Engineers. 5 Years Truck Driving Experience with United States Worsted Co. of Lawrence. 2 Years Construction experience with Keystone Fireproof Bldg. Corp. of Philadelphia, Pa. 2 Years Building roads, planting trees and shrubbery for Phillips Academy at the Bird Sanctuary; 15 years experience as a licensed fireman and engineer; 9 years on employe of the Town of Andover of which 7 yrs. was spent as fireman and janitor at the Central schools; 2 years spare engineer at Haggett's Pond Pumping station, operating Diesel pumping engine at Bancraft Rd. Pumping station; now operating engineer for the M. E. Power Co. at Lawrence. Served the Town as a precinct officer clerk and warden of Precinct 6 for 15 years. A member of the founders committee that formed the Andover Servicemen's Association. Former manager of Ballardvale Athletic Association football and baseball teams for 3 years. Grand Knight of Andover Council, 1078, K. of C. for the past 5 years. Taxpayer owning two houses on Vine St., Andover. Worked building By-pass Road operating trucks and bulldozers.

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

#### FRED W. DOYLE

Born in Andover, life-long resident; graduated from local schools; has been building contractor for past 23 years; member of West Parish church, also assessor for church and member of finance committee; member of Grecian Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Lives on Chandler Road with wife and three children, Fred, Jr., 17; Russell, 13, and Ray, 9. He has completed over 1000 contracts with Andover residents. First elected to B. P. W., three years ago.

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#### WILLIAM R. EDWARDS

A graduate of Pratt Institute, New York; also took graduate work at Union College, Rhode Island College of Education and Lowell Technical Institute. Worked many years with the New England Power Association doing operating and maintenance engineering; is now employed as superintendent of power and maintenance at Pacific Mills. Came to Andover nine years ago, lives on Carisbrooke street. He is a member of Burns Lodge No. 66, F. and A. M. of Littleton, N. H. and holds membership in various technical and engineering societies. He was one of the first Eagle Scouts in the state and has been very active in scouting, being master of one of the largest troops in Scranton, Pa., before he moved to this town.

#### B P W

#### JAMES R. MOSHER

Resident of Andover for 30 years; served as Precinct Clerk when Town Hall was only voting place; was Chief Warden in Precinct 3 for 15 years; served on Pumps Pond Committee for 4 years; commissioner of Boy Scouts for 5 years previous to World War 2, resigned when appointed head warden of A. R. P. in Shawsheen, now holds a 500 hr. government award for his public service at observation post there. Business college graduate, he has worked continuously for over 20 years as

a Manufacturing Clerk in the Shawsheen Mills; has one son, at Fort Belvoir, Va. Resides at 78 Haverhill Street with Mrs. Mosher.

#### WILLIAM J. SNYDER

Born in New Jersey; came to Andover in 1920, where he has lived since. Veteran of World War I; was employed in Smith and Dove mill as a section hand until it closed; owned and operated Crystal Ice Company from 1928 to 1936. Now employed as janitor in the Junior High School. Lives at 21 Baker Lane with wife and daughter who attends Pynchard High School.

#### HEALTH

#### CHARLES O. McCULLOM

Graduate of Massachusetts College of Pharmacy with degree of P. H. G., registered in Massachusetts. Member of staff of the McLean Hospital in Belmont for ten years where he served as chief pharmacist, laboratory assistant and instructor in the training school for nurses; at present employed by the Abbott Laboratories as representative in the Merrimack Valley; member of the board of directors and chairman of the Comfort Committee of the Andover Servicemen's Fund Assn.; appointed last summer to the Pumps Pond committee, and recently made a vice-chairman of the sports program for the Andover Tercentenary celebration; also active in helping to run the Andover Town baseball team for the past few years.

#### BOARD OF HEALTH

Franklin H. Stacey, born in Lynn, graduated from Winchester High school, has received the Degrees of Pharmaceuical Chemist and Doctor of Pharmacy from the Mass. College of Pharmacy, and a certificate in Bacteriology from Harvard Medical School; registered pharmacist in Massachusetts and New Hampshire, worked as Manufacturing Chemist in two large pharmaceutical laboratories; came to Andover in 1904 and entered the retail drug business; was a Justice of the Peace for 14 years and has just been re-appointed a Notary Public, having served as such for 35 years; was appointed in 1906 Milk Inspector by the Selectmen and under a special article was also appointed to survey and clean up all the local dairies; served as Inspector for 25 years; was elected to the Board of Health in 1914 to fill out the term of Dr. Leitch; served as Chairman for 25 years; at the present time he is substituting for a prescription pharmacist in a Lawrence Drug store.

#### VINCENT TREANOR

Vincent Treanor, candidate for the Board of Health, born in New York City, graduated from the Naval Academy, Annapolis, member of the Andover Catholic Club, is married and resides with his wife and two children at Osgood Street.

#### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

#### JOHN BOLTEN, JR.

Resident of Andover since 1930; graduate of Stonybrook school, Long Island, N. Y. and Dartmouth College, Class of 1941; Member of Pheta Delta Chi and ski team while at Dartmouth. Now employed by Bolta Rubber Company as an engineer. Lives at 11 Cedar road with wife and one child.

#### GEORGE CONNORS

Born in Lawrence; came to Andover thirteen years ago; attended Pynchard High School where he played football and baseball; son of John C. and Ella Bryson Connors; married, one child.

#### JEROME W. CROSS

Born in Andover, educated in Andover public schools, attended Tabor Academy, Phillips Exeter Academy, Dartmouth College, A.B., 1937, and attended Harvard Univ. Graduate School of Arts and Sciences; member of Andover Service Club, director of Lawrence Rotary Club, director of Lawrence Community Chest; for the past two years chairman of the Employees Division of the United War Fund; president-treasurer of Cross Coal Company, and chairman of O. D. T. Solid Fuel Advisory Committee, also chairman of Lawrence Area Massachusetts Emergency Solid Fuel Advisory Committee; served two years on school committee, and for the past year has served as chairman of the Finance and Advisory committee; member of the Post-war Planning committee and member of the committee to study the High school program; married and has three sons.

#### EDWARD F. HOGAN

A graduate of Overbrook, Pa., high school, studied three years at Drexel Institute of Technology in Philadelphia; spent several years in private engineering work in West Indies and South America; also worked with Army Engineers at Pearl Harbor. Resident of Andover for past year and one half. Now employed by the Bolta Company in Lawrence.

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## Why I Have Become An Unbeliever—

Over three weeks ago a tremendous shortage of fresh meats of all kinds swept over the New England States. We food dealers were told that the great snow-storm out at Buffalo, N. Y., blocked out all railroad freight, thereby holding up all shipments of fresh meats — For over a week the railroads have been cleared up, but we dealers have not received any of that meat. Where did it go? You, the consumer, have lost your two weeks' share, the dealers two to three weeks' supplies, and I have lost all confidence in the Up and Ups. So I have joined the fast grownig army of unbelievers.

No Oleo came this week, but strange as it may seem, we received an extra large shipment of Butter. Everybody can have some as long as it lasts.

## Vegetable Department

Temple Oranges, Seedless Grapefruit, Rhubarb, Baldwin Apples, MacIntosh Apples, Strawberries! Green Sweet Peas, Fancy Green Beans, Fresh Chicory, Native Radishes, Fancy Cucumbers, Fresh Chives, Squash

## Fresh Vegetables Daily

## Grocery Department

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Instead of advertising articles of food this week, we are going to devote the regular space to the following subject:

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## JUNIOR HIGH NOTES

### Elections

The following pupils were elected as Homeroom officers for the second school term:

Room 1 — President, Edward Carey; Vice President, Raymond Collins; Secretary, Nancy Chadwick; Treasurer, Brian Caldwell. Room 2—President, Virginia Foley; Vice President, Edith Gordon; Secretary, Audrey Dyer; Treasurer, Martha Humphries. Room 3—President, Donald Mudgett; Vice President, Donald Mulvey; Secretary, Richard Monroe; Treasurer, Jack McCarthy. Room 4 — President, Polly Black; Vice President, Fredric Cole; Secretary, Joan Capen; Treasurer, Claire Berube. Room 5—President, Joan Draper; Vice President, Jane Draper; Secretary, Jeanne Kenney; Treasurer, Maureen Higgins. Room 6—President, Elaine MacLellan; Vice President, Marilyn McKay; Secretary, Elaine Matton; Treasurer, Robert Northam. Room 7—President, Burnham Riggs; Vice President, Maurice Shea; Secretary, Anne Whipple; Treasurer, Anne Whipple. Room 9—President, Eleanor Parker; Vice President, Jackie Wood; Secretary, Robert Whittaker; Treasurer, William Schlott. Room 11—President, Ernest Avery; Vice President, Ruth Anne Chadwick; Secretary, Dorothy Christie; Treasurer, Sebastian Cavallaro. Room 12—President, Joyce Demers; Vice President, Robert Deyermond; Secretary, Joan Cross; Treasurer, Russell Doyle. Room 13—President, Delos Penwell; Vice President, Rosemary O'Connor; Secretary, Anne Whipple; Treasurer, Fredric Lloyd. Room 15—President, Joseph Ratyna; Vice President, Donald Wainwright; Secretary, Nancy Southwick; Treasurer, Winfield Sides.

### Basketball

The boys' basketball varsity team defeated Reading Junior High 35 - 9. The second team won 19-5.

### Honor Cards

The following Honor Cards were distributed at the close of the second term:

Honors: Grade 7—Brian Caldwell, Edith Gordon, Patricia Hamblet, Claire Henderson, Joan O'Donnell. Grade 8—Dana Bullen, Judith Napier. Grade 9—Phillip Churchill, Joan Draper, Fredric Flather, Marjorie Harshaw, Elaine Matton, William Nichols, William Schlott, John Wood.

High Honors: Grade 7—Edward Carey, Nancy Chadwick, Jean Dumont, Martha Ann Fieldhouse, Virginia Foley, Doris Halbach, Martha Humphries, Arlene Kupis, Carol Lewis, Lolita Machon, Donald Mudgett, Joseph Ratyna, Peter Stern, Joan Sullivan, Edwin Weaver. Grade 8—Sally Bergeron, Patsy Black, Janice Bowen, Ruth Anne Chadwick, Dorothy Christie. Grade 9—Polly Black, Joan Capen, Brenda Giles, Rita Groleau, Jeanne Kenney, Ronald Martin.

Highest Honors: Grade 7—Nancy Shulze and Lewis Skeirik. Grade 9—Eric Halbach and Jane Lynch.

### Sovietism Topic of Catholic Club Talk

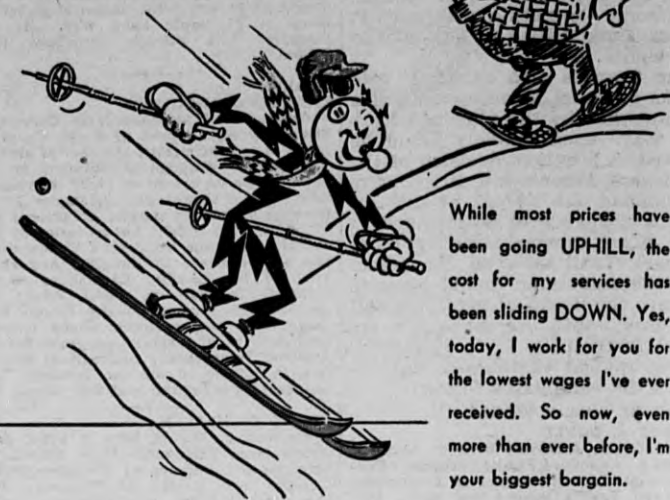
The first guest speaker to address the recently organized Andover Catholic Club will be Rev. Francis Lowe, S. J., professor of Philosophy at Boston College. His subject will be "The Vatican and Sovietism."

The meeting will be held this evening at 7:45 in St. Augustine's school hall. A luncheon will be served after the meeting.

### SPRING FLOWER SHOW

Boston's 74th Spring Flower Show will be held in Horticultural Hall, March 10-17 inclusive. Through the Andover Garden Club tickets may be obtained at the Andover Book Store or from Mrs. Henry Hopper. Price 75 cents plus tax. Tickets must be purchased on or before March 6. Admission at the door \$1 plus tax.

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This Is America 2:05; 5:00; 7:55

Global Air Routes 1:45; 4:40; 7:35

SUNDAY, MONDAY — March 4, 5

Lost In A Harem Abbott and Costello 3:15; 6:15; 9:15

Dancing In Manhattan Jeff Donnell, Fred Brady 1:45; 4:45; 7:45

TUES., WED., THURS., FRI., SAT. — March 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

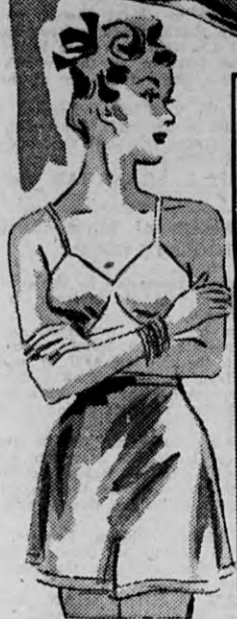
None But The Lonely Heart Cary Grant, Ethel Barrymore 2:00; 5:15; 8:30

Trocadero Rosemary Lane, Johnny Downs 3:50; 7:05

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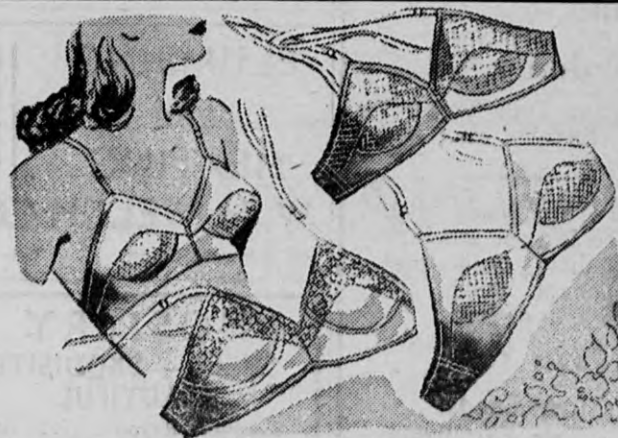
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## PUNCHARD NOTES

During the regular assembly period on Thursday morning, William Higgins from the Mass. Highway Safety Committee gave a lecture supplemented by a film on highway safety.

Friday, March 9th, has been set

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### Senior Play

Several committees have been organized for the Senior class play which is to be given on the evening of April 17th. The general publicity and newspaper articles is to be taken care of by William Dole, John King, Patricia Holt, Arthur Hall, Audrey Nowell, Betty Fagan, Betty Johnson, Joan Gale, Marjorie Mears, Robert Hamilton, Ruth Gregory and Pat Bissonnette. Posters have been taken over by Beatrice Paine, Ruth Gregory, Robert Hamilton, Evelyn Locke, Edith Pullan and Pat Bissonnette. The stage crew is the only committee that has begun functioning as yet and its members are Randlett Emmons, Arthur Hall, Raymond Lloyd, Tom Williamson, Audrey Nowell, Bea Paine, Ruth Gregory, Marjorie Mears, Jo Cleary, Paul Hogan, Betty Wait, Charles Hayward, Evelyn Locke, Norman Bendroth, Paul Cheney, John King, Paul Kirwin, Edith Pullan, and David Stafford. Properties which include hand props, furniture, and costumes will be taken care of by Mildred Harshaw, Shirley Gordon, Theresa Darby, Shirley Stevens, Janette Easton, Ellen Pitman, Marjorie Smart and Jean Duguid, Robert Hamilton, Jacqueline Driggs, Claire Byrne and Ruth Anderson. Audrey Nowell, Mary Coupe, Carmela Mirisola, Mildred Driscoll, Theresa Darby, Eunice McDonald, Evelyn Locke, Patricia Holt, Raymond Lloyd, Edith Pullan, Betty Fagan, Charles Hayward, John King, Betty Johnson, Margerite Botch, Pat Bissonnette and Norman Bendroth make up the various committees in charge of the sale and distribution of tickets.

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### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Frederick W. Grant 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 Anna Peabody Scofield named in said will as Anna P. Schofield 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 Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of March 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Ernest Charles Lakin of Andover in said County, an insane person.

The guardian of said ward has presented to said Court her second amended first and final account for allowance.

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

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Mary Muzzy Plaisted late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Fannie V. Cross et al.

The trustee of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance its seventeenth to twentieth accounts, inclusive.

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 March 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of William Shaw late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Maude Chamberlain Shaw and another.

The trustee of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance her first and second accounts.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appear-

ance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of March 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of William Shaw late of Andover in said County, deceased. The executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance her first and final account.

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 March 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Mary H. Yule 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 Helen R. Jackson 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 second day of April 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
Rowell, Clay & Tomlinson, Attys.,  
301 Essex St., Lawrence, Mass.  
(22, 1, 8)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts LAND COURT

Suffolk, ss.  
To the Honorable the Judges of the Land Court for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Respectfully represents Esther Byington, of Florida, Elizabeth Nadeau, William J. Corey, and James F. Corey, all of Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; that they are owners of a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Cuba Street, in said Andover, and Bounded: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of said Cuba Street at land now or once of George Saunders; thence running Southerly by said Cuba Street sixty-nine (69) feet to land of the Smith and Dove Company; thence South about 65° East by said Smith and Dove Company land one hundred eighty-seven and 5/10 (187.5) feet to land now or once of Dear;

Thence Northerly by said Dear land seventy-one (71) feet to land of said Saunders; thence by land of said Saunders North about 65° West one hundred eighty-eight (188) feet to the point of beginning, be said measurements more or less.

That the record title to said lot of land is clouded by a mortgage given by Joseph Corey to Smith and Dove Manufacturing Company dated November 6, 1919, and duly recorded Book 411, Page 385, in the North Essex District Registry of Deeds, purporting to secure a note for \$200, payable in one year, with interest semi-annually, which mortgage appear to be undischarged, unassigned and unenclosed on and by the record—or not properly or legally discharged of record.

That for more than twenty years after the expiration of the time limited for the full performance of said condition no payment has been made and no other act done in recognition of said mortgage; and

That the mortgagor named in said mortgage and those claiming under have been in uninterrupted possession of said land for more than twenty years after the expiration of time limited in said mortgage for the full performance of the condition thereof.

WHEREFORE your petitioners pray that after appropriate notices a decree may be entered on the foregoing allegations as authorized by Section 15, Chapter 240 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 20 of the Acts of 1924.

By their Attorney  
THOMAS J. LANE  
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March 1, 1945

## NOVEMBER CLUB MEETS MONDAY

"Armchair Adventure" is the title of the lecture to be given before the November Club at the next meeting, Monday, March 5th. The speaker will be Mrs. Thomas Rudkin, book reviewer, who holds her audiences spellbound with her wit and dash of her reviews of the current best sellers. Members and guests are assured of a very entertaining afternoon. The Dramatic Department will meet at the home of Mrs. Leon Field, 5 Wolcott Avenue on Friday, March 9th, at three o'clock.

## A. P. C. TO MEET

The A.P.C. Sorority of the South Church will meet on Thursday, March 8 at 8 o'clock in the vestry. After the regular business meeting Miss Fannie Davis will give a book review. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Charles Ware, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Frederick Noss, Mrs. Charles Williamson, Mrs. Thomas Emmons, and Mrs. Irving Newman.

## GARDEN CLUB MEETS TUESDAY

The next meeting of the Andover Garden Club will be held at the Andover Inn on March 6th at 3 o'clock. Rutherford Platt will give an illustrated lecture on "This Green World." His photographs have appeared in Life, Natural History and many other publications.

## STATE GUARD NOTES

At Sunday's drill period the local state guard company engaged in rifle practice and close and open order drill. The sighting bar was used and instruction in shooting positions was offered by various non-commissioned officers. Sergeants MacAskill, Rody, and Ryberg acted as company commanders during the period of close and open order drill.

## WOMAN'S UNION TO MEET

The Woman's Union of the West Church will meet in the vestry on Wednesday, March 7 at 2:30. Miss Angie Burt will give a book review on the recent book by Edna Ferber "Great Son." Tea will be served following the meeting.

## GRANGE HEARS TALKS

Andover Grange No. 113 met in Grange Hall Tuesday evening. Following the business meeting Mrs. Wilma Abbott, lecturer, introduced Carlton Kimball, chairman of the Red Cross in Andover, who spoke briefly of the work being done by this order and he in turn introduced Mrs. Roscoe Dake, secretary of the Home Service Committee, who told of the very extensive work being done by this particular branch of the service. Refreshments were in charge of Roland Trauschke, Ernest Rollins, Lois Rollins and Mrs. Ella Hanson.

## S. AND C. TOURNAMENT

The Andover Square & Compass Club tournament in bridge, pool, used and instruction in shooting po-bage, kitty whist and checkers is off to a flying start and is in full swing under the supervision of the capable, energetic chairman of the entertainment committee, William H. Jaquith, 2nd. The entry lists are still open for those members who have not signed up.

## Phillips Lecture Tomorrow Night

"Laboratories Also Fight" is the arresting title of a lecture this week by Mr. L. F. Livingston, Manager of the Extension Division of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company. Mr. Livingston will speak at 8 P. M., Friday, in the George Washington Hall Auditorium.

Theme of the illustrated talk will be the fact that the war is being fought in the research laboratories, homes, and factories of the country as well as on the battlefields of the world. Though the war is still basically a struggle between individual men with individual weapons, it has also become a conflict between the innumerable products of technical research. This research has developed many new chemical products and also many substitutes for articles made unavailable by the war. These substitutes are, in many cases, better than the original product. The du Pont company alone now has in use more than two score of new products and processes, some still classed as military secrets, but all of which are aiding the United Nations in their war effort. Nylon, for instance, was first used commercially not long before the war for textiles, bristles, fishlines, and other peacetime products. Now it has been found to be superior to silk in the manufacture of parachute cloth, towropes, tire cord, and even thread for surgical sutures.

## Background of Speaker

Mr. Livingston is a graduate in engineering of the University of Washington. After his graduation he was in charge of land clearing projects at the University of Wisconsin for a short time, and following this he served overseas as a first lieutenant in the Twenty-second Engineers in the first World War. Returning, he joined the staff of the Michigan State College as head of Agricultural Engineering Extension work. In 1929 he came to du Pont as Manager of the Agricultural Extension Section of the

Explosives Department, and as such is regarded as one of the company's leading experts on the uses of explosives in agriculture. Mr. Livingston's wide experience in his field should make his lecture one of the most interesting and informative of the year.

From The Philliplan

## Three Contests

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### ARTHUR LEWIS

Born in Weston, Mass., March 13, 1895; came to Andover in 1910; graduated from Pynchard High school in 1914, president of class; served 19 months in the Army as a pilot instructor, received rating of First Lieutenant; returned from Army and went to work in Andover Steam Laundry, where he has worked 26 years, and is now manager. Elected to school committee in 1933, has served continuously ever since; member of Andover Grange; Andover Post, American Legion, (charter member), Pynchard Alumni Assn.; West Parish Church; and St. Matthew's lodge, A. F. and A. M. Lives at 183 Lowell street with wife and daughter, Barbara, a junior at Pynchard High school. A son, Warren A., is with an Army Air Service bombardment group overseas serving as radioman and gunner on a B-24 Liberator. Older daughter, Marilyn, now attending the Presbyterian College of McCormick School of Religious Education in Chicago.

### BARBARA LOOMER

Barbara Loomer, candidate for re-election to School Committee, born in Ballardvale, attended Andover Public Schools; graduated from Abbot Academy; graduated from Wheaton College with A. B. degree; taught at Robinson Seminary at Exeter, New Hampshire for 12 years; now teaching in Haverhill High School. Worked in Andover playgrounds for two seasons; a member of the Congregational Church, Ballardvale; member of the November Club; member of the Merrimack Valley Wheaton Club and the Massachusetts Teachers Association.

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## CHURCHES

### West Church

Sunday, 10:30, Morning Worship with the Communion of the Lord's Supper.  
Wednesday, 2:30, Monthly Meeting of the Woman's Union in the Vestry.  
Thursday, 8:00, Monthly Meeting of the Junior Woman's Union in the Vestry. Mr. A. Lenwood White of the Essex Agricultural School will speak on "Gardening."

### Baptist Church

Thursday, 7:00 p. m., Choir rehearsal.  
Friday, Philathea Meeting in the Church Parlor.  
Sunday, 9:30 a. m., United Opening Session of Church School; 10:00, Adult Bible Class; 10:45, Morning Worship; 5:30 p. m., Parish Tea; 7:30, Lenten Evening Service.

### South Church

Sunday, 7:00 a. m., Church School, the Junior Church and the Mens' Group; 10:45, Morning Worship and Sermon: "On Building the City of God"; 10:45, Church Kindergarten; 11:15, Educational Motion Pictures; 7:00 p. m., Confirmation Class at 85 Central street.  
Monday, 7:45 p. m., Lenten Class at 122 Chestnut street.  
Tuesday, 7:30, The Junior Choir; 8:15, the Senior Choir.  
Thursday, 10:00, All-day Sewing Meeting, Women's Union; 8:00 p. m., Alpha Phi Chi Sorority: Book Review, Miss Fannie E. Davis.  
Friday, 7:15 p. m., Troop 73, Boy Scouts.

### Christ Church

Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00 a. m., Confirmation and Sermon, preacher Bishop Sherrill; 4:00 p. m., Adult Confirmation Class.  
Tuesday, 6:45 p. m., Girl Scouts.  
Thursday, 7:00 and 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 4:00 p. m., Children's Service; 7:45 p. m., Evening Prayer and Address, preacher, Rev. Allen W. Clark.

### Free Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., Morning Worship with Communion, Sermon: "Jesus Christ and His Power over Death."

## LOCAL

Miss Lorita Dewart, daughter of Mrs. Emery J. Trott of Salem street, a student at the Mary C. Wheeler School in Providence, R.I., sang at the concert given at the school by the Glee Club of St. George's School, Middleton, R. I., and the Singers' Club of the Wheeler School, on February 24.



## Finance Committee

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Article 24—To install a sewer to run from the southerly end of Elm street across land of Lila Burton and others. (To be taken care of under Article 6.)

Article 25—To install curbing on both sides of Stratford road. (More important expenditures to be taken care of this year.)

Article 26—To install curbing along Corbett street, abutting property of the Sacred Heart Cemetery. (More important expenditures to be taken care of this year.)

Article 27—To award a contract for the collection and disposal of garbage. (Insufficient information at present.)

Article 28—For the removal of snow and ice from private ways. (Believe money should come from regular snow removal fund.)

Article 29—To build a new sidewalk in the park from the north side of cannon to the north side of band stand. (Recommend same be taken care of in regular sidewalk appropriation.)

Article 33—To acquire, by eminent domain or otherwise, land of Ernest and Nellie Hazelton in Ballardvale for recreational purposes. (Recommend study, along with Article 35.)

(For departmental budget tabulation, see editorial page.)

### RECEIVES HONORS

Barbara Pullan, a student at Massachusetts State College, was on the dean's list for highest honors received during the past semester. Her average was over 90 per cent.

## Die in Service

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Army Air Forces in South Africa; PFC Joseph H., with the infantry in Germany; Seaman, First Class, Vincent P., in the Navy; Branton, Jeremiah and Bernard Davey.

Last Friday Seaman second class Charles L. Valentine, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Valentine of 218 North Main street, died as the result of accidental electrocution in Clatskanie, Oregon. He had enlisted in the Navy last August after having completed the junior year at Puchard. He was only 17 years of age.

He leaves his parents, two brothers, Aviation Machinist's Mate, 2/c, Edward L., with the Navy in Hawaii, and William R.; two sisters, Kathleen and Dorothy Valentine.

Funeral services are to be held in Christ church Sunday at 2:30. The body is expected to arrive tomorrow.

Hugh Davey's funeral was held Tuesday in Creighton, Glasgow, Scotland, according to a cable from Mrs. Davey's brother, Bernard Murray of Creighton. Hugh had planned to visit his uncle on a three-day leave which he had expected when he last wrote his mother.

### ANDOVER BOY HIGHEST IN P. A. ENTRANCE

William Stopford, a student at Phillips Academy, was recently awarded the Butler-Thwing prize given each year to the junior having the highest marks in the entrance examinations. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Stopford, 79 Chestnut street.



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REV. DONALD

The Town of Andover mourns a serious loss on Tuesday when Rev. Donald Johnson, pastor of the Wesleyan church, away at the Middlebury where he had been for more than a year, rival here in January had earned the distinction of everyone who knows of college of knowing him.

He was born September 1, 1907, in New England. He received his degree at Wesleyan University. He has been a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, Kappa. At Wesleyan he received several prizes in English literature.

He then attended Wesleyan University School of Theology where he received his M. A. in 1931, his thesis being on "Education in the Church." In 1932 he received his M. Div.

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### Free Church Resigns Third

Rev. Herman Johnson of the Free church resigned his third resignation. Members of the church received this past week a meeting of the church called for Wednesday 7:30 P.M. to act on the resignation of Mr. Johnson. It was expected that a large number of members will be present and other matters will be discussed.

Mr. Johnson resigned the time he left the church in 1943, and again resigned just last week. He has resigned as pastor of the church in the absence.