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## Abbot To Observe 116th Birthday With Bazaar for War Relief

Abbot's One Hundred and Sixteenth Birthday Celebration will be held on Saturday afternoon, rain or shine, and if V-E Day should have come in the meantime, it is expected that the success of the Bazaar for war relief will be greatly increased. Surely it would be an appropriate way for the town of Andover to express its thankfulness for the cessation of hostilities in Europe to patronize Abbot's attempt to raise funds for the benefit of war sufferers.

Entrance to the grounds will be by the three gates on School Street only. They will be open at 2:30 P. M., and admission will be 25c for adults and 10c for children under 12.

Exhibitions of student work in art, homemaking, and other departments will be on display in Abbot Hall. Early in the afternoon members of the Preparatory Class will entertain the guests with Cowboy Dancing, and some of the Senior Tumbling Class will give a "Trained Dog Show" on the Circle.

The Tea Room this year is to be called "The Flying T." The school dining room will represent a large city airport, the waitresses will be dressed as hostesses on an

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## Excellent Program For Pops Concert

The Andover Community Orchestra will present an informal evening of music and refreshments in the form of a Pops Concert, to be held Saturday, May 12, in the Memorial Auditorium.

A well-rounded program of music is planned, with two local girls, Cynthia Pash and Barbara Hill, as soloists.

The tickets, which may be secured at the Tax Collector's office in the Town House, are \$1.20, except for unreserved balcony seats, which are 60c. Reservations should be made as soon as possible.

The Central Parent-Teachers association is in charge of tables and refreshments, headed by a committee consisting of Mrs. T. John Johnson, Mrs. Bertil Ryberg, Mrs. Justin Curry and Mrs. Harrison E. Brown.

## Rev. Mr. Dunn To Head Seventh War Loan

The appointment of Rev. Frank E. Dunn as chairman of the local war loan drive was made recently by State Chairman F. W. Denio. Rev. Mr. Dunn, former pastor of the Free church, has accepted the appointment, and will start organizing his committees for the drive, which gets under way on May 10 and continues into July.

## To Hold Card Party For Service Fund

The women's committee of the Andover Service Men's Fund Association met Tuesday evening and made plans for a large card party to be held in the Memorial Gymnasium, on Friday, May 25th at 8 P. M., for the benefit of the A. S. M. F. A. The following were appointed to make arrangements for this affair: Mrs. George F. Symonds, general chairman; Mrs. Dorothy Hall, treasurer; Mrs. J. Everett Collins, chairman of the ticket committee; Mrs. Edwin Weikheiser, chairman of the prize committee, and Mrs. Charles McCullom, chairman of the refreshment committee. Tickets may be secured at the headquarters of the association at 85 Main street, or from any member of the committee.

## P. H. S. Junior Prom On Friday Evening

The Punchard Junior Prom, planned for and decorated by the Junior Class with the Senior Class being the special invited guests, will be held on Friday evening of this week, with Dick Garry's orchestra from Lawrence. Phil Markey and Pat Robertson will act as Junior host and hostess with Buddy Johnson and Marjorie Kearn as Senior host and hostess. The committee chairmen, in charge of planning: John Wirtz, ushers; William Westcott, tickets; Jackie Barry, refreshments; Pat Robertson, programs; Mary Lynch, invitations; and Walter Demers, decorations. Various members of the Junior class are serving on these committees.

**Punchard Notes**  
Again this year, the Iowa Tests of Educational Development were given to members of the three classes in High School and the Ninth Grade in Junior High. The

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## Officers Elected by Women's Union

The Women's Union of the South Church elected the following officers at the annual meeting held on Thursday, April 26th: President, Miss Fannie E. Davis; vice-president, Mrs. C. Edward Buchanan; secretary, Mrs. Harold N. Wood; treasurer, Mrs. Howard Johnson; heads of departments; sewing, Mrs. Thomas Hall and Mrs. Ella R. Curtis; social, Mrs. Frank S. Crawford hospitality, Mrs. P. Bartlett Whittemore and Mrs. L. Denis Peterkin; membership, Mrs. Malcolm B. McTernan; house, Mrs. Carl E. Elander and Mrs. Harry W. Wadman; domestic, Mrs. Joseph J. Tavern; service exchange, Mrs. L. Denis Peterkin.

## Teacher, Clerk Tender Resignation

The Andover school committee met on Tuesday evening in its regular monthly session. The resignation of Mrs. Helen McGraw Crummett, grammar grade teacher was received and accepted with regret. Mrs. Prescott Coan (Frances McTernan), clerk to the Junior High principal, also tendered her resignation, and it was accepted with regret.

The Building and Grounds committee was authorized to present the fuel oil bids at the June meeting. Bids were received by the committee on four painting projects as follows: The outside of the North school, two coats, awarded to Walter Buxton at \$275; the outside of the Dove school, two coats, awarded to James Kidd at \$510; the outside of the Stowe school, two coats, awarded to James Kidd at \$525; the outside of the Shawsheen school awarded to Walter Buxton at \$725. All were low bids, the work to be done during the summer months.

Due to a misunderstanding on the nature study course to be given by the Audubon Society of Boston, the course will not be given in the schools.

A lengthy discussion was held on the recommendations which the Andover League of Women Voters and the P. T. A. presented to the school committee. A delegation representing these organizations was present at the meeting.

There will be a special meeting of the School Committee on May 22nd.

## Rev. Mr. Baldwin to Head War Fund Drive

Reverend A. Graham Baldwin has been appointed Area Chairman for the National War Fund, according to an announcement by Harold S. Fuller, General Campaign Chairman. Mr. Baldwin's territory will cover all of Essex county.

For the past ten years Mr. Baldwin has been active in supporting the Lawrence Community Chest, having served as Campaign Chairman in 1941. He was also Chairman of the National Preparatory School Committee of the Y. M. C. A. from 1940-42, and Chairman of the Andover Guild from 1938-41.

## COUNCIL OF CHURCHES ANNUAL MEETING MAY 21

The annual meeting of the Andover Council of Churches will take place Monday evening, May 21, at the Christ Church Parish House, with Mrs. Dana C. Jones, director of the Massachusetts Council's Department of International Relations, as the speaker, on the subject of "Building Tomorrow's World Today."

## No Wage Statement Released To Public

The Board of Public Works on Monday evening adopted a formal statement concerning the recent post-town meeting surprise wage increase, but instead of releasing the statement with the reasons to the public, the Board sent it to Joseph A. McCarthy, president of the Andover Taxpayers' Association. The directors of the Association will meet during the coming week to discuss the statement and in all probability the Association will release it after that meeting.

Chairman Sidney P. White asserted that the statement was now the Association's to do with what they wished. He said it was signed by all the members of the Board. In the meantime, the expected

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## To Register Children For Entering School

Registration of children who are to enter the first grade of the Andover Public School System next September will be as follows:

North School—Monday, May 14 at 2:00 p. m.

West Center—Monday, May 14 at 2:45 p. m.

Shawsheen—Tuesday, May 15 at 2:30 p. m.

S. C. Jackson—Wednesday, May 16 at 2:30 p. m.

Indian Ridge—Thursday, May 17 at 2:30 p. m.

Bradlee—Friday, May 18 at 2:30 p. m.

It is suggested that the parent bring the child, at this time, to the first grade classroom where they will have an opportunity to meet the child's teacher, as well as the principal of the school, the school nurse, and the dental hygienist.

Parents should bring proof of the child's birth date. Please note: "Pupils may enter the first grade within the first four weeks of the school year providing they will be six years of age on or before the first day of January of the school year in which they enter."

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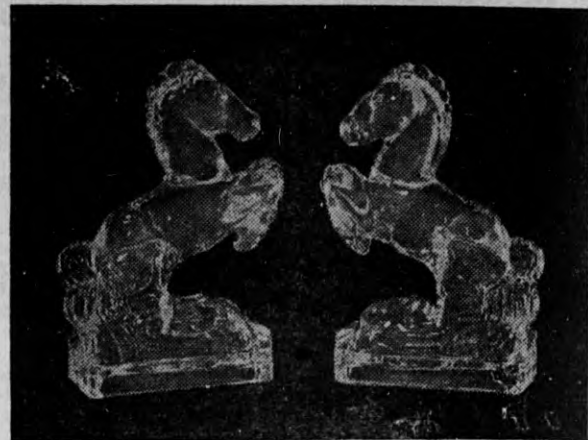
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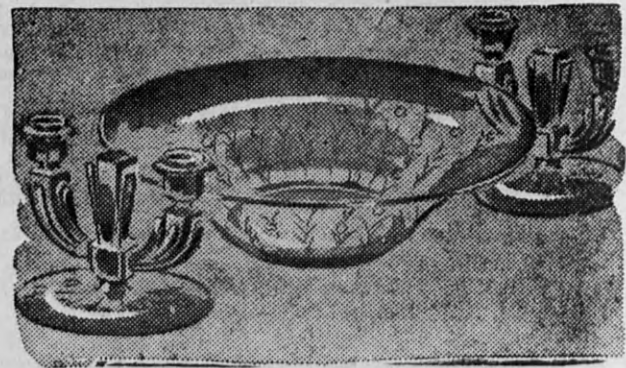


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## WEDDINGS

### Anderson—Scanlon

Ann Barbara Scanlon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Scanlon, 11 Walnut avenue, became the bride of Captain John W. Anderson, U. S. A. A. F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Anderson of 81 Chestnut street, at a pretty ceremony in St. Augustine's church Sunday at 4:00 p.m. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A.

The bride wore a gown of white satin with a chapel length veil of illusion, held in place with a Juliette cap of satin and pearls. She carried an arm bouquet of white rosebuds and lilies of the valley. Miss Tedda Whalen, close friend of the bride and her only attendant, wore a gown of delf blue starched chiffon, and carried a muff of rose lace and stephanotis. Captain Edward Pleasant, U. S. A. A. F., of Turners Falls was best man.

The bride's mother wore a gown of black sheer with rose accessories and a corsage of talisman roses, while the bridegroom's mother wore a gown of aqua with black accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses.

A reception was held at the November Club following the ceremony, after which the couple left for Atlantic City on their wedding trip.

### Davis—Crocket

Miss Bernice Crocket was united in marriage with Sgt. Richard M. Davis of the U. S. Marine Corps, at an impressive military wedding held Saturday night in Christ church. Rev. John S. Moses officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crocket of The Cedars, South Main street. She graduated from Punchard High school and later attended a finishing school in Boston. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Davis, Foster's Pond, and also

graduated from Punchard High school. He enlisted in the Marines in January, 1942, and was with the first landing division of Marines on Guadalcanal. He is now stationed in New Jersey.

Mrs. Barbara MacLachlan was matron of honor, and the bridesmaids were Mrs. E. R. Anderson of Wrentham and Mrs. Spencer Olson of Lynn.

Best man for the groom was Lt. William Pomeroy, U. S. M. C., of Foster's Pond, and two friends of Sgt. Davis who were with him in the South Pacific were ushers.

A reception was held at the Andover Country Club, and the couple left immediately after on their wedding trip. The couple are now at Avon, N. J.

### ANDOVER GRANGE NOTES

Andover Grange will hold its bi-monthly meeting on next Tuesday evening at 8:00. It will be observed as "Girl Scout Night" and Mrs. Gladys Colmer is chairman of the program.

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### Andover Town Team To Open on May 13

The opening game of the Andover Town Team season will be played at the Andover Playstead on May 13, with the Waltham City Club. The team was given a workout last Sunday in spite of the rainy weather, and should be in shape to give the City Club a real contest.

The schedule for the rest of the months is as follows: May 20, The Lynn Seals; May 27, Framingham Collegians; May 31, U. S. Receiving Station.

All donation ticket returns and reports should be made to Harold Winnik, Charles McCullom or Frank Brigham before Wednesday, May 8.

### WEST PARISH

Gordon Munroe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Munroe of Lowell street, left last Friday for Sampson, New York, where he will begin his boot training with the Navy. . . . Friends of Mrs. Mary Fielding will be pleased to know that she is at her home on Lowell street after spending many months at the Cole Nursing Home. . . . Little Ruth Taylor of Framingham is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Laurence Thomes of Bailey road. . . . Mrs. Nellie Wright and Annie of Lovejoy road spent the past week with relatives in Dover and Newmarket, N. H. . . . Mrs. John Greenwood, Jr., of River road is seriously ill at the Lawrence General hospital. . . . Miss Sally Brown has returned to her studies at Oak Grove Seminary, Vasselboro, Me., after spending the weekend at the family home on Carisbrooke street.

### ANDOVER GUILD MEETING

The annual meeting of the Andover Guild will be held at the Andover Guild, Tuesday, May 8 at 5 o'clock. All members are invited.

### LAFALOT CLUB

The Lafalot Club will hold its May meeting on next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Grant Silva, Maple avenue.

### BIRTH

On April 13 at the Richardson House, Boston, a son to Captain and Mrs. Duane Treeman. Capt. Treeman is with the Air Force somewhere in the South Pacific.

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## Casualty List

### Wounded

Pvt. 1/c Frank Lamontagne, son of Trefle Lamontagne of Beacon street, was wounded in Germany late in March. He was serving with the Ninth Army. He has been awarded the Purple Heart for his wounds. He entered the service in September, 1944, and received his basic training at Camp Fannin, Texas. He was formerly employed by Roger H. Lewis. He has five brothers serving in the Armed Forces. A sixth brother has received a medical discharge.

### Missing

Lieutenant Gilbert Hamlin, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hamlin is reported missing over Germany after making 41 missions. Lt. Hamlin has been overseas since October and was a P-47 fighter-plane pilot. He trained at Maxwell Field, Ala., and received his commission and wings at the Advanced Single Engine Pilot School, Spence Field, Ga. He also trained at Dothan, Ala. and was stationed there for about a year as an instructor.

Pfc. Arthur F. Manock, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Manock writes that his Marine division took part in the invasion of Okinawa on Easter Sunday. He says it's an interesting place, with civilian huts made of cane and stalk, and the women all carry loads on their heads with their babies strapped to their backs.

With the 80th Infantry Division in Luxembourg: Capt. Thomas C. Mason has been awarded the Bronze Star for heroic achievement in Luxembourg on the 24th of December, 1944, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. "As Liaison officer with an infantry battalion Captain Mason performed his duties in a superior manner. On one occasion on December 24th, the unit he served was assaulted and temporarily isolated by the enemy. Despite heavy enemy fire Captain Mason directed and controlled his forward observers and regulated artillery fire in such a manner that it was largely responsible for repelling the enemy. The courage, initiative and zealous devotion to duty displayed by Captain Mason exemplify the finest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States." His wife, Lucia M. Mason now resides on Sunset Rock Road.

Kathleen Valentine, the third member of her family to join the armed forces, recently enlisted in the SPARs. A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine of 218 North Main street, she is now taking "boot training" at Manhattan Beach. Upon graduation, Seaman Valentine will relieve a Guardsman for active sea duty by taking over his shore job. She is a graduate of Punchard High school. Her brother, Charles, gave his life while serving with the Seabees. Another brother, Edward, is an A.M.M. 2/c in the Navy.

The following is an excerpt from a letter sent to us by James (Rusty) Benvie, B.M. 2/c: "My pride in Andover is a source of amusement to a lot of the fellows here who come from the large cities across the country. If they could only know Andover as I do, they would never be happy living in a place like Chicago or New York or even some of the West Coast cities. I have shown the Andover Servicemen's Fund Assn. birthday card to some of the fellows aboard here, and their first remark upon seeing the picture of Punchard is, 'Where's the rest of it.' The size of the school is especially surprising to the fellows of around my own age who have heard of her sports teams. By this I mean the fellows from Massachusetts and parts of New Hampshire. Let's hope that it will always be a school of whose sport teams the town can be proud. Good luck to the men and women of Andover, both those in uniform and those back home who never forget their servicemen and women."

Ruth Armitage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Armitage, 123 Haverhill street, has arrived in India to serve the armed forces as an American Red Cross staff assistant. Until her Red Cross appointment, Miss Armitage taught at Middleboro High School and previously at Burrard Burton Seminary, Manchester, Vt. She is a graduate of Punchard High School and Cornell University, A.B. 1941.

S/Sgt. Charles W. Johnston is a section chief of the 339th Field Artillery Battalion with the Fifth Army in Italy, which has been pouring steel into German targets in Italy's Po Valley since last October 31st.

Lieutenant Commander Winsor Gale, formerly stationed at Key West, Florida has been transferred to the Pacific Area.

Patrick Bissonette, of 38 Juliette street, recently answered the Coast Guard's call for seventeen-year-old recruits. He was sworn in at their 29 India St., Boston recruiting office, then left for "boot training" at Manhattan Beach. A graduate of Punchard High school, he was a member of the glee club and business manager of the year book. He was employed by the Townsman Press.

Donald Cole, son of the Arthur Coles of High street, has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant (j.g.) in the U. S. Navy. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Cole received a phone call from their son who was enjoying a six-day leave in San Francisco while awaiting further orders.

Private John Lord, Army Air Corps, has just completed his training as a radio operator at the Army Air School in Sioux Falls, S. D. He returned on Sunday to Sioux Falls for further orders after enjoying a fifteen-day furlough at the family home on Summer street.

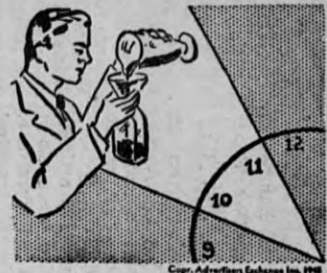
Private Frederick R. Yancey, son of Mrs. Anna A. Yancy, 6 Central street, is now in France assisting in rushing vitally-needed bombs and ordnance equipment to front-line airstrips with a crack outfit of the Central Air Depot Area of the Air Service Command. The unit to which he is assigned is the principal supply agency for the Ninth Air Force, the First Tactical Air Force and the First Allied Airborne Army. Fred entered the Army Air Forces on October 1, 1942 and has now been over-seas 21 months.

## Baxter Accepts Haverhill Position

Charles O. Baxter, for the past several years manager of the Time Loan department at the Andover National Bank has this week assumed his new position as manager of the same department at the Merrimack National Bank in Haverhill. Charles Arnold of Central street is the Treasurer of this bank.

Mr. Baxter was appointed manager of the department at the Andover National when it was first started some years ago, and has developed the newly organized department to its present state. He plans to continue living in Andover.

George Jagger of Methuen has been appointed manager of the Andover National's time loan department.



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### Old Clothes Drive Well Over Quota

The response to the Clothing Drive, which ended on April 30, exceeded all expectations here, with 19,000 pounds, which tops the quota by 6500 pounds, with a great deal still to be sorted.

Volunteers are needed to help sort the remaining clothing on Sunday afternoon, and anyone who is willing to help should be at Harry Stephenson's warehouse near the B. & M. Railroad station as soon as possible after 1:30 o'clock on Sunday. It is hoped that the sorting and packing may be completed at that time.

Those who worked last Sunday were: Walter E. Buxton, William H. Faulkner, Lee Noyes, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Edward P. Hall, Frederick H. Smith, J. A. Remington, Henry S. Hopper, Chester W. Holland, Rev. Frank E. Dunn, Foster C. Barnard, Ellsworth A. Lewis, George M. Brakey, Henry J. Stevenson, Harry Stephenson, Burke Thornton, J. Harry Anderson, Howard Young, George W. Glennie, Morris Williams.

### Service Fund

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test results are to be used by the Vocational Guidance Department and the teachers of the school.

Material for the class book is to be completed by the Senior class before the end of this week.

The girls' volley ball team played a return game with Johnson High on Wednesday afternoon of this week. The members of our team: Isabel Skea, Betty Jane Gordon, Virginia Hardy, Ruth Glennie, Crystal Cormey, Lillian Dimlich, Betty Wait, Cynthia Black, Claire Darby, Rita Touissant, Paula Dimlich, Letitia Noss, Mina Beck, Margaret Coolidge, Barbara Munroe, Jocelyn White and Annie Colombosian. The first game ended in a victory for Pun-chard.

### V. F. W. BEANO

A beano party, to be conducted by the V. F. W. auxiliary, for the wounded soldiers will be held Wednesday evening, May 9, at the Roxbury hospital. Each member is requested to bring a suitable prize to the regular meeting on Tuesday evening. The committee is as follows: Chairman, Mrs. George F. Symonds; Mrs. Maude Spinney, Mrs. Bertha Folley, Mrs. John Deyermond, and Mrs. Elizabeth Dushame.

The members will meet at 6 p. m. at the ~~Murphy~~ building.

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### Village Women's Club To Hold Annual Banquet

The annual meeting and banquet of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club will be held Monday evening at 6:30, at the Andover Country Club.

The program will consist of readings by Miss Gwendolen Bowers and music by Miss Marilyn Leaver, mezzo soprano, accompanied by Joseph Balsamo. Mr. Balsamo will offer as a solo, George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue." All three are radio artists.

There will also be a reception to the past presidents of the club.

Mrs. Steinert would like to have the members bring any old packs of playing cards to this meeting for the disabled war veterans.

### SPEAKS ON JAP SITUATION

The Andover Service Club enjoyed a very interesting talk at its meeting Thursday evening, when Arthur G. Robinson of Aurburndale, spoke on the Japanese situation. Mr. Robinson is a Y. M. C. A. worker who lived in China for 25 years, thus gaining a first-hand knowledge of the subject.

He also spoke on Russia's relations with China, stating that Russia could never take over China, even if she did wish to do so, as it would create another world war immediately. Mr. Robinson also mentioned the accomplishments of the Christian missionaries in China and the good work they are doing. He said the Chinese people are very much interested in education, the illiteracy now being down to about 80 per cent.

### Free Church Scouts Mark Parents' Night

In a well attended impressive setting, last Friday, Boy Scout Troop 72, at the Free Church, observed their annual Parents' night. A demonstration was given in Scout skills consisting of pyramid building, Morse and semaphore signal relay, compass relay, candle relay and O'Grady drill.

An exhibition of various articles was on display which were made by the boys such as furniture, model camps, knot board, tracking sign board, etc. A candle ceremony, demonstrating duty to oath and law, was given by the boys.

Certificates were presented to officials of the troop by the new Scout commissioner, Frank Brittingham and assistant commissioner, Jack Caswell, also making his first appearance in the capacity of assistant commissioner. The troop committeemen also received certificates for the coming year. Those present were: Harvey Clough, Mervin Stevens, Alex Black and John Grecoe. Also receiving certificates were: Scoutmaster Edward Sorrie and Assistant Scoutmaster Edward Rose.

All present observed a one-min-

ute silence in honor of the memory of former Assistant Scoutmaster Andrew Hamilton and Charles Valentine, a former member. Both young men died in active military service. Also honored in absence were two members, Junior Assistant David Cargill of the U. S. Army and David MacCord, serving in the Navy.

The following awards were presented, for tenderfoot John Lynch, Maurice Shea, Peter Stern, Louis Skirick and Byron Caldwell. First class pins were awarded to Gregory Arabian and David Anderson. Senior scout emblems were awarded to James Daly and Henry Curry. Merit badges were presented as follows: for Civics and Scholarship, Jack Arabian; Swimming and First Aid, James Daly and Phillip Gaudet.

The ceremony was closed with the reciting, in perfect unison, by 32 Scouts, of the Boy Scout oath.

The next regular meeting will be held next Friday, May 4th at 7:00 o'clock.

### REV. MR. NOSS MOVES

Rev. Frederick B. Noss has moved from 85 Central street to temporary headquarters at 7 Abbot street. The telephone number remains the same, and he may be reached by calling Andover 1229.

Little Anne Newall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Newell is quite ill at the Lawrence General hospital.

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wounded soldiers will be held Wednesday evening, May 9, at the Roxbury hospital. Each member is requested to bring a suitable prize to the regular meeting on Tuesday evening. The committee is as follows: Chairman, Mrs. George F. Symonds; Mrs. Maude Spinney, Mrs. Bertha Folley, Mrs. John Deyermond, and Mrs. Elizabeth Dushame.

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# Editorials



## It's OUR Business

The disinclination of the Board of Public Works to let the public in on the reasons for the drastic post-town-meeting wage increase can do nothing but lend further support to the mounting feeling on the part of the voters that the Board has a "public-be-damned" attitude. Last week it was stated that they would have a statement for publication; this week the statement was written, and signed, but released only to the few directors of the Taxpayers' Association who attended the recent board meeting. It wasn't available for publication, we were told, unless the directors of the association decide to do so; they will probably do this, because at least they realize that the public has an interest in such matters.

The directors of the association went to the Board because the budget as presented to the directors before town meeting had no provision for an increase. The budget as presented to the finance committee had no such provision. The budget as presented to the town meeting had no such provision. Then, having led the direct-

ors, the finance committee and the public to believe that there would be no increase, the Board had a very definite moral obligation to take all three into its confidence before it went ahead with this move. It looks now as if this Board feels that it's none of the public's business; it looks as if the Board of Public Works is giving the public the works.

How it happened can only be surmised now. Apparently pressure was exerted by some of the laborers, and the Board yielded to the pressure, preferring to incur the wrath of the public rather than the wrath of the help. Now the directors of the Taxpayers' Association have intervened in the interests of their members and the taxpayers of Andover. They are men who saw their duty; they are men who have the vision and the courage to keep in mind that their allegiance is to the many and not to the few. They are men who won't let the public down. Andover was glad to see them step in to this picture, and Andover is looking forward to the results of their survey and deliberations.

## B. P. W.

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reverberations from other town departments have begun to take place. Already the Tree Department has increased its wage scale in order to keep the laborers in that Department on a par with the Public Works men. No definite action has been taken by the Cemetery trustees according to Chairman Frank Petty. That Board has met with the Selectmen, and will probably take some action within a week or so. If it is possible to squeeze a raise out of the Cemetery budget, the trustees will very probably do so in order to maintain the new level set by the Public Works Board.

Nothing definite has been done by any other Department so far as is known at present. However, it is understood that pretty generally the employees of every other department feel that if the unskilled laborers should have such a tremendous boost there is no reason why policemen, firemen, teachers, etc., shouldn't have an increase also. There has been some talk of a special Town Meeting on the subject but it is understood that the selectmen are not in favor of this.

In addition to the differential on unskilled labor, the recent action of the Department of Public

Works has created an unfortunate situation in the matter of clerical hire, since some of the clerks in the lower Town Hall offices who are better equipped than the Public Works clerical help are now getting proportionately less.

The increase in the Tree Department wages also necessitated an increase in Tree Warden Abbott's salary. The Town Meeting had set his salary at \$40.50 per week. A state law makes it mandatory that the salary of elective officials be set by the Town Meeting, and another State Law gives the selectmen the power to set the Tree Warden's salary. After having had an interpretation of these two conflicting statutes from the State House, the selectmen granted Mr. Abbott an increase to \$45.00 as a compromise on his request for \$48.00. It is, of course, necessary to keep within the Town Meeting budget.

## WINS CORNELL SCHOLARSHIP

William Stopford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Stopford, 79 Chestnut street, has been awarded the Cornell Scholarship prize at Phillips Academy for receiving the highest grades. The award is made by the school committee.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Auchterlonie, 41 Red Spring road, at the Lawrence General hospital Monday.

## Women Voters Elect Officers

The League of Women Voters held a meeting on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, Hidden Field.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Hart Leavitt re-elected President; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Harold Raf-ton; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Francis Jackson of North Andover; Treasurer, Mrs. John Halford, Jr.; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Byron Smith; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Reeve Chipman; Directors, Mrs. C. Edward Buchan and Mrs. Bertil Ryberg. The chairman of the Nominating Committee was Mrs. James H. Grew.

Mrs. Thomas Kennedy was the speaker and chose as her subject, "The Strayer Report."

Following the meeting, refreshments were served.

## SENATE APPROVES BOLAND FOR POSTMASTER

The nomination of Stephen A. Boland as postmaster was approved by the United States Senate last Friday. Mr. Boland, who has been serving as postmaster since last July, states that no changes will be made at the present time.

## BIRTHS

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Boucher, 14 Brechin terrace, at the Lawrence General hospital Monday.

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## DEATHS

Mrs. Mary E. (Young) Sweeney, 32 Chestnut street, died early Friday morning at the family home after a short illness. She was born in Bath, Maine, and came to this town 45 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, John Sweeney; four daughters, Mrs. Harry Murphy of Whitman, Mrs. John Crawford, Tilton, N. H., Mrs. Alfred Nicoll and Miss Margaret Sweeney, both of Andover; one son, John Sweeney, Quincy; one brother, Matthew Young of Lawrence; and 19 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held from the M. A. Burke funeral home on Monday morning with a solemn high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery Lawrence.

## CHURCHES

### West Church

Sunday, 10:30, Morning Worship with sermon; 10:30, Church School; 7:00 p. m., Officers and Teachers of Church School meet at home of Mrs. Slate.  
Thursday, 7:00 p. m., Monthly Meeting and Supper of Junior Women's Union. Gentlemen's Night.

### Christ Church

Sunday, 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School; 11:00, Holy Communion and Sermon.  
Tuesday, 8 p. m., Vestry meeting.  
Thursday, Ascension Day, 7:00 and 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion; Joint Meeting of Women's Auxiliary 6:30 p. m., Supper; 7:30, Speaker, George Cadigan of Salem.

### Cochran Chapel

Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Service conducted by Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, School Minister of Phillips Academy.

### South Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School, the Junior Church and Men's Group; 10:45, Morning Worship, Sermon and Communion; 10:45, Church Kindergarten.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Junior Choir.  
Wednesday, 7:30, The Church Choir.  
Thursday, 10:00 a. m., All-day Sewing Meeting, Women's Union; 6:30 p. m., Mothers' and Daughters' Banquet, Alpha Phi Chi Sorority.  
Friday, 7:15 p. m., Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

### St. Augustine's Church

Friday, First Friday masses at 6:15 and 7:30; Holy Communion at 6:45; Mass in Ballardvale at 7 o'clock.  
Saturday, A requiem high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock for the late Pfc. Thomas Ryan.  
Sunday, Masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30 a. m., followed by benediction. May devotions will be held each evening at 7 o'clock.  
The first Holy Communion class will meet in the parochial school for instructions on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 3:30.

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SUNDAY, MONDAY — May 6, 7

A Broad With Two Yanks

William Bendix, Helen Walker  
3:20; 6:15; 9:10

Girl Rush

Wally Brown, Frances Langford  
1:55; 4:50; 7:45

TUESDAY, May 8—(ONE DAY ONLY)

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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY — May 9, 10, 11, 12

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### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

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

The special administrator of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance his First and Final account.

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

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.

### TEN PROOFS, MARY CATHERINE!!!! Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Fred H. Ladd 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 Adelaide Parker of Greenville in the State of New Hampshire, 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 twenty-first day of May, 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register. Eaton, Chandler & Sherman, Attys., Bay State Building, Lawrence, Mass. (3, 10, 17)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Octavia W. Mathews of Andover in said County, a person under conservatorship.

The conservator of the property of said person has presented to said Court his second account for allowance.

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

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register. (26-3-10)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex ss. SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution, which was issued on a judgment at the Superior Court, holden at Salem, within said County of

Essex on the 19th day of February, 1945, in favor of the Bay State Merchants National Bank of Lawrence, a banking corporation duly organized, under the laws of the United States of America, and having its usual place of business in Lawrence, in said County of Essex, against Frank E. Wentworth, of Andover in said County. I have taken all the right, title and interest which the said defendant Frank E. Wentworth, had on the 29th day of January 1944, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the day and time, when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following

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The land in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

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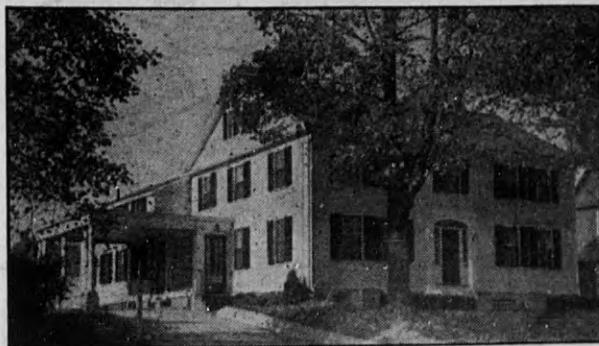
Said lot of land being numbered twenty-seven (27) on a plan of subdivision of property for the Noyes Whittier Corporation by Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin Engineers and approved by the Board of Survey for the Town of Andover on September 5th, 1941, and being the same premises surveyed by said firm of Engineers for Roland L. Wentworth as shown on a plot plan dated September 5th, 1941, and recorded simultaneously with deed of Noyes Whittier Corporation to Roland L. Wentworth, dated September 8, 1941, recorded in the North District Essex Registry of Deeds Book 646, Page 420, and being a portion of the premises conveyed by the Boston Federal Savings and Loan Association to the Noyes Whittier Corporation by deed on June 28th, 1941, and recorded in the Essex County Registry of Deeds, Northern District, in Book 642, Page 501.

And on Saturday, the 19th day of May, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Louis Silverman, 618 on the sixth floor of the Bay State Building, so called, at the Corner of Lawrence and Essex Street, in said Lawrence, I shall offer for sale, by public auction, to the highest bidder, all the aforesaid, right, title and interest, to satisfy said execution, and all fees and charges of sale.

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Essex, ss.  
 To all persons interested in the estate of Martha L. McPherson, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of certain instruments purporting to be the last will and a codicil of said deceased by Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, praying that it be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on its bond, (Walter D. Noyes the other executor named in said will having declined to serve).

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 seventh day of May 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
 19, 26, May 3

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 PROBATE COURT**

Essex, ss.  
 To all persons interested in the estate of Lydia J. Boutwell, 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 M. Boutwell 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 seventh day of May 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
 19, 26, May 3

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 PROBATE COURT**

Essex, ss.  
 To all persons interested in the estate of Roger William Herrick, 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 Florence G. Herrick 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 seventh day of May 1945, the return day of this citation.

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

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
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## Spelling Match To Be Held May 11th

The Lincoln spelling match will be held this year on May 11 in the Memorial Auditorium. Due to the early graduation at Phillips Academy, no member of the academy staff will be able to participate, and for this reason, Mr. Mervin Stevens of the High School faculty, and Rev. John S. Moses, pastor of Christ Church will conduct the match, one giving the words and the other acting as umpire.

## A. P. C. SORORITY MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The annual Mother and Daughter Banquet under the auspices of the South Church A. P. C. Sorority will be held in the vestry on Thursday evening, May 10, at 6:30. Following the supper Mrs. Jesse Bottomley will give a talk on her doll collection which will be on exhibition. There will be handwork for sale. Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, May 6, and none will be available after that date as they will not be sold at the door. Mrs. Gilbert Cromie is in charge of tickets.

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## Ten-Year-Old Hurt In Automobile Crash

An accident which occurred last Sunday night at Chestnut and Bartlet streets resulted in the hospitalization of Judith Nowell, 63 Chestnut street, and a general shaking up of the rest of her family. The ten-year-old girl was taken to the Lawrence General hospital for observation, after the machine in which she was riding was struck on the right rear wheel by another car, driven by Francis Robertson, 17, 54 Morton street. The Nowell car, driven by the girl's father Frederick Nowell, was spun around by the impact and glanced off a tree.

Also in the car at the time of the accident were her mother and two brothers, David, eight and Allen five. Her sister, Audrey, 17, was in the front seat with her father.

Officer Frank McBride investigated.

## Abbot

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air liner, and the "take-off" will be at 3:30 o'clock. Many surprise features have been planned, and no patron on Saturday will want to miss having tea in this unusual and clever atmosphere. The games and the booths full of unique articles for sale, will be placed at intervals around the Circle and will be "open for business" all afternoon.

It is hoped that the sun will shine upon this worthy venture, but in the event of rain the entire program will take place indoors.

The Reverend Sidney Lovell, D.D., Chaplain of Yale University, will speak at the vesper service on Sunday at 7:30 o'clock.

## STATE GUARD NOTES

The last indoor drill period was held Sunday at the winter quarters, with those who had not previously qualified in rifle shooting doing so at that time. The rest of the company engaged in skirmish practice on Brothers Field.

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