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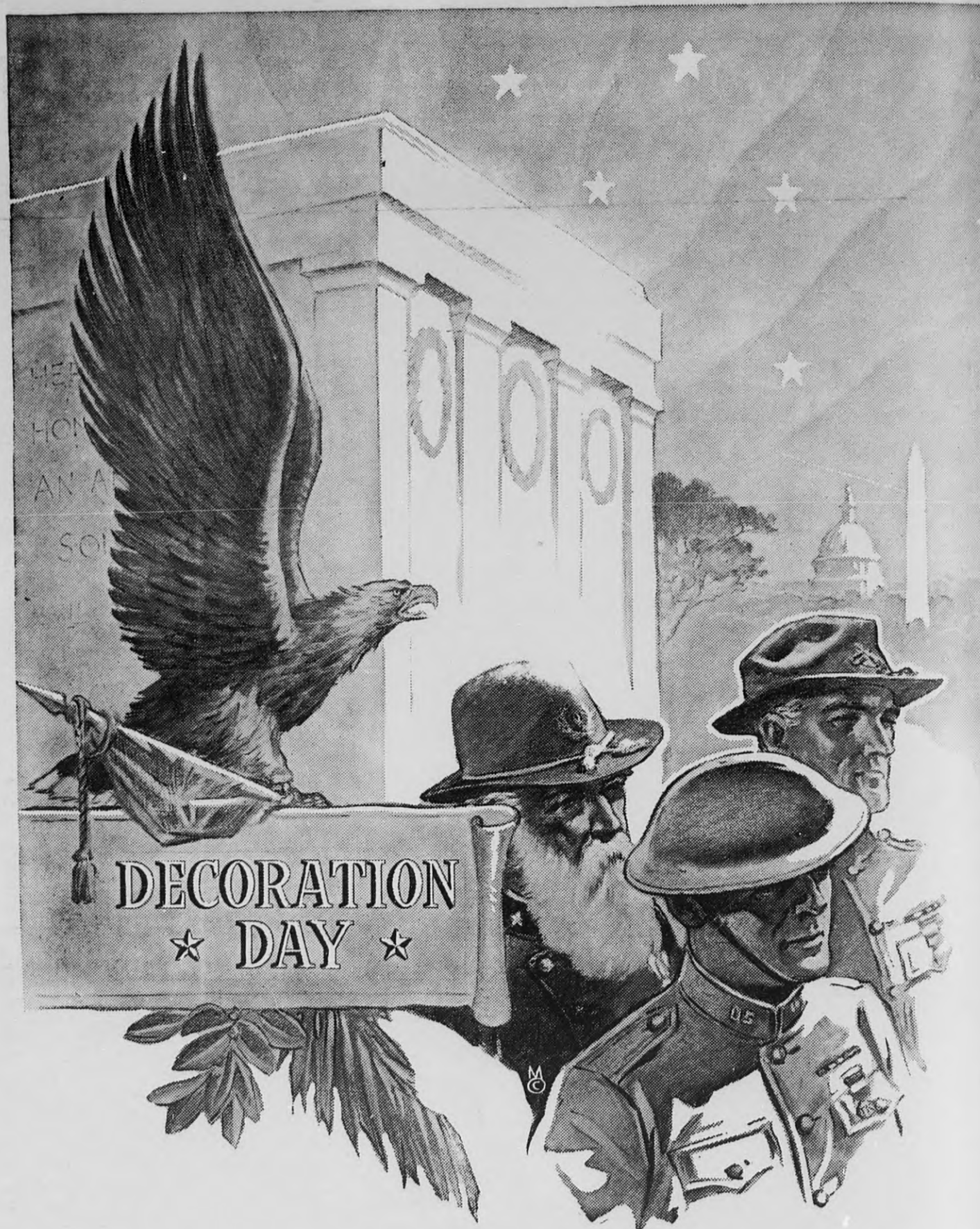
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Veteran of Italian Campaign, Town's Only Amputee, To Marshall Memorial Day Parade



THURSDAY, MAY 30

10:00 a. m.—Memorial Service in Memorial Auditorium conducted by the Veterans' Organizations. Address by Dr. Alfred E. Stearns.

1:30 p. m.—Historical Parade.
Baseball Game at Playstead following the Parade. Punchard vs. Johnson.

10:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.—Industrial Exhibit at Memorial Gymnasium.

9:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.—Exhibit at Addison Gallery: "This Was Andover."

9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Historical Society Open House.

FRIDAY, MAY 31

2:00 p. m.—Historical Pageant at Playstead with all schools and academies participating.

10:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.—Industrial Exhibit at Memorial Gymnasium.

8:15 p. m.—Tercentenary Concert at Memorial Auditorium by Community Orchestra with Percy Grainger, guest artist.
Golf Tournament at Andover Country Club.

9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.—Exhibit at Addison Gallery: "This Was Andover."

9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Historical Society Open House.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

9:00 a. m.—Bicycle Race for riders fourteen and under. Start at Ballardvale, finish at Playstead.

9:30 a. m.—Bicycle Race for riders fifteen and over. Start at Ballardvale, finish at Playstead.

9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.—Exhibit at Addison Gallery: "This Was Andover."

9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Historical Society Open House.

10:00 a. m.—Track Meet at Playstead. Punchard vs. Johnson.

2:00 p. m.—Professional Baseball Game at Brothers Field.

10:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Industrial Exhibit at Memorial Gymnasium.

6:30 p. m.—Tercentenary Banquet at Case Memorial Cafe, Phillips Academy, with historical address by James Phinney Baxter, 3rd, President of Williams College.
Golf Tournament at Andover Country Club.

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

Historical Sermons at the Morning Services in Andover Churches.

Golf Tournament at Andover Country Club.

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9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Historical Society Open House.

10:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.—Industrial Exhibit at Memorial Gymnasium.

8:30 p. m.—Sacred Concert at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy. Chorus of 150 Voices directed by J. Everett Collins, and All-Boy Chorus directed by Miss Sweeney.

The Tercentenary committee, with Dr. Claude M. Fuess presiding, held its final meeting in the Town Hall Tuesday night to tie up any loose ends in the four-day celebration of the town's 300th birthday. There were very few loose ends.

PARADE MARSHAL

Howell Shepard made the announcement that the parade marshal has been designated as Lionel W. Boulanger, Andover's only amputee, a veteran of the Italian campaign. He will lead the parade as far as the reviewing stand, where he will be picked up by a jeep for the remainder of the course.

Eighteen floats, five bands and everything imaginable in the way of fire apparatus, horse-drawn or motorized, will be included in the procession besides the many people who will be marching.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A report on the Memorial Service to be held in the auditorium on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock announced the procedure of the program as:

Massing of colors by the veterans' organizations

Invocation

National Anthem by the High School Girls' Band

Brief speech by the chairman of the veterans' committee

Selection by the Boys' Glee Club

Address by Dr. Alfred E. Stearns

Selection by the Glee Club

Ceremony of placing the wreath in memory of the veterans who paid the supreme sacrifice

"America," by the band

Benediction.

It is expected that the entire service will last about an hour.

BANQUET INFORMAL

In discussing the arrangements for the banquet, it was agreed upon that the event would be **informal**, as the speakers and guests of the occasion will not be in formal dress. There will be a head table for the speakers and a guest table for those who have received special invitations. Rev. Frederick B. Noss and Father Fogarty will give invocations.

MAYOR AND MAYORESS

Roy Hardy reported that he would be notified when the mayor and mayoress of Andover, England, arrive at La Guardia Field in New York. Because of the uncertainty of the time of arrival and departure of the distinguished guests, plans for their entertainment are of necessity still tentative. However, Miss Hearsey of Abbot academy is organizing a tea in honor of the mayoress, Mrs. U. Sainsbury, on Sunday afternoon.

OPEN HOUSES

William A. Trow announced that the Historical Society House will be open each day of the Tercentenary from nine in the morning until nine at night and the exhibits to be shown will give special attention to articles made in Andover. Mr. Trow concluded that there will be several other historical homes open on Saturday afternoon, but that the complete list is not known.

PAGEANT BY SCHOOLS

In reporting on the Pageant to be held in the playstead on Friday afternoon, Burton S. Flagg praised the work of the schools participating and stated that in case of rain, the pageant will be produced on Saturday afternoon. Extra seats have been added to subsidize the capacity of the bleachers, making a total of 3600 seats. About 1500 of these will be used by the students participating in the production. It will last approximately two hours.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

No further arrangements were necessary in regard to the industrial exhibit, which will be held in the high school gymnasium, as, according to Henry G. Tyer's report, the organization of the display has been completed.

MUSIC

Everett Collins said that there was nothing further on the concert arrangements, and that the program is in readiness.

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A Hitch in Time

Ever since the Tercentenary sports committee lined up their program, a baseball game has been scheduled at Brothers field for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the Lawrence Millionaires as one of the teams, but it was not until this week that a second team was engaged, the Lawrence City League All Stars.

The committee must have breathed a sigh of relief to have the matter settled with two teams, well-matched, promising the tops in baseball excitement, but that's where the hitch came in. After the All Stars were signed up, it turned out that the Mililonaire are playing in Portland that Saturday and not in Andover.

There is still time to engage another team, and the committee is combing the leagues again. It's a safe bet that there will be a game on Saturday if the committee has to put on uniforms themselves.

But wait! — The Post No. 8 American Legion Seniors are going to take on the All Stars.

This Was Andover

"A spectacle of morale and pleasing pictures from ye historie of ye ancient Towne of Andover together with identicale prospects taken in the yeare of our Lord 1946" is being shown at the Addison Gallery through September 1. All of which means, in present-day "lingo" that the Addison Gallery is contrasting pictures of Andover as it was and as it is today in a timely and particularly interesting exhibit in connection with the Tercentenary.

Representations of student quarters of the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries are also being displayed, and the Gallery will be open all four days of the birthday observance from 9 o'clock until 5, with the exception of Memorial Day, when it will close at 1 o'clock.

Concert Tickets Still Available

Tickets for the Tercentenary concert by the Community Orchestra will be sold at the door of Memorial auditorium the night of the performance, May 31. However, to make sure of getting the best available seat, call Miss Noyes at 868.

All seats are reserved and a floor plan of the auditorium can be seen in the Tax Collector's office.

Recognized as the greatest living interpreter of Greig's Piano Concert, Percy Grainger will be the feature soloist of the concert.

Many Applications For Bicycle Races

Forty-five boys 14 years of age and under have already filled out applications to enter the bicycle race that will begin at Ballardvale on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and finish at the Andover playstead. In the 15 and over age group there have only been six applications, but it is expected that the list will grow before the race begins. The event is one of many sports events scheduled for the Tercentenary program.

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Veterans Organizations Will Assist A. S. F. A. In Sale of Refreshments At Tercentenary Events

If enough last minute volunteers can be rounded up, the Andover Servicemen's Fund association will make arrangements for the sale of refreshments in the high school cafeteria during certain hours when the industrial exhibit is open.

REFRESHMENTS AT EXHIBIT

The committee in charge of the refreshment and novelty sale during the Tercentenary met in Frank Markey's office in the Town Hall Tuesday night to make final plans for the selling of each item. John Erving, chairman of the committee, reported that it is the feeling of the manufacturers taking part in the industrial that the sale of refreshments at the school would be a real service to the men and women working at the exhibit as well as to the visitors that are expected.

POPSICLES, ETC.

Cold tonics and ice cream will be on sale during the parade, all the sports events and at the pageant. It is now a certainty that the association will have POPSICLES! Among the novelties of special interest to the children are the balloons on a stick, birds that whistle as they fly, and pin wheels which no bicycle should be without. The American Legion, with Harold Wood in charge, is taking care of the sale of these items as well as the roasted peanuts.

OFFICIAL BADGES

Frank Markey, representing the Servicemen's Fund association, is in charge of the sale of the official Tercentenary badge, which has been on sale in the various local stores and which will be featured at each of the Tercentenary events. It makes an attractive and inexpensive souvenir of the town's birthday party.

Thomas Carter, V. F. W. representative, will have members of his organization assisting him in selling the ice

cream, and James Sparks, AMVET, will have a crew selling cold drinks. John Erving is general chairman of the committee and has made all arrangements for securing the stock.

A. S. F. A. HEADQUARTERS

A room on the first floor of the Junior High school has been given to the A. S. F. A. to use as a headquarters during the four-day observance, and sellers will report there for their uniforms, change and stock before going on duty and will check in with their change when they are finished. The uniform of the day will be white coats, white brassards with "Andover Servicemen's Fund Association" printed in blue and a Tercentenary official badge, and men and women wearing them will be the only ones licensed by the town to sell during the Tercentenary. They will be performing a service as well as making more money for the fund, and it is hoped the townspeople will patronize them in preference to any outside hockers with state licenses that may temporarily set up in business.

FROM PARADE ON

The Tercentenary committee who granted the rights and privileges to the A. S. F. A. requested that the sale be conducted in a dignified manner in keeping with the dignity of the occasion, and that no selling take place until after noon on Memorial Day. Therefore the sale of items will not commence until the parade, but will continue for the remainder of the four days.

During intermission at the Community Orchestra concert Friday night, ice cream and cold drinks will be on sale in the school gymnasium. An effort is being made to cover each event with the sale of appropriate items, and appreciation is extended in advance from the committee to all those salespeople who are offering their services during the next four busy days.

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Miss Abbott in Hundredth Year

As Andover prepares for its Tercentenary, one of its oldest residents enters her hundredth year of life, resting comfortably in the Home for Aged at 4 Punchard avenue which has been a real "HOME" to her since 1912.

Her long hair, braided neatly, is still dark, only shot with grey, and her brown eyes are still bright with thought, although now completely sightless. She has outlived most of her friends and companions of earlier years, but on May 13, the day of her 99th birthday, there were many who remembered and sent her cards and gifts.

Miss Abbie Dorcas Abbott was born on Red Spring road in Abbott village in 1847, the daughter of Alfred James and Mary (Jaquith) Abbott. She attended the school which once stood near the South church until she was 12 years old and at that early age was ready to enter high school. Reflecting the opinions of the time, her father was against education for women and so her formal schooling ended, but possessing a keen and progressive mind, she pursued her learning through well chosen reading and developed an appreciative taste for good literature.

Small wonder then, that her positions as proof-reader in Andover, Cambridge and Hartford, Conn., found her efficiency and exactitude valuable assets in the publishing business.

It was while she was working for Welch and Bigelow in Cambridge, later purchased by John Wilson and Sons, that she met and talked with Charles Dickens, who was having some work done at the printery. Having been a great admirer of the immortal author, she availed herself of the opportunity to hear a series of his readings at Tremont Temple, Boston, concerning which her comment was that he "didn't have a good voice for reading."

One story of her experiences in the Cambridge Press which she has told gives an example of the wide range of her capabilities, as well as a tendency toward Yankee bluntness in her manner. A Harvard professor who was having some Greek textbooks printed was passing through the Press one day and came upon Miss Abbott working on his copy.

"Why, Miss Abbott," he said in a surprised voice, "I didn't know that you could read Greek."

"I can't," was her quick reply, "but I can follow copy."

Music, too, was one of her accomplishments, and she has often spoken of the colossal "Peace Jubilee" following the Civil War that was presented in a large hall in Boston where the Trinity church now stands. She was among the chorus of 10,000 voices which was accompanied by an orchestra of 1000 pieces. The event was one of the most ambitious in Boston's history of music, and was well attended by "crinoles and top hats."

When she was 31, she entered the Connecticut training school for nurses in the State hospital in New Haven, and was graduated from there on March 12, 1879, one of two nurses to receive a diploma in the second hospital class. The certificate she received declared her "competent to nurse in medical and surgical cases, also in confinement cases."

Not long after her graduation, poor health cut short her nursing career, and from 1892 to 1912 she had several positions as a housekeeper in various New England states, New York and the Adirondacks, with frequent visits to Andover to stay with her father, who died in 1903. She returned to Andover to stay in 1910, and entered the Home for Aged in 1912, just after it was opened.

Blindness threatened her while she was still very young, but persistence and her strong Christian Science faith seemed to stem the darkness that now envelopes her.

As the years have advanced, her inherent politeness and correctness have intensified at the same time that her personality has mellowed and softened. Even now, she makes no request without the characteristic "please," and her greatest regret is that now it is necessary for people to do for her the many acts of kindness that she formerly bestowed on others. Out of her deep consideration she gave away most of her possessions for which she had no real need and destroyed many keepsakes and pictures several years ago so that it would not be necessary for someone else to have the bothersome task.

Up until the last few years, one of her greatest enjoyments was listening to the radio, and during the first years of the war she kept herself well informed of the national situation. It was her custom to hear programs from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 9 at night, interrupted only by dinner or by frequent occasions when Miss Stone, matron of the Home, would read to her. When asked if she would like to keep a radio in her room, she refused because "it would only mean that someone would have to turn it off and on" for her.

Among her most cherished books is the Bible which she has read and has had read to her over and over with particular emphasis on the 91st Psalm, which has always been her favorite. It ends —

"With long life will I satisfy him and shew him my salvation."

Colonel Goldsmith Visits Andover

Colonel Clarence Goldsmith of the U. S. Army Quartermaster Corps is visiting his sister, Miss Bessie Goldsmith of 60 Elm street and expects to attend the Tercentenary events.

A veteran of both World Wars, the seventy-five-year-old Colonel was one of the oldest men on active duty with the Army during World War II.

Town's Oldest Man Observes Birthday

Arthur Williams, Andover's oldest man, celebrated his 95th birthday on May 28. Until very recently he has been in excellent health and has been able to attend to his chores himself, but at the present time his health is in serious condition and he is confined to his bed.

He makes his home with his son, Richard Williams, at 173 Lowell street, with whom he came to Andover from Billerica about two years ago. There are two grandchildren, Barbara and Edith Williams.

Yes, We Are Salubrious

The reviewing stand which is being erected in front of the Red Cross headquarters will provide seats for town and visiting dignitaries during the parade on Memorial Day. However, the seating capacity allows for more people than are included in that category, so the sub-committee under the chairmanship of Howell Shepard thought that it would be nice if some of the older citizens of the town should be offered the convenience of the stands. Going on an age basis, the members consulted the street list in an effort to fairly determine who should be invited to have seats. Because of the many people in town who have reached the age of seventy-five, it was necessary to raise the limit to eighty. Any townsmen or women who are eighty or over are therefore cordially invited to sit in the reviewing stand.

According to the age statistics gleaned from the street list, precinct 1 is more salubrious than any other precinct in town, having many more inhabitants over eighty.

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Phillips academy, for the first
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finally determined, the boys will
probably go, one each, to Rugby,
Wellington and Marlborough.

Those chosen for this honor were
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Obituaries . . .

FRED G. CHENEY

A wellknown and highly respected resident of Andover, Fred G. Cheney, 83 Maple avenue, died Saturday evening at the Peter Bent Brigham hospital in Boston. He was taken there on Saturday, after having suffered a heart attack Friday evening.

Born in Marlboro, he started his 44-year career in the New England Telephone and Telegraph company in November, 1889, as night operator in Clinton. He was appointed inspector and installer in 1892, and in 1896 was appointed as manager of the Clinton business office, after which he was given a similar position in Lawrence. He was made copy supervisor in 1929, and one year later was assigned as supervisor of the directory delivery service. He retired in 1934.

He was married to L. Maude Messer on June 12, 1905, in Clinton. He was a member of Trinity lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Clinton; Thomas Sherwin chapter, No. 14, Telephone Pioneers of America, of Boston; past president of the Life Members associates of Thomas Sherwin chapter; trustee of Spring Grove cemetery; secretary of the Andover Square and Compass club; and a member of the South church. He was also an assistant assessor.

Surviving are his wife, L. Maude (Messer) Cheney; one daughter, Mrs. T. Frederick Hughes of Boston; a son, Paul M. Cheney of Shawsheen Village; two grandchildren, Paul G. Cheney, with the Army Air Forces in Texas, and Richard E. Cheney; three brothers, Clifton W., of Lake City, Fla., Harold W. and Stanley I., both of Greenville, S. C.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2 o'clock. Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the South church, will officiate. Burial will be in Groton cemetery, Groton.

RAYMOND ST. JEAN

A former resident of Andover for many years, Raymond St. Jean, 10 Preston court, Dorchester, died

Thursday morning at a hospital in Boston following a long illness.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Viola (Gagnon) St. Jean; four sons, Raymond, Jr., Richard, Robert and Ronald St. Jean; three daughters, Barbara, Marilyn and Frances St. Jean, all of Dorchester; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter St. Jean of this town; four brothers, Rene, Eugene, Robert and George, all of Andover; four sisters, Mrs. John Spindler and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, both of Lawrence, and Mrs. William Campbell and Laura St. Jean, both of Andover; also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Saturday morning from the Dolan funeral home in Dorchester, with a high mass of requiem at 9 o'clock in St. Ambrose's Church, Dorchester. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

MRS. ELIZABETH W. RANDALL

Mrs. Elizabeth (Webster) Randall, 18 Cypress street, Methuen, died Saturday noon at the Mueller Rest home after a short illness. She was born in Andover in 1862.

Surviving are two sons, Joseph Wesley Randall of North Andover and Bert A. Randall of Methuen, two grandsons, J. Wesley Randall,

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Jr., of North Andover and Arthur B. Randall of New Jersey.

The funeral was held from the Edward Douglas funeral home Tuesday afternoon with services at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery.

Banquet Plans

Plans for the Punchard Alumni banquet are being made for June 12, and preparations will get under way immediately after the Tercentenary.

LOCALS

Just returned from several months in Coral Gables, Florida, is Miss Carol E. Reading, who flew up last Friday morning when the train strike had just started and cancelled her train reservation. She returned in time to attend her sister's graduation from Boston University Monday.

Miss Maria Fairweather has returned to her work in the Cross Coal office after enjoying a week's vacation.

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As I wander through the by-ways,
I can hear a sweet refrain;
And I linger at the gateway
Of that old bar-berry lane.

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There the birds are always singing:
Robins, bluebirds, many more;
And the gulls fly o'er at evening
To the far Atlantic shore.

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As I gaze across the valley,
Over wood and over rill,
I can see the lofty towers
On the crest of Phillips hill.

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Where they came to learn and pray;
Prayed that men might teach the Gospel,
In those lands so far away.

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Then again I see a vision,
Standing firm upon the sod;
Pure and white, the Old South steeple,
Pointing to the throne of God.

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Do you wonder that I love it,
This old town so dear to me,
With its background of tradition,
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A son Friday at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Allen of Cassimere street.

LOCALS

Miss Hosmer of Belmont was a weekend guest of Mrs. Adele B. Savage of High street.

Donald Cole of High street spent the past weekend in New York. He made the trip by plane.



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Baccalaureate Services



Miss Robjent Makes Own Play Materials

"There is little or no excuse for an ill-equipped kindergarten," says Miss Barbara Robjent of 62 Elm street, a senior at Wheelock College, Boston, where she is preparing to teach young children.

Give her a few boards and nails, a saw and hammer, sandpaper and paint, and presto! she will produce play equipment designed to delight the eye and fancy of any five-year-old child. When she has



a kindergarten class of her own, Miss Robjent will not wring her hands in futility if play materials are inadequate; she'll be too busy supplementing with sturdy equipment of her own creation.

As a practice teacher for a group of pre-school children in Boston recently, Miss Robjent built a little red ladder which delighted her youngsters, who called for it again and again. She converted a keg into a colorful plaything and constructed a board used by her five-year-olds as an easel for painting in large brush strokes. She feels that the savings in dollars compensate for the hard work involved. The little red ladder would have cost her three dollars; she spent just twenty-five cents for lumber and paint. Ready-to-use kegs were listed at \$1.50. The keg was given to her and she used paint on hand. For use as an easel, Miss Robjent prefers the plywood board which represented an investment of \$1.34 to oak boards advertised for four dollars.

She describes her carpentry projects in her recent seminar report on "The Value of Play Equipment in The Development of A Five-Year-Old Child." Each Wheelock senior prepares a comprehensive report which marks a milestone in her four years of professional prep-

aration. The complete report is the result of months of observation and practice teaching, outside reading and an analysis of her records.

Another achievement was a saw horse bought for \$1.50 from a lumber company. She sandpapered and painted it and saved one dollar, as they are listed at \$2.50.

Deeply interested in the relationship between play and the development of the child, Miss Robjent points out that "Children do not learn to play, but through play they learn." They explore their environment, develop healthy bodies and minds, and find a medium for self-expression.

Play is part of her work, for to the child she says, "It is his work and into it he will put the heartfelt pains an adult will put into a task he enjoys."

President of Colchester House, one of the Wheelock dormitories, Miss Robjent will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Education, June 3.

Wife Graduates, Helps Register G. I. Husband

On Monday, May 27, Mrs. Joseph Oakes received her diploma at the Boston University commencement exercises. Tuesday her veteran-husband, Joseph Oakes, registered as a freshman under the G. I. Bill in the University's college of business administration, where his wife has just completed a four-year course.

Mrs. Oakes, the former Anne "Bunny" Hinchcliffe, majored in accounting, but her husband will study advertising. "Sure, I'll help him in the courses I've already had," "Bunny" promises her 22-year-old husband, with whom she attended Lawrence High school, but never became very well acquainted with until his return from Italy in November.

The young couple, now living at her family's home, 39 Enmore street, were married on March 15. He was in the Army Air Force for three years, and at the time of his discharge he wore the E. T. O. ribbon, five battle stars and the Air Medal.

Mrs. Oakes was a member of Phi Gamma Nu, treasurer in her junior year and vice-president in her senior year; the Commuters' Club, all four years; Gamma Beta Alpha, all four years; Glee Club, freshman year; The Hub, senior annual, last three years; Women's Athletic Association, junior year.

Miss O'Connell to Receive Degree

Mary Carroll O'Connell, 1 Punchard avenue, is a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the College of Liberal Arts at Boston University.

At Punchard...

Honor Roll

The honor roll for the fourth term is as follows:

Honors in 5 Major Subjects

Seniors — *Warren Bell, **Cynthia Black, Lillian Dimlich, **Ruth Glennie, **Virginia Hardy, *Mary Lynch, Letitia Noss.

Juniors

**Jack Arabian.
Sophomores—Joan Capen, Mary Colombosian, Jane Draper, Rita Groleau, Marjorie Harshaw, Jeanne Kenney, Jane Lynch, Ronald Martin, Eleanor Parker, Blanche Po remba, Audrey Tompkins, John Wood.

Honors in 4 Major Subjects

Seniors—Wilhelmina Beck, Wallace Bell, Carolyn Bowen, Marilyn Duguid, Eileen Fairburn, John McVey, Claudia Nicoll, Cynthia Pash.

Juniors — Edith Ambye, Richard Clough, Paula Dimlich, Vera Hagogian, Mary Lord, Estelle Oliver, Marjorie Weeks.

Sophomores — Beverly Adkins, Jane Black, Joan Draper, Eric Halbach, Elaine Matton, John Pingree.

Honors in 3 Major Subjects

Seniors—Anne Arakelian, Mabel Broughton, Anthony Cavallaro, Austin Day, Walter Demers, Howard Galley, Jean Hardy, Lillian McCarthy, Barbara Monroe, Robert Moore, Jackson Pillsbury, Marguerite Shaw, Marion Skeirik, Evelyn Stein, Jocelyn White, Joan Young.

Juniors — Joseph Bulla, Janet Caverly, Patricia Collins, Elna Fone, George Haselton, Rita Tousseint, Robert Wormwood.

Sophomores — Richard Baldwin, Shirley Cairns, Philip Churchill, Joan Gallagher, Jennie Giovinco, Margery MacLellan, Evelyn McLay., Robert Mitchel, Barbara Nicoll.

* Highest Honors

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ABBOT ALUMNAE 75TH ANNIVERSARY

The Abbot Academy Alumnae Association will celebrate the 75th anniversary of its founding at a luncheon in the John-Esther Art Gallery, Saturday, June 8, at one o'clock. Many alumnae are expected to be present. Those who have not made reservations are urged to do so before June 3. Phone or write to: Mrs. James Dean, 8 Kensington road, Andover. Miss Hearsy will speak to the alumnae following the luncheon; the classes holding special reunions will give reports; and a skit entitled, "Madame Abbot Returns," will be presented.

At 11:30 a. m., Saturday, June 8, the annual meeting of the Alumnae Association will be held, the president, Mrs. Roberta Kendall Kennedy presiding. Annual reports, and election of new officers will take place. All Abbot alumnae are cordially invited to attend.

Will Receive Bachelor Of Science Degree

Glenna F. Draper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Draper, 27 Bartlet street, will receive the degree of Bachelor of Science from Simmons College at the commencement exercises to be held on Monday morning, June 10th at Symphony Hall in Boston.

She is a student in the school of business.

B. of A. Degree

For Miss Reading

Anne Helene Reading, 303 Andover street is a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the College of Liberal Arts, Boston University.

While at the college, she was a member of the Delta Delta Delta sorority, Rushing chairman, senior year; Archery, freshman year; basketball, freshman year; Eta Delta Phi; Gamma Delta; volleyball, freshman, sophomore year.

Miss Wilkinson to

Receive Music Degree

Rebecca Stevens Wilkinson, 72 Morton street is a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Music at the Boston University College of Music.

She was a member of the Baptist Club; first two years; freshman class secretary; member of Student Government; Boston University Women's Glee Club, all four years; University Chorus, all four years; Dormitory Proctor, sophomore year.

Memorial Day Assembly

A very enjoyable Memorial Day program was held on Wednesday morning. Miss Hird and Miss Parker were in charge. The program was as follows:

Flag Salute	Robert Markert
"America" (4 stanzas)	School Body
"We Shall Remember"	Barbara Gibson
Address to International Labor Organ	Arthur Mooney
"What Makes a Hero?"	Frank Lewis
"Strong Souls"	Everett MacAskill
"A Prayer"	Jane Young

CHOSEN FOR GIRLS' STATE

A Punchard high school junior, Miss Patricia Collins, has been selected by the faculty to represent the school at Girls' State to be held during the week of June 27th at Bridgewater State Teachers' College.

She is chairman of the junior class social committee and also chairman of the junior-senior prom. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Collins, 18 Washington avenue.

TO GRADUATE

Mary Elizabeth Wait, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wait of Ballardvale road, will be graduated from the Mary A. Burnham school at Northampton on Monday, June 3.

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NUPTIAL NOTES

CAMPBELL—BOURQUE

Amid a setting of pink and white carnations and snapdragons at a 3 o'clock ceremony on Sunday afternoon, Miss Eleanor Marie Bourque, daughter of Mrs. Helen Bourque, 380 South Broadway, was united in marriage with Alexander J. Campbell, 26 Brechin Terrace.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Joseph L. Bourque, wore a gown with white satin bodice and net yoke trimmed with seed pearls, and full skirt of tulle en train. Her veil of illusion was attached to a Juliet cap of seed pearls, and she carried a prayer-book adorned with a white orchid.

Maid of honor was her sister, Miss Claire Bourque, who wore a blue gown with net skirt and floral headdress to match. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink sweet peas. The bridesmaids were Miss Marjorie Campbell, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Oliver St. Laurent, a cousin of the bride. She wore a matching gown of pin net with floral headdress and carried blue sweet peas.

John Campbell was best man for his brother.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the North Andover club. After a wedding trip to Maine, the couple will make their home at 380 South Broadway.

The bride is a graduate of St. Patrick's high school, and was employed at the local telephone exchange. The groom is a veteran of four years' service with the Marines, and spent some time in the Pacific area.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. Salisbury of Brookline announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Ruth Salisbury, to Edward Nelson Groleau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Groleau of Shawshen.

SERVICE CLUB TO ELECT

With an entertainment that promises to be bigger and better than previous years, the Andover Service Club is announcing its annual meeting at the Andover Country Club on Wednesday, June 5.

The list of members to be submitted for election are: President, Foster C. Barnard; first vice-president, Clinton D. Shaw; second vice-president, Howell M. Stillman; secretary, T. Augustine Farragher; treasurer, Frederick W. Gould; directors, Chester D. Abbott, Dr. William V. Emmons, Leon A. Field, Edward P. Hall, Chester W. Holland; program committee, Rev. Frank E. Dunn, chairman; Frank L. Brigham and Howell M. Stillman; community service, chairman, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers; vocational committee chairman, Kenneth L. Sherman; fellowship chairman, Frederick H. Smith; catering chairman, William A. Doherty; auditing committee chairman, Harold G. Bowen; sports chairman, Ellsworth H. Lewis; Essex County board of trade committee, Walter E. Billings, Henry S. Hopper and J. Augustine Remington.

Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock and members who are planning to attend are asked to check on the cards to be returned whether or not they wish to play golf.

Grange Meets

Andover Grange, 183, met in Grange Hall on Tuesday evening. A covered dish supper was served at 7:00, and during the lecturers' hour a memorial program was held, with a discussion by the members. Those in charge of the arrangements were Mrs. Margaret Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. George Gilman and Phyllis Anderson.

Dischargee

Y-3/c Ruth Atkinson, 183 Andover street was discharged from the WAVES on May 21st at the separation center in Great Lakes, Ill.

Local Artists Made Olympus

A humorous novel in the art world, just released, contains an Andover Olympus, or list of the supreme artists of Andover.

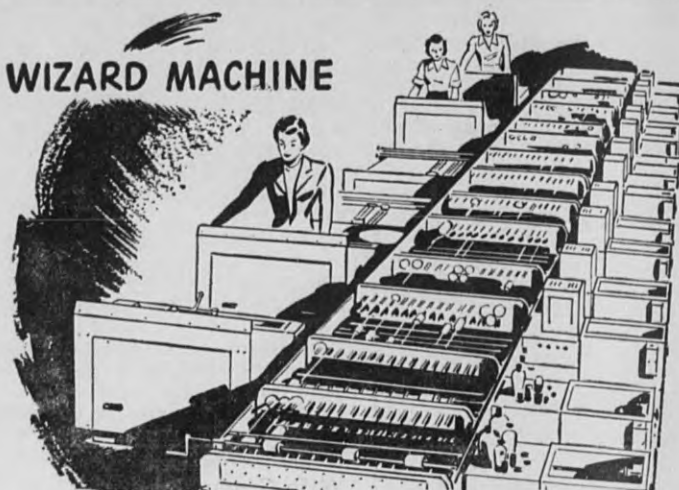
The book is "Fra Angelo Bomber. to in the Underworld of Art" by John G. Wolcott, state chairman of the American Artists' Professional League, who recently assisted local artists in American Art Week. The office of the league is at Wristler's Birthplace in Lowell. Residents of Andover will be interested to learn of their membership that has been raised to Olympus.

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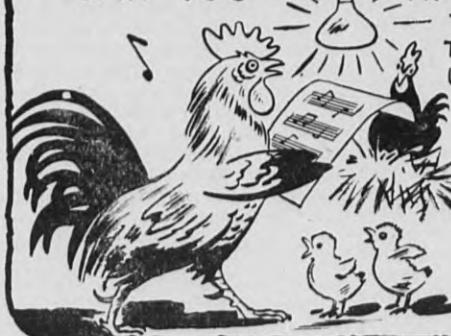
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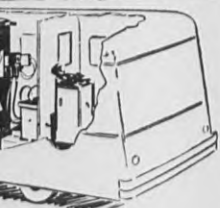
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TOWNSMAN, May 30, 1946

**Junior High Defeats
Phillips Juniors in
Fifth Win of Season**

Junior High defeated Phillips, 8 to 7, in a very close game at Phillips on May 22. Deyermond and Deveaux each chalked up three hits for the day for Junior High, while Nash and Watson got two hits apiece for the losers.

Phillips rallied in the third and scored two runs, but Junior High came back and the game was tied three-all. In the sixth inning Junior High rallied and chalked up four runs, making the score 7 to 4. Phillips got one run in the sixth also. Three errors for Phillips in the sixth made Junior High's rally possible.

It was a seven-inning game, and Phillips came into the inning behind, the score being 8 to 4. Junior High had also secured one run in the first of the seventh. Phillips rallied and scored three runs when Stetler came to bat. He came to the plate with two out, and Cartmell and Dorsey on base, and fouled out to Bob Deyermond, Junior High's hard-hitting first baseman. This ended Phillips' rally and another victory had been chalked up by the Junior High baseball squad.

JR. HIGH	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lloyd, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Wennik, 2b	3	2	1	2	0	0
Dwyer, lf	3	2	1	3	0	0
Deveaux, ss	4	2	3	1	2	0
Deyermond, 1b	4	1	3	8	0	0
Jowett, c	3	0	1	4	0	1
Sullivan, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Beauchesne, 3b	3	0	1	3	4	2
Souter, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Craig, p	0	0	0	0	1	1

Totals	30	8	12	21	8	4
PHILLIPS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Robinson, 2b	4	1	1	4	2	0
Stetler, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Cleveland, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Nash, c	4	2	2	8	1	4
Watson, ss	3	1	2	2	0	0
Waskowitz, rf	3	1	1	0	0	1
Spring, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0

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Dorsey, 1b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Ernst, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Cartmell, p	1	0	1	0	0	0

Totals 30 7 8 12 4 5

**Methuen Game
Was Postponed**

The game with Methuen on Monday was postponed, as was the one on Tuesday with the faculty.

Wednesday's game with Methuen will be held, weather permitting.
MAURICE SHEA

**Local Boys Will
Go to Camp Lincoln**

Several local boys will attend Camp Lincoln and the Rockingham County Y. M. C. A. camp located in Kingston, New Hampshire. They are William Howard Johnson, Alan F. Griffin and John R. Livesey.

**Andover Savings Bank
Saturday Closing**

**This Bank in common with all banks in
this vicinity will be closed on Saturdays during
June, July, August, and September 1946.**

**This action is taken pursuant to the pro-
visions of the General Laws of Massachusetts,
Chapter 284 of the Acts of 1946.**

May 23, 1946

**LOUIS S. FINGER
Treasurer**

Decoration Day 1946

The past four anniversaries of that day found us in Andover a sober and solemn townsfolk.

Today: The long and bitter engagements in which our boys participated, and which took them to parts of the world that they had only shortly before known through their history books, is over.

Today: Our hearts are lighter and we are a little more gay. Gay in a manner that a great weight and sense of responsibility has been lifted from us, but it is being laid on the shoulders of those who did our fighting!

Decoration Day this year, next year and every following year until time immemorial, should remind all of us of the solemnity of the day and our obligations to the Living and Dead.

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Church Clubs . .

**Woman's Union
To Meet**

The Woman's Union of the West church will meet on Wednesday, June 5. A dessert will be served at 1:30 and the regular business will follow at 2:30. There will also be an auction sale. Members and friends are requested to bring articles for the sale.

The hostesses will be Mrs. Lev-erett Putnam, Mrs. Henry Kazaz, Mrs. John Duguid, and Mrs. Kenneth Penwell.

**APC Will Have
Annual Picnic**

The A. P. C. Sorority of the South church will hold its annual picnic on Thursday evening, June 6, at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Reginald Holt, 74 Bartlet street, or at the church in case of rain. Members are asked to bring a plate, cup, silverware, and 25 cents. The committee in charge consists of Mrs. Alvin Zink, Jr., and Mrs. Arthur Taylor, co-chairmen; Mrs. George Westhaver, Mrs. John Monro, Mrs. Joseph Wright, Mrs. Nancy Shea, Miss Ruth Anderson, Miss Beatrice Henderson, and Miss Frances Videto.

Food Drive Extended

Over 2500 cans have been donated to the Emergency Food Collection drive, besides the many contributions of money. The drive has been extended to June 15, conforming with the extension of the national drive.

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Blondie's Lucky Day Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake
 3:55; 7:15

SUNDAY, MONDAY — June 2, 3

Hold That Blonde Eddie Bracken, Veronica Lake
 3:25; 6:25; 9:25
People Are Funny Jack Haley, Helen Walker
 1:55; 4:55; 7:55

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — June 4, 5, 6

The Lost Weekend Ray Milland, Jane Wyman
 3:00; 5:55; 8:50
There Goes Kelly Jackie Moran, Wanda McKay
 1:45; 4:40; 7:35

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — June 7, 8

Walk In The Sun Dana Andrews, Richard Conte
 2:05; 5:25; 8:45
Johnny Comes Flying Home Richard Crane, Faye Marlowe
 4:00; 7:20

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The news that hammocks and fly swatters are now within the reach of all is alone enough to lift a heavy feeling from the hearts of the people. These two articles open the way to comfort and peace of mind unknown since Pearl Harbor.

Here is a nation, nervous, morose and apprehensive, under the harassments and confusions of reconversion with all its chaos and befuddlements . . . and suddenly it finds it can get hammocks and fly swatters! The lift is tremendous.

And when you throw in a decorative sofa pillow and a whittling knife, boy, you are guiding the lily.

This release of hammocks, fly swatters, etc., may become the smartest move the Truman administration has made so far. It may mean that the tide against the Democrats has not only been checked but turned the other way.

Millions of Americans are forever emphasizing the part axes, picks, shovels, buffalo guns, surveyors' implements, pack mules and covered wagons have played in building the nation. But the part played by hammocks, fly swatters and whittling knives has been overlooked.

Nearly all epic performances are the result of someone's dream. And the great dreamers have been hammock and fly swatter boys.

OPA freed the hammocks only a few days ago, and already the kicking and squawking that has made us unhappy ever since the end of the war has declined 54 per cent.

It's the most humanizing act of the Truman administration. The world looks lovelier.

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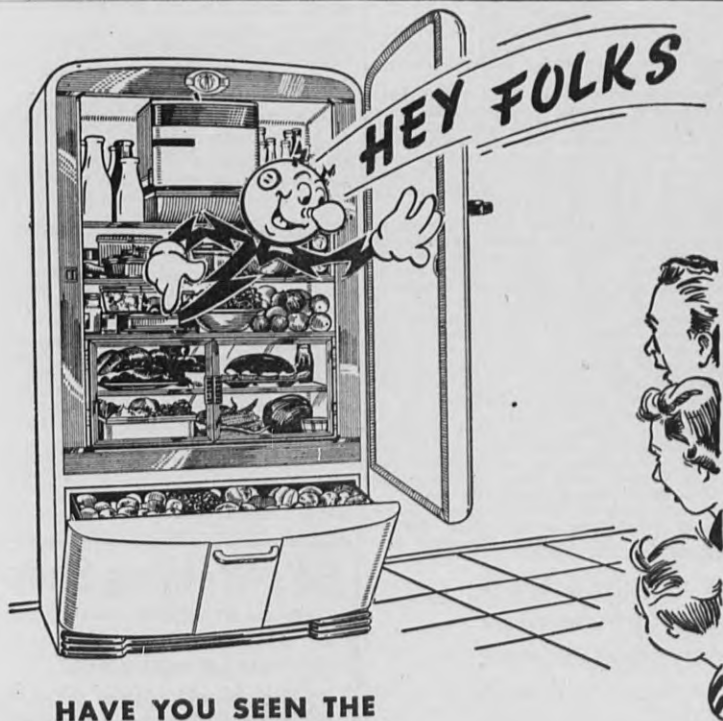
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Tuesday, 6:30 p. m., June Meeting of the Church School Teachers and Officers will be held at the home of Mrs. Clare Norton. The meeting and picnic supper will be held on the lawn. Each one is asked to bring his basket lunch. The beverage will be provided.

Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., Cradle Roll Department Lawn Party at the home of Mrs. P. Leroy Wilson, 9 Avon Street.

Thursday, 8:00 p. m., Adult Choir Rehearsal in the Church Parlors.

Friday, 3:30 p. m., The Children's Crusade will be held at the Church.

Free Church

Rev. Levering Reynolds, Pastor

Sunday, at 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00 a. m., Worship service with sermon by the pastor; Nursery School; 7:00 p. m., Pilgrim Fellowship Meeting.

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Thursday, 3:00 p. m., Pageant Rehearsal for Junior Choir Members and Characters in Children's Day Pageant.

West Church

Rev. Leslie J. Adkins, Minister

Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon; 10:30, Church School.

Cochran Chapel

Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, School Minister
Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Morning Worship with Sermon.

Christ Church

Rev. John S. Moses, Rector

Sunday, 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Monday, 6:30 p. m., Excursion to Lynn Beach.

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Girl Scouts.
Thursday, 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion.

North Parish Church

North Andover

Rev. Cornelis Heijn, Minister

Sunday, 10:10 a. m., Church School; 10:30, Morning Worship and Sermon.

St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Thomas A. Fogarty, Pastor

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South Church

Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Minister

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School and the Junior Church; 9:30, Men's Group; 10:45, Morning Worship and Sermon; 10:45, Church Kindergarten; 6:00 p. m., Young People's Society.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of William Cooper 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 Colver J. Stone of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of July, 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER,
Assistant Register.
(23-30-6)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

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

A petition has been presented to said Court by Dennie Thomson Pratt of Andover in said County, praying that his name may be changed as follows: Dennie Thomson Pratt to Thomas Dennie Pratt.

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 tenth day of June, 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER,
Assistant Register.
Sweeney & Sargent, Attys.,
316 Essex Street,
Lawrence, Massachusetts (23-30-6)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Samuel D. Berry 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 Katherine A. Berry 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 third day of June 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER, Asst. Register.
Rowell, Clay & Tomlinson,
301 Essex Street,
Lawrence, Mass. (16-24-31)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Elizabeth Goodhue Fuess late of Andover in said County, wife of Claude M. Fuess, deceased, for the benefit of Claude M. Fuess.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their 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 seventeenth day of June, 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER, Asst. Register.
(30, 6, 13)

Andover Savings Bank

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

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LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer.
(30, 6, 13)

Case No. 19834 Reg.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts LAND COURT

To Eugene A. Zalla, Katherine M. Zalla, Irvin H. Lakin, Lena A. Lakin, George Bruce, Fred E. Cheever, Alfred S. Smeltzer and Theresa E. Smeltzer, of Andover, and Thomas Bruce, of Newburyport, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; Charles Perry, residence unknown, or his heirs, devisees or legal representatives and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Benjamin Summers, of said Andover, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in that part of said Andover called Ballardvale, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Clark Road 130.39 feet; Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Irvin H. Lakin et al 137.32 feet; and Westerly by Cart Path 20 feet wide 183.08 feet.

The above-described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lawrence in the county of Essex where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the twenty-fourth day of June next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, John E. Fenton, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May in the year nineteen hundred and forty-six.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

ROBERT E. FRENCH, Recorder.
James W. McManus, Esq.,
Bay State Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass.,
For the Petitioner.

(30, 6, 13)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To William McKeon of Andover in said County of Essex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said William McKeon is an insane person and praying that Edythe G. Berry of Andover in said County or some other suitable person be appointed his guardian.

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 seventeenth day of June, 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER,
Assistant Register.
Thomas J. Lane, Atty.,
705 Cregg Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass. (23-30-6)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To Florence McKeon of Andover in said County of Essex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Florence McKeon is an insane person and praying that Edythe G. Berry of Andover in said County or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian.

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 seventeenth day of June, 1946, the return day of this citation.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER,
Assistant Register.
Thomas J. Lane, Atty.,
705 Cregg Bldg.,
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To Maurice McKeon of Andover in said County of Essex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Maurice McKeon is an insane person and praying that Edythe G. Berry of Andover in said County or some other suitable person be appointed his guardian.

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

ARTHUR D. FOWLER,
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The Andover National Bank SATURDAY CLOSING

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Hold Memorial Exercises

The members of the American Legion, the V. F. W., and their auxiliaries held Memorial Sunday exercises on Sunday afternoon. The parade started at 2 o'clock from Elm Square, and marched to Spring Grove cemetery by way of Main, Locke, School and Abbot streets, returning after the services over the same route.

Two services were held at the cemetery, the first by the American Legion at their lot, and the other at the Soldiers' lot by the V. F. W.

At the American Legion lot the invocation was given by Very Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine's parish. Commander Arthur E. Steinert gave the welcome, and the Andover Brass Band played "Nearer My God to Thee." Wreaths were placed by Mrs. Harry Wrigley, president of the Legion Auxiliary, Commander William Hulse of the V. F. W., and Legion Chaplain Alden Cook. A salute was fired by the Legion firing squad, taps was sounded, the National Anthem sung, and the benediction was given by Father Fogarty.

At the G. A. R. lot the V. F. W. program was carried out by Commander Hulse, with invocation by Rev. Leslie J. Adkins, pastor of the West Church. The salute by the V. F. W. firing squad was followed by taps.

The speaker of the afternoon was William L. McDonald of Punchard High school faculty, who served as a navy lieutenant, having seen action in the Pacific. He spoke on world peace.

The members of the firing squads and color guards were as follows:

V. F. W.: Joseph K. Payne, sergeant at arms; color guard, Francis O'Connor, Barker Higgins, Thomas Eldred and Clarence Meuse; firing squad; James W. Deyernmond, James Platt, Lawrence Grant, Samuel Lowry, Richard D. Quinn, Thomas Carter, William Deyernmond and Joseph Veit.

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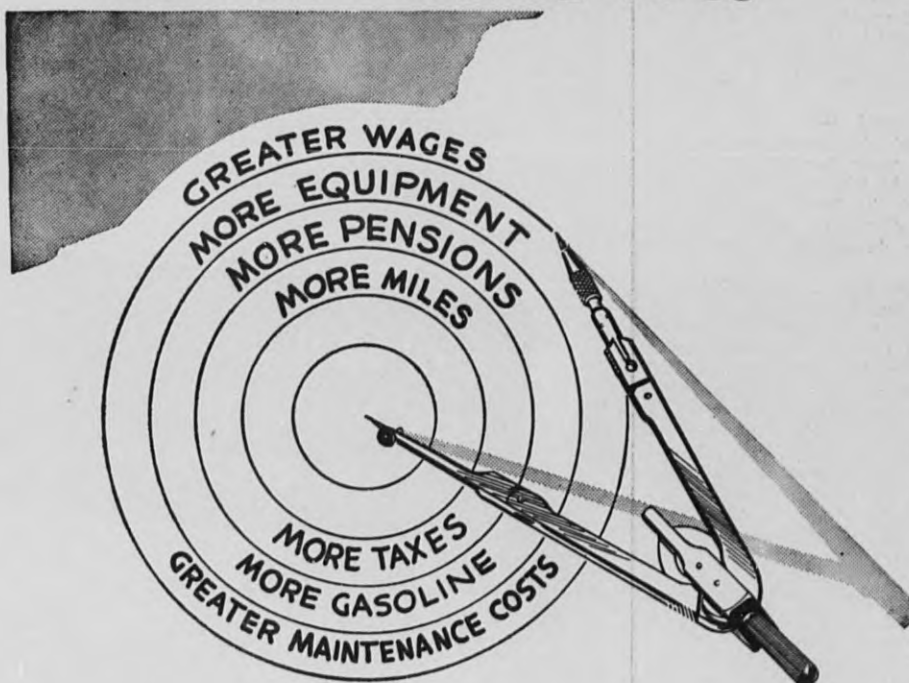
Mrs. Chandler Bodwell of Ipswich visited with friends in the Parish recently . . . Miss Elsie Rasmussen, a student at the University of New Hampshire, Durham, spent the weekend at her home on Lowell street . . . Clyde Barlow of Palmer, Mass., spent the weekend with his family on Liberty street . . . Mr. Karl Haartz of High Plain road spent several days recently with his mother in Scituate . . . Thomas Cousins of North Main street visited at The Weirs, N. H., recently . . . Miss Marilyn E. Lewis of Cincinnati, Ohio, is enjoying sev-

eral weeks' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis, Lowell street. For the past year Miss Lewis has been Religious Director of the Presbyterian church in the English Woods section of Cincinnati. She is a graduate of the Presbyterian College of Christian Education in Chicago, Ill. . . Mrs. Earl Slate has returned to her home on Argilla road after spending several days with her sister in West Roxbury . . . Relatives of Rev. Richard Carter are greatly encouraged by reports that come from the Naval hospital in San Francisco, Cal., where he has been critically ill for several months. His wife has also been seriously

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On entering the reading room, one is greeted by a large framed copy of the announcement of the dedication exercises held at the Memorial Hall on May 30, 1873. The order of the procession to the building is printed, and the address by Phillips Brooks is given great prominence.

In the nearby glass case, this address is given in both its original manuscript and later printed form. The subscription list of the Memorial Hall library is there, with one of the invitations sent to the citizens, requesting attendance at the grand opening. The contract of the Mechanic's Work on the Building is lying open, and the writing of that contract is a thing of beauty!

Mr. Ballard Holt, the first librarian of the library, signed a contract, very formal in nature, which made him custodian of the books and the building. This contract is displayed with two receipts for donations to the building fund.

There are interesting exhibits of books on small tables in the reading room. One covers "Andover Past" and includes the well-known source material such as histories, articles from the Archaeological Bulletins, prehistoric Andover, Indian relics—even the bird life and flowers that belong in this district. Another table bears the sign, "Andover's Churches, Seminary and Academies," and offers some long-forgotten facts about the founding and maintenance of these institutions.

Old photographs of Andover have been loaned and are the subject of much interest. Books by Andover authors are grouped, and present an unusual variety of subjects. Among these books are works by the following: Harriet Beecher Stowe, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Edna A. Brown, Varnum Lincoln, Phebe F. McKeen, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Claude M. Fuess, Annie Sawyer Downs, Anne Bradstreet,

with a copy of Moses Stuart's "Commentary on the Allusion to the Hebrews," published in 1833. An interesting old volume, published in 1853, the work of Harriet Beecher Stowe, is titled: "A key to Uncle Tom's Cabin: Presenting the Original Facts and Documents Upon Which the Story Is Founded, Together With Corroborative Statements Verifying the Truth of the Work." It is a serious and complete justification of her stand and her great work of fiction.

To a booklover the center table with its original accession book of all purchases made for the library shelves is a great attraction. Some of the very volumes whose acquisition is so beautifully written about are there beside the book, mute testimony to the carefulness of the publishers of that day and the excellence of the materials used by bookmakers.

Five maps of Andover have been placed around the room, and more than one person stops to locate old landmarks, roads and sites of present day buildings. The earliest, 1830, proclaims that Andover has 4540 inhabitants, and 172 miles of road. With all the amputations that took place after that date, Andover still claims about 108 miles of roads! The 1852 map breaks the

town into districts, while the 1882 is in the form of an aerial survey, with many buildings and houses drawn almost to life from some heavenly point of vantage. Beneath this one hangs a recently taken aerial photograph of the town, from almost the same angle!

The Young People's Room boasts a few attractions for the anniversary. Andover's authors of books for young people—Edna A. Brown, Claude M. Fuess, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps and Harriet Beecher Stowe—are all represented in the collection of books set apart from the others. Two or three books of the period of three hundred years ago are available for examination.

As though to draw the world of long ago into the hope for a better future world, there is on exhibit the gay, colorful Treasure Chest, filled with a finest of the present day books for boys and girls. This chest was made and filled under the auspices of the Junior Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters and is to go to children somewhere in Denmark, that they may feel a stronger tie and greater understanding of their American friends. The project is a splendid one, and it is well worth a moment's inspection.

During the celebration, the library will observe the following hours: Thursday, Memorial Day, open from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p. m.; Friday, 9:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.,

6:00 p. m. to 9:00 p. m.; Saturday, regular hours, 9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.; while on Sunday afternoon from 2:30-5:30 p. m., the library doors will be open to welcome any who may wish to visit or inspect. It is hoped that many will take time to come in and see for themselves what Andover has done with her library since the long-ago 1873.



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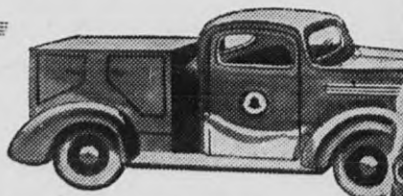
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