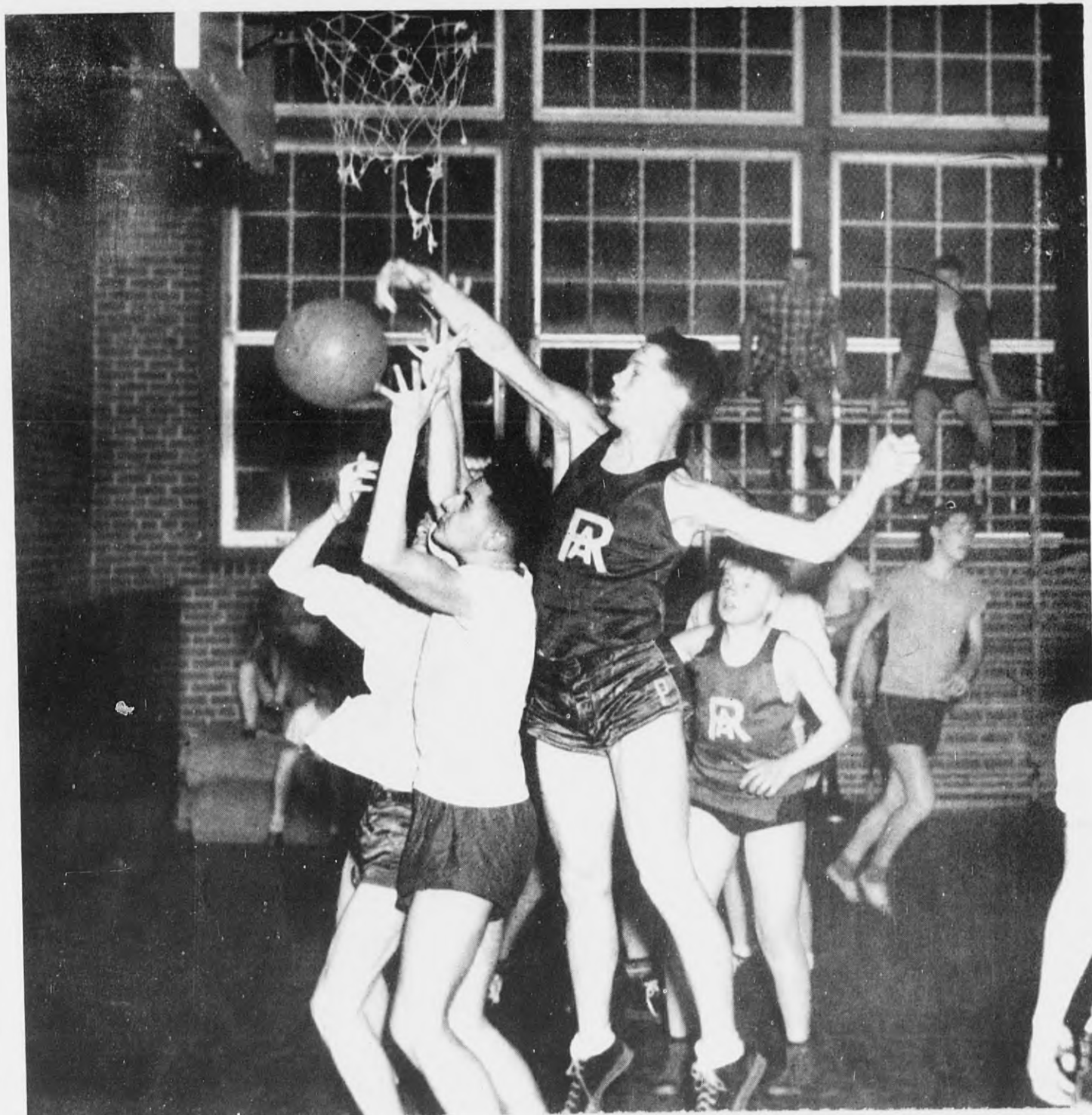


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WOMEN VOTERS LEAGUE MAKES STUDY Of School Budget

The education committee of the Andover League of Women Voters, under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, has in the past months been making a study of Andover's school system, which culminated in the budget meeting held in the Junior High School music room Tuesday afternoon, at which the superintendent of schools, members of the school committee and candidates for election and re-election were present.

In making clear the League's stand on the referendum question regarding equal pay for men and women teachers, Mrs. Buchan stated that because the individual community situation concerns the direction of the referendum vote, the national league has not taken a definite stand and the local league, remaining non-partisan, emphasizes three points to be considered: 1) that the new salary schedule recently adopted by the school committee after months of research tends toward the equalization of salaries, but not in a year's time; 2) that if immediate equalization is voted on the referendum, an additional \$2,000 will be added to the proposed school budget; and 3) should the equalization of salaries be jeopardized by future school committees, the citizens still have recourse to the ballot, as the law provides that any community voting against the referendum at this time may upon petition of two percent of the registered voters, introduce it again to the ballot.

Kenneth L. Sherman reviewed the school budget, pointing out the reasons for the differentials between last year's figures and the current requested amounts, emphasizing that the increase in the salary budget constitutes not only an increase in salaries but also an increase in the number of salaries. He further qualified his statement by listing the salaries assumed by the school committee this year that were not included in last year's budget. He also itemized appropriations that were used to supply noon hour supervisors for the many children who spend their lunch periods at the school, teachers to go to the homes of physically handicapped children to enable them to keep up with their studies during their convalescent period, a plan that is required by law.

The additional amount for janitors' salaries he attributed to the addition of a janitor as well as to the salary raise. He also brought out that the janitors now work 56 hours a week and that firemen are on duty around the clock.

When discussing the cost per pupil rate, Mr. Sherman reminded the listeners that such expenditures as maintaining the Memorial auditorium for public use is absorbed by the school budget and that any financial returns on rental does not revert to the school department, but is turned into the town treasurer for petty cash and that although these sums help to reduce the tax rate as a whole, they do not lower the school budget in any way.

In discussing the rise in the fuel appropriation, he pointed out that last year's amount had not been sufficient to cover the rising cost of fuel nor the additional amount of fuel required because of the severity of the winter. This year's request is designed to meet any such needs.

School Committee member Gordon Colquhoun then gave a resume of the salary schedule showing how the differentials between the salaries for men and women teachers and between teachers of elementary grades and high and junior high levels will gradually be eliminated.

The comparative low salaries in the elementary schools has in the past discouraged teachers from entering the profession at that level and, he pointed out, since the first six years of a child's schooling is as important as the more advanced years, it is urged that some of our best teachers should be encouraged to enter the field.

According to the schedule, salary raises will be based on a merit system and each teacher will receive a rating of her work by the principal and the superintendent, and the completed rating will receive its final consideration from the school committee when warranted. A minimum and evaluated salary rate is designated to various qualification standards.

Of Preliminary Grades

On February 5, the education committee of the League of Women Voters, including Mrs. Charles McCullom, Mrs. James Adriance, Mrs. Walter Mondale, Mrs. David Kline and Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, visited the four local kindergartens to observe the plan of study being carried out in each.

In Ballardvale, the children were busy with handiwork and, using three sizes of hearts in three colors, they were making valentines. Through this work they were being taught responsibility in handling supplies, discrimination of size and color, and the thoughtfulness that comes from making things for others.

In Indian Ridge, rhythm games, teaching musical coordination, physical freedom and consciousness of rhythm were part of the music hour.

In Shawsheen, a story hour was encouraging the young listeners to recognize characters and to repeat rhymes and poems.

In John Dove, the reading readiness class was receiving visual and aural training.

The following Wednesday, the group met at Mrs. Kline's home on Elm street with the kindergarten teachers to discuss their observations. It was brought out that the classes in Andover schools are not taught as kindergartens which

emphasize the child's social adjustment but are designed as pre-primary grades which prepare the pupils for the first grade, and that by careful observation of each child, which is not possible when the real school work begins, teachers are able to discover and eliminate any defects or difficulties which the child may have that would hinder his progress as he pursues elementary work.

It was brought out that the number of reading failures in advanced grades are regrettably high where textbooks are important in many subjects and as a consequence reading difficulty breeds general study difficulties. The reading readiness program in the pre-primary classes tends to overcome these difficulties, thereby facilitating the child's adjustment to school work.

The first in a series of tax studies will be presented with town officials present in the committee room of the Memorial Hall Library on Friday afternoon, March 7, at 2:45.

VETERANS IN NEED OF A HOME? OPEN MEETING TO CONSIDER POSSIBLE PLANS FOR SOLUTION

In making a study of the possible solutions to the problem of veterans' housing in Andover, the Amvets, with the cooperation of the Veterans' Service office and a group of individual veterans who have been desperately seeking housing facilities for themselves and their families, proposed a government-aided temporary quonset hut development at the time Articles 13 and 14 were included in the 1947 Town Warrant. Further investigation has ascertained that such a project is impossible since the appropriation for federal subsidizing for such projects has been exhausted, and now being considered is a plan being generally used by other cities and towns of a

permanent building idea which will be described in full by J. Everett Ready, local expediter of the National Housing Agency, who will speak to veterans and interested citizens at an open meeting Thursday night, February 27, at 8 o'clock in the lower court room in the Town House.

All veterans who are having housing difficulties are requested to attend as it is only with a presentation of the true picture of the emergency that a program can be decided upon. Invitations are being sent to veterans' organizations, town officials and other interested citizens and it is hoped that following Mr. Ready's talk, an open discussion of the situation from all angles will evolve.

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The presentation of "Our Town," which was to be given at Memorial Auditorium Saturday night has been postponed due to unpreventable circumstances beyond the control of the cast and the committee in charge.

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Illnesses

Mr. William Snyder, our janitor, is ill at his home. We send him our sincere hopes for a speedy recovery, and we want him to know that we all think of him.

Marion Noss, who is in the seventh grade, was injured when struck by an automobile while crossing the street in front of her own home on Bartlett street. She suffered bruises on the face and legs, and while she was not seriously injured, she will have to stay home for the rest of the term.

Quite a few people have been absent for a long time due to colds, sore throats, tonsillitis and other things like that. Among these are Betty Born, Janet Thompson, and Lyman Gale in the seventh grade. Shirley Bushway in the eighth grade was absent for about a week with a "double-header"—sinus and the grippe—and it wasn't very pleasant. But Shirley is back with us and completely recovered. Nancy Adams, also of the eighth grade, is out sick with a strep throat and tonsillitis. She won't be back until after vacation.

Photograph Awards

The 1947 National High School Photographic Awards contest sponsored by Eastman Kodak Company opened February 15 and will close May 15. The contest is for anyone in the ninth through the twelfth grades. Pamphlets and entry blanks, which may be secured from Mr. Owen Hinckley, have no entry fee.

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By Raymond Collins

Club Notes

The eighteenth meeting of the Library Club was held on Thursday. There was no program because new officers were elected. They were: Martha Ann Fieldhouse, president; Frances Buckley, vice-president; Arlene Kupis, secretary; and Richard Hinckley, treasurer.

The Student Council, with its new members, held its first meeting of the second half of the year. Besides the usual discussion of various topics, announcements were made about class pins. It was said that anyone planning to buy a pin must have his money in by February 20.

Teachers Go To School, Too

Mr. Arthur Weiss, Mr. Benjamin Dimlich, both of the Junior High Science Department, Mr. Blanchard, our principal, and Mr. Howard Hennigar of the High School enrolled recently in a course for credits toward a master's degree at Tufts College. The course is a seminar of "Current Educational Problems" and is being given by Dr. Ringer, formerly superintendent of schools in Brookline.

Good News and Bad News

School closes on February 21 for a week's vacation. The third marking period also ends, and when we return from vacation, we will look forward to those report cards once again. They will be given out on March 7.

Climbing Higher

On Monday, February 17, a return game was played with Central Catholic Frosh, of Lawrence. A large crowd attended to see the Andover cagers trample the Central boys, 39-26. The Junior High boys had a good lead all the way through the game. Coach Ben Dimlich congratulated the squad on their victory and stated that there has been an immense improvement in the passing and backboard recovery play, which helped to make the game an easy win. John Ross, our eighth grade "flash," contributed almost half of the total score with 17 points. This now an individual scoring record for the Junior High boys. The captain of the team, Charles Dwyer, was runner-up with 14 points.

On Friday, February 21, the second contest between Andover Junior High and Parker High of Reading will be played. As most of you know, the Andover squad was defeated by this group, 28-25, at their last meeting. The Junior High boys will seek to avenge themselves of this defeat against the strong Reading five.

Happy Once More

The Junior High varsity squad conquered the Pickering Grammar School of Salem on Thursday, February 13. The Andover cagers romped against their visitors, 23 to 15. During the first quarter the Junior High boys were outplayed by a clicking Salem five. However, our man, "Fish" Dwyer, snapped the team out of their slump to pull ahead three points at the half. The third and fourth quarters saw our boys buckling down, and their efforts placed them in the victory column once again. John Ross was high scorer with seven points.

"Roaming With The Romans"

Miss Grover and her pupils in Room 4 were in charge of the assembly on Friday, February 14. The program was entitled "Roaming with the Romans." The first part was about those great lovers, Pyramus and Thisbe, acted by Jean Dumont as Thisbe and Winthrop Adkins as Pyramus. Warren Davis played the part of the Big Bear. The second part included several singers who sang popular songs, with special lyrics to describe the story of Dido and Paris. The story was narrated by Doris Nichol. Joan O'Donnell played two selections on the piano. Also contributing their talents were Martha Ann Fieldhouse and Doris Nichol, who played a saxophone duet. Joseph Ratyna was the announcer.

Girls' Basketball

The Junior High Girls' basketball squad played at the Parker Junior High School of Reading on Friday, February 14. The latter was swamped by a strong Andover team by a score of 42-19. Barbara Parsons had high honors for the afternoon with 20 points.

The Junior Varsity was defeated by the Reading Seconds, 23-19. Virginia Buntin was high scorer in that game with 12 points.

A return game was played on Monday, February 17, at the Andover Junior High courts. Again the Andover girls showed their talents by chalking up another victory against the Reading foe. The Parker girls came back fighting harder but not hard enough to stop the Andover girls, who won, 25-15. The Andover second team topped their previous defeat by winning their game also, with a close score of 23-22.

All girls who competed against the Reading girls are to be commended for their fine attitude of sportsmanship. Winning a game is relatively unimportant—of much greater importance is how you won, and whether it is played for enjoyment. This "spirit of sportsmanship" was obvious among both girls' groups, Reading and our own girls.

The basketball squad's most sincere thanks to Miss Dantos and her girls for our refreshments.

Student Participation

On Wednesday, February 12, a group of students, with Mr. McDonald, attended an open meeting of the constitutional committee of the Massachusetts legislature. The session was held in Room 436 at 3:00 p. m. under the auspices of the Junior Civic League.

The bill before the committee was that of lowering the voting age to 18 years. The first speaker for the bill was Representative Sullivan, during which time a recess of ten minutes was called while roll call was held in the legislature. The second speaker was Senator Pierson, and the third was a lawyer representing American Youths for Democracy. During the recess some students watched the Representatives debating over the Barnes Bill.

New Officers

Several students who had been elected to a home room office and later to a school office resigned their home room offices, since the Constitution says that they may hold only one office at a time. Changes had to be made in Rooms 4 and 5. Joseph Ratyna, who was elected president of the school, gave up his position as home room president to Raymond Collins. Donald Mudgett was elected vice-president. Sidney Watson was elected to Dawn Dunn's office as home room president in Room 5 when she was elected secretary of the school. In revoting for the entire home room slate, the following were elected: president, Sidney Watson; vice-president, David Wetterberg; secretary, Eleanor Bateson; treasurer, Justin Curry. Shirley McCabe replaced Joseph Wennik as president in Room 7, as Joe was elected school vice-president.

Peck's Bad Boy

For the first time in several years, the Andover Junior High School Dramatic Club will present a play, "Peck's Bad Boy," for the Student Government Association. This will be given for the public on Thursday afternoon, March 6, at 3:30, and on Friday evening, March 7, at 8:00.

The proceeds from this production will be used to buy needed equipment for the girls' athletic teams.

Tickets for the Friday afternoon performance may be purchased from any member of the Junior High School. Tickets for the Thursday afternoon presentation may be purchased at the door.

The cast is as follows: Henry Peck, Sr., Allen Wood; Henry Peck, Jr., Brian Caldwell; Mrs. Peck, Nancy Gleason; Jimmy Duffy, Dawn Dunn; Minnie, Polly Paradise; Luella Thorne, Nancy Schulze; Clifford Jennings, Walter Tomlinson; Melville Beaumont, Kent Donovan; Lizzie, Barbara Gibson; Dahlia, Ann Smith; Schultz, Peter Dunlop; Dora, Gretchen Clement; Flora, Joan Pearson; and Lora, Regina Levin.

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At The Churches

Baptist Church

Rev. Wendell L. Bailey, Pastor

Sunday, 9:30, Church School, Twelve Disciple's Class with Mr. Herbert Otis as the leader; 10:45, Morning Worship, Sermon by the Pastor; Dedication of babies; 6:00 p. m., Baptist Youth Fellowship meeting at the home of Clark Otis; 7:30, Lenten service at Free Church.

Monday, 6:30 p. m., Inter-Church Basketball. Baptist team plays.

Tuesday, 2:00 p. m., Mid-Winter Merrimac Baptist Association meeting at First Baptist Church, Haverhill. Afternoon and evening sessions.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., Men's Club Supper. Moving pictures will be shown by Gulf Oil Co., speaker, Rev. Albert Sheckells of the Mass. Baptist Convention.

Thursday, 7:00 p. m., Royal Ambassadors meet in the vestry; 8:00, Adult Choir rehearsal in the Parlor.

Friday, 3:30 p. m., Junior Choir rehearsal at home of Mrs. P. Leroy Wilson.

Christ Church

Rev. John S. Moses, Rector

Sunday, 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School; 11:00, Morning Prayer and Sermon; 3:00 p. m., Confirmation Class for adults.

Monday, St. Matthias Day, 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 2:15 p. m., Confirmation Class; 3:30, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Girls' Friendly Society.

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Girl Scouts; 4:00, Children's Service (illustrated).

Thursday, 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 10:30 to 3:00 p. m., Meeting of Woman's Auxiliary; 7:45, Evening Prayer and Address, preacher, Rev. George S. Rathbun of Leominster.

Friday, 6:45 p. m., Boy Scouts.

South Church

Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Minister

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School and the Junior Church; Men's Group, speaker, Mr. Louis Finger; 10:45 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon; Church Kindergarten; 11:15, Educational Motion Pictures; 6:00 p. m., Young People's Society; 7:30, Union Lenten Service at the Free Church.

Monday, 6:30 p. m., Inter-Church Basketball League.

Tuesday, 4:00 p. m., The Junior Choir; 8:00, Ping Pong Club.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., Men's Club; 7:00 p. m., The Minister's Confirmation Class.

Thursday, 10:00 a. m., All-Day Sewing Meeting of the Women's Union; 7:30, The Church Choir; 8:00, Annual Formal Promenade of The Junior King's Daughters.

Friday, 7:15 p. m., Troop 73, Boy Scouts.

St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Thomas A. Fogarty, Pastor

Sunday, Masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 (High) and 11:30 a. m. Benediction after 11:50.

Union Church

Ballardvale

Rev. Arnold Kenseth, Minister

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; Primary Department in the Vestry, Junior Department in the Church; 11:00, Morning Worship and Sermon.

West Church

Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor Emeritus

Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning Worship; 10:30, Church School in the Vestry.

Thursday, 8:00 p. m., Meeting of the West Parish Men's Brotherhood, Rev. Gilbert W. Wieting will speak on "George Washington Carver As I Knew Him."

Cochran Chapel

Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, Minister

Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Morning Service, speaker, Rev. Frederick B. Kellogg of the Christ Church in Cambridge, Mass.

Free Church

Rev. Lavering Reynolds, Minister

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00, Nursery Class; 11:00, Morning Worship; 7:30 p. m., Union Lenten Service.

Thursday, 3:45 p. m., Junior Choir. 6:30 Girl Scouts. 6:30 Pilgrim Fellowship Choir. 7:30, Senior Choir.

North Parish Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00, Nursery Class; 11:00, Morning Worship and Sermon: "Foreign Heaven."

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Inter-Church Bowling League; 8:00, Discussion Group Meeting in the Parsonage.

Thursday, 3:00 p. m., Junior Choir Rehearsal.

No Matter How You Looked At It The Gym Exhibition Looked Good

(Ed. Note: While swinging from the rafters at Memorial Auditorium last Friday night, making sure that the lighting effects were just right for the visiting gym team, Jack Sherman was able to make the following observations of the exhibition and report them for Townsman readers. It was a case of killing two birds with one stone, but fortunately nobody was hurt except one of the legs in one of the pyramids — or is that wrong understanding of pyramids? Members of the team were quartered in private homes throughout town and already the "bread-and-butter" notes are coming back showing how much the boys enjoyed Andover's hospitality. Andover enjoyed them, too!)

Last Friday evening, February 14, Andover was presented a real treat in the form of an exhibition by the Springfield College gym team. Starting with an overture, which was Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue," played by Horatio L. Wilkinson, the program moved all too quickly through acts of wand drills, magic, dances of various types, and comedy tumbling. The first number was a wand drill similar to that used by the Ice Follies, and was staged by the same man, Professor Leslie J. Judd. Next came side horse and rings; an act in which members showed their proficiency on these pieces of apparatus. Ralf Raymond, who doubled as master of ceremonies, gave a short act of magic which was truly mystifying, although there were a few tricks that anyone could see through.

One of the dance acts followed. This was the Texas cowboy dance by all the team members, and those boys certainly could dance.

The Springfield College Trumpet Trio, composed of Donald Hayden, Robert Jackson, and Robert Walker, played several numbers of semi-classical music; which was followed by comedy gymnastics, parallel bars and pyramids, to bring the show to intermission.

During the pyramids, co-captain Henry Etheridge was injured, so a couple of numbers in the second half had to be omitted. Etheridge, however, was not seriously hurt, but just banged a muscle, making him lame for a day or two. OUCH!

In the second half, which was by far the most spectacular, the team started out with tricks on the horizontal bar, otherwise known as the high bar. With grand swings, toe swings, and all kinds of swings and fancy arches, they managed to have the audience on the edge of its seat. Those boys really swang for all they were worth.

A cane cutter's dance followed, with the lights all red and casting eerie shadows on the men's primitive gyrations, and the audience felt itself being transported to a Jamaican voodoo dance. A sharp contrast came next in an act called long horse leaping. The men leaped in various positions over the horse, which was constantly being piled higher and higher with the fellows. The final jump missed and they all cascaded to the floor.

A beautiful piece of muscular co-ordination followed. This act, called triple balancing, has three men balancing each other with

truly remarkable ease—it looked like. These boys did the impossible, it seemed, by balancing on their feet, hands, head, and any other part of the body you would care to mention. The team is world famous for its grand finales, and this year's is no exception. Showing the advantages of athletics, the men took the positions of various games. With their bodies silvered, they were "living statuary." The final statue was entitled "Bondage and Freedom" and depicted a group tied and in chains, contrasted with the raising of the flag on Surabachi mountain on Iwo Jima, where so many young Americans lost their lives.

Many of the students from Punchard and the Junior High school helped set the stage, work the lights, usher, and collect tickets. Among those helping were the Punchard gym team, the Punchard cheer leaders, John Colombosian, James Gillen, John Wait, and Jack Sherman.

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The exhibit is arranged in panels and each demonstration is accompanied by informative text, the result of study and research of engineers and scientific men who understand the mysteries of atomic energy and are equipped to explain its potentialities to their fellow citizens.

One panel, for instance, illustrates uranium, the few local cities in which it occurs, another describes the principal ores contained in uranium, and still another the uranium compounds. Others are devoted to chemical procedures, how plutonium is separated, thermal diffusion, centrifugal separation, gaseous diffusion, and still another explains the electro-magnetic separation.

The great secret war-time feat of our nation is ascribed to no particular field of endeavor. As the text explains, "Cooperation was the key that unlocked the power of the atom. No one professor may be isolated for praise, and none may be excluded. The development of the atomic bomb cut across scientific fields, borrowing knowledge from each, improving them all, finding none perfect. It is stupendous from the scientific viewpoint because whole scientific territories, formerly considered closed, are now open."

Considering the atom from a productive rather than a destructive aspect, the information contained in the exhibit states that "the brilliant destructive spheres of fire over New Mexico, Hiroshima, and Nagasaki, and the massing of a navy to test the power of the atom on concentrations of ships, is not the goal of science in the release of nuclear energy. Such uses are sorry and unfortunate applications of a tool possessing great promise. It is the hope of all true scientists that the peaceable uses of the new force will, in time, recompense for the destruction already wrought. The atom can be friendly, if men choose."

The purpose of the exhibit is not so much to explain how atomic power came about, but to underpower came about, but to emphasize our responsibilities. To realize them is first to understand what they entail. A trip to the museum before March 3, when the exhibit closes, is a step toward accomplishing the goal, rather than THE END.

Shawsheen Manor Changes Hands

The Shawsheen Manor corporation has conveyed to the Shawsheen Manor, Inc., its land and building in Shawsheen Village.

Nathan Kepnes, the treasurer, signed the papers for the Shawsheen Manor corporation, and George J. Colantino, treasurer, signed for the grantee. The transaction was completed on Monday afternoon and the papers were placed on file.

EDITORIAL . . .

What Will "NO" Mean?

There are some things that the voters are going to want to know about the article which reads now: "To see if the town will authorize the Board of Public Works to establish an engineering department and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 therefor, and adopt this item as part of the regular budget.

One thing they'll want to know will be what will happen if they vote "No." If the town doesn't authorize the Board to do something it has already done, as of last November first, will the board continue the new engineering department without the special \$5,000, but out of its regular budget. If we say we don't want such a department, will we still have it? Will the \$5,000 be taken out of money already ear-marked for other work that won't be done?

Then they'll also want to know why they should vote "Yes." To get the answer to that, they will want to know what the real savings are. They will want to know what the work of the engineer consists of. They will want to know what has been done; they will want to know what there will be to do in a normal year.

They will want to know, if they vote "No", what changes if any, in organization and personnel, there will be, they will wonder why a whole new set-up was necessary in the first place.

They want these questions answered now — well before town meeting — because answers given the night of the meeting are hard to refute. Let's have the answers within a week or so. They must be available now; otherwise the Board would not have recommended such an article.

One Is Enough

That's quite a formidable-looking tractor that arrived in town last week, the first result of the special town meeting Public Works appropriations of a year ago December. Some of those who have viewed it are wondering what we'll ever use such a heavy piece of equipment for, but of course a town like Andover in weather and topography that is strictly New England, can very probably use one good, heavy tractor.

But one is enough. Why not let it go at that? The people at that town meeting 14 months ago, didn't know what it was all about. They knew equipment was needed — what equipment they had to leave mostly up to the town officials. Unfortunately the finance committee proved neither vigorous enough, or informative enough, in support of their belief that a new Austin grader was not necessary. B. P. W. Chairman White presented with his own vigorously formidable voice, some figures and arguments that influenced the voters, lacking a good counter-argument, to approve the project.

It's not too late to change our minds, is it? The grader has been ordered, but not delivered, with no promise of delivery. This year the department is asking for \$4,000 for another truck. Why not have a town meeting motion recommending that the Board cancel the order for the grader, and transferring the grader appropriation to the purchase of this new truck and possibly another heavy truck?

We'd have a better-rounded group of equipment under this set-up. It's not too late to correct a mistake, even if it is 14 month's old.

What's doing on the Shaw property? Didn't we have a committee that was investigating its possible town uses? Shouldn't we have a report of some sort pretty soon?

COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSOC. ORGANIZES

The organization meeting of the Community Health Association was held Tuesday night in the lower court room in the Town house with Mrs. Ruth Dake, chairman of the Andover Chapter American Red Cross, president. In the absence of Selectman Roy Hardy, chairman of the nominating committee, Mrs. Leonard Leach, gave the report. The officers elected were as follows: Chairman, Dr. William V. Emmons; vice chairman, Dr. Charles Hollis; secretary, Miss Elizabeth L. Buchan treasurer, Norman L. Miller.

Miss Sophie Nelson, John Hancock representative, talked to the group on "the District Nursing Problem as seen by Insurance Companies." She described the different types of agencies that have been set up in other communities to support the bed side nursing service that was instituted and demonstrated by the Red Cross and which is now, according to national policy, being taken over by the individual communities. Some towns and cities have organized private agencies, some public and others a combination of the two and the local committee is making a study of the situation in Andover to decide which plan will prove the most beneficial to the town. The extended services that can eventually be offered by the association as well as the sources of funds which are available for such a program were also pointed out for consideration.

Following the business meeting, officers met to form sub-committees to make a study of the problem and reports of the findings will be made at the next meeting.

Brownies

Brownie Troops 40 and 41 held a joint meeting in the Jackson school last week when three girls from troop 40 presented a valentine play. Mary Oliver, Barbara Smith and Cynthia Dantos took the parts of a boy, his older sister and her friend. Following the program, games were enjoyed outside.

LEGEON ORATORICAL CONTEST HELD HERE

Miss Genevieve Murray of Punchard high school was one of the contestants in the north Essex county tenth annual national high school oratorical contest sponsored by the American Legion which was this year held in the Memorial auditorium Monday night. The winners were: Richard Jacobs of Lawrence high and Miss Doris Gauthier of Sacred Heart parochial high school and they will represent this section in the county finals to be held in Gloucester very soon.

Past Commander Chester H. Grant of Gloucester was in charge of the contest assisted by Mervin E. Stevens, contest chairman of Post 8. The judges were: Misses Anna Roth and Dorothy Baker of Abbot academy, Joseph Dodge and Roger Higgins of Phillips academy and Thaxter Eaton, town treasurer.

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Lt. Col. Haggerty Returns to Law School After 5½ Years of Army Service

John E. Haggerty, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haggerty of Clark road, Ballardvale, has returned after discharge from 5½ years of service in the U. S. Army.

Inducted into the Army on August 4, 1941, at the age of 22 years as a private, he rose through the ranks to become a Lieutenant Colonel, prior to his release from active service.

Col. Haggerty served as a private and non-commissioned officer at the Training center, Camp Lee, Va., for several months and then attended the Officer's Candidate school at Carlisle, Pa. from which he graduated, receiving his commission in the Medical Administrative Corps, May 1942. He was later assigned as an instructor and Battalion Commander at the Officer's Candidate school at Camp Barkely, Texas, where he served for 2½ years, attaining the rank of Captain.

He then went overseas as Detachment Commander of the 178th General Hospital in 1944 and while in Europe, served as adjutant and executive officer of the unit. He later served as Intelligence Officer and Defence Counsel for special and general courts of the Judge Advocate General Dept. of the Oise Base section of supreme headquarters in France. While at this assignment he was promoted to the rank of Major.

Upon returning to the U. S. A. Col. Haggerty was transferred to



LT. COL. JOHN E. HAGGERTY

Fort Sam Houston, Texas, where he became an instructor in the Dept. of Military Science and Tactics at the Officer's Field Service school.

A short time later he became Judge Advocate and chief of the Legal Branch of the Army Medical Center. He was promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel in November of last year.

Col. Haggerty graduated from Suffolk University Law school in 1941 and is at present continuing his legal studies.

CALL EXTENDED TO REV. JOHN G. GASKILL

At special meetings of the West church and parish held in the vestry February 10 at 7:30 and 8:00, respectively, a call was unanimously extended to the Rev. John Gilbert Gaskill, minister of the Congregational church of East Derry, N. H., to become pastor of the West church. The church meeting was presided over by Rev. Newman Matthews, acting pastor, with Herbert Carter as clerk. The parish meeting which followed immediately was presided over by Arthur Lewis as moderator and Leverett Putnam as clerk. John Brodhead, chairman of the pastoral committee, reported for the committee. Other members of the committee were Mrs. Earl Slate, Mrs. Dean Hudgins, Leverett Putnam and Lathrop Merrick. Rev. Mr. Gaskill expects to commence his duties as minister of the West church on March 17.

New Girl Scout Troop In Shawsheen

At a recent meeting of Shawsheen Village women whose daughters are interested in forming a Girl Scout and Brownie troop, the following leaders and committees were appointed: Girl Scouts' leader, Mrs. Walter Curran; co-leaders, Mrs. R. J. Staghue and Mrs. Howard Nash; committee, Mrs. Murray Tuttle, chairman, Mrs. Gordon Thompson, Mrs. William Doyle, Mrs. Clarence Colmer, Mrs. Thaddeus Michelski, Mrs. Alexander Dickson; Brownies' leader, Mrs. Herbert Ortstein; co-leaders, Mrs. David Perkins and Mrs. William Kelley; committee, Mrs. Walter Caswell, chairman, Mrs. James Faggiano, Mrs. Alan Dunlop, Mrs. Richard Dulong, Mrs. Robert Marland, Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. Kenneth McKiniry, Mrs. William Titcomb.

The first meeting was held last Thursday in the Shawsheen School hall.

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Inter-Church Teams Face Final Match Before Wind-Up Dinner

The Inter-Church basketball league played off three more games last Monday evening. The Christ Church Juniors were proud to welcome as their guests in a game the Junior team of the Grace church in Lawrence. They welcomed their guests by losing, 25 to 24. The two regular league games were played by the Saint Augustine's Intermediates and the West Parish Intermediates. St. Augustine's won, 24-10. The last game of the evening was played between the South Church Intermediates and the Ballardvale Congregational Intermediates, with the South church team winning, 18-12. Next week's games will be the last games of the year, but there will be a banquet for the boys at some later date. The line-ups for last Monday evening were as follows:

Grace Church — points by: B. Atkinson 4, Raith 3, McCloud 1, K. Atkinson 17, total 25; Christ Church Juniors—points by: Nicoll 2, Brown 2, Vannett 20, total 24.

St. Augustine's Intermediates—points by: Chetson 9, Wennick 2, Gleason 6, Dwyer 7, total 24; West Parish Intermediates—points by: Calder 4, Doyle 2, Penwell 2, Davidson 2, total 10.

South Church Intermediates — points by: F. Lloyd 10, Kydd 8, total 18; Ballardvale Congregational Intermediates — points by: J. Ness 4, Ferris 2, Lawrence 2, B. Ness 4, total 12.

Guild Teams Still Pitching

Recent games played in the Andover Guild basketball league gave both the Grey and the Orange teams a stride forward. The Orange defeated the Green with an overwhelming score of 58-17.

Orange — points by: White 8, Dubois 18, Davey 12, Noble 18, Boudreau 2, total 58; Green — points by: McDonald 4, McKee 6, McAtamney 3, Carmichael 4, total 17; Referee, Bisset; Timer, Watson; Scorer, Ross. Time, four 9's.

The Grey and Maroon teams had a close tussle, with the Greys winning by one point, 34-33.

Grey—points by: Morrissey 14, White 4, Bill Morrissey 4, Noble 4, Burnham 8, total 34; Maroon — points by: Gordon 10, Anderson 6, Broderick 4, Kydd 13, total 33; Referee, Bisset; Timer, Ross; Scorer, Watson. Time four 9's.

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NEW YORK TEAM TO TRAVEL EAST TO COURT PUNCHARD HOOPSTERS



The Punchard hoop squad has a new rival in the shape of Babylon High School of Babylon, New York. Babylon is a town about the size of Andover, on Long Island. Their team may have a slight edge on the Punchard squad, but who can tell? The game hasn't been played yet.

The lineup for Babylon is: Harry "Babe" Suddueth (No. 15), center. Harry is 17 years of age and a Junior in high school. He is 6 feet, 1 inch tall and weighs 150 pounds. He is president of the Junior class and a member of the Honor Society.

John "Johnny" Paserb (No. 21) is a 5 foot, 10 inch guard weighing 130 pounds. He is a member of the Honor Society, band, and orchestra, playing the cornet.

Donald "Lew" Lewis (No. 13) is the 6 foot captain of the team. He plays forward and is 18 years of age, weighing 170 pounds. He is an end on the football team and first baseman on the baseball nine.

Edward "Ed" Grabowski (No. 12) is a Senior and plays guard. He is 5 foot, 10 inches tall and weighs 145 pounds. He is a member of the Student Council.

Malcolm "Clammy" Lewis (No. 14) is the youngest member of the team, being only 16 years of age. He is a guard and is 5 feet, 10 inches tall and weighs 155 pounds. He is also the vice president of his class.

James "Jim" Baryliski (No. 11) is a 5 foot, 11 inch forward who was the captain of the football team this year. He is a member of the Honor Society and the secretary of his class.

This game will be played on March 1 and is a must on the basketball schedule. Tickets will be on sale at the end of the week and there are only a limited number.

Punchard's lineup against the New York team will be: forwards, B. Noble and D. Dubois; center, Yancy; guards, Craig and Demers.

CHARLES STANLEY APPOINTED V. A. TRAINING OFFICER

Charles A. Stanley of 47 Elm street has been appointed senior training officer in charge of the vocational rehabilitation and education division of the Lawrence sub-regional office of the Veterans Administration. His new duties, which began last Saturday, include the supervision of the training officers in Lawrence, Andover, Methuen, Haverhill, Amesbury, Newburyport and the surrounding towns.

Mr. Stanley is a graduate of Lawrence high school, class of 1926, and Middlebury college, class of 1930. Prior to entering the armed services, he did substitute work on the Lawrence High school faculty. He served in the Army Air Forces from February, 1943, to September, 1945.

Jumping For Wings

Private Branton M. Davey, who volunteered to serve with the 11th Airborne Division in Japan, is assigned to the 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment. Pvt. Davey has departed to participate in the required two weeks of parachute training at the 11th Airborne Division Jump School at Yamoto, Japan, in an attempt to earn his much desired paratrooper boots and wings. He must complete his training, which includes the prescribed five jumps from a plane in flight.

His mother, Mrs. Margaret Davey, resides at 16 Brook street.

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Black Beauty

Mona Freeman, Richard Denning
1:45; 4:40; 7:35

SUNDAY, MONDAY — February 23, 24

Lady Luck

Robert Young, Barbara Hale
3:10; 6:10; 9:10

Child of Divorce

Sharin Moffett, Regis Toomey
1:55; 4:55; 7:55

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — February 25, 26, 27

Captain Caution

Alan Ladd, Victor Mature
2:15; 5:40; 9:05

Captain Fury

Brian Aherne, Victor McLaglen
3:40; 7:05

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — February 28, March 1

San Quentin

Lawrence Tierney, Barton MacLane
3:35; 6:30; 9:25

Jr. Prom

Freddie Stewart, Judy Clark
2:10; 5:05; 8:00

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DR. GREW RECEIVES CITATION FROM FRENCH GOVERNMENT



DR. JAMES H. GREW

Dr. James H. Grew, head of the Phillips Academy French department, who was decorated by the French government with the medal of (French gratiaute) (Reconnaissance Francaise) on January 29, has just received the formal citation for this award.

The citation, freely translated, reads as follows: "Dr. Grew has been constantly in the forefront of those who have taken part in campaigns to aid France. He has exerted himself to awaken and maintain among his colleagues and his students a comprehension of and a love for French civilization and culture." The presentation was made by M. Albert Chambon, French consul at Boston.

U. S. S. Dayton

Edward C. Dole, coxswain, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dole of 2 Washington ave., is serving aboard the light cruiser U. S. S. Dayton.

Good Accounting

Boston chapter, National Association of Cost Accountants, has announced their January 31st standings in the intra-chapter competition. Two local businessmen, Rob-Mower and John Parslow, of the accounting staff of the Tyer Rubber Company, have helped their group into second place out of thirty-one competing groups. Credit is based on activity in the accounting field.

Enrolled At Tufts

Frederick N. Nowell, Jr. of 63 Chestnut street, a former Ensign in the Navy, has enrolled in the class of 1948 of the school of Liberal Arts of Tufts College.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick N. Nowell, he is a graduate of Punchard High School in the class of 1943.

Punchard Alumni

The Punchard Alumni board will hold a meeting on February 24 at 7:30 p. m. in the library of the high school. All members are urged to be present.

LOOKING AT LOOK

In the controversial letters to the editor printed in Look magazine this week regarding the Russian question, the following letter from Andover was printed:

The very nature of the article (What Stalin Tells The Russians About Us, Look, Jan. 21) violates a principal of fairness. You have selected certain items and used them to your own advantage. You consistently state that the Russians "fail to tell" this or that, while you righteously omit one entire side of the Russian press — the non-denunciatory side. Why don't you write about the falsehoods of the reactionary press at home?"

Carl Greenburg
Andover, Mass.

Aboard Yosemite

William E. Jacobs, seaman, first class, son of James Jacobs of 9 Elm court, is serving aboard the U. S. S. Yosemite.

Jacobs entered the Naval service January 28, 1946, and received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

Installing Officers Are Installed

Mrs. James Mitchell, vice president, Mrs. Jean Wood, conductor and Mrs. George Gordon, assistant conductor, were installed in their respective offices at the last meeting of the British Empire War Veterans auxiliary.

The three women served as installing officers at the general service held at a previous meeting when Miss Margaret Reid was installed as president, Mrs. Archibald Davidson, chaplain, Mrs. Daniel Gallagher, recording secretary, Mrs. William Cargill, treasurer Mrs. Hugh McLay, Sr., financial secretary and Mrs. Linda Beck, guard.

Grange Meets

An exchange of favorite recipes was made at a recent meeting of the Andover Grange, 183, which was in charge of the home and community service committee. Mrs. Richard Williams was the chairman.

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The existing Blue Cross plan has given excellent protection to its 2 million members and paid millions of dollars of hospital bills—but, at prevailing Blue Cross rates, the present cost of hospital care makes complete protection impossible. A brief summary of current hospital charges will show you why:

Ward rates in a number of Massachusetts hospitals have recently been increased to \$8 per day for bed and board *only*. Semi-private room and board rates now range upward to \$11 per day. Total hospital costs have risen from 35% to 150% over their 1940 levels, with an average increase over 75%!

These drastic increases mean that existing Blue Cross benefits are now inadequate; that, more than ever, Blue Cross protection must cover **EVERY ITEM OF HOSPITAL SERVICE THE PATIENT NEEDS TO MAKE HIM WELL.**

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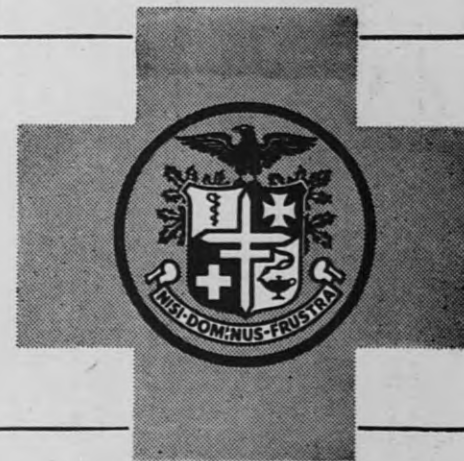
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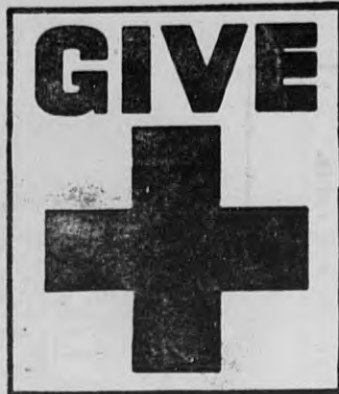
Andover Chapter To Open Drive With Annual Dinner for Workers; This Year's Quota To Be \$8,000

The total cost of the American Red Cross program during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, is expected to be approximately \$135,000,000. Of this amount, \$80,000,000 is being used for SAF and SV programs. The chapter portion of this expenditure is about \$3 to every \$5 spent by the national organization.

Andover's quota for the coming Red Cross campaign for funds, to be held in March, is \$8,000. The drive will get under way with the annual dinner on Wednesday evening, February 28, at the Christ church parish house at 6:30. It is hoped that all district captains and their assistants will be present.

Dr. John M. Barry, who served with the Army from 1941 through 1945, will be the principal speaker and will relate Red Cross operations in the war zones which he personally observed while serving overseas as a colonel in the Medical Corps.

Ernest S. Young of 70 Elm street, who heads the campaign this year, will be assisted by Vice Chairman Vincent F. Stulgis of 22 Cheever Circle, a newcomer in Andover chapter work, but who was closely connected with Red Cross operations while serving with the



Army Ordnance overseas. During his three years tour of duty from 1943 to 1946, he served as a staff sergeant preparing outfits for Hawaiian invasions, and it was his job to contact the Red Cross regarding illness and emergencies suffered by the families of the men in his outfit.

Mr. Stulgis is practicing law in Lawrence, and is a member of both the Lawrence and Boston Bar associations. He is the Senior Vice Commander of Post 8, American Legion, and is a member of the Andover Service club.

Banquet Planned For Inter-Church Basketball League

The successful basketball competition sponsored by the Inter-Church basketball league under the direction of Donald Dunn will conclude its game schedule Monday night. All churches of Andover have participated in the sport with enthusiasm and on Monday night, March 3, the players and their fathers will be tendered a banquet in the Punchard high school cafeteria put on by the mothers.

Speakers will be invited, and sound pictures of the National Intercollegiate basketball championship games held at Madison Square Garden in New York last year will be shown.

Each of the participating churches is represented in the ticket and supper committee, which includes: Baptist church, Mrs. Carl A. Wetterberg and Mrs. P. Leroy Wilson; St. Joseph's church in Ballardvale, Mrs. Lefebvre; Ballardvale Congregational, James Sparks, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Pauline McFarlan; West church, Mrs. Arthur Peatman, A. Schwartzberg; South church, Mrs. Frank Crawford, H. Johnson; Christ church, J. Johnson, Mrs. J. Everett Collins; Free church, Mrs. J. Swenson, Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr.; St. Augustine's Mrs. H. Dolan, John Friel.

West Parish...

Mrs. Walter True and baby daughter have returned to their home in Chelmsford after spending the past two weeks with Mrs. William Corliss on Highplain road. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purcell of Somerville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of Lowell street.

Miss Mavis Twomey of Haverhill street has been named a member of the Dean's list at the Katherine Gibbs school in Boston. The award is based on the work of the first semester. She is taking the two-year course at the school. Miss Twomey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Twomey.

Rev. Leslie J. Adkins, who is studying at Columbia University in New York City, spent the weekend with his family in Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wrigley have returned from Somerville and have taken up their residence at 189 Lowell street.

Friends of Mr. Silas Newell of Shawsheen road will be sorry to learn that he is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

William Miller, who is attending Dartmouth College, spent several days recently at his home on Canterbury street.

Miss Adrienne Bourque of Amesbury recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian St. Laurent of North Main street.

Miss Ruth Katze of Canterbury street is spending the winter months at Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Josef Uppling, the former Marjorie Watson of Shawsheen Village, now of Squantum, was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Philip Moar.

Mrs. Floyd Darby, a member of Andover Grange, was elected to the community service and home economics committee of Essex County Pomona Grange at a meeting held on Saturday with Laurel Grange of West Newbury.

Friends of Mrs. John Collins of North street will be sorry to learn that she is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

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STUDENT FEDERALISTS FORMED AT P. A.

With the establishment of world government as its ultimate goal, the Andover chapter of Student Federalists was founded at Phillips Academy last week. The first announcement was made to the student body on Wednesday by Thomas H. Wyman of St. Louis, who introduced William Lynch, head of the Student Federalist chapter at Andover's rival school, Phillips Exeter.

Student Federalism, which is a comparatively new movement, is sponsored by many nationally prominent figures, among them

Clifton Fadiman, Justice Owen J. Roberts and Dorothy Canfield Fisher. Feeling that an actual world federation is the only solution to the search for world peace, the student federalists throughout the country have pledged themselves to work for this goal.

Local

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole and Constance, and Mrs. R. K. Cole and Mrs. Ada Brown of Elm street, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith in Danielson, Conn.

Commendation Trip

On Saturday, Mr. Chipman rewarded the following members of his Sunday School class of boys for their excellent work in their Sunday School studies at Christ church. The boys, namely David Glendinning, John Trott, Carl Sandberg, William Dean and Larry Lewis, were all taken to Boston to various places of interest, such as the Logan Airport, and various museums at Harvard University.

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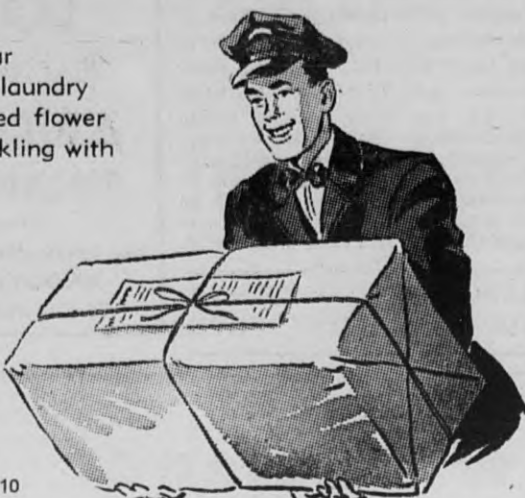
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ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greenwood announce the engagement of their daughter, Betina R., to Thomas Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard of Union street, North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. William White of 80 Hampshire street, Methuen, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Alice, to Webster Irving Woodworth, son of C. P. Woodworth of Andover and Mrs. Gladys Woodworth of 41 Elm street, Methuen.

The couple were both graduated from the Edward F. Searles high school in Methuen. Miss White is a student at the Lawrence General school of nursing. Mr. Woodworth, a Navy veteran, is employed at the Woodworth Motors.

DAUGHTER BORN TO FORMER LOCAL COUPLE

A daughter, Lee Ann, was born February 1, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Nunez at Doctor's hospital, New York City. Mrs. Nunez was the former Joyce M. Curran, daughter of Maurice J. Curran, Jr., and Mrs. Anne L. Curran of Andover. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vasco E. Nunez, Jr., of Sunset Rock road.

BIRTHS

A daughter Thursday at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaudet, 17 Juliet street.

A son Thursday at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winn, 23 Highland road.

A daughter February 9 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter, Old Boston road.

WEDDING...

LOOSIGIAN—NAKASHIAN

Miss Eva Nakashian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Danielian of 233A Cross street, Salem Depot, N. H., became the bride of Suren Loosigian, son of Malcolm Loosigian of 2 Blanchard street, at a pretty ceremony in the Holy Cross church recently. Rev. Hovannes Kavookjian officiated, and Miss Angel Hagopian played the wedding marches. Miss Lillian Kavookjian was the soloist.

The bride's gown was of white slipper satin with a sweetheart neckline trimmed with marquisette and a full skirt on train. Her full length veil of imported French illusion was bordered with Valenciennes lace and draped from a coronet of seed pearls. Her arm bouquet was of bride's roses centered with a purple orchid and baby's breath. She was escorted by her father.

The attendants wore identical gowns of tomato red crepe with cape sleeves and cascade ruffling, held with a gold studded belt. Their coronets were of yellow roses and each carried cascade bouquets of yellow roses and snapdragons. Mrs. Sue Loosigian of Lowell was the matron of honor, and the bridesmaids were Lucy Loosigian, Anna Kachadorian and Mary Danielian.

Ralph Loosigian of Lowell was best man, and the ushers were William Loosigian, Meanas Danielian and Vasken Tatoosian.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Hibernian hall with many guests present. The couple are enjoying a trip by plane to New York, Virginia and Florida. They will reside at 2 Blanchard street.

LAUGHING STOCK

By Frank Adams



"Whenever I'm down in the dumps, I get me a new hat."

THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, February 20, 1947

Girl Scout

Troop 27

At a recent meeting new officers were elected for the three month term. They were as follows:

Ann Merchant; Secretary; Treasurer; Janice

Many of the troop finished the required second class rank. The girls are: Badubakis, Prader, Elizabeth B. Johnson, Ann Merchant, Carol Stanton, Mary E. Wade, Washington, Dolores

Roberta Johnson report the scout no for the troop.

Valentine Party

Troop 26 held a Valentine Skating party. Following the skating were served in the parish house.

The troop has a member, Marilyn

Plays Fife Plays

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Girl Scout Notes

Troop 27

At a recent meeting of Troop 27 new officers were elected to serve a three months term. Those elected were as follows: Patrol Leader, Ann Merchant; Scribe, Judith Maddox; Treasurer, Janet Thompson.

Many of the troop members have finished the requirements for their second class rank. They are Christine Badubakis, Priscilla Batchelder, Elizabeth Barrett, Roberta Johnson, Ann Merchant, Ann Sanborn, Carol Stanton, Priscilla Tompkins, Mary E. Waddington, Manium Washington, Dolores Jane Bragdon.

Roberta Johnson volunteered to report the scout notes to the paper for the troop.

Valentine Party

Troop 36 held a very enjoyable Valentine Skating Party recently. Following the skating, refreshments were served in the Christ church parish house.

The troop has welcomed a new member, Marilyn Davis.

Plays Fife Player

Miss Jocelyn Ann White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White, 33 Washington avenue, took part of the fife player in a parade at Simmons College based on the famous "Spirit of '76" painting. The Simmons College parade was part of a campaign to interest students at the college to pledge to the \$3,500, 000 building fund drive that is now being carried on. Miss White is a freshman.

The masquerade was in full swing. There was some confusion regarding the character one of the guests represented. He was attired in a Roman toga, with appropriate etceteras. "Pardon me," ventured an inquisitive dancer, "you're Titus Andronicus, aren't you?"

"What!" roared the Roman indignantly, "Why, man alive, I haven't even discovered where the bar is yet!"

"Men," the co-ed declared contemptuously, "are absolutely lacking in judgment and taste."

"Possibly, my dear," he responded, "but just think how many old maids there would be if they were not."

HORSE SHOW IN ANDOVER

Andover's Class A Horse Show will be a two-day affair to be held May 31 and June 1 at the Shepard farm on Dascomb road. 150 to 200 horses are expected to enter the events which will include a jumping and hunt course.

Lunches and sandwiches will be served during the show being sponsored by the Andover Firemen's Relief association. Howell F. Shepard, Sanborn A. Caldwell and George C. Williams are on the general committee.

VALENTINE PARTY FOR JUNIOR CHOIR

At the regular rehearsal of the Junior Choir of the West church on Saturday afternoon, a Valentine party was held. At this time, Marjorie Stewart, one of the members of the choir, was presented two pictures. Marjorie is to leave the choir shortly and move with her family to Maine.

Others present were Mary Fielding, Myrtle Belle Jaques, Joan Silva, Shirley Clegg, Barbara and Edith Williams, Priscilla Batchelder, Rosemary Davidson, Geraldine Boutwell, Judith Hall and Marjorie Stewart.

Refreshments were served in charge of Mrs. Richard Williams and Miss Marion Abbott.

Officers were elected as follows at a recent meeting of the Junior Choir: president, Priscilla Batchelder; secretary, Rosemary Davidson; treasurer, Mary Fielding.

Births

A daughter on Saturday at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Kerr Sparks of Lowell street.

A daughter on Sunday at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sorenson of 2 Burnham road.

A son, David Lane Darling, on February 8 at the Salem hospital to Mr. and Mrs. David Darling of Andover. The mother is the former Miss Beverly Marshall Jones.

A daughter, Christie, recently, at the Lawrence General hospital to Lieutenant Eric G. Tice-Fisher, Canadian Naval Reserve, and Mrs. Fisher of Halifax, N. S. The mother is the former Marjorie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Jones of Main street.

OBITUARIES

EDWARD SHATTUCK

Private funeral services were held for Edward Shattuck at the late home on River road, Monday afternoon conducted by Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor-Emeritus of the West Church.

His passing on Friday morning after a long illness has left a vacancy that will be felt by his many friends from far and near.

Well-known and respected as the proprietor of the Shattuck farm, Mr. Shattuck was at one time a member of the State Milk Control Board and a director of the division of dairying and animal industry in Massachusetts. Several Shattuck farm cows were shipped to the Grenfell Mission in Labrador to supply fresh milk for the babies and children of that country.

Perhaps one of his favorite ventures and one with which the town will always associate his personality is the Country Store which he built about five years ago, after spending some time collecting its authentic furnishings. People from throughout the area came to the store to enjoy its old-time atmosphere and to have a talk with Mr. Shattuck whose 75 years' of wide experience and travel lent general interest to his conversations.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Sanborn) Shattuck; a cousin, Miss Alice Shattuck of California; two nephews, Otis Shattuck of Topsfield and George H. Shattuck of Brookline; one niece, Mrs. Jane S. Chase of Washington, D. C. Cremation was in Harmony Grove, Salem.

MRS. ANNE CADMUS

Mrs. Anne (Mersey) Cadmus, 75, widow of Rev. William E. Cadmus, died early Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Dake, Hidden Field, Phillips Academy, after a short illness. She was formerly of Wollaston.

Born in Hingham, of a family listed among the earliest settlers in this country, Mrs. Cadmus was a

the class of 1892. Her husband held pastorates in Peoria, Ill., and Elyria, Ohio.

Besides her daughter, who is the wife of Roscoe E. Dake of the Phillips Academy faculty, she leaves a son, Bradford Cadmus of New Canaan, Conn.; a sister, Mrs. Ernest Campbell of Wollaston, and four grandchildren.

WILLIAM J. DOHERTY

A solemn high mass of requiem was held in St. Augustine's church Saturday morning for William J. Doherty of 21 Harding street, who died Wednesday at his home. Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A., was the celebrant, assisted by Very Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O. S. A., as deacon, and Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A., as sub-deacon. James E. Sheard sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi" at the offertory, and "Let a Pious Prayer Be said" at the recessional. Miss Mary Lanigan, organist, played Chopin's funeral march.

Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery, where Fathers Fogarty, Smith and McDonald conducted committal services.

The bearers were: Charles J. Bailey, Patrick J. Barrett, John J. Barrett, John J. Driscoll, James A. Greene, James J. Keefe, Joseph A. McCarthy and Cornelius O'Brien.

A delegation was present from Court St. Monica, 783, Catholic Daughters of America, comprising Mrs. Alice Connor, Mrs. Florence Naughton, Mrs. Mary Riley and Mrs. Alice Brennan.

Survivors are his wife, Josephine (Powers) Doherty, a sister, Miss Jennie Doherty; a brother, John A. Doherty; four sons, John P. S., William A., Lt. Comdr. Joseph B., U. S. N. R., and James D. Doherty; one daughter, Margaret M.; and four grandchildren, all of Andover.

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Another outstanding exhibit of the 100 odd displays comprising the flower show will be a modernistic house and garden staged by the Garden Clubs' exhibitions committee. This will present a series of small gardens featuring various plantings in numerous charming patterns. It is designed to offer ideas adaptable to use anywhere in New England in gardens small or large.

"We have designed this year's show," reports Arno H. Nehrling, show director, "around the slogan, 'Gardens for Better Living.' Gardening is becoming increasingly popular these days and the show is built around the ideas of providing inspiration and information to make New England gardens assume a more important place in the life of the home and the community."

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Organ Program

Ivar Sjostrom will present an organ recital at the Cochran chapel at 7 o'clock, Sunday evening, March 2. The program: Suite from "The Water Music"

Handel
Allegro Vivace
Air
Minuet
Allegro Deciso
Sinfonia from Cantata 156
Chorale Prelude on the tune, St. Theodolph (arranged by Dr. Carl Pfatteicher) J. S. Bach
Toccata and Fugue in D minor J. S. Bach
The Musical Clocks Haydn
(arranged by E. Power Biggs)
Distant Chimes Albert Snow
Scherzo Flor Peters
Two Casual Brevities Rowland Leach
The Desert
Chollas Dance for You
Toccat. "Thou Art the Rock" Henri Mulet
The public is cordially invited to attend.

Let's Look Back

Open House at the Andover Historical society Saturday afternoon from 2:00 until 6:00 will really be "open house" to the people of Andover, who are cordially invited to drop in to the society to see again the never tiring relics which tell the story of our town's early history, to hear Ernest S. Dodge talk on the Peabody Museum of Salem, with which he is associated, and to discuss with friends the treasures of a past whose influences still remain with us. What better time to turn back the pages, than Washington's birthday?

"Peck's Bad Boy"

"Peck's Bad Boy" will be presented in two performances in Memorial auditorium Thursday afternoon, March 6, at 3:30, and Friday evening, March 7, at 8:00. Tickets are obtainable through members of the Junior High school.

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Miss Rafton Becomes Bride In Pretty Home Ceremony

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robert Rafton on Alden road was charmingly decorated with white flowers with contrasting touches of pink and yellow Saturday afternoon, when Miss Eleanor Rafton became the bride of Harold Nathaniel Gordon, son of Samuel Robert Gordon of 16 Greystone Park, Lynn, and the late Mrs. Gordon. The ceremony was performed by a friend of the family.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory slipper satin fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice embellished with tiny seed pearls, long tight sleeves and a full skirt falling into a long sweeping train. Her finger-tip veil of matching illusion was caught with a Juliette cap of seed pearls. She carried a semi-cascade bouquet of white cyclamen.

Mrs. Henry Harold Nadell of Newton, cousin of the bride, wore a matron of honor's gown of aqua crepe, styled with a high neckline, short draped sleeves with which she wore a gold belt. Her semi-colonial bouquet was of pale and deep pink carnations and pink sweet peas.

Miss Martha Tyer of Andover, a friend of the bride, was the maid

of honor, and her gown was of pink net with a small waist polum, V-neckline and elbow length sleeves. Her semi-colonial bouquet was of pelegonium carnations and pink sweet peas.

The bride's cousin, Miss Judith Nadell of Newton, was the flower girl. She wore white organdie and carried a true colonial bouquet of blue and pink sweet peas.

Richard Joseph Gordon of Lynn, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and David Nadell, cousin of the bride, was the usher.

The bride's mother wore a becoming gown of grey mist chiffon with silver trimming the bodice and sleeves. Her corsage was of pink roses and purple heather.

A wedding dinner was served at Fieldstone's, which was artistically decorated with flowers for the occasion, following which the couple left on a week's trip to New York City. They will make their home at 24 Clifton avenue, in Marblehead.

The bride is a graduate of Abbot academy and of Smith college. She also attended the Chicago University School of Social Service Administration for a year. Mr. Gordon attended Dartmouth college.

WHEATON CLUB TEA

The Merrimack Valley Wheaton Club entertained at tea for sixteen girls interested in Wheaton and several of their mothers recently. Mrs. Walter McKim, president of the Wheaton College Alumnae Association, was the principal speaker and described the campus and the college activities. Miss Virginia Townsend, Dean of Admissions, was present to give the guests information about entrance requirements and scholarships.

Tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. F. Tyler Carlton of Cheever Circle, assisted by Mrs. Arthur Howes of North Andover, Miss Ruth Whitehill, Mrs. J. J. Tavern, Mrs. Cyril Sargent and Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast of Andover.

Receives B.A. Degree

Eugene A. Bernardin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Bernardin of 11 Abbot street, received his degree of Bachelor of Arts recently at special commencement exercises at Bowdoin college. His major field was economics.

During his college career, he was president of the Delta Upsilon fraternity, vice president of the Student Council and was captain of the swimming team.

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District Scout

The first District Scout meeting to be held for the year is scheduled for March 29 at the Cage of Phillips. The event will be held in the evening and friends of the Cub and Scout packs and Boy Scouts are invited to attend. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. The Cub Pack 76, and Cub Pack 77 will assemble in the Cage at 2:30 p. m. The Scout Pack 76 will assemble in the Cage at 2:30 p. m. The Scout Pack 77 will assemble in the Cage at 2:30 p. m.

Opening exercises will be held at 2:30 p. m., and introduction of V. Malcolm L. Commissioner.

Following the greeting to the Cub events will be tug-of-war, and Scout events including a contest of each troop; color guard; and a performance by the phore and Me.

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Boy Scout Notes

District Scout-o-rama

The first District Scout affair to be held for many years is scheduled for the afternoon of March 29 at the Case Memorial Cage of Phillips Andover Academy. The event is open to parents and friends of Scouting. Cub Packs and Boy Scout Troops are planning on setting up exhibits of Cub and Scout handicraft which may be viewed by the public after 1:30 p. m. Troops 71, 72, 73, 75, 76, and Cub Packs 71, 72 and 76 will assemble in parade formation with flags on the ball field outside the Cage at 2:15 p. m. and then march to the Cage and around the inside track.

Opening exercises will be at 2:30 p. m., and will include the introduction of District Chairman V. Malcolm Laitinen by District Commissioner Walter C. Caswell.

Following Chairman Laitinen's greeting to the assemblage, the Cub events will be run off. Tentative plans call for a relay race, tug-of-war, and bean race. The Scout events consist of a knotting contest of eight Scouts from each troop; compass relay of eight Scouts from each troop; semaphore and Morse signaling with teams of four Scouts for each type of signaling from each troop; first aid contest with a team of six Scouts and one patient from each unit; and fire by flint and steel contest with a team of two Scouts from each unit. The troops will supply eight pieces of rope and a pole, eight cards with the square, bowline, timber hitch, two half hitches, clove, fisherman's sheet bend and sheepshank knots on them, compass cards, signal flags, six neckerchiefs and first aid cards noting the hand, foot, head, knee, sling, and sprained ankle bandages, and flint and steel and charred cloth or hemp.

A meeting of the business committee was held Sunday evening with Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Norman L. Miller, F. Tyler Carleton, and Walter C. Caswell in attendance. Individual prizes will be presented after each event by Norman L. Miller. Troop and Pack prizes will be presented at the closing ceremony.

Ronald R. Reader, neighborhood commissioner, will have charge of the judges, who will be, like himself, Eagle Scouts from the Knights of Dunamis. Neighborhood Commissioner Arnold Schofield is coordinating the Scout troops in preparation for the event. Winston Lake and Robert Hatton are members of the business committee. Committeeman Dolan and Cubmaster Carver of Pack 72 and Cubmaster Mirisola of Pack 71 are working on Cubbing events.

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Scout-o-rama Prizes

The Shawsheen Parent-Teacher Association voted to donate a prize of one week's camping at the Boy Scout camp, Camp Onway, to the Scouts, and a door prize of five dollars' worth of Cub Scout equipment or clothing to the Cubs during the business meeting of the Association on Wednesday evening, February 12. The Shawsheen Parent-Teacher Association is one of Andover's major contributors to the Scouting program for boys and girls. They sponsor a Boy Scout troop, Cub Scout Pack, Girl Scout Troop, and a Brownie Troop. The Andover District Scout-o-rama will be held on the afternoon of March 29 at the Case Memorial Cage, Phillips Andover Academy.

Troop 70—Christ Church

The Troop met Friday evening at 6:45 in the parish house. Among the activities for the evening was instruction in Second Class first aid by Scoutmaster Harrison Brown.

Troop 71—Shawsheen School

The meeting was called to order at 7:20 p. m. by Scoutmaster Mac-Askill with 92 percent attendance. The troop practiced for the entertainment to be presented on "Scout Night," March 12 followed by instruction in First Class signaling, Second Class signaling and Second Class first aid. Edward Sullivan was presented his registration card and Emery Letourneau received his Second Class badge. Louis Hamilton and Raymond Skea passed Second Class first aid, and Raymond Skea passed Second Class thrift. A game period was enjoyed, followed by final assembly and dismissal. Troop Committeemen Edward P. Dean and Walter C. Caswell were present at the meeting.

Pack 71—Shawsheen School

The monthly Pack meeting was held at 7:00 p. m., Tuesday, February 18, in the Scout room. The following badges were awarded: Bobcat pins to Tony Costello and Charles Giovinco of Den 3; bear badges to John Mitchell of Den 2 and William Bird of Den 4; silver arrows to Alan Vaughn and Robert Vaughn of Den 3, John Killilea, William Bird, Hayden Daley and Harold Whitworth of Den 4. The Pack rehearsed for skits to be presented on Scout Night of the Shawsheen Parent-Teachers March 12 meeting.

What, No Penguins?

Despite our idea, gained, no doubt, from the funny papers and animated cartoons, the penguin is not found in the Arctic. Only in the regions of the south pole does this strange and amusing bird live. In other words, most Eskimos never saw a penguin and never will. The largest of these water fowl, according to Richards Topical Encyclopedia, is the emperor penguin, often standing four to four and a half feet high. Female penguins lay their eggs on top of their flat webbed feet, then sit on them. This keeps them from touching the ice and freezing.

COMMITTEE NAMED FOR HOSPITAL DRIVE

Mrs. Ernest B. Wilkinson, 57 Salem street, Andover chairman for the Women's Educational Division in the \$10,000,000 Children's Hospital Medical Center campaign, to be held in April, this week announced the following local women as members of her community committee: Mrs. Charles Hollis, vice chairman, in charge of displays; Mrs. Emery J. Trott, publicity; Mrs. Dean H. Webster, Jr., community meetings; Mrs. Harold Carl Sandberg; Mrs. C. Edward Buchan; Mrs. F. Tyler Carlton; Mrs. William J. Thompson, of Shawsheen; Mrs. John Faggi, of Ballardvale, and Mrs. Lathrop Merrick, of West Parish.

A. P. C. Meeting

The A. P. C. Sorority will meet in the South church vestry Thursday night, February 27, at 8:00 o'clock. Mrs. Leslie Adkins will be the speaker and Mrs. Harold Godfrey is chairman of the refreshment committee.

Men's Group

Louis S. Finger of the Andover Savings Bank will speak to the South church Men's group, Sunday, at 9:30 a. m. All men are welcome.

November Club Notes

The Art Department will meet Monday, February 24, at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers, 89 Main street.

The Literature Department will hold an open meeting at the club house on Wednesday, February 26, at 3:00 o'clock. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Myron E. Gutterson of Marblehead, a former member of the club and a well known lecturer. Her subject will be "A Trio of Books of the Moment."

All members of the club are cordially invited to attend this meeting and to bring guests. Tea will be served.

Choir Auxiliary Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Andover Male Choir held a sewing and bridge meeting at the home of Mrs. George Sanborn, Rockwell Hall, last Thursday evening. Sewing and card playing was enjoyed.

A twenty-five cent admission fee was charged and the proceeds will be used to help pay the Male Choir's expenses to New Haven in the spring.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. David Coutts, Mrs. James Gillespie and Mrs. Carl A. Wetterberg.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Susan B. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of J. Bradford Richards and others.

The twenty-second to twenty-fourth accounts inclusive of said trust have been presented to said Court for allowance.

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 March 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. (20-27)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph Carden, 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 William W. Yerrall of Springfield in the County of Hampden, and praying that he be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. (6, 13, 20)

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Maurice McKeon of Andover in said County, an insane person, unmarried.

Two petitions have been presented to said Court for license to sell at public auction certain real estate of said Maurice McKeon for his maintenance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. Thomas J. Lane, Atty. 705 Cregg Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (6, 13, 20)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of William McKeon, otherwise known as William E. McKeon-late of Andover in said County, deceased.

Two petitions have been presented to said Court for license to sell at public auction certain real estate of said deceased.

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 March, 1947, the return of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. Thomas J. Lane, Atty. 705 Cregg Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (20,27,1)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of George Brouillard, otherwise known as George Brewer, 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 Rose Delima Brouillard 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 March, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. F. A. Bernardin, Esq. 706 Bay State Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (6, 13, 20)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of William E. Burke, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Florence A. Burke of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate 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 Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. Michael A. Flanagan, Esq., 406 Bay State Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (6, 13, 20)

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TOWN OF ANDOVER



WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Essex, ss.
To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet and assemble at the Memorial Auditorium on Monday, the Tenth Day of March, 1947, at 7:00 P. M. to act upon the following articles following action upon article number 36 of the warrant dated February 3, 1947:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred and fifty (\$750.00) dollars for the purchase of a power chain saw for use in the Tree Department on petition of George R. Abbott and others.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars for the purchase of a Snow plow and attachments to the Tree Department tractor, on petition of George R. Abbott and others.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-one hundred and fifty (\$2150.00) dollars to be used with the turn-in value of an old 1934 truck to purchase a new one and half ton truck for use in the Moth and Tree Departments, on petition of George R. Abbott and others.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies and publications thereof, seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting as directed by the By-Laws of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 17th day of February A. D., 1947.
ROY E. HARDY
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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

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

Payment has been stopped.

Book Nos.
46,351, 58,446, 49,960.
LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer (13-20-27)

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Horace C. Bodwell late of Andover in said County, Essex, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Ruth A. Bodwell of Andover in said County, be appointed administratrix of said estate 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 seventeenth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. (6, 13, 20)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Florence McKeon of Andover in said County an insane person, unmarried.

Two petitions have been presented to said Court for license to sell at public auction certain real estate of said Florence McKeon for her maintenance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. Thomas J. Lane, Atty. 705 Cregg Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (6, 13, 20)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Alice P. Holt, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The executor of the will of said deceased 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 Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of February, 1947, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register. (6, 13, 20)

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WORLD DAY OF PRAYER IN CHAPEL FRIDAY

People of Andover will join with the peoples of the globe in a World Day of Prayer that will be observed here at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at Phillips academy chapel. This is the fifth year that Andover has participated, having its own Council of Church Women.

The reports of last year's services from different parts of the world hold out the hope of international love and understanding through spiritual union which recognizes no barriers, either of race, color or creed.

From Japan — "Just as flowers sprang up in the dread desert which is now Hiroshima, quickened by the very rain of death, so such a Christ-like woman as the Rev. Tamaki Uemura has never ceased from quickening the souls of her parishioners. For when her church was bombed, the congregation met in her home."

From China—"It was a reverent, almost awesome occasion, to meet freely again in our bombed chapel, all patched up with only paper over the windows, so that it was bitterly chilly, yet somehow exultant, to need to touch human beings to keep warm. One adorable young mother stood in an archway, looking like a Chinese madonna with a tiny Saviour in her arms. 'Who are they all loving so much when they close their eyes?' 'Everybody, everywhere,' was the reply."

From Persia—"The desert blossomed like a rose last year due to the devoted diligence of a chairman in Iran who assembled Assyrians, Armenians, Americans, Moslems, Jews and Persians in Kerman-shah."

From Africa—"The native women particularly appreciated the opportunity to meet together during the day, in the evening the men joined them and their services continued till early morning."

From Newfoundland—"Our first dogteam usually reaches us the end of January; this year in April. However, with the firm conviction that time and space are nothing in the sight of God, we held our services on May 5."

From Great Britain—"In England the weather was excessively cold, few churches had enough fuel to heat premises so attendance was below average." Ireland and Wales had excellent meetings. Each au-

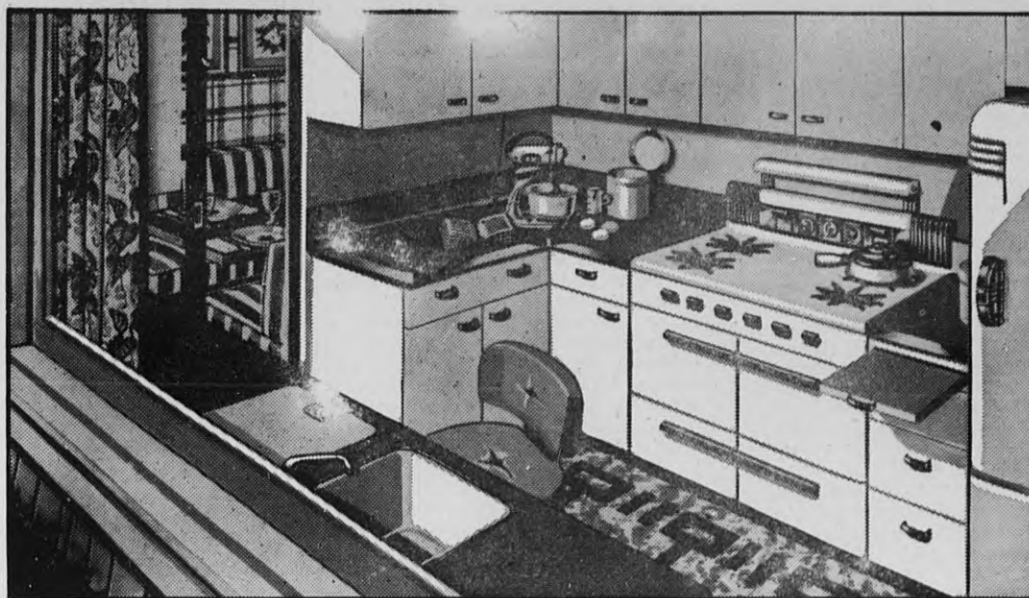
tumn Scotland prepares Bible studies preliminary to the Day of Prayer theme. Netherlands Day of Prayer Committee says that the Nazis confiscated all their records of the past observances because

they were international in scope!" Other reports of enthusiastic participation come from Cuba, Tasmania, Queensland, Australia, Canada, New Mexico, and all parts of the world.

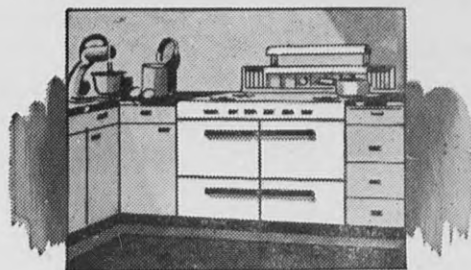
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Vacation Hour

A "vacation" story hour for Grades 1 through 6, will be held Thursday morning, February 27, at 10:30, in the Young People's room. No tickets are necessary.

American Brotherhood Week Observance

There is an exhibit of books on display in the main reading room of the Memorial Hall Library, observing American Brotherhood Week, scheduled for the week of February 16-23. This movement is sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, and is designed, in the main, to further the cause of unity by observances of organizations of every kind in a community, to be incorporated into their own programs according to their own customs. This reaches a variety of people in their natural meeting places. Brotherhood Week is a civic observance; as President Truman puts it, its purpose is to affirm anew the principles upon which the reality of brotherhood depends and to strengthen the bonds that hold us together as we face the demanding tasks to which destiny summons us. Any books in the display may be borrowed for home use.

New Books

There are some worthwhile as well as entertaining new books now available at the Memorial Hall Library in the latest additions. Any book may be reserved if it is not on hand at the moment of the borrower's request. Among them are the following:

The Stardust Road Carmichael
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Cartels In Action Stocking

A study of international cartel arrangements in eight fields in which they have played an important role; sugar, rubber, nitrogen, steel, aluminum, magnesium, incandescent electric lamps, and chemicals. Here is a factual basis for answers to such questions as: "Have cartels restricted production and maintained high prices? Did they interfere with our war production? What controls are possible?"

Radio's Second Chance Siepman

summary of the ever-growing complaints about radio as we know it today, and the cause and possible cure of those grievances. The author contends that FM offers a hope to the listener of a complete change in trends in radio, and warns him that this is the time for him to make known his personal feelings in the matter.

Sisters Of Maryknoll Cogan

A variety of incidents typical of the experiences of the Sisters of Maryknoll in the Pacific. These true stories have been selected from first-hand adventures, some happy, some unbearably cruel, of 240 Sisters during recent years.

I, Too, Nicodemus Bok

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