

John Craig Captain Of Punched Five

John Craig, first string guard on the Punched Varsity basketball squad for the past two years was elected captain of the team for the 1948-49 season.

Craig is a three letterman at Punched, playing an end in football, and a pitcher in baseball, as well as competing in basketball. He is also an honor roll student.

Lettermen from this year's squad are: Captain Bruce Noble, Cliff Dubois, Alan Chetson, Charles Dwyer, Fred Lloyd, and Walter

Lloyd, all forwards; John Craig, Herb Deveaux, Myron Muise and Fred Cole, guards, and Bob Deyermond and Dick Kydd, centers. Deyermond, by the way, was chosen on the Class C All-Tournament Team picked by the Boston sports writers. Bob scored 17 points in the Punched-Provincetown tilt.

Baseball Meeting

A meeting of the baseball coaches and faculty managers of the schools of Punched, Johnson, Methuen, Tewksbury, Chelmsford, Billerica, and Wilmington will be held Thursday afternoon at two-thirty, with President Urville Beaumont of Methuen and Secretary Charles Hazel of Tewksbury presiding. The purpose of the meeting is to arrange the schedule for the Suburban league for the 1948 season. Johnson High is the defending champion, and Punched the runner-up. The trophy must be won three years by one team to become its permanent possession. This will be the fourth year the league has been in competition. Captain Walter Lloyd of the Punched nine hopes to end up at the top of the league this year.

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Office Hours Here For Girl Scouts

The Girl Scout Council of Greater Lawrence has established weekly office hours in Andover. Through the courtesy of the Memorial Hall Library, Miss Lucile Rogers, executive director of the Girl Scouts, will be in the directors' room of the library Thursday afternoons from 1:30 p. m. to 2:45 p. m. Leaders, members of the Girl Scout Council and troop committees, persons who wish information about the Girl Scout program or about the volunteer or professional opportunities in Girl Scouting may see Miss Rogers then, or at other times by appointment. These office hours will be increased if there is need for added service in Andover.

FIRE RECORD

Fire in a storeroom at 21 Canterbury street last Friday night caused damage to the contents and flooring which Chief C. Edward Buchan estimated at \$400. Box 651 was sounded at 10:44 p. m. and the relief at 12:19 a. m. Box 542 was sounded at 10:05 p. m. Monday for a fire caused by an overheated stove in a kitchen at 90 North Main street which charred the walls and woodwork. The property is owned by Mrs. Bridget Hurley of Bartlet street and occupied by Alfred Frotten.



Scout-o-Ral—March 27

The second annual Scout-o-ral will be held Saturday, March 27, at 2 p. m., at the Case Memorial Cafe, Phillips Academy. There will be exhibitions by Scout troops and Cub packs and contests in knot-tying, signaling, first-aid, fre-by-dint and steel, compass race, and tug-of-war. Prizes will be awarded to the winners. Units that will compete are Troop 70, Christ church; Troop 71 and Pack 71 of the Shawshen P. T. A.; Troop 72 and Pack 72 of the Free church; Troop 73 of the South church; Troop 75 of St. Augustine's church, and Troop 76 of Ballardvale.

Troop 71—Shawshen P.T.A.

At the meeting Monday, March 8, preparations were made for the Scout-o-ral, under the direction of Scoutmaster David Petrie and Junior Assistant Scoutmaster Jack Caswell. The next meeting will be held at the Scout room Tuesday, March 30, at 7:00 p. m.

Troop 70—Christ Church

At a recent court of review the following Scouts were advanced in rank: Donald Valz, James Brown and James McGrath. Those present were: Chairman Rev. John S. Moses, Committeemen Dino Valz and the Rev. Wendell L. Bailey. Scoutmaster Harrison Brown and Assistant Scoutmaster George Luedke. The Scouts have a project of making their own packs, under

the direction of George Luedke. The troop meets every Friday night in the Parish house.

Troop 73—South Church

Troop Committeeman Robert Hatton was in charge of the meeting on Friday, March 12, during the illness of Scoutmaster Leslie Mullin. The troop is preparing for the Scout-o-ral with David Pingree in charge of signaling, Robert Dimlich heading up the first aid group and troop Committeeman Robert Hatton guiding the flint and steel teams. Second Class Scout Robert Gillis has passed the fremanship merit badge and is working on the safety merit badge. Field Scout Executive Nestor A. Eno, addressed the Men's club of the church Sunday, March 14. Mr. Eno gave an interesting talk on Camp Onway and scouting.

Pack 70—Ballardvale P.T.A.

Cubmaster Paul Payne and the pack committee of the new Cub pack expect to have about 18 or 20 Cubs for the initial registration of the Pack. The new organization, sponsored by the Ballardvale Parent Teacher Association will enable boys of 9, 10 and 11 years of age to join the cubbing section of the Troop 70—Ballardvale.

The committeemen who sponsor Troop 76 include Leon Thompson, P. W. Moody, Rev. Philip Heisey and Ainslee Schofield. The Scouts are working hard to perfect themselves for the Scout-o-ral to be held March 27. All members of the troop with their leader will attend the Scout banquet and meeting to be held in Lawrence in April.

Boy Scouts of America.

District Committee Meeting

The Andover district committee will meet in the public library March 18, at 7:30 p. m., to complete final plans for the Scout-o-ral. All scoutmasters and cubmasters are strongly urged to attend this meeting, or send a representative.

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Radcliffe Women Organize For Drive

The Radcliffe club of Merrimack Valley was organized at an informal and enthusiastic meeting held recently at the Andover Inn. The club was formed to interest Radcliffe women in the College's Anniversary Fund drive, to be culminated in June of 1949.

The following officers were named: Mrs. L. D. Peterkin, Andover, president; Miss Louise Archambault, Lowell, vice-president; Miss Helen Devlin, Lawrence, secretary, and Miss Constance Fitzgerald, North Andover, treasurer.

Tentative plans were made for various benefits to be held for the fund. Meanwhile, a series of meetings will be held at the homes of members to discuss various projects which the club will promote.

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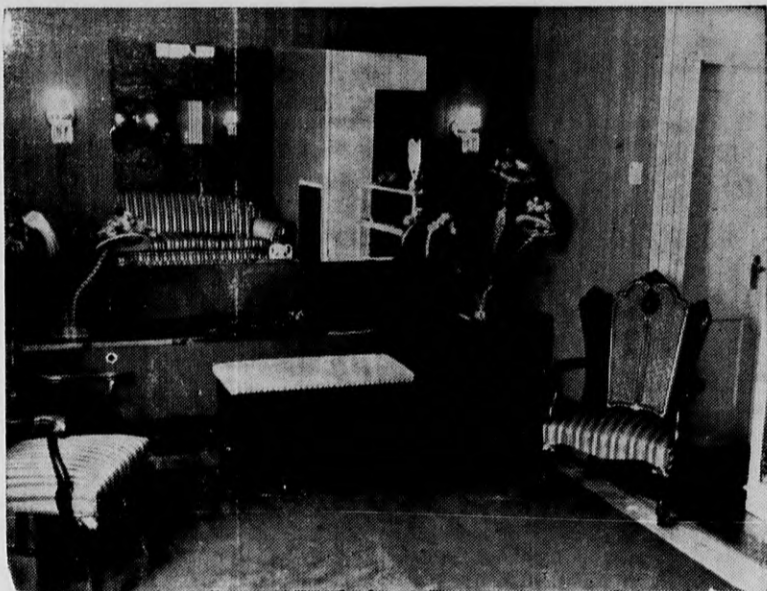
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the guest soloist.
Grange News
The Andover Grange will meet next Tuesday evening, March 23, at 8:00. At this time the first and second degrees will be worked. The second degree will be in charge of the Men's degree team with Calvin Seifeth, chairman.
Notes
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens of Virginia road enjoyed a motor trip through Maine and into New Hampshire last week. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Loud of North Conway, New Hampshire. Miss Elba Peterson of Greenwood road is now occupying her new home recently built for her on Highplain road.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kress of Lowell street, are now able to be out again after being detained at their home for several months.
Mrs. John Kewley and baby daughter left by airplane recently for their home in Cleveland, Ohio. They have been visiting Mrs. Kewley's sister, Mrs. Dean Hudgins of North street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton of Arlington recently visited Mrs. Sidney Batchelder, Argilla road.
Miss Eleanor Jones of Westminster is spending several weeks with her aunt Mrs. Lathrop Merrick of Shawsheen road.
Mr. and Mrs. William Wrigley, who have been residing on Lowell street, left recently for Kansas City, Missouri, where they will make their future home. Mrs. Wrigley formerly lived in Kansas City.
The Rev. Leslie J. Adkins, who is studying in New York City, spent the weekend with his family on Porter road.
Mrs. Orville Eslick and their three children, who have been spending the past few months with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow of Lowell street, left Monday to join Major Eslick, who is stationed at Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado.

V.F.W. MEETING
The next regular meeting of the Andover post, 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held tonight at 8 p. m. in the Musgrove building post rooms. Nominations of officers for the coming year were opened at the last meeting and will be closed with the adjournment of the March 18 meeting.
The officers request that members make an effort to be present Thursday to nominate their choices for candidacy in the April election. All members must have a paid up due card in order to attend a meeting.
Every Tuesday and Thursday evening at 6 p. m. candidates for the Andover post, 2181, Veterans of Foreign Wars baseball team will practice at the Case Memorial cage, Phillips Academy.
Friday at 7:30 the post will hold another in the winter series of 45's tournaments in the V.F.W. rooms, Musgrove building.

OPENING UP CATCH BASINS
For the past several days employees of the Board of Public Works have been opening up catch basins and cutting waterways through large piles of snow to drain water off roadways. Most of the melting snow and rain has been soaking into the ground, Supt. Edward R. Lawson, reports. Very little frost has been found in the ground, which has had the protection of a heavy snow covering all winter.

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Births

A girl, Judith M., born March 7 at Chelsea Naval hospital, Chelsea, to Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. William J. Keith. The mother is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Martinson, 26 Elm street. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector M. Keith of 1 Brechin terrace.

A girl March 11 at Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Dimlich, Salem street. The mother is the former Mildred Schruender.

A boy March 13 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leeter, 3 Highland way-side.

A girl March 13 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming, 5 Buxton court.

A son March 15 at the McGowan Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Raymond, 38A Beacon street, West Andover. The mother was Mary Boldec.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions were filed at the office of the Town Clerk, George H. Winslow:

Robert J. Sheedin, 14 Cheswick road, Brookline, and Margaret Mary Coolidge, 7A Chapman avenue.

Roderick K. Macleod, 1415 Marlboro street, Sandusky Ohio, and Virginia Lee Brimer, 3 Orchard street.

Warren Frederick Kearn, 44 Haggetts Pond road, and Eleanor Louise Demers, High Plain road.

Personals

Charles Brennan, PFC., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brennan of 77 School street, has recently graduated after a 10 weeks' course as weather observer at Chanute Field, Illinois. Prior to attending this Air Force training command school, he was stationed at Lackland air base, Texas. His new station will be Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Dailey of Summer street left Sunday for a three weeks' trip to Florida.

James William Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael A. Burke of North Main street, is a sophomore attending Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, for the second semester. His wife, Jane West Burke, is with him. He is majoring in pre-law. During the war he served in the Southern Pacific theatre with the U. S. Marine Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne of North Andover expect to occupy their home at 5 Hartigan court before the end of the month.

Miss Mona Moore, receptionist at the Look Studio, is now living at 11 Locke street.

Howard Gambrell, Jr., vice president of the Gillette Safety Razor company, will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of the Andover Service club to be held at Andover Inn, Thursday, March 25.

Obituaries

SYLVESTER GOODWIN

The funeral of Sylvester Goodwin, 84, life-long resident of Andover who died March 10, was held from the late home, 94 Maple avenue, Saturday morning with a high mass of requiem in St. Augustine's church at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., was celebrant. James Sheard was soloist and Miss Mary F. Lanigan, organist. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers were: Thomas Delaney, Clarence Delaney, Jr., William, James, Edward and Walter Morrissey.

MRS. JESSIE B. WYNTON

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Beatt Wynton, widow of John E. Wynton, 36 Burnham road, who died suddenly Thursday, were held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Lundgren funeral home. The Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., pastor of the

Free Congregational church, conducted the services. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery. Bearers were: David Tullis, Harry Priestly, Thomas Thin, Frederick Christie, Harry Ford and Herman Saalfrank.

Born in Arbroath, Scotland, 64 years ago, she had made her home in Andover for the past 25 years. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Margaret W. Forbes; a grandson, John W. Forbes; one sister, Mrs. Mary Gordon of Scotland; one brother, Alexander Beatt; also several nieces and nephews.

JOHN B. MORRISEY

The funeral of John B. Morrisey, a former resident of Andover who died last week at his home in Lynn, was held Sunday afternoon with services at the Parker Memorial funeral home at 3 o'clock. He is a former member of St. Matthew's lodge, A.F. & A.M.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bessie (Barnes) Morrisey; a son, Paul Morrisey of Rhode Island; and two daughters, Mrs. Alex

Rehberg of Scarsdale, N. Y., and Mrs. Norman Downes of Lynn.

INFANT ANDREWS

Infant Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Andrews of 116 Haverhill street, died Saturday at the Lawrence General hospital. The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the M. A. Burke funeral home. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery. Besides her parents there are two brothers in the family.

PVT. ARTHUR J. GAUTHIER

Full military honors were accorded Pvt. Arthur J. Gauthier, first Andover boy killed in World War II, when his funeral was held Wednesday morning from the M. A. Burke funeral home.

Delegations from local veterans organizations and auxiliaries together with town officials attended the solemn high mass of requiem in St. Augustine's church at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor, was celebrant, the Rev. Henry B. Smith,

O.S.A., deacon, and the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A., sub-deacon. Soloists were: James Sheard, Mrs. Thomas J. Murphy and Frank McCarthy.

The bearers were: Gordon Wetmore, George F. Clark, William J. Carroll, James O'Gorman, Charles A. Morris and Armand Carrigan, all members of the Merrimack Valley detachment, Marine Corps league. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

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Seeds for Peace

The Memorial Hall Library will accept donations for the Garden Club's venture, "Seeds for Peace," part of the project of Massachusetts clubs to further the friendship of nations and to aid in the lifting of the heavy burden of need and hunger in the nations of Europe. A donation of 50c will send seeds to plant 600 square feet of ground, enough to sustain a family of five. Seeds will be shipped through April 1st by the Burpee Seed company, who have provided a generous reduction in price so that for 50c seeds retailing at \$1.65 may be supplied the needy. Communicate with Mrs. Charles W. Arnold, 38 Central street, Andover, for further information, come over, or leave your donation, however small, at the Memorial Hall Library.

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Girl Scouts

Troop 40, whose leader is Miss Dorothy Wilbur, displayed some very gay scarfs which they had tie-dyed as part of their troop program; also some sketches which they had made and framed in cellophane and passe partout tape.

Mary Morse and Ann Merchant took important parts in the ceremony during which each Girl Scout troop contributed to the Juliette Low World Friendship fund.

Troop 27 met Wednesday, March 10, in the Christ church parish house. The girls got into their patrols. Dues were collected by Treasurer Elizabeth Hatton. Sally McCullom was a cake bearer

and Elizabeth Hatton presented the money to the fund at the Armory at the recent Girl Scout birthday celebration.

Four Andover Girl Scout troops had interesting displays at the Girl Scout exhibit in the Lawrence state armory last Friday evening. Among the lucky winners of the birthday cake donated to the exhibit by the bakers of Greater Lawrence in honor of the 36th birthday of Girl Scouting in the U. S. A., were: both Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maynard, William Merchant, Miss Beatrice Helfetz, and T. J. Doherty of Andover.

Troop 23 exhibited little dolls, exquisitely dressed by the members of the troop in costumes of many lands. Merrill Burnett, Scoutmaster helped his wife who is the leader of troop 23, set up the exhibit.

Troop 27 had the one outdoor exhibit in the armory. It was George Follansbee's beautiful bird collection arranged against a background of green pines and rocky beach.

Through the fall and early winter the girls of troop 36 worked on their Hostess badge. This they demonstrated with attractive linen, china, silver and flowers. Mrs. George Follansbee and Mrs. Peter McKee are their leaders.

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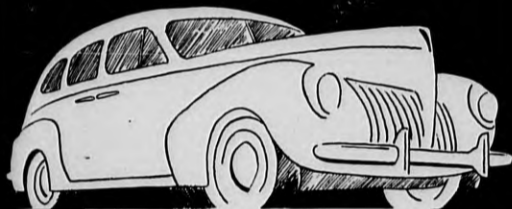
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The Fundamental Nature of Prayer So important a position has prayer in the Science of Christianity.

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The Revelation of Christian Science To Mary Baker Eddy there was revealed, towards the end of the century, the Science of Christianity.

the one great and ever-present relief from human woe" (Retrospection and Introspection, p. 31). This seeking was to culminate in victory.

After her own healing, and the revelation of Christ-power which had come to her, Mrs. Eddy sought the rules which she perceived must underlie her remarkable experience.

Let not men feel appalled at the tasks which today call for their aid, at the responsibilities which lie ahead of them; but rather let them rejoice that the opportunity is theirs to prove the knowledge of God and His laws.

The power which Jesus exercised was to be found in his inseparability from his divine Principle, God. In the measure that men, accepting him as their Way-shower, follow his example and obey his precepts, will

their characters be ennobled and their lives illumined; will the Christ be made manifest in their homes, in their country, and in the world.

The Demonstration of Righteous Government

"What," Mrs. Eddy asks us in Miscellany (p. 292), "cannot love and righteousness achieve for the race?"

Shortly before the present war in Europe, a Christian Science practitioner, a citizen in a country where the rights of the individual were liable to be ruthlessly disregarded, where even human lives were in jeopardy, under the false name of law and order, was sent for by those in authority and after a peremptory cross-examination told to give names and to describe the symptoms of her patients.

The authority of divine Principle prevailed. Violence and despotism were forced to withdraw before it. Mrs. Eddy was permitted to leave the courtroom without further threats.

My friends, control is not something outside ourselves to which we have to submit—whether it is the control of our bodies by disease, weakness, weariness, or the control of our lives by influences sometimes pleasant, often the reverse.

dearest desires, rob them of what they most love and to which they believe themselves rightly entitled.

Are we waiting for this to happen individually, universally? Assuredly it is here. In referring to the experience of the Revelator, of his vision of no more pain, of all tears wiped away, Mrs. Eddy has written (Science and Health, pp. 573, 574).

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P.T.A. MEETING

Dr. Jean C. Mendenhall, instructor of Psychology of the Family, at Boston University, was the guest speaker at the March meeting of the Shawsheen Parent-Teacher Association Wednesday evening. Dr. Mendenhall acted as contract surgeon during the first World War and she was a successful practicing physician until she gave this up for a teaching and lecturing career.

Her subject was "Problems of Being a Parent" and during her discussion she stated that parents must realize that children are not gifts to be used and enjoyed, but are future adults who must be guided and directed to a complete and happy maturity. Responsibility, self-control and respect for others must be taught early by the parents. According to Dr. Mendenhall, the training of a child from birth to five years is all-important in fixing his attitudes towards a happy, well-adjusted adulthood.

A business meeting was held prior to the address, presided over by Mr. Paul S. McKinnon, president of the organization. Mr.

Herbert Ortstein, chairman of the grounds committee, reported on the plans for the further improvement of the school grounds. Mrs. Walter Caswell told of the plans of the District Parent-Teachers' meeting to be held in the Shawsheen school on April 8. The nominating committee, under the direction of Mrs. John J. Calnan was asked to make a report at the April meeting. Before adjourning, Mr. McKinnon turned the meeting over to Mrs. Byron Welner who introduced the speaker.

Dancing

The dancing classes have opened again at the Shawsheen school under the direction of Mrs. Donald D. Dunn of 9 Sutherland street. These classes will meet every Wednesday afternoon directly after school and all grades will participate in the dancing instructions until a group is formed that can be arranged into two separate classes.

Bowling

A very interesting factor in the "Piloteers" bowling league in Shawsheen Village, is that the "Devastators" whose captain is Mrs. G. E. Best and the "Liberators" whose captain is Mrs. Rita Maxwell have been tied in their winning scores for the past four weeks, the winning points being 27 apiece. These two teams have been the center of interest for the league to see which one will finally take the winning number of points to either be in the final roll-off or have the honor of being the winning team for the year.

The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club held their try-outs for their season's play, Monday night in the

auditorium of the Shawsheen school and as soon as the cast is permanently selected, rehearsals will commence.

The play selected this year is "Ring Around Elizabeth" a comedy in three acts, and will be directed by Roger Quinlan of Methuen.

Mr. Quinlan started the "Tributary Players" and directed them for three successful years at which time he left for overseas duty. Some of the plays that were presented under his direction included, "Night Must Fall," "Susan and God," "Arsenic and Old Lace" and many other productions.

He also played in three plays on Broadway in New York and his talents were also recognized in Boston at the Wilbur theater in "Mr. Cooper's Left Hand." Mr. Quinlan also directed the Merrimack Valley Drama Civic League in "Little Foxes," "Papa Is All," and "Great Big Door Step."

A very successful production is anticipated and "Ring Around Elizabeth" will be presented on April 29th and 30th.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boynton, Mrs. Boynton being the former Barbara Lindsay of 6 Argyle street, and Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Boynton, Jr., spent the past week-end skiing at North Conway, N. H.

Miss Margaret Rock of Ludlow, Vermont, has accepted a position as head of the children's department with Michael Jay.

Shortage of Nurses Closes Hospital Wing

Over 75 beds at the Haynes Memorial hospital are empty because of a shortage of nursing personnel to care for the sick, Dr. Philip D. Bonnet, administrator of the Massachusetts Memorial Hospitals, revealed today.

"The shortage of nurses is not unique to this institution," said Dr. Bonnet, "but when we have to shut down one wing of our Haynes contagious disease unit, it becomes a matter of great importance to all the communities around Greater Boston."

Hospital officials frankly admit that the reason for the shortage of nurses is due to the fact that some graduate nurses fear exposing themselves to the diseases which are treated at the hospital. Miss Florence Flores, Director of Nurses of the Massachusetts Memorial Hospitals, states, "There is no reason why personnel working at the Haynes should contract any of the communicable diseases if proper nursing techniques are carried out. The reason we shut down one wing of the hospital is due solely to a shortage of nurses and nurses' aides. We train these people before they are allowed to go in the wards in the proper techniques so there is no reason why anyone working there need fear of becoming a victim of an infectious disease just because she works there."

Describes Protection Of National Figures

"The Protection of our National Figures" was the topic of an interesting discussion given at Thursday night's meeting of the Andover Service club at the Andover Inn by Arthur E. "Barney" McCabe of High Plain road, former secret service man.

He told a number of intimate stories connected with his many years' experience in planning and dealing with the protection of such nationally known figures as Franklin D. Roosevelt, Madame Chiang Kai Shek in North and South America, Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, Princess Martha of Norway, Winston Churchill in Washington and Bretton Woods, and Eleanor Roosevelt.

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SQUARE AND COMPASS CLUB

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