

The ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS, JANUARY 13, 1949

PRICE, 5 CENTS

Slander, like Death,
loves a shining mark.
—CHARLES B. FAIRBANKS

VOLUME 62, NUMBER 13

VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

The Dutch "police action" in Indonesia officially terminated on January 4, according to the Dutch. Presumably, from the Netherlands point of view, the Indonesian republic is properly conditioned for terms of settlement. The Dutch estimated acutely that by the time anyone got around to doing anything practical—if any such thing were actually possible against Dutch opposition—the advantage would be with the Netherlands forces. Depending upon one's point of view, the termination of hostilities can be interpreted as ending a nasty situation or merely projecting a difficult problem into the future. Some correspondents from Europe are already justifying Dutch action as a necessity against the spread of communism in Asia. They and the Dutch may have rationalized themselves into believing. What is of greater importance is that the natives be rationalized into accepting such a neat answer. "Pessimists," says a seasoned correspondent, "saw the whole East rising in flames and wide chasm developing between Asia and the West." And he implied that because no such thing had happened, the Dutch are in a way justified.

State Nationalism Can't Be

But more thoughtful and mature minds are very well aware that successful though the Dutch may have been in their military action, their political future success is by no means guaranteed. Several details are worthy of consideration. The British, as a colonial nation, may have appreciated even though they did not condone Dutch action. But the British Empire has remained an empire, serious and indefinable as may be some of its characteristics, be-

(Continued on Page Eight)

Club To Elect Officers Friday

The Andover Square and Commerce club will hold its annual meeting Friday night at the club on Elm street.

The meeting will be preceded by a dinner through the courtesy of two of the club's best hunters, G. Brown, Jr., and Andrew J. Both, both succeeded in bagging deer in New Hampshire during the hunting season.

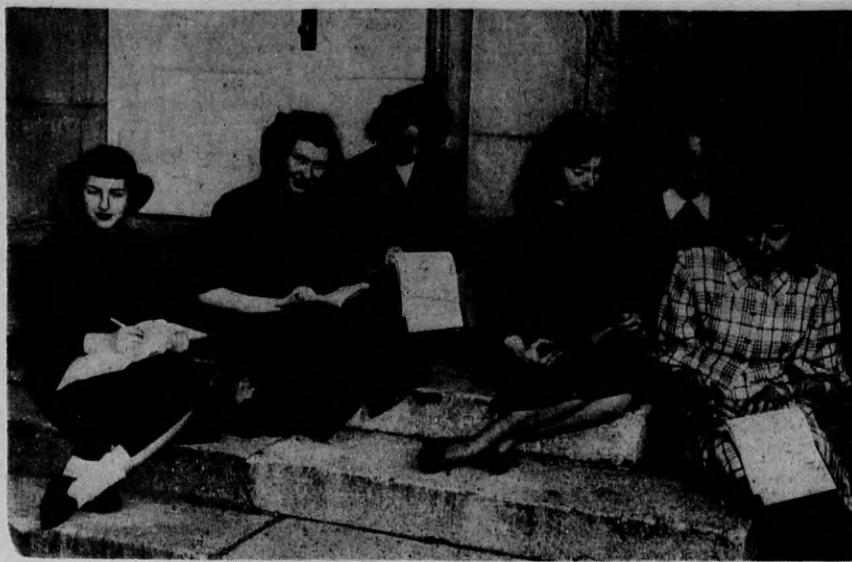
Following the dinner the annual meeting and election of officers will be held. During the entertainment program motion pictures will be shown by Robert Crockett.

The club has been active in raising funds for a television set and it is hoped to have it installed for this meeting. The club is looking forward to a very busy season with an increased membership and a variety of activities.

Nomination Papers Due By February 3

With the annual town election to be held Monday, March 7, George H. Aslow, town clerk, announces the closing date for filing nomination papers and also for filing special articles for the annual town meeting warrant. To file nomination papers, 65 signatures are needed.

In connection with the annual election the board of registrars have announced the following dates for registration: Feb. 1, Town house, 7 to 9 p. m.; Feb. 3, Sacred Heart school, 7 to 9 p. m.; Feb. 8, Grange hall, West Parish, 9 p. m.; Feb. 11, Fire station, Ballardvale, 9 p. m.; Feb. 16, Peabody house, Phillips, 7 to 9 p. m.; Feb. 16, Town house, noon to 10 p. m.



What is so rare as spring in January, especially when temperatures such as we have been enjoying in the past few weeks are mild enough to allow some of our high school girls to study while basking in the warm January sunshine on the high school steps. From left to right they are: Bessie Christie, Joan Davis, Geraldine Holthelder, Ann O'Rourke, Judith Napier and Mary Glota.

(Look Photo)

Gleason And White Enter Contest For Selectman

A lively contest for the office of selectman and assessor is in prospect for the next town election with the entry of Sidney P. White, chairman of the board of public works, and Louis A. Gleason, president of the Andover Taxpayers' association in the race. Others are expected to toss their hats into this particular ring before the time for filing nomination papers expires Feb. 3.

The three-year term of Selectman Howell F. Shepard expires this year. It is expected that he will not run for reelection but could not be reached yesterday for comment. It is reported that he is out of the state.

Nomination papers are now in circulation for Mr. White and Mr. Gleason but the names of several others have been mentioned in the past few weeks as probable candidates and it is believed that they will soon take out papers now that the campaign is opening up.

Mr. White's present term as a member of the board of public works does not expire until 1950. He was first elected to the board in 1938 and has been chairman for the past several years.

(Continued on Page Nine)

Exeter Increases Flat-Rate Tuition

The trustees of Phillips Exeter academy have announced that the flat-rate tuition will be increased in 1949-50 by \$150. This increase brings the total annual charge to \$1,400.

In a special letter sent this week to parents of all boys returning to Exeter next year, Principal William G. Saltonstall stated that "the trustees had voted this change only after a long and thorough consideration of all the elements." This increase was necessary, the principal wrote, to enable the school "to meet substantial increases in salaries and wages" and the loss of reserves and accumulated income upon which the academy has been drawing in order "to keep operating deficits as small as possible."

Saltonstall called attention to the flat-rate tuition charge which was established in 1934 at \$1,050. In 1946, it was raised to \$1,250. The new increase effective in September represents a 33 per cent increase over the 1934 level.

"With the higher charge," the letter continued, "it will be necessary to provide more and larger scholarships." Exeter furnishes more than \$100,000 annually in scholarships to promising students. This year, 135 of the 725 students are receiving some scholarship aid. The letter concluded that "the trustees regret deeply the necessity of their decision and look forward to a decrease" when conditions permit.

Panel Discussion For PTA Meeting

One of the newest, and, perhaps, the least understood school functions will be the subject of the Central PTA meeting to be held at 8 p. m., Wednesday, Jan. 19, at the Memorial auditorium.

It will have a double feature. The main speaker will be Dana M. Cotton of the Harvard Graduate School of Education, whose studies and experience qualify him to speak on the subject of what to do after high school. This topic ties in with the work of Andover's comparatively new guidance department.

In order to present as clearly as possible the principles described by Mr. Cotton, a panel of three parents and three teachers has been set up to discuss guidance methods as practiced here. Roland Fraser, Mrs. Lathrop Merrick and Charles O. McCullom represent the parents, while Bernard M. Kellmurray, Luella Dunning and Milton Nelson will answer questions for the school system.

Because of the wide interest in this topic among parents, as shown by a PTA survey, it is expected that a large number of members will attend. Parents will have an opportunity to ask questions.

Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Henry J. Dolan assisted by Mrs. Justin Curry, Mrs. Geoffrey Glendinning and Mrs. Merrill Burnett.

Couple Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. James McColl enjoyed a quiet evening together in their home at 35 Main st., Friday evening, Jan. 8, in observance of their golden wedding anniversary.

Mr. McColl was born in Paisley, Scotland, and his wife, the former Alice Curran, is a native of Belfast, Ireland. Married January 7, 1899, in Belfast by the Rev. John McCauley of St. Matthew's church, they came to the United States 25 years ago and took up their residence in Andover at that time. Mr. McColl was employed by the Boston and Maine railroad before his retirement.

They have one daughter, Mrs. Robert Wilson, five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

RUGS ORIENTAL AND DOMESTIC RUGS
CLEANED — MOTHPROOFED — REPAIRED
CARPETING EXPERTLY CLEANED
IN HOTELS — THEATRES — HOMES
— ORIENTAL RUGS A SPECIALTY —
Otash Rug Cleaning Co.
5 BROOK STREET — METHUEN
Tel. Lawrence 22298 or Lawrence 4372

Noted Lecturer Coming To Library

Aram K. Zelveian, author, journalist and lecturer on world affairs, will be the speaker at the meeting to be held at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 18, under the joint sponsorship of the Andover League of Women Voters and the Memorial Hall library.

His subject, "Accomplishments of the Third General Assembly," will be clarified by the showing of the film, "Patterns for Peace—Charter of the United Nations," which is designed to bring about an understanding of the structure and purpose of the United Nations.

Mr. Zelveian, an authority on the Mediterranean lands, the Middle East and the Balkans, is a former member of the faculty of Anatolia college in Turkey. He was liaison officer and special military interpreter for the British and Allied prisoners of war, and served in the intelligence office of the British army.

The public is invited to attend.

Additional Speakers For Church Series

Additional speakers for the University of Life program to be sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches were announced this week by the Rev. John G. Gaskill, chairman.

Dr. F. Alexander Magoun, professor of humanities at M.I.T., will speak to the main group on "Religion in the Home." The Rev. Peter J. Doeswyk, associated editor of the Converted Catholic magazine, will also speak. These are in addition to those previously announced: the Rev. Frederick Meek of Boston; the Rev. Howard P. Kellett, chaplain of the penal institutions of Massachusetts; and the Rev. Edward R. Nelson of Portland, Me. It is expected that a complete list of speakers will be available soon.

The University of Life series will begin Sunday, Feb. 6, at the South church. Youth groups will adjourn to Christ church on that night and the two Sunday evenings following. The Feb. 27, Mar. 6 and 13 sessions will be held in the Free Christian church and the Baptist church.

Town's 1949 Budget May Top 1948 Figure

High Costs Are Shown In Estimates Being Prepared By All Departments

Snow Removal Bills High Last January Heavy Storms of Last Winter Had Cost Town \$8600 By Mid-January

Snow clearance operations a year ago this time cost the town \$6,000 from Jan. 1 to 9, and storms on and immediately after that date boosted the payroll \$2,600 more for the next week, a total of \$8,600 for the Jan. 1 to 6 period.

From Jan. 1 to Mar. 1 last year the total cost of everything pertaining to snow clearance operations was \$25,000. And a storm on March 2 sent the payroll up another \$3,000 for the first week of that month.

This year, with spring-like temperatures prevailing up to the present time, the board of public works has spent only \$300 for sanding and hauling sand. This expense came with the rain and freeze of New Year's day. The only time plows have been out this winter was for the snow storm of Dec. 19.

Seek Appropriation For School Survey

Following a meeting with the Finance committee at the Town house Tuesday evening, the School committee went into executive session and voted to insert an article in the town warrant for \$1,500 to be expended for a survey of public school buildings and facilities.

While the money would be spent under the direction of the School committee, the latter expects that this would be a participatory type of survey to include a large committee of citizens, including members of other town committees.

It was pointed out that the probable emphasis will be placed on the elementary school situation, the latter being faced with a steady increase in enrollment over the next seven years.

The School committee also voted to insert again the article in the town warrant on state-aided vocational education, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws of the state.

This article has been in the town warrant for five years and each year, it is pointed out, the money expended is refunded to a large degree by the state.

Academy Tuition To Be Increased

The trustees of Phillips academy have announced an increase in the academy's tuition for the year 1949-50, in the amount of \$150. This brings the total tuition charge at Andover to \$1,400, which, it is hoped, will materially reduce the operating deficit incurred as a result of increasing costs.

Andover's long-standing policy of offering scholarship aid to promising boys who need financial assistance is not changed.

Appropriations Voted Last Year Resulted in A Tax Rate of \$34.00

Present day high costs of materials and supplies are the chief reasons why almost all town departments are asking for increases in their budgets over the 1948 appropriations.

The town meeting last March voted appropriations of \$1,005,593.57 of which \$893,191.57 was for departments and \$112,402 for items approved under the special articles. The result was a tax rate of \$34.00.

Indications are that the sums estimated to be necessary in the larger town departments to carry on their work for 1949 will total much higher than last year's figure.

Some of the sums sought in the 1949 budgets as compared with the 1948 appropriations are:

	1949	1948
Schools	\$316,244	\$281,364
Public Works	172,000	162,000
Fire	63,612	61,428
Police	55,177	48,454

The various town departments that come under the selectmen will, collectively, ask for larger appropriations than were made last year.

These 1949 estimates do not call for an increase in salaries over those paid at the present time. They do, however, incorporate into the basic salaries the \$4 a week cost-of-living bonus which the annual town meeting voted for all employees last year, and which will end next March 31.

The school department, in adopting its budget last week, noted that the increase in its budget was due mainly to an increase in enrollment and an increase in basic prices. It also took into consideration that there would be a return to the town from the state and from the Town of Boxford, (whose high school pupils will attend local

(Continued on Page Two)

Reserve Officers To Be Appointed

With the present list of reserve patrolmen down to just two names, the selectmen Monday night voted to write to the civil service commission for the eligible list in order to make two more appointments. The town is allowed four reserve patrolmen.

Three Andover men were among those announced as being successful in the recent police examination tests. They were: Francis J. McBride, 2 Temple pl., Russell H. Berthel, 172 Elm st., and Warren A. Maddox, River rd., West Andover.



NO GASOLINE GIVES
QUICKER STARTING!

**SUNOCO
DYNAFUEL**

High test performance
without premium price
TEST A TANKFUL TODAY

Green's Service
205 NO. MAIN ST.

"COLGATE ECONOMY"

Colgate Ribbon Dental	Economy, New 59c
Halo Shampoo	Economy 79c
Lustre Creme Shampoo	10-oz. Economy 2.00
Palmolive Lather Shaving Cream	Tube 49c
Palmolive Brushless Shaving Cream	Tube 49c
Colgate Lather Shaving Cream	Tube 49c
Colgate Brushless Shaving Cream	Tube 49c

DALTON PHARMACY

16 MAIN STREET

TEL. 107

Town's 1949 Budget May Top 1948 Figure

(Continued from Page One)

schools next term) the sum of \$34,545.

The board of public works, which has been considering its 1949 budget at several meetings, notes that the costs of fuel, oil for roads and other materials for the departments under its supervision are higher than a year ago. The total increase for these departments, viz: — street lighting, highways, parks, sewers, water, garage and office account, will be about \$10,000.

In the fire department, \$1200 of the increase sought is for the \$4 cost-of-living bonus which will be in effect for a full year, and \$800 which under a new state law requires the department carry two special type gas masks on each piece of apparatus answering alarms other than brush fires.

The estimated increase in the police department is due to an increase in personnel, one being a new police officer put on in connection with the work involved with parking meters, and the second being a new clerk which enables the department to keep the police station manned at all times. Increased costs in gasoline, paint, signs and other articles necessary for the de-

partment's equipment are also reflected in the 1949 estimate.

In the various departments under supervision of the selectmen, one or two will be under last year's figures but the overall budgets will result in an increase, partly due to the inclusion of the \$4 bonus in salaries for a full year.

Besides the increases sought in the 1949 appropriations, the special town meeting of Dec. 28 appropriated \$36,551 for new bridges, a sewer on Morton street and supplements to the annual budget, all of which will account for \$2 in the 1949 tax rate.

What new equipment may be required for the various town departments and whatever special articles are approved for new water and sewer extensions, improvements, etc., indicate a larger total appropriation for 1949 than the record high mark that was set last year.

One item which, to date, seems will be much lower than last year, is the sum which will be sought for snow removal. Last year with the record snowfall, \$35,000 was appropriated. The amount to be sought this year will not be estimated until some time later in the winter.

ANDOVER CRAFTSMEN
RE-UPHOLSTERING
Musgrove Building Telephone
Elm Square And. 1820-W

GARDEN PLOWING
RUBBISH REMOVED
GENERAL TRUCKING
BATESON & SON
TEL. 1467-W

When Your Shopping or
day's work is done, Drop
in and enjoy a cool re-
freshing drink at . . .

WALTER'S
6 Park Street

The Gurio Shoppe
74 MAIN STREET, ANDOVER

has a beautiful pair of blue and white Meissen Candelsticks with boy and girl attached, also three very choice fruit compotes of famous Meissen cupid design. Why not pop in and browse around?

Closed on Mondays

Inquiries Welcomed

Call Andover 2210

ELLIOTT'S
LAWRENCE
LOWELL
HAVERHILL



CURTAINS
for every window

Elliott's displays the largest stock of curtains north of Boston. Cottage sets, ruffled curtains, tailored curtains and drapes of the finest materials at modest prices for every room in your home. Come in today and make your selection.

Charge your purchases if you wish.

236 ESSEX STREET
Lawrence
Tel. 9172

216 CENTRAL ST.
Lowell
Tel. 3-1797

Elliott's

MENTAL HEALTH QUIZ

(Answers below)

As the opening gun of its campaign in support of adequate appropriations for the State Mental Hospitals and the Institutions for the Mentally Deficient, the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene today presented to the members of the State Senate and the House of Representatives a Quiz concerning the care of the mentally ill in the Commonwealth.

We wonder how many of our readers can answer these questions correctly. Questions and answers are given below.

- How many hospital beds are there for the mentally ill as compared with those for the physically ill in Massachusetts?
(a) Nearly the same number for each.
(b) Twice as many for the physically ill.
(c) Four times as many for the physically ill.
(d) Six times as many for the physically ill.
- What proportion of the mentally ill needing hospitalization in Massachusetts must be cared for in the tax-supported hospitals?
(a) 25%, (b) 40%, (c) 65%, (d) 80%, (e) 95%
- What proportion of the population of Massachusetts will spend some part of their lives in State Hospitals?
One out of every (a) 10, (b) 15, (c) 20, (d) 35
- How many tax-supported hospitals for the mentally ill are there in Massachusetts?
(a) 4, (b) 7, (c) 10, (d) 13, (e) 15
- How many resident patients are there in tax-supported hospitals for the mentally ill in this state?
(a) 5,000, (b) 14,000, (c) 19,000, (d) 24,000, (e) 30,000
- How many patients were admitted to these hospitals last year?
(a) 2,500, (b) 3,800, (c) 5,200, (d) 6,700, (e) 7,900
- How many patients were released (by discharge, death, transfer or parole) from these hospitals last year?
(a) 2,000, (b) 3,680, (c) 4,650, (d) 6,520, (e) 7,660
- What is the percentage of overcrowding in the State Hospitals?
(a) 2%, (b) 8%, (c) 13%, (d) 17%, (e) 19%
- What is the percentage of personnel shortage in these hospitals today (based on existing personnel quotas)?
(a) 10%, (b) 14.5%, (c) 18%, (d) 24.5%, (e) 32%
- What is the average cost per patient day in State Hospitals?
(a) \$1.65, (b) \$3.30, (c) \$6.50, (d) \$10.40, (e) \$13.50
- What is the average cost per patient day in general hospitals in Massachusetts?
(a) \$1.65, (b) \$3.30, (c) \$6.50, (d) \$10.40, (e) \$13.50
- What is the average cost per patient day in the Veterans Administration mental hospitals?
(a) \$1.65, (b) \$3.30, (c) \$6.50, (d) \$10.40, (e) \$13.50
- How many tax-supported institutions for the mentally deficient are there in Massachusetts?
(a) 1, (b) 2, (c) 3, (d) 4, (e) 5
- How many patients are there in the State Institutions for the mentally deficient?
(a) 2,110, (b) 3,376, (c) 4,170, (d) 4,625, (e) 5,480
- How many seriously incapacitated persons are on the waiting lists for the institutions for the mentally deficient?
(a) 800, (b) 1,800, (c) 2,900, (d) 3,400, (e) 4,200

CORRECT ANSWERS

- | | | |
|------|-------|-------|
| 1. a | 6. e | 11. e |
| 2. e | 7. e | 12. c |
| 3. c | 8. e | 13. d |
| 4. d | 9. d | 14. e |
| 5. d | 10. a | 15. b |

SHAWSHEEN

Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Correspondent, Telephone 171

P.T.A. FAIR

A gala event will be held in the auditorium of the Shawsheen school during the month of February and this will be a Valentine fair.

This function will take place at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, Feb. 9, and is under the chairmanship of Mrs. Byron Weiner, the first vice-president of the association.

A meeting was held at Mrs. Weiner's home last Thursday evening and plans for the fair were discussed in detail. The decorations for the fair will carry out the theme for February, valentines. There will be a valentine table for the children to select their choice cards from. Among the other attractions there will be a fortune teller, balloon man, grab barrel, frankfurts, soft drinks, white elephant, bakery, dart game, auto game, girl's name game and a fish pond.

Miss Eunice O'Donnell, teacher of the kindergarten classes at the Shawsheen school will be a very great attraction and will draw many to her side for she will be the handwriting expert for the evening.

Further plans are in the making and the committees for the event are now being formed. Keep the date open, 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, Feb. 9, in the auditorium of the Shawsheen school.

Drama Department

The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club is now very busy making plans to

present another of the popular three-act plays for which the group is so well-known.

This play will be presented in the spring. A group of members of this department traveled to Boston, Wednesday and spent most of the day reading over plays of which a few choice ones were brought back and these will be reviewed at the regular meeting of the group which will be held at 2:30 p. m., Friday, Jan. 21 at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Gate of 12 Cedar rd.

The hostesses for this meeting will be: Mrs. Gordon Colquhoun, Mrs. Charles Bowman, Mrs. C. McCullom and Mrs. Gilbert Gate.

A play will be selected at this time by the whole department and plans for its presentation will commence immediately.

Woman's Bowling League

The Woman's Tuesday night bowling league closed the first half of its 30-week bowling term last Tuesday night with the following results:

The Liberators won the first with 50 games won and 10 lost. The members of this team are, P. Calnan, captain, R. Beaudoin, G. Driscoll, N. Flaherty, A. Batterbury. The second team in line was the Hurricanes with 34 games won and 26 lost. Members of the team are, D. King, captain, M. Young, E. Justice, E. Locke, M. Bailey.

Other honors for the first half went to M. Kopatch high single of 140, M. Kopatch high triple of 335, R. Beaudoin high average of 95.1.

— FINE WEATHER —

Now is the time to have your car Serviced —
Don't wait for the Rush period. Take advantage of our
Winter Money-Saving Specials.

—LOOK AHEAD—

Place your order now for your New Dodge,
Plymouth, or Dodge "Job Rated Trucks."
Reasonably prompt delivery can be made at this time

—Later might be too late—

J. W. ROBINSON COMPANY
DODGE AND PLYMOUTH
MOTOR CARS
DODGE "JOB RATED"
TRUCKS
TEL. ANDOVER 1549
HARRY E. WILLIAMS, MGR.

Andover National Bank Holds Annual Meeting

Two new directors were elected at the annual meeting of the Andover National bank held last Tuesday morning. They are: John M. Kemper, headmaster of Phillips academy and Horace Nathaniel Stevens, Jr., assistant secretary of the J. P. Stevens & Co., Inc.

Besides the above the shareholders elected the following board of directors: Wallace E. Brimer, treasurer, Tye Rubber Co., Louis S. Finger, vice-president and treasurer, Andover Savings bank; Burton S. Flagg, president and treasurer, Merrimack and Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance companies; George F. Sawyer, assistant vice-president, First National bank of Boston; Abbott Stevens, vice-president, J. P. Stevens & Co., Inc.

Dr. Claude M. Fuess retired from the board of directors as his research work and writing will necessitate his absence from Andover for a number of years.

The officers appointed to serve for the ensuing year are: Abbott Stevens, president; Chester W. Holland, vice-president and cashier; Edward A. Anderson, assistant cashier; Frederick W. Gould, assistant cashier; Chester W. Holland, trust officer; Marion E. Farnsworth, assistant trust officer; Wallace M. Haselton, manager automobile and time sales department.

The president reported the condition of the bank at the close of the year as follows: Total assets, \$8,700,000; deposits, \$8,000,000; capital, \$200,000; surplus, \$200,000; undivided profits, \$217,000; reserves, \$57,000.

The meeting was the 123rd annual meeting of the institution and the 84th since its organization as a national bank.

Horace Nathaniel Stevens, Jr., one of the new directors, was born in 1914 at Plainfield, N. J., the son of Horace N. and Helen Coburn Stevens. He attended the public schools at Plainfield and later enrolled at Phillips academy, class of 1934. In 1935 he entered the employ of the M. T. Stevens & Sons company at North Andover. After serving three years in the U. S. coast guard reserve during World War II he resumed his duties with the Stevens organization and holds the office of assistant secretary of the J. P. Stevens & Co., Inc., New York.

Mr. Stevens is the fourth generation in the Stevens family to serve on the board of directors of this bank. He is married to the former Caroline C. Rockwell of North Andover, daughter of Samuel D. Rockwell. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens have three children.

It Pays To Advertise

"Do you find that advertising brings quick results?"
"I should say it does. Yesterday we advertised for a night watchman and last night the office safe was robbed."

FOR intelligent friendly service on all of your insurance needs call
Smart & Flagg, Inc.
The Insurance Office
Bank Bldg. Andover 870

WINTER FOOTWEAR

**RUBBERS
OVERSHOES
BOOTS**

"SHOES THAT SATISFY"

★ X-Ray Fitting ★

REINHOLD S

49 MAIN ST.

CURRAN & JOYCE COMPANY

— MANUFACTURERS —

**SODA WATERS
and GINGER ALES**

Dads To Pres Baseball Prog

A baseball program will be the entertainment to be at the annual "Father's Night of the South Church club Wednesday evening, Feb. 10.

"Jeff" Jones, Boston scout, and George L. K. head baseball coach academy, will be the guesters. A baseball quiz followed by movies, will be the program. Further to be announced next Charles O. McCullom, of the committee.

MONDAY MEN'S LE

(Shawsheen Alle

YORKE (4)

Riley 88

Innis 101

Neil 104

Best 87

Dummy 92

Totals 472

ENMORE (0)

Caliri 93

Sweeney 86

Venson 71

Allen 102

Thompson 102

Totals 475

ARUNDEL (2)

R. Parsons 101

Brent 85

Driscoll 96

DeClercq 103

Armstrong 109

Totals 488

BALMORAL (1)

Keffertan 114

Warhurst 114

Moriarty 109

Proctor 80

Pulster 80

Totals 497

CARISBROOKE

Sughrue 82

Mosher 90

Greenfield 92

Reilly 100

O'Connor 101

Totals 465

ARGYLE (2)

Chalk 108

Keffertan 84

Anderson 103

Parsons 115

Dummy 95

Totals 505

ANDOVER TOWN

(Recreation All

HILL'S HARDWA

Hatch 94

G. Gargill 122

J. Donahay 99

R. Gargill 110

Boudreau 108

Totals 533

GRECOES (0)

Haji 90

Fitzgerald 77

Grecoe 112

Vivency 121

McCullum 128

Totals 528

ANDOVER COA

A. Holden 115

Glata 94

C. Eler 108

W. Holden 111

Low 110

Totals 538

ROYAL CROWN

Gigis 95

Tudisco 95

Anderson 120

Moranto 127

Moranto 127

Totals 533

ONE D

Dry Cleaning S

... by the largest c

cleaning institi

in this secti

This does not i

items, as some re

cial treatment.

Men's Suits, Topo

and Ladies' Coat

Blankets Ren

To Softness and

Slipcovers, Drap

Upholstered Furnit

FAST COLOR D

HAVE OUR MOT

-ARROW S

"PREFERR

FOR RELIABI

General Offices

45 Brook Street,

58 Main Street,

National Bank

Directors were elected at a meeting of the National bank held last Tuesday. They are: John M. Adams, president; Horace Nathaniel, assistant secretary; and J. P. O. Inc.

Below the shareholders, the following board of directors: E. Brimer, treasurer; Rubber Co., Louis S. president and treasurer; Savings bank; Burton, president and treasurer; and Cambridge Mutual, president and treasurer; George, assistant vice-president; Al bank of Boston; Abbot, vice-president; J. P. O. Inc.

M. Fuess retired from the bank as his health and writing will necessitate his absence from Andover for years.

Persons appointed to serve during year are: Abbot, president; Chester W. Holbrook, assistant; Anderson, assistant; Derick W. Gould, assistant; Chester W. Holland, assistant; Marion E. Farnsworth, assistant; Wallace M. manager automobile and department.

Reported the content of the bank at the close of the year: Total assets, \$8,000,000; deposits, \$8,000,000; surplus, \$200,000; profits, \$217,000; re-000.

was the 123rd anniversary of the institution and its organization as a bank.

athaniel Stevens, Jr., new director, was born in Andover, N. J., the son of N. and Helen Coburn.

attended the public school in Andover and later entered the employ of Stevens & Sons company in Andover. After serving in the U. S. coast guard during World War II, he returned to Andover.

He is the fourth generation of Stevens family to serve as directors of the bank.

Rockwell of North Andover and Samuel D. Rockwell of Andover.

Intelligent service for all of your insurance needs call.

Insurance Office, Andover 870.

TER FOOTWEAR, BOOTS, THAT SATISFY, Day Fitting, WHOLESALE, MAIN ST.

COMPANY, SALES.

Dads To Present Baseball Program

A baseball program will feature the entertainment to be presented at the annual "Father and Sons" night of the South Church Men's club Wednesday evening, Jan. 26.

"Jeff" Jones, Boston Braves scout, and George L. Follansbee, head baseball coach at Phillips academy, will be the guest speakers. A baseball quiz for prizes, followed by movies, will round out the program. Further details are to be announced next week by Charles O. McCullom, chairman of the committee.

MONDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

(Shawsheen Alleys)

YORKE (4)			
Riley	88	93	267
Innis	101	123	323
Nell	104	95	313
Best	87	120	310
Dummy	92	92	276
Totals	472	516	1494

ENMORE (0)			
Calli	93	79	250
Sweeney	86	79	262
Svenson	71	89	273
Allen	102	125	341
Thompson	102	103	324
Totals	454	475	1420

ARUNDEL (2)			
R. Parsons	101	97	292
Brent	85	93	269
Driscoll	96	93	285
DeClercq	103	90	292
Armstrong	109	111	327
Totals	493	488	1465

BALMORAL (2)			
Kefferstan	114	85	286
Warhurst	114	101	311
Moriarty	109	91	290
Proctor	80	91	283
Pulster	80	107	290
Totals	497	475	1460

CARISBROOKE (2)			
Sughrue	82	94	262
Mosher	90	97	294
Greenfield	92	98	278
Reilly	100	107	307
O'Connor	101	102	315
Totals	465	498	1446

ARGYLE (2)			
Chalk	108	117	331
Kefferstan	84	92	263
Anderson	103	96	295
Parsons	115	92	309
Dummy	95	95	285
Totals	505	492	1474

ANDOVER TOWN LEAGUE			
(Recreation Alleys)			
HILL'S HARDWARE (4)			
Hatch	94	112	326
G. Gargill	122	109	364
J. Donahey	99	115	317
R. Gargill	110	107	325
Boudreau	108	109	320
Totals	533	552	1652

GRECOES (0)			
Haji	90	100	284
Fitzgerald	77	71	229
Greco	112	91	285
Viveney	121	96	306
McCullom	128	103	328
Totals	528	461	1432

ANDOVER COAL (1)			
A. Holden	115	94	306
Glata	94	103	307
C. Erler	108	110	330
W. Holden	111	89	287
Low	110	116	330
Totals	538	512	1560

ROYAL CROWN (3)			
Glata	95	95	288
Tudisco	95	105	277
Anderson	120	125	367
Moranto	127	132	377
Moranto	127	122	377
Totals	533	579	1655

P.A. Football Schedule For 1949 Announced

Phillips academy announced today its football schedule for 1949. All games are at Andover unless otherwise noted. The schedule is as follows:

Oct. 1—Massachusetts Maritime academy.
Oct. 8—Harvard Freshmen.
Oct. 15—Yale Freshmen (at New Haven).
Oct. 22—Springfield Freshmen.
Oct. 29—Williams Freshmen.
Nov. 5—Tufts Freshmen.
Nov. 12—Exeter (at Exeter).

PUNCHARD H.S. BASKETBALL

The Punchard varsity basketball team had no difficulty in scoring a 55-3 victory over the Alumni team at the local gym last Friday.

PUNCHARD (55)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Dwyer, lf	8	0	16
McVey, lf	0	0	0
Chetson, rf	4	0	8
Watson, rf	1	0	2
Deyermund, c	3	5	11
Hall, c	1	0	2
Deveaux, lg	1	0	2
Mulse, lg	2	1	5
Collins, lg	1	1	3
Craig, rg	1	4	6
Maucieri, rg	0	0	0
Totals	22	11	55

ALUMNI (30)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
W. Morrissey, lf	1	0	2
Demers, lf	3	1	7
Phinney, rf	1	2	4
Kydd, rf	1	1	3
Davey, c	3	0	6
Morocco, c	0	0	0
Gorden, lg	0	0	0
Wetterberg, lg	1	0	2
Munroe, rg	0	2	2
E. Morrissey, rg	0	0	0
Waterman, rg	0	4	4
Totals	10	10	30

CENTRAL CAFE (1)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Ferrier	108	103	312
Stewart	127	104	319
Craig	114	105	335
Dummy	87	90	272
Dummy	83	91	261
Totals	519	493	1500

FRED'S LUNCH (3)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Milne	96	91	272
Nicoll	112	125	353
Gordon	83	90	283
Earley	87	105	290
Nelligan	103	106	307
Totals	481	517	1505

THE ORPHANS (3)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Blery	86	109	273
R. Carbill	94	110	291
Kelly	106	98	301
R. Donahey	81	82	268
D. Erler	110	122	339
Totals	477	524	1482

ENGINEERS (1)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Estell	84	88	252
Witzgall	88	108	282
McDonald	83	95	279
Smith	132	109	341
Prevost	97	123	345
Totals	484	523	1468

PUNCHARD WINS, 59-41

Punchard continued its winning streak at Chelmsford Tuesday, taking a 59 to 41 victory over Chelmsford. The Junior Varsity five lost, 55 to 44.

PUNCHARD (59)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Dwyer, lf	6	2	14
Watson, lf	1	0	2
McVey, lf	0	0	0
Chetson, rf	5	0	10
Mulse, rf	1	1	3
Deyermund, c	3	2	8
Hall, c	0	0	0
Deveaux, lg	5	0	10
Maucieri, lg	0	0	0
Craig, rg	5	2	14
Collins, rg	0	0	0
Totals	26	7	59

CHELMSFORD (41)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Curruthers, lf	8	1	17
Wright, lf	0	0	0
Spanos, lf	0	0	0
MacElroy, rf	4	0	8
Williams, rf	0	0	0
Hayward, c	3	0	6
Hicks, c	0	1	1
Marshall, lg	0	2	2
Reise, lg	0	0	0
W. MacHugh, rg	3	1	7
R. MacHugh, rg	0	0	0
Totals	18	5	41

Score by periods:			
1	2	3	4
Punchard	7	19	17
Chelmsford	8	3	11
Referees:	Rourke,	Meegan.	
Time of periods:	4-8s.		

PUNCHARD J.V. (41)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Stack, lf	5	2	12
Wetterberg, rf	4	1	9
McCarthy, rf	1	0	2
McCollum, c	4	2	8
Calder, c	1	0	2
Gerrish, lg	0	1	1
Dimlich, lg	0	0	0
Lawrence, rg	2	0	4
Curry, rg	1	2	4
Totals	18	8	44

CHELMSFORD J.V. (55)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
Hoyle, lf	4	2	10
Carlson, lf	0	0	0
Parkhurst, lf	0	0	0
Taylor, rf	1	0	2
Merrill, rf	2	1	5
Haberman, c	8	3	19
Whitesides, c	0	0	0
Davis, lg	7	2	16
Chambers, lg	0	0	0
Bicknell, rg	1	1	3
Callahan, rg	0	0	0
Totals	23	9	55

Score by periods:			
1	2	3	4
Chelmsford	12	11	14
Punchard	5	14	6

Phone 3-4000 — Res. 9088			
Dr. Joseph B. McCavitt			
CHIROPDIST - PODIATRIST			
351 Essex St. Lawrence, Mass.			

WOMEN'S THURSDAY LEAGUE

(Shawsheen Alleys)

MARINES (1)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
L. Littlefield	77	71	227
M. Littlefield	100	89	298
I. Killilea	83	80	254
W. Gerrish	94	97	278
C. Fiedler	88	100	290
Totals	442	437	1347

AIR CORPS (3)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
B. Todd	80	97	271
J. Dean	106	90	300
M. Fowler	96	107	292
E. Briggs	116	84	273
B. Byrne	90	89	272
Totals	488	466	1408

NAVY (1)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
L. Proctor	89	99	270
A. Powers	88	76	238
L. Leighton	80	83	242
M. Rielly	90	110	286
Totals	347	368	1036

ARMY (3)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
A. Vaughan	76	97	251
E. Dodge	111	104	288
G. Carr	102	84	261
J. Petrie	91	93	272
Totals	380	378	1072

C.B.'S (1)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
I. Briggs	82	81	253
G. Blamire	90	77	252
R. Dolan	93	70	241
H. Rielly	80	95	264
Dummy	79	58	202
Totals	424	381	1219

COAST GUARD (3)			
FG.	F.	Pts.	
E. Schaberg	83	58	217
E. Reed	87	83	250
M. Anderson	81	84	241
N. Himmer	79	89	261
M. Butler	91	85	269
Totals	421	399	1236

A. Vaughan	76	97	78	29
E. Dodge	111	104	73	28
G. Carr	102	84	75	26
J. Petrie	91	93	88	27

PUNCHARD HIGH

By PATRICIA PETERKIN

BROADCAST

This Friday morning on radio station WCCM the regular broadcast of the public schools will feature two talented girls at the piano. Martha Ann and Janet Fieldhouse will give a number of pieces arranged for two pianos. The program will probably include "Czardas," by Monti and "Bolero," by Monskowski. Listen every Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock to station WCCM for the school broadcast.

Midyears

The end of January will find the students at Punchard working hard on midyear exams for the first time in four years. The examinations will be held the 26th, 27th, and the 28th of this month.

Student Council

A meeting was held recently of those students elected earlier in the year as members of the Student Council. A temporary president and secretary were elected until the constitution has been revised. John Craig was elected

president, and Anne Kenney, secretary. The group is now working on the revision.

Good Government Day

Friday, January 14, has been set by the governor of this state as Good Government day. Schools in this vicinity, namely, Andover, Methuen, and North Andover, will then be electing a representative and a senator, who will later go to the capitol to take over the running of the state for a day.

Girls' Basketball

After much practice, intramural basketball has now got underway at Punchard. Miss Frances Collins, girl's physical director is directing. Four teams have been formed, one in the sophomore class, two in the junior class, and one in the senior class. Captains of these teams are as follows: Sophomores — Ruth Sweeney, Juniors — Virginia Buntin and Barbara Parsons, Seniors — Andrea Weyman. The sophomore team consists of about ten girls, the junior teams of about eight each, and the senior, six.

From these teams will be chosen the star team to represent the school in the two games played with other schools, at the end of the season, one away, and one at home.

Assembly

On Thursday another of the combined assemblies with the Junior High school was held presenting David Edward Starry, an authority on "West Indian Witchcraft." Mr. Starry has traveled extensively working his way, many times, on freighters, luxury liners, fruit boats, and oil tankers.

With a large map, he gave a brief account of the West Indian history, and thereby gave a background to his subject. By telling of his own experiences, he explained the intricacies of West Indian society. He then took the audience on a trip with him to the center of the island of Jamaica, later to Haiti, telling of a West Indian wake, strange superstitions connected with childhood and the burial of the dead, and what a peasant does if a witch doctor runs away with his soul and forgets to bring it back.

To close his program, he brought in a touch of his own Pennsylvania "Pow-Wow."

Honor Roll

The time for report cards rolled around again recently and 85 students made the honor roll this term.

Honors in Five Subjects were awarded as follows:

Seniors: Patricia Black and Janice Bowen.

Juniors: Gregory Arabian, Jean Dumont, Andrea Hofer, *Martha Ann Fieldhouse, *Arlene Kupis, Shirley Pilgrim, and Joan Sullivan.

Sophomores: Grace Engel, Janet Fieldhouse, Phyllis Johnson, Shirley McCabe, Patricia Peterkin, Frances Ratyna, Betty Sunderland and Laura Thompson.

Honors in Four Subjects were awarded to the following:

Seniors: Jean Auchterlonie, Ruth Ann Chadwick, Russell Doyle, Carl Gahan, Joan Birch, Dorothy Christie, Douglas Hart, Anne Kenney, Betty Jane O'Connor, William McKeown and Maurice Shea.

Juniors: Nancy Chadwick, Raymond Collins, Helen Glennie, Kent Donovan, Eva Givino, Claire Henderson, Lolita Machon, Donald Mudgett, Ann Marie Murray, Robert Prescott, Joseph Ratyna, David Wetterberg, Allen Wood and Paula Valz.

Sophomores: *Bessie Christie, Clifford Lawrence, Harry Morrissey, Jeannette Saroa, and Jane Young.

Honors in Three Subjects were won by:

Seniors: Beverly Arthur, Robert Bachmann, Teresa Beaudoin, Joyce Demers, Ruth Mears, Elizabeth Lloyd, Phillip Tanoian, Judith Napier, James Ross and David Anderson.

Juniors: Virginia Buntin, Brian Caldwell, Ethel Campbell, Beatrice Bourassa, Doris Halbach, Edward Lawson, Marilyn Jaspert, John McCarthy, Nancy Southwick, Kingman Webster and Carol Sunderland.

Sophomores: Bruce Emerick, Sally Bassett, Shirley Bushway, Evelyn Dufresne, Janet Hall, Louis Hamilton, Irene Harnden, Richard Hincley, Elizabeth Locke, Mary Morrissey, Arthur Mooney, Thomas Wilkinson, Marion White, Charles McCullom, Betty Wilson, and Blanche Znamierowski.

* Highest honors in four subjects.

During the second World War, the nation's railroads carried more than 97 per cent of all organized military travel and more than 90 per cent of the war freight. They performed more than 70 per cent of all freight service of every kind.

ASBESTOS SIDING

New beauty in Johns Manville Permatone Colored Asbestos Siding. Also Insulated Brick and Stone. Roofing. Estimates Free.

WILLIAM P. DOYLE
Foster Circle, And. — Tel. 1483

MID WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

With Drastic Price Reductions
NOW GOING ON

EARLINGTON'S

502 ESSEX STREET

LAWRENCE



Register of Probate John J. Costello of North Andover, 32-year-old Boston college and Harvard university graduate, is shown at his desk in Salem after he had been sworn into office for a six year term.

AT THE LIBRARY

New Books

Among the new books at the Library are the following, any of which may be borrowed for home use:

The Fire Ballon

Moore
Another delightful story of Maine by the author of "The Weir" and "Spoonhandle." This time her story is of the growing up of one of the girls of the community and her gradual appreciation of the simplicity of her way of living.

Dinner At Antoine's

Keyes
Orson Foxworth, at a showy dinner party given for his charming, but still unattached niece, Ruth Avery, reserves his courtship of a beautiful widow; within 30 hours the widow's daughter is found dead and from that moment the keenest detection is on the trail. Long, typically Southern in style, this is very much in the fashion of the earlier Keyes' books.

A Clouded Star

Parrish
Historical novel of the pre-war South, based largely on the life and experiences of Harriet Tubman, the negro "Moses" who conducted the slaves to freedom by way of the underground railroad. Well written.

Long After Summer

Nathan
A peculiarly sad story of Cape Cod, and of a child who is taken from an asylum to the home of her father, who refuses to acknowledge her. It is only through her work in another house that she finds friendship and human understanding.

Famous Dog Stories

Cooper
Twenty-five tales and sketches of good dogs, gay dogs, smart dogs, American and foreign dogs, little and big dogs. The illustrations are vivid, amusing and plentiful.

Bright Leaf

Fitz-Simons
Laid in the Carolina tobacco country, this is the story of an idea, scooped by the Major Singleton who could have made it into a fortune, and sent to Brant Royle, the town's most useless member, whose drive and fierce anger and resentment turned the idea into a fortune.

The Big Fisherman

Douglas
Simon Peter, most lovable of the Apostles of Jesus, is the fisherman who left his nets to follow the Master. Throughout the book the great personality of Christ is of first interest, but the undercurrent

of the times is vividly pictured, with the feuds of Jews and Arabs in the background. Author is Lloyd Douglas, who has written such splendid books as "Magnificent Obsession," "Green Light" and "The Robe."

The Shining Mountains

Van Every
One man's greatest ambition was to reach the Shining mountains with Lewis and Clark, but it finally was his lot to make this trip by himself. Wild country, adventures with Indian traders and trappers make this man's reading.

Elizabeth, Captive Princess

Irwin
This book follows on from where "Young Bess" ended, and covers the dramatic period beginning with the death of young Edward VI and the nine-day reign of Lady Jane Grey, and ending after the marriage of Queen Mary to Philip of Spain.

Mountain Laurel, Emery; Gentlemen, Hush!, Wheelwright; Space Cadet, Heinlein; Gay Pursuit, Cadell; The Red Chair Waits, Huggins; Corn Gold Farm, Corey; Sunnycove, Walden; Prize Stories of 1948, O. Henry Memorial Award; Chrysanthia, Drake; Favorite Animal Stories, Salten; I Hear Adventure Calling, Loring; River To The West, Jennings.

Harold Bauer, His Book Bauer
The brilliant concert pianist tells his own story of his childhood in Victorian London, his early musical experience as a violinist, of his meeting with Paderewski and of his turning to the piano. In the early 1900's he came to the United States where he has gained the affection of the American public.

Has Editorial Praise For John J. Costello

In an editorial discussing the Boston Municipal Research Bureau, the Boston Herald said recently:

"First it lost its admirable secretary, Richard A. Atkins, to a more lively new bureau in Syracuse, N. Y., and then its promising acting secretary, John J. Costello (of North Andover) got himself elected register of probate in Essex county to the city's loss. It is hoped that the newly appointed secretary, Francis X. Moloney, will stay a while and get this important watch-dog agency back on the beam."

Mr. Costello has just taken over the duties of his new office.

ROOFING

ROOF REPAIRING
OF ALL KINDS
25 Years of Experience
All Work Covered
By Insurance

HENRY E. GOSSE
HAGGETT'S POND ROAD
WEST ANDOVER
Telephone Lawrence 38805

Fuel & Range Oil
ANDOVER COAL
COMPANY

27 MAIN ST. TEL. 365

**RADIO REPAIR
SERVICE**
TEMPLE'S

66 MAIN STREET TEL. 1175



Thrifty shoppers have found that they don't have to wait for a "sale" to buy furniture at reasonable prices. Our every-day-in-the-year prices are lower than the usual "sale" price.

Compare and see for yourself.

THE FURNITURE BARN

WILSON'S CORNER

NORTH ANDOVER

WALLPAPER
ALLIED PAINT STORES
JOSEPH T. GAGNE, President
34 Amesbury St. Lawrence

**TYPING
MIMEOGRAPHING
ADDRESSING**
Andover Letter Service
18 PARK ST. TEL. 1295

Watch Words

Choose a Dependable
and Beautiful Watch

AT

John H. Grecoe's

JEWELRY STORE
48 MAIN ST. TEL. 830-R



Reto Originals

CUSTOM-MADE MILLINERY

Telephone 31306

134 JACKSON STREET — LAWRENCE, MASS.

FREE PARKING **ANDOVER
PLAYHOUSE** TEL. 11-W

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — January 14, 15

King of The Bandits	Edmond Gwenn	Donald Crisp
	3:05 6:00	8:55
Hills of Home	Gilbert Roland	Angela Greene
(Lassie)	1:45 4:40	7:35

SUNDAY, MONDAY — January 16, 17

Decision of Christopher Blake	Ted Donaldson	Alexis Smith
	3:25 6:20	9:15
Racing Luck	Gloria Henry	David Bruce
	2:10 5:05	8:00
March of Time		
	1:50 4:45	7:40

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — January 18, 19, 20

When My Baby Smiles At Me	Betty Grable	Dan Dailey
	3:05 6:00	8:55
Golden Eye	Charlie Chan	Donald Winters
	1:45 4:40	7:35

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — January 21, 22

Three Musketeers	Lana Turner	Gene Kelly
	2:35 5:30	8:25
This Is America		
	2:00 4:55	7:50
Short Subject		
	1:45 4:40	7:35

USUAL SATURDAY MORNING CHILDREN'S MOVIE - 10 O'CLOCK
Feature Western Picture Junior G Man (Serial)
Cartoons and Short Subjects

**SEE
AND
HEAR**

**RCA VICTOR
TELEVISION**

GILBOARD'S — ANDOVER

Located in the

ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

PARK STREET

PHONE 1822-M

Red Cross Donors For

Plans for the collection when the Red Cross comes to the South church, Jan. 31, are being by Andover chapter under leadership of its Blood chairman, Harry I. Emm.

The value of the blood to the community was clearly on New Year's the local chapter received for eight pints of blood an Andover citizen fight.

The extent of the program Cross officials point out, only by the number of people are willing to give the New donors are urgently because new uses for whole and blood fractions are being developed by medicalists.

Some who have been with blood donations during wartime are now unable either because of some condition or because they had some of the illness make their blood unacceptable medical authorities. Some who can be counted on to be turned down on itself because of a cold.

Local officials point they can do an adequate blood bank only if a number of donors to fill the empty places. It possible will be done to the comfort and well donors.

In addition, the chapter of nurses for the Mrs. Charles Gregory, is women for her commitment. Dino Valz and Mrs. Fred registered nurses, and lace Brimer and Mrs. E. nurses' aides, have arranged. Others will be added.

Persons who donate make a contribution to safety, since they will be accepted if undue risk is Prospective donors are call Red Cross headquarters and register. (Tel. 1496) Activities of the local are being aired through the courtesy of Thursday mornings at o'clock. On Jan. 6, M

Lawrence's Oldest

THE WORLD'S MOST HONORED

Longines

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

LONGINES-WITTNAUER

Red Cross Chapter Seeks Donors For Blood Bank

Plans for the collection of blood when the Red Cross mobile unit comes to the South church, Monday, Jan. 31, are being developed by Andover chapter under the leadership of its Blood Program chairman, Harry I. Emmons.

The value of the blood program to the community was shown clearly on New Year's day when the local chapter received a call for eight pints of blood to help an Andover citizen fight for life.

The extent of the program, Red Cross officials point out, is limited only by the number of people who are willing to give their blood. New donors are urgently needed, because new uses for whole blood and blood fractions are constantly being developed by medical scientists.

Some who have been generous with blood donations ever since wartime are now unable to give, either because of some temporary condition or because they have had some of the illnesses which make their blood unacceptable to medical authorities. Still others who can be counted on to register may be turned down on the day itself because of a cold.

Local officials point out that they can do an adequate job at the blood bank only if others volunteer as donors to fill the otherwise empty places. Everything possible will be done to safeguard the comfort and well-being of donors.

In addition, the chapter's chairman of nurses for the program, Mrs. Charles Gregory, is enlisting women for her committee. Mrs. Dino Valz and Mrs. Fred Eastman, registered nurses, and Mrs. Wallace Brimer and Mrs. Evan Nason, nurses' aides, have already signed up. Others will be added.

Persons who donate blood can make a contribution with entire safety, since they will not be accepted if undue risk is involved. Prospective donors are asked to call Red Cross headquarters now and register. (Tel. 1496).

Activities of the local chapter are being aired this month through the courtesy of WCCM Thursday mornings at 10:30 o'clock. On Jan. 6, Mrs. James

Eaton, Mrs. J. J. Tavern and Mrs. Ellen McCollum dramatized "Over the Office Desk."

Today, Mrs. James Eaton, Ernest S. Young, Mrs. Leon Field, Mrs. John P. Connors and Mrs. Winsor Gale spoke about the services given at the Bedford hospital. The Jan. 20 and 27 broadcasts will be devoted to the blood program.

At 3:15 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 15, Dr. Ross T. McIntyre will discuss the national blood program accomplishments of the past year and future developments. All interested persons are urged to listen in.

Dutch Elm Disease Spreads In County

A recent communication from the shade tree disease laboratory of the University of Massachusetts indicates that more than 2,800 elm trees in Massachusetts have been discovered to have been infected with Dutch elm disease, says the Essex Farmer and Home-maker. More than 1,700 of these have been discovered within the past twelve months. Thirty-two trees in ten cities and towns of Essex County are included in the list, namely: Andover, Haverhill, Lynn, Manchester, Marblehead, Methuen, Nahant, Salem, Saugus and Swampscott.

"So rapidly is the infection spreading throughout the state that it is evident that each city and town should conduct a program to combat Dutch elm disease vigorously, whether or not actual cases of the disease have been reported in the immediate vicinity," says Dr. Malcolm A. McKenzie, who is in charge of the shade tree disease laboratory at the university.

Dr. McKenzie goes on to point out that fall and early winter are the ideal time to wipe out the elm bark beetle, carrier of the Dutch elm disease. The program for combatting the disease calls for the immediate burning of broken elm material. Every public minded citizen should cooperate in this program.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Members of the Andover Historical society are invited to attend the winter meeting of the Bay State Historical league at 2:30 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 15, in the Lowell house at Harvard university.

Dr. Elliot Perkins, house master of Lowell house, will bring the greetings from the university. Dr. Louis M. Lyons, a distinguished member of the Harvard faculty and curator of the Nieman foundation will be the guest speaker. He will tell some of the recent day developments of this modern world and what Harvard is doing along these lines.

Following Dr. Lyons' address, refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed.

Communicable Diseases Show Increase in 1948

Almost 104,000 cases of communicable diseases were reported to the Mass. Dept. of Public Health during 1948, Dr. Roy Feemster, director of the Division of Communicable Disease, announced recently.

This figure is approximately 25% higher than that of the previous year but only slightly higher than 1946. The 1948 prevalence is much lower than that of 1943 when 138,000 cases of communicable diseases were reported.

"The high prevalence of 1948 is largely due to an excess of more than 30,000 in reported cases of measles, mumps, and scarlet fever compared to the previous year," Dr. Feemster explained. "On the other hand, there was a considerable drop in the number of cases of whooping cough reported."

Diphtheria declined from 433 cases in 1947 to 275 in 1948, due to the speeding up of diphtheria immunization programs. The disease continues to be prevalent, however, in Boston and the communities immediately north in spite of these immunization programs. The number of adults affected has been on the increase.

Poliomyelitis dropped to 175 cases during 1948 after four years of increased prevalence.

Dr. Feemster pointed out that cases of trichinosis continued to occur in spite of many warnings that all pork products should be thoroughly cooked. Also, cases of undulant fever continued to be discovered primarily in those who preferred to use raw milk instead of pasteurized. The downward trend in pulmonary tuberculosis has been temporarily arrested, a slight increase in cases being reported during 1948.

Vaccination against smallpox has kept the disease out of the state for almost 17 years. Good sanitation continues to keep typhoid fever at a very low level.

Y.W.C.A. SEWING CLASSES

A sewing class will be formed Saturday at the Y.W.C.A. in Lawrence for teen age girls and women unable to take the evening courses. Mrs. Daniel Morgan will be the instructor.

Classes will meet from 10 a. m. to noon every Saturday for 10 weeks. Those interested are asked to register early as the number will be limited. More information may be obtained at the "YW" desk.

RED CROSS

Officers and directors of Andover chapter, American Red Cross, will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Veterans' service office at the Town house.

★KEEP BUYING BONDS★

LOUIS SCANLON'S

★ON THE ANDOVER LINE★

SAW A FIGHT

Outside our store a few years ago between two young boys—the taller of the two was also about 15 or 20 lbs. heavier—he really pushed the small boy around, but the younger fellow didn't quit! He kept boring in and did the best he could.

The small Independent grocer today is really being pushed around by BIG OPERATORS—they are really punishing us—they're hitting BELOW THE BELT! (that's enough to lose the fight in regular boxing matches). We've taken those FOUL PUNCHES as long as it was physically possible to do so—those punches HURT!

Your Independent grocer has been playing the game fair and square ever since grocery stores came into being—Who do these big operators think they are? These FOUL PUNCHES are being seen by millions of customers who don't like it either. Why don't they play the game fair and square?

About the two boys? ... The smaller one got help from his pals and the other fellow quit!

THE ROCKPORT MARKET

TELEPHONE ANDOVER 1234 — ACCOMODATION SERVICE

Study Courses Open At Library, Jan. 17

Those who have registered or mean to do so for one or more of the study groups at the Memorial Hall library will be interested in the final selections and the dates of opening.

Monday evening, Jan. 17, Alston Chase will meet with the group interested in reading and discussing "The Republic," by Plato. For a period of eight weeks this group will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. There is no charge for the course, although each person attending is expected to buy a copy of the text used, and these will be taken care of by the library. There is no limit to the number who wish to attend, and late comers may register on the opening evening.

Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 7:30 p. m., two groups will meet: Pencil Sketching, open to beginners and those who attended last year and who have done some work in sketching; and Personality and Personal Appearance.

The sketching class is limited, so that pre-registration is important. There are a few vacancies at the moment. Both courses have the usual fee of \$5 for the eight evenings, and the sketching students will have a very small charge for materials used.

Maude P. Gregson will conduct the group in Personality and Personal Appearance. She has had wide experience in the lecture field, and has been very successful in her work with women's clubs.

Born in England, educated there and in America, she has followed an intriguing chain of experiences from noted London and Paris designers to the United States as a women's buyer and personality consultant to American specialty shops.

These classes will run for a period of eight weeks from 7:30 to 9 p. m. each evening. Those who have failed to register for the latter course may do so at the opening meeting.

Music Appreciation dates will be announced later. Those who have shown interest in the course will be notified.

Torch Bearer

Curious Civilian—Is it true that wild beasts in the jungle won't harm you if you carry a torch?

Pacific Veteran—That all depends on how fast you carry it.



ANNIVERSARY WEEK

The 39th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America which took place Feb. 10, 1910, will be celebrated by a Boy Scout week from Feb. 6 through Feb. 12. Feb. 6 has been designated Scout Sunday and appropriate religious services for Catholic and Protestant scouts will be announced.

Troop 76 of Ballardvale meets each Tuesday evening in the scout room of the Ballardvale fire house under the leadership of Scoutmaster Arnold Schofield.

Troop 72 of the Free church did not meet during the holidays. Friday evening, Jan. 7, they met for the first time in three weeks under the leadership of Scoutmaster David MacCord. The troop committee met Monday evening, Jan. 3.

Troop 76 of Christ church, after an interval of three weeks between meetings, met Friday evening, Jan. 7 in the parish house with Scoutmaster George Luedke in charge. Patrol Leader Peter Caswell has passed the requirements for the public health, bookbinding and cooking merit badges. Following the opening exercises and business meeting, the activity of the evening, Morse signaling, was taken up. Signaling will be continued at future meetings to improve the sending and receiving technique of the troop. Tentative plans for a troop money-raising project were discussed.

After the three weeks' suspension of activities in observance of the holidays, Troop 73 of the South church will meet regularly each Friday evening. Scoutmaster Leslie Mullin has announced that a board of review will be held soon for advancement of scouts to second and first class ranks. The troop has been concentrating on instruction for advancement. Scoutmaster Mullin is assisted by Junior Assistant Scoutmaster Alan Douglass.

Troop officers or scribes are asked to send news to Jack Caswell at 5 Dunbarton st., not later than Monday of each week so that the news can be at the Townsman office by Tuesday morning. If news is delayed, send it direct to the Townsman office with the notation that it is to be added to the Boy Scout column.

Troop Visitors
Friday evening, Jan. 7, Troops 70, 72, and 73 were honored to have District Chairman Calvin Metcalf present at their meetings. District Chairman Walter Caswell also visited Troop 70 that evening.

Commissioners' Meeting
A meeting of all commissioners scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 11 was postponed and a tentative date, Tuesday, Jan. 25, has been announced by Scout Executive Harvey Bacon. The main topic of the meeting will be plans for the Anniversary week and the two-year program directed toward the strengthening of the organization.

Make Your Winter Reservations Now for the 6 to 18 Day Cruises to Bermuda, West Indies, South America and Europe, on many of the famous steamships. Also Air Plane Reservations to All Parts of the Country and Abroad.

ANDOVER TRAVEL BUREAU

Fred E. Cheever, Mgr.

21 MAIN STREET, ANDOVER PHONE 775 OR 1098

GIGANTIC STOCK REDUCING SALE

10 DAYS ONLY

OUR STOCK REDUCED TO

NEW LOWER PRICES

OF THE MARKET

PLUS a 20% DISCOUNT

... except SPECIAL ITEMS which will be sold at 1/2 PRICE TO CLOSE OUT

2 Big Floors OF YARD GOODS

● RAYONS ● COTTONS ● WOOLENS ● DRAPERY FABRICS
● SLIPCOVER and UPHOLSTERY FABRICS ● SHEETS ● PILLOW CASES
● TOWELS ● TABLE COVERS ● BLANKETS

ART-TEX SHOPS, Inc.

2 CHARLES STREET METHUEN

Open Tuesday, Friday and Saturday Until 9 P.M.

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday Until 6 P.M.

VISIT OUR NEW DEPARTMENT TODAY

Open Tuesday and Friday Evenings Until 9

Private Demonstrations Can Be Arranged by Calling

Andover 1822-M. 1939-J, or 838-R

WILLIAM C. COLLINS

ARTHUR B. LAVELY



RCA Victor 8T243 AC operation.

SEE

IN

ACTION

TODAY

GILBOARD'S — ANDOVER

Located in the

ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

PARK STREET

PHONE 1822-M

Lawrence's Oldest Jeweler

THE WORLD'S MOST HONORED WATCH



Wittnauer

A LONGINES-WITTNAUER PRODUCT
Longines, "The world's most honored watch" - winner of 10 world's fair grand prizes - 28 gold medals - official watch for the U. S. Olympic Committee. Wittnauer, "distinguished companion watch to the honored Longines for more than half a century". Longines watches from \$71.50. Wittnauer watches from \$39.75.

Prices include Federal tax

Caliri Inc.

447 Essex St. Tel. Law. 23330

Reverse Calls Received

DEFERRED PAYMENTS ARRANGED

Authorized Agency for

Longines-Wittnauer Watches

OBITUARIES...

MRS. ANNIE A. MINZNER

Mrs. Minnie A. (Hoffmann) Minzner, mother of Arthur H. Minzner of 72 Haverhill st., Shawheen Village, died Saturday morning at her home after a brief illness. Born in February, 1879, in Saxony, Germany, she came to this country 55 years ago. She had lived on Ferry st., Lawrence, until the death of her husband, Hugo V. Minzner, in December, 1947, when she moved to her son's home in Shawheen.

A member of Christ Presbyterian church, Lawrence, for the past 50 years, she was a charter member of the Ladies' Aid society of that church and past president of the Women's auxiliary to the Lawrence Typographical union.

She is survived by her son; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Otto of Clifton, N. J.; a brother, Paul B. Hoffmann of Penacook, N. H.; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S.
LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE
HARRY E. CLOUGH
117 CHESTNUT STREET
TEL. ANDOVER 111

"Things Different"

Sooner or later . . . it's bound to snow

sooner or later, you'll need **SKI WEAR**

Our selection is now complete . . . so buy sooner!

Michael Jay's
ANDOVER
"THINGS DIFFERENT"

NOT FOR A MILLION DOLLARS
could you get any other truck

WITH ALL THESE FEATURES

Ford Model F-6 shown. Gross Vehicle Weight rating, up to 15,500 lbs. with 8.25-20 tires. When used as tractor, gross combination weight rating, up to 28,000 lbs.



Your Ford Dealer invites you to listen to the Fred Allen Show, Sunday Evenings—NBC Network at 8:00 E.S.T. Listen to the Ford Theater, Friday Evenings—CBS Network at 9:00 E.S.T.

SEE US TODAY! Get the facts on the Ford Truck for '49 shown above, or on any one of over 139 different models in the Ford Truck line. Whatever you haul, and wherever you haul it, we've got the right kind of truck for your work. We've got 'em Bonus Built BIG . . . and Bonus Built SMALL . . . Bonus Built to handle anything you haul.

FORD Bonus Built TRUCKS
BUILT STRONGER TO LAST LONGER
USING LATEST REGISTRATION DATA ON 5,444,000 TRUCKS, LIFE INSURANCE EXPERTS PROVE FORD TRUCKS LAST LONGER!

Check With Us Regarding Early Delivery!

SHAWSHEEN MOTOR MART
47 HAVERHILL STREET ANDOVER

Personals

J. Harry Playdon, the local florist, has been confined by illness to his home in Shawheen Village.

Mrs. Charles Scott, former resident of Andover, and now of Detroit, Mich., was a weekend guest of Mrs. Lillian Buttrick of High st.

Many of the college crowd of Andover have returned to their respective alma maters to resume their studies. Among them are Miss Joan Blanchette, daughter of Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, Jr., who returned to House in the Pines in Norton, and Miss Katherine Bigelow of Salem st., and Miss Barbara Duke of Hidden Field, who returned to Smith college, Northampton.

Ruth A. Greenwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Greenwood, 3 Beecher circle, was recently honored for her scholastic achievements at Mount Holyoke college, South Hadley. An honor graduate of Lawrence High school, Miss Greenwood is also a graduate of the Katharine Gibbs school in Boston and served in the Spars during the war.

Miss Barbara Nicoll, a student nurse at Salem hospital, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nicoll, 72 Essex st.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reynolds and family, recently of 41 Washington ave., have moved into their newly erected home, 129 Summer st.

Master "Jimmie" Holden of 37 Red Spring rd., is able to be out, after being detained at his home, for a few days by illness.

RECORDINGS AVAILABLE FOR LIBRARY BORROWERS

The following recordings have been added to the growing collection of music albums that are loaned to borrowers at the Memorial Hall library. All recordings may be borrowed by adults for a period of one week.

Beethoven—Symphony No. 9 ("Choral"). Haydn—Symphony No. 94 in G ("Surprise"); Prokofiev—"Classical" symphony in D; Romberg—Student Prince; Sibelius—Symphony No. 5 in E flat major; Waring—"Twas the Night Before Christmas," and "Christmas Songs."

A bucket shop is a place where the customers bet on the raise or fall of stocks or commodities.

Sees Heavy Tax Burden In Proposed Budgets

Figured on its proportion of the national income, Massachusetts' share of the proposed \$41,848,000,000 federal budget for 1950 submitted to congress Monday would be \$1,523,621,000, the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers announced last night.

"This is only part of the tremendous tax burden that Massachusetts' citizens must carry this coming year," Norman MacDonald, federation executive director said.

"When you add to this record peacetime federal budget the staggering increases of from \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 contemplated for our state budget and the inevitable jump in the cost of local governments the tax figure is almost unbelievable."

A further breakdown of this enormous sum by the Federation shows that, if the federal budget were apportioned on a valuation basis, the share for cities and towns in this area would be as follows: Boston, \$315,985,876; Lawrence, \$22,717,341; Lowell, \$23,768,646; Haverhill, \$12,326,176; Methuen, \$4,997,510; Reading, \$4,357,585.

Boston's Fish Catch Highest on Record

Boston fisherman during 1948 produced the most valuable year's catch of fresh fish in the history of the Boston Fish pier, it was announced today by the Massachusetts Fisheries association.

The value of the 1948 catch as landed at the Boston Fish pier was \$16,113,969.82, an amount \$1,243,734.54 more than during 1947. Boston again topped the neighboring port of Gloucester in value of catch.

Boston's official catch of fresh fish totaled 199,347,099 pounds, as against 201,661,223 in 1947. A below-normal fish catch in Dec., caused the total for 1948 to drop slightly behind that of 1947.

Haddock and cod dominated the Boston fishermen's catch, although mackerel, whiting, redfish, pollock, and the various varieties of flounders were caught in large numbers.

Savings Bond Sale Increased in State

With the close of 1948 accounts in the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, a substantial gain is revealed in the sale of U. S. savings bonds in Massachusetts according to a statement released by James V. Toner, state chairman of the savings bonds division.

The year showed a gain in all series amounting to 22.47 per cent in overall sales above the total for 1947 and this places this state second in the entire Nation in increase of sales, being topped only by our neighboring State of Connecticut.

The yearly sales total amounted to \$267 million of Series E, F, and G Bonds, out of which \$109 million represents the sale of Series E Bonds.

Redemption of bonds during the same period has continually lessened and latest reports show that out of every dollar invested in U. S. savings bonds since 1941, 67.73 cents is still held by the original purchaser.

William Penn granted the city of Philadelphia its first charter in 1701.

The Lee-Chalmers Upholstery Shop

All types of furniture re-upholstered and refinished—Custom made furniture and slipcovers.
160 High Street Andover
Tel. 301-M

Town Topics

Among the 11 Essex county poultrymen who will compete for championship honors in the 101st annual Boston Poultry show, to be held at Mechanics building from Jan. 19-23, is Clarence Hinckley of Gloucester and the Flying Feather Farm of Andover.

Speaking in conjunction with a radio broadcast, sponsored by the Smaller Business Association of New England, Inc., Frank J. McArdle, well-known advertising and public relations executive of 22 Central st., was heard over Station WNAC and the Yankee Network last Saturday.

Mrs. Sandra Miller and daughter, Patricia, of Buenos Aires, Argentina, are enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Lundgren, 50 Salem st. The Lundgrens met Mrs. Miller and her daughter last year, when they were attending the Latin American conference at the famous Hotel Quitandinha, Petropolis, Brazil, where Miss Miller was featured as a singer for over a year.

The three parking spaces with meters between the Town house and central fire station are so seldom used by the public that the selectmen are contemplating the removal of the meters to make parking space for town officials. Only the police department and board of public works have parking spaces adjoining the Town house.

Notice has been received by the selectmen that a competitive civil service examination which they requested for the position of sealer of weights and measures will be held as soon as the civil service department can make arrangements.

A deputy from the state income tax office was at the Town house Wednesday to assist persons in the preparation of their state income tax returns. Many took advantage of the opportunity to obtain the service offered.

New U. S. Tax Form For Lower Incomes

Denis W. Delaney, collector of internal revenue for the Massachusetts district, today called attention of taxpayers to the new optional Form 1040 income tax return blank. This is the new form which may be filed by most wage earners with incomes of less than \$5,000 who want the collector to compute their tax.

Formerly, a similar form was printed on the back of the withholding. This year, the form has been printed on a separate sheet of paper in order to provide more space for writing and instructions and to minimize problems of those taxpayers who work for more than one employer. Copies of the new form are available at most employers' offices, banks, post offices, and at the collector's office, 141 Milk st., Boston, and all branch offices.

Employers will continue to issue withholding statements to employees. Each employee must attach the original copy of each of his withholding statements to his income tax return, whether he files on the new Form 1040A or the regular income tax return blank, Form 1040.

By law, employers are required to furnish annual withholding statements for the year 1948 not later than January 31, unless in unusual circumstances they get an extension of time from the collector.

All Types of Cordwood Cut At Any Length Wanted Reasonable
GILBERT SORENSON
TELEPHONE 685-W

Local Corp. Acquires Main St. Property

The Rochdale corporation of Andover has acquired the two-story building on the southeast corner of Main and Chestnut sts.

Officers of the corporation, Frederick S. Allis, Jr., president, and Douglas B. Pittman, treasurer, also hold similar office in the Consumers Cooperative store, located in the building at 68 Main st. Mr. Allis said the purchase of the building was a move designed to protect the Consumers Cooperative interests.

The Daniel C. Hartigan pharmacy and Temple's Electric and Radio Shop, Inc., are also occupants of the building.

In the transaction the grantor was Atty. James C. Gaham of Belmont, executor of the will of Frederick Smith. Atty. Walter C. Tomlinson represented the Rochdale Realty cooperation.

Officers Elected By Sportsman's Club

At the meeting of the Andover Sportsman's club held Tuesday evening, Jan. 11, in the Peabody house, the following officers were elected: president, Benjamin Miller; vice-president, Edgar C. Haselton; treasurer, Norman Ellison; secretary, Forrest Noyes and corresponding secretary, Henri Boucher.

Kenneth E. Wade and Chester E. Harnden were elected to fill the two positions on the board of directors supplementing the officers who are automatically members of the board.

During the brief business meeting, the location of the new club house, which is to be erected on the club grounds, was approved, and members adjourned to enjoy a tasty lunch.

Wins \$502 Verdict In Suit Over Watch

A verdict of \$502.70 for the plaintiff has been awarded in the suit brought by John H. Greco, local jeweler, against Michael W. Mahar of Quincy and Elliot W. Engstrom of West Roxbury.

At a hearing in a jury-waived session before Judge Frank E. Smith in superior civil court at Lawrence, the plaintiff claimed that on last Feb. 18 he delivered a platinum and diamond watch to the defendants to have the crystal replaced, and that through negligence of the defendants the watch was lost and not returned. The defendants disclaimed any responsibility for the loss of the watch.

The plaintiff was represented by Atty. Charles G. Hatch. The defendants were represented by Atty. H. B. Paul of Boston.

Gypsum, serving 900 purposes in many fields, is one of the world's most versatile materials.

W. SHIRLEY BARNARD
Real Estate and Insurance
— at —
Main and Barnard Streets
Telephone 66

Protect YOUR HOME
REMOVE DANGEROUS OVERHANGING LIMBS OR DECAYED TREES
Amolio TREE SURGEONS
Tel. Manchester 300

PRESCRIPTIONS

Coumpounded Accurately

When your doctor sees our name on a bottle of medicine, he knows you have precisely what he ordered.

YOU MAY PAY YOUR TELEPHONE BILL HERE

HARTIGAN PHARMACY

Telephone 2073
18 Elm Street
Andover, Mass.

WEDDING

RUTTER—EVERS

In All Saints' Episcopal church, Belmont, Saturday, Jan. 9, the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murray Ramsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Rutter of 100 Brook st., was performed at 11 o'clock by the Rev. Frederick A. Belmont and the Rev. Moses of Andover.

Escorted to the chrysalis decorated altar by her brother, Paul Carlson Ramsay, wore a gold brocaded skirt styled with a tight fitting and full skirt with which a matching headpiece.

Nancy Priscilla Ramsay, her sister's only, wore a light green brocade with a matching headpiece carried a cascade bouquet of pink roses and snapdragons.

Wendall Carlson of West man and the ushers, Willard Currier and William, both of Andover, Simmers of Ballardvale, and a Ramsay of Belmont.

Mrs. Ramsay, mother of the bride, chose a grey-blue with a matching headpiece with a pink orchid.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Rutter, wore an emerald green with a matching hat and rubrum.

After the reception in church parlor, they left through the Laurentian residence in Andover where turn.

Mrs. Rutter is a graduate of Wheelock school and University and has been a faculty in the elementary schools. Her who is associated with Foods in Lawrence, is of the University of New York.

DEVINE—McCARTHY

Miss Margaret McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McCarthy of 30 Myrtle and the late James Devine, married at 4 o'clock on Jan. 8, in St. Augustine by the Rev. Thomas O.S.A.

The traditional wedding was played by the organist Mary F. Lanigan.

The bride wore a orchids on her smart and Mrs. John Hart, of honor and bride's sister, a wine suit with matching corsage of roses for the Thomas Callahan of cousin of the bridegroom man.

DAMP HOUSE SIDING—INSULATION ROOFING

Telephone 20488 A
200 MT. VERNON
594-B ESSEX ST.,

UPHOLSTERY
Chairs—Refinished—Wings—Blinds—Wings—High Grade Coverings for Lino Rugs—Mattress Packing—Shipping
ROWLAND L.
(Formerly Buchholz)
19 Barnard Street

ELECTRIFY YOUR RADIO DEVELOPMENT
Specially
HARD-OF-HEARING
The New
ACOUSTICON-R

A Hearing Aid Also An Incredible (Battery - Containing) Tom-Fitted RADIO in—Send coupon for details about reception—incredibly

ACOUSTICON OF I. E. C. STEVENSON, D. Room 305, Bay State Bldg.

I wish more information new ACOUSTICON-RADIO
Name
Address
City—Zone

WEDDINGS...

RUTTER—EVERS

In All Saints' Episcopal church, Belmont, Saturday, Jan. 8, Dorothy Ramsey Evers, daughter of Mrs. Frank Murray Ramsay, became the bride of Harold Archer Rutter, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Rutter of 18 Carlisle street. The candlelight service was performed at 8:30 p. m. by the Rev. Frederick Arterton of Belmont and the Rev. John S. Moses of Andover.

Escorted to the chrysanthemum-decorated altar by her brother, Paul Carlson Ramsay, the bride wore a gold brocaded satin gown styled with a tight fitting bodice and full skirt with which she wore a matching headpiece. She carried a bouquet of white lilies. Nancy Priscilla Ramsay of Belmont, her sister's only attendant, wore a light green brocaded gown with a matching headpiece and carried a cascade bouquet of light pink roses and snapdragons.

Wendall Carlson of Lynn was best man and the ushers were Willard Currier and Walter Wilson, both of Andover, Richard Simmers of Ballardvale, and Lawrence A. Ramsay of Belmont.

Mrs. Ramsay, mother of the bride, chose a grey-blue crepe with a matching headpiece and corsage of snapdragons centered with a pink orchid. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Rutter, wore an emerald green gown with matching hat and rubrum lilies.

After the reception held in the church parlor, they left for a trip through the Laurentians and will reside in Andover when they return.

Mrs. Rutter is a graduate of Wheelock school and Boston university and has been a member of the faculty in the Belmont elementary schools. Her husband, who is associated with Radio Foods in Lawrence, is a graduate of the University of North Carolina.

DEVINE—McCARTHY

Miss Margaret McCarthy of 20 High st., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McCarthy, and John Devine, son of Mrs. Mary Devine of 30 Myrtle st., Lowell, and the late James Devine, were married at 4 o'clock Saturday, Jan. 8, in St. Augustine's church by the Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A.

The traditional wedding music was played by the organist, Miss Mary F. Langan.

The bride wore a corsage of orchids on her smart gray suit and Mrs. John Hart, the matron of honor and bride's sister, chose a wine suit with matching hat and corsage of roses for the occasion.

Thomas Callahan of Lowell, a cousin of the bridegroom, was best man.

DAMPHOUSE SIDING — INSULATION ROOFING

Telephone 20488 Any Time
200 MT. VERNON STREET
504-B ESSEX ST., at B'way

UPHOLSTERING

Chairs — Reupholstering — Case Seating
Venetian Blinds — Window Shades
High Grade Coverings for Davenport
Lino Rugs — Mattresses, Bedding
Packing — Shipping — Crating

ROWLAND L. LUCE

(Formerly Buchanan's)
19 Barnard Street Tel. 1840

ELECTRIFYING RADIO DEVELOPMENT
Specially for HARD-OF-HEARING

The New ACOUSTICON-RADION

A Hearing Aid That Is Also An Incredibly TINY (Battery - Contained) Custom-Fitted RADIO. Come in—Send coupon at once—for details about amazing reception—incredible size!

*Pat. App. for

ACOUSTICON OF LAWRENCE

E. C. STEVENSON, DISTRIBUTOR

Room 305, Bay State Bldg. Lawrence, Mass.

I wish more information about the new ACOUSTICON-RADION.

Name

Address

City

State

Telephone

Enclose this coupon with your letter to:

ACOUSTICON OF LAWRENCE

After their reception at Shawheen manor, they left for a wedding trip to New York. When they return they will live at 30 Myrtle st., Lowell.

Engagements

Olson—Hardy

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Hardy announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith, to Norman R. Olson, son of Mrs. Robert C. Olson of Worcester, and the late Robert C. Olson.

A graduate of the University of Wisconsin, where she was a member of Delta Delta Delta, national sorority, she is now on the staff of the Y. W. C. A. in Worcester.

Her fiancée, a graduate of Worcester Polytechnic Institute, where he was a member of Theta Chi fraternity, served three years with the U. S. Navy, and now is associated with the Olson Manufacturing company of Worcester.

Darby—Hall

The engagement of Miss Evelyn Jane Hall to Merwyn K. Darby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Darby of East st., Tewksbury, was recently announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Hall of Dacombs rd., Ballardvale.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Essex Agricultural school and Wilfred academy and is now employed as a beautician at a Lawrence beauty salon. Her fiancée, who is a veteran of World War II, is a graduate of Tewksbury high school and is employed by the Megowen, Educator Foods company in Lowell.

HONORED AT TEA

Miss Marion E. Carpio, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carpio of 20 Bigelow st., Lawrence, who is to become the bride of Thomas J. Duff of 59 Maple ave., Andover, Sunday, Jan. 16, was recently entertained at a tea at the home of Miss Mary Elliot of 54 Bigelow st., Lawrence.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Nunzio J. Catanzaro, 5 Cornell rd., and Blagina B. Sampiri, 81 Elm st., Lawrence.

Arthur C. Towne, 28 Salem st., and Dorothy E. Souter, 174 No. Main st.

P.T.A. Clubs To Sponsor Famed Theatre Group

Children from all parts of Andover and Greater Lawrence are expected to fill the Memorial auditorium for the presentation of "Pinocchio" by the Clare Tree Major theatre players of New York and Boston Wednesday afternoon, Mar. 23, at 3 o'clock.

The Andover Central, Shawheen, Ballardvale, and North Andover Parent-Teacher associations have worked together for considerable time to make this event possible.

For the past two years a group of children from North Andover has been attending the whole series of six children's classics presented each theatre season and it is the ambition of this interested group of parents to be able to bring the complete series to Andover next year.

Members of the groups working on this project are attempting to keep the price at a reasonable level so that just as many children as possible will be able to attend this colorful performance.

SOUTH CHURCH NOTES

The annual meeting of the South church will be held Wednesday, Jan. 19, beginning with a supper at 6:30 o'clock. Reports for the year will be presented and plans for the future will be considered. A large attendance is desired and a meeting of fellowship and interest is anticipated.

At 10 a. m. on Jan. 16 the prayer study group will meet with Miss Davis at 90 Elm st. Coffee will be served.

Police Investigating Fatal Hit-Run Case

Police are still investigating the hit-run accident on Main st., New Year's eve in which Andrew N. Karakas received injuries which later resulted in his death.

Chief George A. Dane has sent the victim's clothing to the state police laboratory at Boston for a chemical analysis and expects a report soon.

Conferences with the family and inspectors of the registry of motor vehicles have been held but little further light has been thrown on the manner in which the accident occurred.



Hold on!
DON'T BUY
ANYTHING UNTIL
YOU'VE SEEN...

THE NEW Whitney FOLDING COACH

with
3 exclusive features!

IT'S SMARTER LOOKING!

Whitney's Invisible Folding Frame,† exclusive with Whitney, gives all the smartness of the expensive English coaches.

IT'S EASIER TO HANDLE!

Whitney's Steer-O-Matic Wheels,* only on Whitney carriages, turn corners automatically with just finger-tip guidance.

IT'S SMOOTHER RIDING!

Whitney's exclusive Center-Suspension Springs absorb practically all the jolts and jars before they reach the baby.



†Patents applied for.
*Patented under the Johnson System.

As Shown
49.95

Others from

39.95

to

69.95

Pollards

IN LOWELL

FIRE RECORD

Jan. 11—11:45 a. m., still alarm, for fire in ash bin in Jenkins estate, Lewis and N. Main sts.

Jan. 12—1:35 p. m., still alarm for grass fire on land owned by Darby and others at 19 Washington ave.

Jan. 12—2:13 p. m., still alarm, engine 3 responded with boat to rescue small dog from Shawheen river near Stevens st., but found that a state highway truck crew, passing the scene, had stopped and pulled the animal from the water by catching a rake under its collar.

Jan. 10—4:15 p. m., still alarm for slight fire in truck on Main st. opposite No. 115.

Jan. 10—4:48 p. m., call to open window at 41 Elm st. where woman had locked herself out of her apartment.

BIRTHS

Mailoux—A daughter, Sunday, Jan. 9, at the Clover Hill hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Mailoux, (Lena Jalbert) 19 Corbett rd.

Explorer To Discuss European Recovery

News analyst, explorer and author, John W. Vandercook is scheduled to speak at George Washington hall, Phillips academy, at 8:15 p. m., Friday, Jan. 21.

Having lived in or traveled through some 78 countries and participated actively in World War II as a commentator-correspondent, Mr. Vandercook is well-qualified to speak on his subject, "Is the Marshall Plan Working?"

In the years 1947-48, he revisited Europe to study post-war conditions and the operation of the European recovery program.

Mr. Vandercook is the author of several articles and books. He is currently at work on a novel with a locale set in present-day France. The lecture is open to the public. Doors will open at 7:30 p. m.

Subscribe to The Townsman
\$2.50 a Year

INDIAN RIDGE LODGE

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, 136 and Andover lodge I.O.O.F. will sponsor a public whist and domino party in the lodge rooms, Musgrove building at 8 p. m., Friday, Jan. 21st. Prizes will be awarded.

The committee includes, Ralph Berry, Mrs. Muriel Fisher and Miss Doris Gates, assisted by the entertainment committee of both lodges.

GARDEN CLUB

The Andover Garden club will hold its next meeting at 10 a. m., Tuesday, Feb. 1, at Andover Inn. Mrs. Clifford Parcher will discuss "Gardening in the Shade."

Federal and Massachusetts
INCOME TAX RETURNS
PREPARED
20 Years' Experience
Will Call at Your Home
JOHN E. GILCREAST
Telephone Andover 2108-W

ELANDER & SWANTON

LAST TWO DAYS!

GREAT
MID-WINTER

OVERCOATS — SUITS
TOPCOATS

Reg. \$49.50

\$34⁷⁵

Reg. \$60

\$44⁷⁵

Reg. \$69.50

\$54⁷⁵

McGregor All Wool Jackets—brown and green. Reg. \$18.95 \$9.50
Sport Coats—Odd lot, corduroys and wools. Reg. \$25.50 and \$25 \$12.50
Ski Caps—Gabardine and wool plaids. Reg. \$1.50 \$1.19

All Wool Shirts—Mostly plaids Reg. \$7.95 \$4.50

McGregor All Wool Sport Shirts—

plain colors. Reg. \$7.95 and \$8.95 \$6.50

McGregor Washable Wool Sport Shirts

Reg. \$10 \$7.95

Suede Jackets. Reg. \$22.50 \$15.00

Corduroy Reversible Jackets. Reg. \$15.95 \$9.50

Sleeveless Sweaters — plain colors and argyles

Reg. \$3.95 and \$5.00 \$1.95

Cotton Flannel Shirts—smart plaids Reg. \$3.50 \$2.59

All Wool Glove and Scarf Sets Reg. \$3.95 \$2.95

Maine Guide Jac Shirts—Extra heavy, with zipper. Reg. \$14.95 \$9.95

Maine Guide Jac Shirts. Reg. \$10.95 \$7.95

White and Fancy Shirts. Reg. \$3.95 \$3.65

Maine Guide Coats—wool lining, gabardine

shell, reversible. Reg. \$19.95 \$13.95

With wool lining, rayon twill shell,

detachable hood. Reg. \$27.50 \$19.95

Pile Lined Jackets—Odd lot. Reg. \$25.00 \$14.95

Bathrobes—Odd lot, rayons and wools. Reg. \$12 and \$18 \$7.45

Wool Hose—Odd lot—Anklets and regular length Reg. \$1 and \$1.50 69c

Rayon and Cotton Hose—Odd lot. Reg. 39c 29c

Wool and Rayon Scarfs. Reg. \$1.95 up 89c up

Pajamas—all sizes and styles

Reg. \$3.95 up \$3.49 up

Reversible Coats. Reg. \$28.50 \$18.50

— IN OUR BOYS' DEPT. —

Sweaters. Reg. \$3.95 \$1.50

All Wool Mackinaws. Reg. \$13.85 \$7.95

Reg. \$10.95 \$6.95

Cotton Flannel Shirts. Reg. \$1.95 \$1.39

—AND MANY MORE WONDERFUL VALUES THROUGHOUT THE STORE!

Open Daily 'Til 6

Friday 'Til 9

Elander & Swanton

INCORPORATED

ANDOVER, MASS.

EXETER, N. H.

EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

STARTER FOR THE NEW YEAR

New Year's resolutions have been the butt of innumerable jokes. And that's quite understandable — most resolutions are made as the result of remorse from an excess of holiday cheer, and are forgotten as soon as the headache goes away.

But there's another kind of resolution which everyone should make soberly and sincerely, and carry out conscientiously. A resolution of that character might be phrased in such fashion as this: "During 1949, I will do my part to reduce the disgraceful and unnecessary fire loss which is costing this nation more than 10,000 lives and \$700,000,000 a year."

There's nothing academic or impersonal about fire. The fact that it never cost you a dollar directly doesn't mean a thing. All of us pay for fire in one way or another — in the taxable assets it destroys, in its depressing influence on employment and purchasing power, in its consumption of irreplaceable materials, in higher insurance rates, and so on. And, more important, the family that never had a fire may be wiped out by one tomorrow.

Those piles of paper and rubbish and discarded clothing — that frayed lamp cord you've meant to replace and haven't — that should have been repaired last week or last year — "little things" such as these are fire's dependable allies. All of them can be corrected easily. How about doing that now as a starter for the New Year?

MORE PAY FOR LESS WORK AGAIN?

Early in 1949, John L. Lewis and other officials of the United Mine Workers will meet with representatives of the operators of the soft coal industry to negotiate a new wage and working agreement. It now appears that a major demand to be made by the union will be for a 30-hour work week and a six-hour working day. The union, of course, wants miners to gain this benefit without accepting any cut in their weekly pay.

It is yet too early to evaluate the potential effect of such a demand as this on the industry. But it is worth recording that a spokesman for the National Coal Association said that it would be "disastrous to the coal industry and the country."

In any event, when the time comes for debating the problem the public should have a good factual understanding of the miners' position.

First of all, soft coal miners receive the highest wage of any comparable group of workers in the world. The average wage is in the neighborhood of \$77 a week. A large percentage earn \$100 a week and more.

Second, the miners have won many other benefits. Theoretically, they work an eight-hour day. This contains about 1½ hours of non-productive time — made up of travel time and the lunch period — for which they are paid. Thus, the mines pay for eight hours of work, but receive only six and one-half. And the arduousness of coal mining has been much reduced by mechanization.

The question that should be uppermost in the minds of union chiefs now is, just how far the miners or any other workers can go in demanding pay for less effort, thereby driving up the cost of living another notch. Labor, after all, could conceivably price itself into widespread unemployment.

TOTALITARIAN EDUCATION

Some time ago, in Chicago, an organization of educators, which claimed that it represented 2,000 colleges and schools, held a convention. One of the principal speakers was an author of textbooks — and his books have been thrown out of some 1,400 schools because civic and patriotic organizations found them excessively critical of American principles and traditions. Another personality on the program was the representative of a teacher's union which was expelled by the American Federation of Labor on charges of communism. A third prominent speaker had long been a writer for New Masses and the Daily Worker, and was named by a Congressional committee "as a professed card-holding member of the Communist party and as a member of more than 80 so-called communist front groups."

These left-wingers in the ranks of American educators are the exceptions. Thousands upon thousands of teachers are doing a splendid job and are helping to fight the forces of darkness which wish to turn this country into a totalitarian police state. But the fact remains that a dangerous proportion of American teaching and textbooks is based on the theory that practically everything is wrong with the United States, that the economic system called free enterprise exists to exploit the people, that the founders of the country, from Washington down, were self-seeking and dubious characters, and that the hope of the world lies in communism or some kindred philosophy of life and government.

It is a healthy sign that there has been a remarkable upsurge of interest in the quality and content of American teaching and textbooks in the last year or two. Young men and women now in school will determine what sort of a country we will have in the future. Academic freedom must not be used to justify warped and subtle instruction which produces distrust of the American tradition, and praises, by direction or indirection, governments which exist through the cruelest oppression and terrorism.

The Book Room
BOOKS—TOYS—DOLLS
OPEN DAILY 9-5:30 — FRIDAYS 9-8
77 MAIN STREET TEL. AND. 2010



By PHILIP K. ALLEN

This week we will continue with our study of the department of public welfare by looking into the division of aid and relief — by far the largest division within the department.

In 1935 the so-called Social Security act was passed which provides for the general welfare by establishing a system of federal old age benefits and by enabling the several states to make more adequate provision for aged persons.

A program for old age assistance in Massachusetts started in 1931. It was brought into conformity with the federal act, and, of course, Massachusetts is now receiving federal grants in aid as explained below.

Currently, in Massachusetts, old age assistance is available to needy persons 65 years of age or over who are citizens of the Commonwealth and who have a minimum residence requirement of three years in the state. Much agitation has been created over changing the age from 65 to age 60, but to date the general feeling seems to be that until the Federal Security act is amended to change the age from 65 to 60, Massachusetts age requirement should be the same as the federal.

Under the original federal act of 1935, the federal government paid 50 per cent of the amount spent, with a ceiling of \$30 per month per case. In 1939, it was amended to pay 50 per cent of the first \$40 per month per case. As of October 1, 1948, the federal government paid up to \$30 a month per case on old age assistance.

It is interesting to note that the average old age assistance recipient in Massachusetts receives from the Commonwealth \$59 per month. The average federal contribution per case is \$27 per month. The difference of \$32 is paid out of contributions — one-third by the town and two-thirds by the Commonwealth. Phrased in a different way, a town receives from federal and state sources an 85c return for each \$1 spent by that town on old age assistance. The average payment in Andover for the last year was \$54.90 per case per month.

While the local agency or public welfare board has considerable autonomy and is the sole administrator of both the program for old age assistance and the aid to dependent children, it is subject to certain statutory controls. These controls are imposed to protect the rights of recipients.

The first control was created to assure uniform and equitable treatment throughout the state in the various cities and towns by establishing mandatory standards to determine the amount of assistance to be received. In order to further guarantee that the needs of individuals would be properly met, the last legislature tied these standards to the cost of living index. Therefore, as of October 1948, the budgets of all recipients of old age assistance and aid to dependent children were increased to the amount of 8.3%. As far as it has been possible to ascertain, this step is unique in that it was done by legislation rather than administration. Nevertheless, the administrative cost of affecting necessary adjustments was reduced. By statute also the cost of living index must go 5 per cent in either direction before any adjustments are made, up or down.

Because of the complicated features of this system and in order not to take up too much at any one time, we will continue with this discussion next week.

The new "man-trapping" perfume is not to be sniffed at — Pathfinder.

MEET—



HERBERT P. CARTER

During his adult years as a resident of Andover, Herbert P. Carter has contributed much to the field of higher education. Formerly a teacher at the Middlesex school in Concord, Mass., where Senator Henry Cabot Lodge was his student, and at Gloucester High school, Mr. Carter is now student counselor at the Boston Technical High school, a position which demands a never-ending supply of sympathy, understanding and sincerity in the problems of the student body.

Born in West Pembroke, Me., in 1895, he has lived here for 51 years. A graduate of Pynchard High school, Phillips academy and Harvard university, where he received both his A.B. and A.M. degrees, he has served on the Andover school committee for five years, is a member of the New England Modern Language association and is president of the Merrimack Valley Guidance association.

Also a devoted churchman, he served as president of the Andover Council of Churches last year and is clerk and deacon in West Parish church.

In addition to these activities, he is a member of the board of managers of the Andover Home for Aged People, the Andover grange and the Harvard club of Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter, who live at 181 Lowell st., have two daughters, Mrs. John Gorrie of Andover, and Mrs. Thomas A. Broadbent of Los Angeles, Calif.; one son, Thomas E., who served in World War II and is now a student at Northeastern university, and one grandson, John Gorrie, Jr.

Do You Know Massachusetts?

DO YOU KNOW THAT.... By impounding more than 16 billion gallons of water during the recent flood, the flood control reservoir at Knightville saved serious damage in Westfield and part of Springfield and fully justified its cost of building.... A preliminary estimate indicates that approximately 23,000 new privately financed dwelling units were started in Massachusetts during 1948, an increase of 26 per cent over 1947.... In addition, 2,500 new veterans' units were publicly financed.... Town manager form of government is now in operation in Cambridge, Mansfield, Middleboro, Norwood, Saugus and Stoughton; its adoption has been voted in Medford, Quincy, Revere and Worcester, and the plan is being studied by committees in Danvers, Hingham, Marblehead, Nahant, Reading, Stoneham, Watertown and Wellesley.... The commissioner of taxation reports that 1,120,566 Massachusetts taxpayers were assessed for property taxes in 1948, of which 991,052 were taxed on real estate.... Total value of real estate assessed in the state was \$6,179,622,906 and the taxes \$280,265,218.... Compared with 1940, real estate assessed valuation increased 10 per cent and taxes 36 per cent.... The Town of Mendon at a recent special meeting appointed a committee on zoning and building laws.

(Compiled by the Massachusetts State Planning Board)

Views of The News

(Continued from Page One)

cause it has bent with the wind. The British did not free Burma, Ceylon, Pakistan and India from choice. Necessity pointed the way. And today the British are fully convinced that Asiatic nationalism cannot be crushed.

Far East Dominions Worried

If short-sighted observers conclude that the sole issue involved in Indonesia is communism versus Dutch democracy, they differ widely from the attitude of the Australian and New Zealand governments, to say nothing of Pakistan, India and Ceylon. Last week the British Dominion High Commissioners for those five Dominions, resident in London, called upon Foreign Affairs Secretary Bevin to deliver a statement advising that Britain's hands-off policy in the Dutch-Indonesian strife might play into communist hands. It is said that they went so far as to urge the British Government to take the initiative in forming some sort of Eastern Union to prevent the spread of communism. It is to be hoped that were such action taken, it would be based on the understanding that communism is attractive essentially to desperate people. Any such Eastern Union should have as its purpose the remedying of Asiatic grievances and the development of Asiatic nationalism in opposition to communist or Russian domination. The Far East Dominions don't want the tides of communism washing on their shores.

Conference Called by Nehru

Lending more force to their fears is the action by Nehru, Prime Minister of India. On January 20 of thirteen nations in the Middle and Far East, together with Australia, New Zealand and the Philippine Republic to discuss what he called the "most naked and unabashed aggression." To invite the Dominions must indicate sincere concern on Nehru's part, and not merely a desire to stir up Asiatic resentment.

Dutch Hinder U. N. Officials

Siam's refusal to attend this Southeast Asia conference in New Delhi is significant for the reason given. She is sympathetic with the Indonesian cause, but prefers to act through the United Nations. Little Siam's attitude is praiseworthy, but her efforts cannot do much to restore the prestige of the United Nations. For already its Good Offices committee request that it be dissolved, since its efforts have been deliberately hamstrung by the Dutch. The chairman of the committee accuses the Dutch of prohibiting military observers from the field, and requested dissolution on the grounds that the members did not wish to be put in the position of seeming to approve of any settlement not based on free negotiations. To date, the security council of the United Nations has failed in what should be its purposes.

And the Cause of Democracy

Even if the Dutch are honest enough to accept as negotiators the former leaders of the Indonesian Republic, rather than deal with new ones who could be regarded as stooges, the issue will not have been satisfactorily solved.

Auto Insurance
1949 PLATES AT ONCE
\$10 TO \$20 DOWN
New or Old Cars—No Waiting
Fire, Theft, Property Damage Placed
D. HARDY DREWREY
OPEN EVENINGS
141 Milk St. 1430 Mass. Ave.
Boston Harvard St.
Liberty 2-3070 ELiot 4-0122
MAIL AND REGISTRY SERVICE

RUTH HAMMOND
HOLIDAY — AFTERNOON — CASUAL DRESSES
BLOUSES — SKIRTS — GLOVES
— SWEATERS —
14 PARK STREET

Andover Inn
"A Treadway Inn"
Located on Campus of
Phillips Andover Academy
Inviting all to enjoy its facilities:
Rooms — Meals — Functions
Visit Our Newly Installed Gift Shop
Edward A. Romeo, Mgr. Tel. And. 903

Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago — January, 1899
N. H. Pride made a member of the Institute of 1770 at Harvard.

Sophronia Grey, in her will, leaves \$1200 to the American Missionary society.

Coach Stearns calls out the battery candidates for the Phillips academy baseball team.

There was a gruesome note in one of the Townsman's editorial comments half a century ago. Here it is: "The old folks are dying by scores, and the winter of 1898-99 bids fair to make a record as a winter of destruction to the feeble and aged. Andover is suffering her share in this loss and the names of many an old and honored citizen will live only as a memory hereafter."

Mrs. Samuel Bailey and Mrs. Fred M. Hill entertain at a council meeting of the Woman's club of Andover grange.

25 Years Ago — January, 1924
Punchard Junior High presents "Come out of the Kitchen". In the cast are Frances Farrell, Emma Daniels, Walda Bassett, Sumner Davis, Gardner Shaw, Edward Pritchard, Shirley McKee, Eleanor Flint, Calvin Metcalf, William Simeone and Clair Richardson.

Need of bleachers at the Central playing field stressed.
Mrs. Henry Houghton speaks on "Our Church in Hawaii: Its Work and Opportunities," at a meeting of the Women's guild of Christ Episcopal church.

Leonard D. Sherman and Marjorie Sherman of Main street resume their studies at Pinkerton academy, East Derry, N. H.

Court St. Monica's C. D. of A. has a food sale with Mary Keenally, Alice Heffernan, John Alexander, Frank McBride, Al Clement, Harold Eastwood and Joseph Connolly in charge.

Dr. Stearns has many speaking engagements.

The state board of public works rules that there shall be no fishing in Haggett's pond.

The Free church has a reception for new members.

10 Years Ago — January, 1939
Taxpayers' association names Fred E. Cheney, Bernard L. McDonald, E. Barton Chapin, and Walter E. Curtis a committee to study the budget.

Dr. Carl F. Pfatteicher begins a series of organ recitals on the Martha Cochran Memorial organ.
First week of the New Year found \$276.86 spent on the sanding payroll.

Horace Hale Smith, formerly of Andover, dies at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Age 65.

Dr. Warren K. Moorehead dies.
Mrs. Anson H. Smith speaks on "What Makes a House Charming" at a meeting of the November club.
Mr. and Mrs. J. William Crowes of 29 Main street observe their 55th wedding anniversary.

Established 1887
THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN
Published every Thursday by
The Consolidated Press, Inc.
4 Park Street, Andover, Mass.
Entered as second class matter at the
Andover Post Office
Price 5c per copy \$2.50 per year
Publisher J. K. Lilly, III
Editor Frank J. A. Humphrey
Associate Editor Byron T. Butler
West Parish Sarah Lewis
Women's News Lois Smith
Ballardvale Hazel Schofield
Shantown Mildred Best
Advertising Assistant Ruth B. Trott

NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION
1949 **Active Member**

BALLAD

Mrs. Hazel Schofield

SILVER ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Stevens of North Andover, former students of Ballardvale, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Stevens is the former Beaulieu of Ballardvale. Her husband, a native of Lowell, has been employed by the Lowell and Maine railroad for 23 years. They have three children: Edward R. Jr., Richard and one grandchild, David Stevens.

Surprise Shower

A surprise shower was Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Myers in honor of Charles Longdell. The hostess, beautifully decorated for the occasion and games were during the evening. Those present included: Mrs. Philip Kelsey, Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Arthur L. Lummel, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Sharpe and Joseph Bouleau entertain group with songs. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present included: Charles Langdell, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. James S. Ralph Greenwood, S. Charles Warner, Miss Louisa, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Philip Kelsey, Mrs. Robert, Mrs. Bart Smalley, I. thony Lummel, Mrs. Grey, Mrs. Joseph Bouleau, Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Henry Myers.

Friendly Guild Notes

Members of the Friendly Guild served a very successful Thursday noon, Jan. 6, in the hall of the Union Congregational church. Those serving included: Mrs. Alfred Webb, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Philip Kelsey, Mrs. Arthur Grey. The included Mrs. Joseph Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Greenwood, Sr., Mrs. Wil Intyre, Mrs. James Schofield, Mrs. Robert Mitchell. Miss Doris Shaw will be at the meeting of the Guild to be held Friday Jan. 14, at her home on

For Your

... Get a Simple and Blocked Print Sheet

Carle

Craft-V

VISIT OUR

OPEN DAILY

SIZE

Buy for today, folks a given size refrigerator a big difference in make the mistake of big enough the first

NEW ENGLAND

BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Hazel Schofield, Correspondent, Telephone 898-M

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Stevens of North Andover, former residents of Ballardvale, recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Stevens is the former Rose Beaulieu of Ballardvale. Her husband, a native of Lawrence, has been employed by the Boston and Maine railroad for 23 years.

They have three children, Edward R., Jr., Richard and Arlene, and one grandchild, David Alan Stevens.

Surprise Shower

A surprise shower was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Myers in honor of Mrs. Charles Longdell. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion and games were played during the evening. Winners were: Mrs. Philip Kelsey, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Arthur Grey, Mrs. Anthony Lumenello and Mrs. Randolph Perry. Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Sharpe and Mrs. Joseph Bouleau entertained the group with songs. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present included: Mrs. Charles Langdell, Mrs. John Carroll, Mrs. Pauline McFarlane, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. James Butler, Mrs. Ralph Greenwood, Sr., Mrs. Charles Warner, Miss Louise Wayland, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Philip Kelsey, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Bart Smalley, Mrs. Anthony Lumenello, Mrs. Arthur Grey, Mrs. Joseph Bouleau, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Frank Green and Mrs. Henry Myers.

Friendly Guild Notes

Members of the Friendly Guild served a very successful luncheon Thursday noon, Jan. 6, in the vestry of the Union Congregational church. Those serving included: Mrs. Alfred Webb, Mrs. Elwyn Russell, Mrs. Philip Kelsey and Mrs. Arthur Grey. The "cooks" included Mrs. Joseph Bouleau, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Ralph Greenwood, Sr., Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. James Schofield, and Mrs. Robert Mitchell.

Miss Doris Shaw will be hostess at the meeting of the Friendly Guild to be held Friday evening, Jan. 14, at her home on Andover

st. Mrs. Joseph Bouleau will be co-hostess.

Methodist Church Notes

The Home department of the Methodist church held a covered dish supper Tuesday evening, Jan. 4 in the church parsonage with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rollins as host and hostess.

Every Sunday evening at 5:30 a Junior Youth Fellowship meeting is held in the parsonage with Mrs. Rollins as leader. The group is making scrap books which are to be presented to a hospital.

Personals

James Lefebvre, who is attending the leadership training school of the U. S. Army at Ft. Ord, Calif., and his brother, Edward Lefebvre of Culver City, Calif., spent Christmas at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Allston Nash of Culver City.

A party was held Saturday evening, Jan. 9 at the home of Mrs. Elwood Eltermann of Tewksbury st., in honor of her birthday. The guests enjoyed delicious refreshments and a beautifully decorated birthday cake. Those present at the pleasant evening of social entertainment were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gould and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stearny Cormey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sidney Barlow, Hilton Cormey, Joyce Ormsby, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Eltermann.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howard of North Andover spent Sunday with relatives in the 'Vale.

Diane Mitchell celebrated her 13th birthday at a family birthday party at her home on Tewksbury st.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckley and family are now occupying their recently purchased home on Center st.

Little Marjorie Carroll is spending the winter months with her grandmother in Everett.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. James E. Rollins (Alice Farmer) mother of Ernest Rollins of Tewksbury st. Mrs. Rollins had been confined to a hospital at New London, N. H. for some time as the result of a broken hip. Her home was in Sutton, N. H. Born in Croydon, N. H., 95 years ago, she was well known in the 'Vale where she had visited on several occasions.

Industrial Research At Work on Aids For Better Living

American industrial research is at work on a tire that will last as long as your car. A new liquid wallpaper remover that can be sprayed or brushed on requires a minimum of scrapping. The use of sterilized aluminum foil for severe heat burns has been shown to quicken and almost eliminate scarring. These are among the aids to better living reported by McCall's in the National Newsletter for January.

"Akron, Ohio reports a tire that will last as long as your car as one of the things that will come, someday, out of current continuing research by the industry. Meanwhile, rubber streets are getting a try-out here. The new surface, made of a synthetic rubber mix, is expected to wear longer and ride better. The idea is European: Hitler invaded Holland over just such a rubber road.

"Durham, N. H. news says that rats can't stand a laminated plywood now on the market to repel them. It is light in weight, but impervious to the gnawing of rats. It's easy for average householders to use, but its big market is likely to be people with chicken roots and corn bins.

"According to news from New York, N. Y., you may live to see the time when sending a letter is a much quicker way of communicating with someone across the continent than telephoning now is. A new system of communications known as ultrafax makes it possible to transmit at radio speeds exact facsimile reproductions of letters, maps, records, drawing, musical scores.

"Words from Washington, D. C. has it that even if Congress extends rent control laws beyond March 31, the prospect is that rents will go higher this year. Also, metals will be higher. Food and textiles, however, are expected to stabilize and probably drop some before the year is out.

"Burping the baby has been overdone and should no longer be a set of every mother's routine, declares a pediatrician here. If the baby shows discomfort after his dinner, this man says, there may be some value in it. Otherwise, leave him alone.

"The menace of spinal meningitis has been cut almost to zero by quicker diagnosis and new medicines. Best available drug for it, say Army doctors, is sulfadiazine fluid so rapidly.

"Dissolve a little alum in the water you are using on your potted Christmas azalea. It helps keep the soil acid. Remember, too, that azaleas keep longer in temperature between 50 and 60 degrees.

"From Detroit, Mich. comes news that a new hydro-spray jet injector which forces medicines through the skin and in many instances eliminates the need for a hypodermic needle is available this year. A blunt-nosed instrument, the injector is held firmly against the skin and its spray is released by a button.

"Utica, N. Y., says that layers of old wallpaper can be removed with a minimum of scrapping if you use a new liquid remover which is easily sprayed or brushed on. It won't stain and is harmless to hands."

LITTLEST LISTENERS

The Littlest Listeners will have their second meeting of the year at the library Wednesday morning, Jan. 19. As usual, they will have a story and game hour, while their mothers meet for a discussion of child care and management. The subject for this meeting will be based on a magazine article entitled "What Kind of Success Do You Want for Your Children?" It will be a continuation of the previous meeting's discussion of the resolutions made by parents for their children. All mothers and little people of this pre-school age are invited to attend the meetings.

Gleason And White Enter Contest For Selectman

(Continued From Page One)

Among officers holders whose terms expire this year are: James P. Christie, tax collector; John H. Kelly and Sanborn A. Caldwell, board of public works; John S. Moses, Malcolm B. McTernan and William A. Doherty, school committee.

Of the above, Mr. Caldwell has moved from town and will not be a candidate; the Rev. Mr. Moses and Dr. McTernan have notified Town Clerk George A. Winslow that they will not be candidates.

Although the terms of three members of the school committee expire this year only one candidate is to be elected. This is due to the fact that the board is being reduced from nine members to five, two seats being eliminated last year and two more being eliminated this year.

Nomination papers have been taken out by Eugene A. Bernardin, Jr., of 11 Abbot st., and it is understood that he will file as a school committee candidate.

Meanwhile, group nomination papers are in circulation for the following candidates seeking reelection: Moderator, 1 year, Arthur Sweeney, 64 Central st., collector of taxes, 3-years, James P. Christie, 18 Pasho st., board of public works, 3-years John H. Kelly, Holt rd., school committee, 3-years, William A. Doherty, 21 Harding st., board of health, 3-years, Dr. Percy J. Look, 115 Main st., trustee Memorial Hall library, 7-years, Caroline P. Leavitt, 195 Main st., trustees Punched Free school, 3-years, Edmond E. Hammond, 3 Porter rd., William A. Trow, 31 Lowell st., Roy E. Hardy, 113 Chestnut st., Harry Sellers, 5 Avon st., Charles C. Kimball, 50 School st., constables, 1-year, Chief George A. Dane, 320 Andover st., J. Lewis Smith, 56 Morton st., George N. Sparks, 20 River rd., planning board, 5-years, Atty. Walter C. Tomlinson, 11 William st.

This year, for the first time, the town will elect members of the Andover Housing authority. The present members were appointed

"Red Shoes" Playing To Capacity Houses

The lavish technicolor spectacle, "The Red Shoes," now in its 9th week at the Majestic theatre, Boston, where it is showing twice daily including Sunday, all seats reserved, has been endorsed by the most critical attendants of the cinema as one of the finest films ever to be shown in the city of Boston, where it is playing to capacity houses.

"The Red Shoes," which was produced by J. Arthur Rank, is based on the famous Hans Christian Andersen story, with fairy tale beauty, music and story, the like of which has never been seen on any screen since the inception of motion pictures.

The cast is headed by Anton Walbrook, Marius Goring, Moira Shearer, Robert Helpmann, Leonide Maslone and Albert Basserman.

The music was composed by Sir Thomas Beecham, who conducts the Royal Philharmonic orchestra, which is prominently featured in "The Red Shoes."

CESSPOOLS PUMPED OUT

—ALSO—
Cesspools and Septic Tanks Installed

CHARLES CORBEIL
TEL. LOWELL 7236

DO YOU NEED ROCK MAPLE THUMB BACKS OR BOSTON ROCKERS? — WE HAVE THEM



ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

Open Tuesdays and Fridays Until 9 p. m.

Park Street

Telephone 1822 M

Cherry & Webb's

January Clearance

of BETTER COATS

Untrimmed and Fur Trimmed

\$28
Values to 59.95

\$35
Values to 65

\$44
Values to 89.95

\$68
Values to 110

Cherry & Webb's

Second Floor

For Your 1949 Baby

... Get a Simple and Unusual PINE CRIB with Hand Blocked Print Skirt. See ours in the window of Carleton Bemis Shop. \$50.

Craft-Wood Products

VISIT OUR SHOP — OSGOOD STREET
OPEN DAILY TEL. 2129-W

SIZE IS IMPORTANT
... WHEN YOU BUY AN ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR



Buy for today, folks, and tomorrow too. The price difference between a given size refrigerator and the next larger model is small, but what a big difference in convenience and long term satisfaction. So don't make the mistake of buying a refrigerator that's too small. Get one big enough the first time. You'll always be glad you did.

Reddy Kilowatt
Your Electric Servant



LAWRENCE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
PART OF NEW ENGLAND ELECTRIC SYSTEM

NEW ENGLAND the PLACE TO LIVE AND WORK



Devote more hours To Junior and Sis.

Send your Laundry To Us!

Quick Wet Wash Service.

Expert Flat Work.

ALL COSTS ARE REASONABLE
Andover Steam Laundry

TELEPHONE 110

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 226,113

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Gustav H. Dimlich late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of certain instruments purporting to be the last will and a codicil of said deceased by Samuel B. Dimlich of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventeenth day of January 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR.,
From office of Register
Anna M. Greeley
21 Main st.,
Andover, Mass.

21553 Reg.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT

To Charles H. Murnane, Antonina J. Murnane, George H. Dumont, all of Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; Sarah J. Sweeney, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Frank R. Gainey and Teresa A. Gainey, of Lawrence, in said County of Essex, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

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

Northwesterly, by Tewksbury Street, 158.00 feet; Northeasterly, by land now or formerly of Sarah J. Sweeney, 461.78 feet; Southeasterly, by land now or formerly of Charles H. and Antonina J. Murnane, 161.77 feet; and Southwest-ly, by land now or formerly of George H. and Yvonne F. Dumont, 471.74 feet.

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

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the twenty-fourth day of January next.

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

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
(SEAL) SYBIL H. HOLMES,
Recorder.
Eaton and Chandler, Esqs.,
301 Essex St., Lawrence, Mass.,
Attys. for petitioners.

(30-J6-13)

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing on Friday evening, January 21, 1949 at 7:30 P. M., at the Town Hall, on the petition of Roland H. Sherman and others for the approval of a plan dated January 1949 and drawn by Clinton F. Goodwin, for the purpose of opening a private way for public use as shown thereon.

BOARD OF SURVEY
By SIDNEY P. WHITE,
Chairman
(13-20)

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

Andover, Mass., January 13, 1949
The following list of officers and corporators of the Andover Savings Bank is hereby published in compliance with the law.

PRESIDENT
Burton S. Flagg
VICE PRESIDENT AND TREASURER
Louis S. Finger
TREASURER
Winthrop Newcomb
CLERK
Charles C. Kimball

Term expires 1950
J. Radford Abbott Alfred E. Stearns
Wallace E. Brimer Abbot Stevens
Term expires 1951
E. Barton Chapin Philip F. Ripley
Louis S. Finger Colver J. Stone
Term expires 1952
Burton S. Flagg Henry S. Hopper
Charles C. Kimball

BOARD OF INVESTMENT
J. Radford Abbott Henry S. Hopper
AUDITING COMMITTEE
Wallace E. Brimer Charles C. Kimball
Philip F. Ripley

CORPORATORS
George E. Abbott Henry S. Hopper
J. Radford Abbott John M. Kemper
Philip K. Allen Charles C. Kimball
Foster W. Barnard Wm. D. McIntyre
Wallace E. Brimer Winthrop Newcomb
Hugh Bullock Edward C. Nichols
E. Barton Chapin Frank L. Purdon
Edward S. Eckman Philip F. Ripley
William V. Emmons George F. Sawyer
Louis S. Finger Irving Southworth
Burton S. Flagg Alfred E. Stearns
Claude M. Fuess Abbot Stevens
James Gould Colver J. Stone
Edmond E. Hammond Gardner Sutton
Roy E. Hardy Walter C. Tomlinson
CHARLES C. KIMBALL, Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 19172

Essex, ss.

To Francis G. Power of Washington in the District of Columbia.
A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, Ada B. Power of Andover in said County praying that a divorce from the said matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of desertion and praying that she may be permitted to resume her maiden name of Ada A. Buchanan.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court within twenty-one days from the seventh day of March 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 226,103

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of George C. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that William H. Delaney of Sudbury in the County of Middlesex or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.
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 January 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

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

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 220,734

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of George C. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The administrator of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance his first and final account.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of January 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

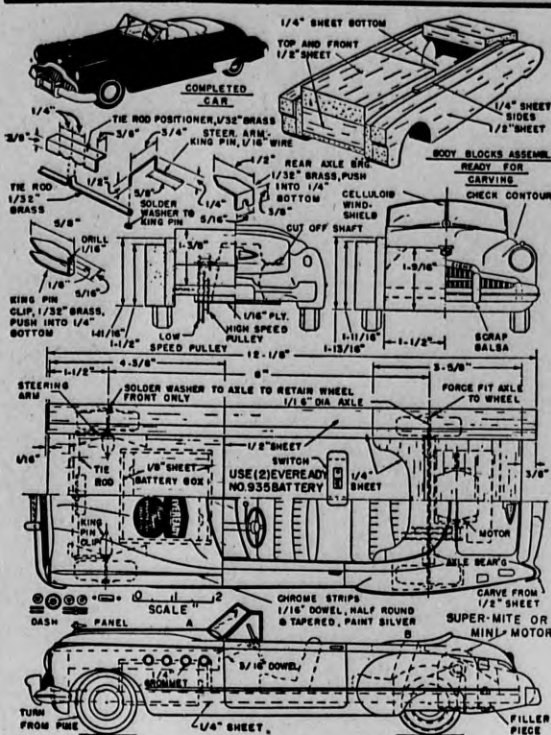
RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register.
(6-13-20)

FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE
Despite the closing of the Wonder Cleaners, which previously received clothing for the American Friends service committee, the organization will continue its collections of clothing for the less fortunate people of this and other countries.

The new address is the City Cleaners, 35 Main st., where Miss Doris Gates has kindly consented to receive the garments.

MEN'S GROUP
Joseph Staples, instructor in French and director of public relations at Phillips academy, will speak to the South church Men's group Sunday, Jan. 16, at 9:30 a. m., on "France's Contribution to the World of Today." All men are welcome.

FATHER and SON



Build This 1949 BUICK CONVERTIBLE MODEL

Dear Dad:

You may always have yearned for one of those sleek Buick Convertibles, so here's your chance for junior—and you—to whittle one from wood. Of course, it's only a 13-inch model but it actually runs, being powered with two 10¢ Eveready No. 935 flashlight batteries which drive an electric motor. It'll scoot along any smooth surface and the front wheels are adjustable for running in circles. What's more, the rubber band drive has two speeds, high and low. If junior hasn't lured you to a local hobby shop for the necessary materials, then that will be the first step toward building this dream model.

You can build this car from these plans and instructions and you can obtain additional construction details from the January issue of *Mechanix Illustrated* magazine.

The body is built up from 1/4" and 1/2" sheet balsa. Enlarge and trace the side view outline on each sheet, and then cut out one left and one right side. Consult the top view for the measurements of

the floor, on which the axles and motor are mounted. Cement the floor between the side sheets, add the block for the hood and trunk and, consulting the front view, proceed to carve the exterior to shape. If you are ever in doubt as to the shape you can always examine the real Buick. Wheels are made from pine or balsa and attached to the front axle assembly as shown. The rear wheels are attached to the axle after the pulleys are in place. The two Eveready No. 935 flashlight batteries are mounted in a sheet balsa battery box and connected to the motor to produce 3 volts.

Assemble the seats and mount them after the interior has been painted. Add the silver trim, windshield, grill, bumpers and other details after the exterior has been painted. You'll find your model not only will look like the real thing but perform equally well.

Good Luck,

Larry Eidinger

Crafts and Hobbies Editor
Mechanix Illustrated

AT THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. WENDELL L. BAILEY, Pastor

Saturday: 10:30 a. m., Royal Ambassadors at Guild hall; 4 p. m., Youth choir rehearsal in the church parlor.

Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Church school for all departments; 10:45 a. m., Morning service. Sermon by the pastor: "Come, Follow Jesus, and See." Music by the adult and youth choirs. 6 p. m., Baptist Youth Fellowship meeting in the church vestry.

Wednesday: 2:30 p. m., Pioneer girls meet in the church vestry.

Thursday: 8 p. m., Adult choir rehearsal in the church parlor.

CHRIST CHURCH

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Minister

Friday: 6:45 p. m., Boy scouts, Troop 70.

Sunday: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., Litany, Anticomunion and Sermon; 4 p. m., Confirmation class (adults); 5:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship.

Monday: Annual parish meeting; 6:30 p. m., Dinner; 7:30 p. m., Meeting.

Tuesday: 2:30 p. m., Confirmation class; 3 p. m., Girl scouts, Miss Sparks' troop.

Wednesday: 1:15 p. m., Week-day religious education, South church.

Thursday: 10 a. m., Holy Communion; 10:30 a. m., Woman's auxiliary, sewing; 1:15 p. m., Business meeting, Speaker, Miss Rebekah Taft.

FREE CHURCH

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS, JR., Pastor

Friday: 7 p. m., Boy scouts.

Saturday: 9 a. m., Basketball practice for Juniors in the Andover guild; 9:45 a. m., Intermediate basketball practice; 2 p. m., Senior basketball practice.

Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Church school; 11 a. m., Nursery class for children whose parents wish to attend church; 11 a. m., Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor; 6:15 p. m., Pilgrim Fellow-

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

LOST—SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE Andover Playhouse—A silver bow-shaped brooch set with Zircons. Reply to Box B. J13

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—TWO CONNECTING Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; light housekeeping privileges; centrally located; business person preferred. Reply Box L, Andover Townsman. J13

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—CLEANING WOMAN, one day a week. Tel. Andover 2172.

FOR SALE

NO. 8 RANGE WITH OIL BURNER, China closet, Four poster bed, Glass door Bookcase, Leather Sofa, Club Chair. (5,13,20) Roland Luce, 19 Barnard Street

FOR SALE—THE FACILITIES OF our modern job printing plant for all your needs in printing—letterheads, bill heads, posters, flyers, cards. Quality and service are our specialties. The Consolidated Press, Inc., 4 Park Street

WANTED TO BUY

ANYTHING OLD-FASHIONED OR ANTIQUE; also Furniture re-finished. Guy N. Christian, 5 Union St., Georgetown, Mass. Write or phone 2851. We will call.

ANTIQUES OR ANYTHING OLD Marbletop, Walnut, Grape and Rose-carved Furniture. Glass, China, Silver, Jewelry, Clocks, Prints, Frames, Guns, Coins, Furniture, Etc. William F. Graham, Jr., 165 Golden Hill Ave., Haverhill, Mass., Telephone Haverhill 7010-W. Will call to look. (tf 26)

ship; 7:15 p. m., Young People's Christian association.

Wednesday: 6:30 p. m., Annual supper and meeting of the church. Tickets for the supper may be obtained from any member of the Women's union.

Thursday: 3:45 p. m., Junior choir rehearsal; 7 p. m., Girl scouts; 7:30 p. m., Senior choir rehearsal.

METHODIST CHURCH

(Ballardvale)

REV. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, Minister
Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon; 11:40 a. m., Church School with classes for all ages.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH
REV. THOMAS P. FOGARTY, Pastor
Friday, 7:45 p. m., Novena devotions.

Saturday, 4 to 6, and 7:30 to 9, Confessions.
Sunday, Masses 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

(Ballardvale)

Sunday, 9:00 a. m., Mass.

SOUTH CHURCH

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

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

Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Church school and the Junior church; 9:30 a. m., High School classes; 9:30 a. m., Men's group; 10:45 a. m., Morning worship and sermon; 10:45 a. m., Church kindergarten; 11:15 a. m., Educational motion pictures; 6 p. m., Young People's society.

Tuesday: 7:30 p. m., The Prudential committee; 8 p. m., Ping pong club.

Wednesday: 1:15 p. m., Week-day school of the Christian Religion; 6:30 p. m., Annual church supper and meeting; 7:45 p. m., Church choir. Date to be changed.

Thursday: 10 a. m., All-day sewing meeting of the Women's union; 3:30 p. m., The Junior choir; 8 p. m., A.P.C. sorority. Speaker, Mrs. Joseph Tavern. Subject, "Lost Treasures of Europe."

UNION CONG. CHURCH

(Ballardvale)

REV. PHILIP M. KELSEY, Minister

Friday: 8 p. m., Friendly guild

Your Printing Requirements

Whether
Large
or
Small



Will Be Given Prompt, Careful Attention

— at —

The Consolidated Press Inc.

Publisher of "The Andover Townsman"

PARK STREET

TEL. AND. 1943

Cross Coal Co.

COAL — COKE — OIL
OIL BURNERS

PLUMBING
and
HEATING

W. H. Welch Co.
TEL. AND. 128

Telephone 7830

Established 1854

GEO. W. HORNE CO.

LAWRENCE, MASS.

TAR AND GRAVEL ROOFING
SHEET METAL WORK
SPECIALIZING IN ASPHALT SHINGLING

CES

Refrigeration Co.
12-SIZED WASHERS
reduced to \$32.00
USE TABLE LAMPS
reduced to \$9.95
USED REFRIGERATORS
LAW. 22221

Lot Sale
and SAVE!

Consumers Co-op
ANDOVER

ECIAL
en (plain)
63c

Dry Cleaned and
Pressed

ITY
ANERS
ERS AND DYERS

ANDOVER

DOVER
and Service

General
REPAIRING
s 'Hank' Bready
ST. TEL. 24

ARD STARTING?

KACO HIGH-TEST

and

MOTOR OIL No. 10

SERVICE STATION

M. MURRAY

GULF SERVICE

HESTNUT STS. TEL. 844

FOR YOUR TIRE NEEDS

ICK'S EXPRESS

EST. 1911

pendable Service

Tel. And. 577

DANS
to \$2,000DOVER
ANCE CO.

icense #98

MUSGROVE BLDG.

VER SQUARE

ANDOVER 1998

THURST DAIRY

Serving Andover

For Over

35 Years

S. PROP. AND. 994

rtgages

DANS

er Savings

Bank

ST. TEL. 103

Service Station

GAS — OIL

RANGE OIL

ACME TIRES

AND BATTERIES

in St. Tel. 155

JUNIOR HIGH

By JANET THOMPSON

HONOR CARDS

An assembly was held Friday for the purpose of giving out honor cards. The pupils who received them were:

Grade Seven

Honors: George Adams, Carole Cotter, Maurice Dunlavy, Nancy Friel, Robert Hesse, William Mooney, Mary Morse, Ronald Paparella, Cora Reed, Barbara Stone, Lesley Jane Westfall.

High Honors: Judith Auchterlonie, James Curry, Carol DesRoches, Robert Domingue, David Glendinning, Dorcas Johnston, Richard Lawrence, Larry Lewis, Alda McCormack, Winthrop Pearl, Gladys Thompson, Carole Valentine, Maxine Wainwright, Joyce Ann Williams, Joyce Marjorie Williams, Barbara Wright.

Highest Honors: Marilyn Davis, William Dean, Francis Henrick, Patricia Sanborn, Betsy Sparks, Ann Sughrue, Gail Thompson.

Grade Eight

Honors: Mary Lee Adriance, Sandra Guertlin, Sidney Tavern.

High Honors: Mary Ellen Bishop, Thomas Burnett, Barbara Doyle, Robert Erler, Michael Glazerman, Marion Glennie, Elizabeth Hatton, Robert Henderson, William Hogan, Ruth Morgan, Mary Alice Shea.

Highest Honors: Eleanor Mondale and Ruth Sullivan.

Grade Nine

Honors: Peter Caswell, Carolyn Erler, Raeburn Hathaway, Russell Johnson, Barbara Kenney, Virginia Lees, James Murray, John Nicoll, Alan Parker, Asher Reynolds, Sarkis Sarkisian, Eileen Skeirik.

High Honors: Frances Dunlavy, Barbara Polley, Cynthia Hayward, Marlon Washington.

Highest Honors: Betty Born, Lyman Gale, Jean Farrell, Judith Maddock, Janet Thompson.

Sports

The Junior High varsity was defeated, 20-13, by the Central Catholic freshmen in a basketball game played in our gym last Friday afternoon.

In the girls' intra-mural games held Jan. 6, the Reds defeated the Golds, 4-2, while the Greens were the winners in a forfeit game with the Blues.

On Jan. 11, the Blues defeated the Reds, 16-7, and the Golds defeated the Greens, 8-6.

Dinner

The Andover School committee was given a dinner by the home economics department at 6 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 4. The ninth grade girls did the cooking for the dinner, which was held in the Foods room. The waitresses were Janet Valentine, Joyce Mowat, Elizabeth Bololan.

Orchestra

This being the orchestra season, the orchestra members recently held their first meeting in which the following officers were elected: President, Bettie McMillan; vice-president, Barbara Polley; secretary, Frances Dunlavy; treasurer, Henry Belliveau; librarian, Mary Alice Shea; assistant librarian, Marilyn Jourret.

Notes

The first meeting of the student guide was held last Wednesday under the direction of Miss Alice Bisbee and Walter Roberts. The student guides, who will be stationed at fifteen different posts, will not act as policemen, but will try to help the students.

Rita Roy, seventh grader, has returned to Lynn after a short stay in the Junior High school.

Bruce Engel has entered seventh grade from Stowe school.

One of Miss Alice Bisbee's social studies classes heard President Truman's "State of the Union" message last Wednesday by means of a radio in the room.

Deposits Jan. 4 by 44 pupils amounted to \$219.40, while on Jan. 11 the sum of \$70.15 was deposited by 56 students. During the fall term, 685 deposits were made, totalling \$1,016.85.

The Harvard-B. U. teachers' course, entitled "World Community," will end Thursday. The course is under the direction of Professor Barnes.

MERRIMACK COLLEGE

Merrimack College will present Miss Elizabeth M. Lynskey, Ph.D., professor of political science at Hunter college, New York City, as guest lecturer at 3 p. m., Sunday, Jan. 16, in St. Mary's auditorium.

Dr. Lynskey, a recognized authority on international affairs and politics, is at present official observer for the Catholic Association for International Peace at the United Nations organization. In 1947, she was sent to Austria by the United States government to observe the teachings of social sciences in that country. She is vice-president of the Catholic Association for International Peace; a member of the executive committee, Catholic Commission on Intellectual and Cultural Affairs; an official of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Tickets may be secured at Merrimack college and at St. Mary's parish office.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL GUILD

The Catholic School guild of St. Augustine's parish will hold its regular monthly meeting at 8 o'clock tonight in the school hall. Following the business session an auction sale will be held.

The committee in charge is: Mrs. John Barry, chairman; assisted by Mrs. Frank A. Callahan, Mrs. John A. Costello, Mrs. Augustine L. Delaney, Mrs. Frank Merrill and Mrs. John J. Minahan.



Part of the head table group at the dinner and installation conducted by the Andover Catholic club at the Andover Country club. From left to right: The Rev. Francis P. Fenton, O.S.A., executive director of the Merrimack College building fund campaign; Mrs. Louis E. Gleason, Louis E. Gleason, vice-president; the Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine's church; Mrs. Frederick E. Griffin, Frederick E. Griffin, the new president; and the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, moderator of the club. (Look Photo)

WEST PARISH

Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Correspondent, Telephone 584-J

GRANGE NEWS

Andover Grange, 183, was well-represented at the installation of officers of Friendship Pomona held in the Bradford Grange hall Saturday evening, Jan. 8. Deputy Clyde Henniker of Danvers was the installing officer.

Those present were: Miss Ebba Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall and daughter, Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. William Corliss, Mr. and Mrs. William Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Abbott, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Henderson.

Installation

Andover Grange, 183, held its first meeting of the new year Tuesday evening, Jan. 4. A turkey supper was served at 6:30 p. m. by Mrs. Wilma Abbott and her staff.

At 8 o'clock the following officers for 1949 were installed by Deputy Alfred Johnson and his suite from West Newbury: Master, Alexander Henderson; overseer, Merwyn Darby; lecturer, Grace Allen; assistant lecturer, Josephine Long; steward, Franklin Allen; assistant steward, Eleanor Goff; chaplain, Betty Darby; treasurer, Harry Wright; secretary, Gladys E. Colmer; gatekeeper, Vester Darby; Ceres, Marion Henderson; Pomona, Margaret Baxter; Flora, Catherine Goff; lady assistant steward, Evelyn Hall; pianist, Wilma C. Abbott; and the executive committee of Floyd Darby, Harry Playdon and Hartwell B. Abbott.

Installation was public and was witnessed by a large group of friends and members.

Junior Women's Union

The January meeting of the Junior Women's union will be held tonight in the vestry of the West church. Miss Miriam Putnam, librarian and Miss Margaret Lane of the library staff will take part in the interesting program, the theme for which is "The Family And The Library."

The hostesses will be Mrs. Foster Robertson, Mrs. Elmer Peterson, Mrs. Clayton Northey, Mrs. John Hall, Jr., Mrs. Irving Piper and Mrs. Warren A. Lewis.

Church Committee Meeting

Following the regular morning service at the West church Sunday, Jan. 9, a meeting of the church committee was held to elect a music committee for the new year.



At that time, Miss Marion L. Abbott, Mrs. Dean Hudgins, Mrs. Richard Williams, Frederick Orstein and Mr. Leverett Putnam were elected.

Sunday School

Members of the West parish Sunday school class enjoyed an interesting missionary program Sunday, Jan. 9. Moving pictures of China were shown and the Sunday school superintendent, Warren A. Lewis, read a timely story on that subject.

Personals

Mr. Roger H. Lewis of Laurell lane attended the meeting of the Small Fruit and Vegetable Growers association held Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 5 and 6, in Worcester.

Friends of James Smith of River rd., will be sorry to hear that he is a patient at Haynes Memorial hospital, Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Putnam and their baby daughter of Rochester, N. H., visited Mr. Putnam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Putnam of Lowell st., over the weekend.

Sgt. Clyde A. Fore, Jr., of Reservation rd., left recently for Ft. Riley, Kansas, where he will attend officers' training school for six months.

William A. Trow quietly celebrated his 81st birthday Thursday, Jan. 6, at his home at 31 Lowell st. Due to ill health, no real celebration was held but during the day several friends stopped in to offer their congratulations and best wishes. Friends and relatives from many parts of the country sent him their loving messages for many more happy birthdays.

John Pike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Pike of 126 Lowell st., called his parents Monday evening from Miami, Fla., where the privately owned plane aboard which he is flying as co-pilot and mechanic landed for re-fueling. They planned to take off Tuesday morning on the second and last lap of their flight to Cuba.

Last year's record of one box car's wanderings showed that it visited 27 states; crossed the continent six times; traveled over 37 railroads, and was on its own line only 14 days of the year.

Jonathan Swift

77 Main Street

In answer to your many requests, Jonathan now has:—

CARTER'S Three-piece "Sleepers" Top with 2 pair button-on pants, with feet. Sizes 1, 2, 3, 4 Pink, Blue - - - - - \$3.25

CARTER'S One-piece "Sleepers" with feet and self-help seat. Sizes 6, 8 Pink, Blue - - - - - \$2.50

Le ROI Knee Socks, Heavy Cotton Cable Pattern Sizes 8 to 10½ - - - - - \$.75

Open Friday from 9:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

TELEPHONE: ANDOVER 2225

P. S.—ALMOST FORGOT:

Just received 10 new Spring Cotton Dress Styles by TEENA-PAIGE. Dan River and Bates fabrics, one and two-piece styles. Sizes 9 to 15 - - - - - \$8.95

J. S.

Many At Installation Held By Catholic Club

The annual dinner and installation of officers of the Andover Catholic club taxed the capacity of the Andover Country club last Saturday night.

Starting with the dinner at which 262 members, their wives and friends participated, the evening's program continued with remarks by Vincent Treanor, the outgoing president. He introduced the Rev. Matthew A. McDonald, S. A., moderator of the club, who conducted the brief induction service.

The new officers installed were: Frederick E. Griffin, president; Louis E. Gleason, vice-president; Harold W. Wennik, secretary; Frank J. O'Connor, treasurer; Francis Nelligan and Vincent Treanor, directors. Fr. McDonald, in behalf of the members, presented Mr. Treanor with a gift for his achievements during his term of office.

James E. Sheard sang "Bless This House" and led the assembled members and guests in community singing. During the exercises there was a minute of full silence for departed members. Dancing concluded the evening's program.

COURT ST. MONICA

Court St. Monica, C. D. of A., held a well-attended business meeting Monday night in the school hall. It was voted to send a box of new clothing for the children in war-torn Europe through the Holy Father. Members are requested to bring articles for this project to the January meeting. Such articles as diapers, underclothes, night clothing and small blankets are suggested.

Mrs. Charles J. Bailey was appointed chairman of a bakery sale to be held at a later date. Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy was winner of the "mystery prize."

The committee for the January social includes: Co-chairmen, Mrs. Robert Leete and Mrs. Morris Lynch, assisted by Mrs. Mary Lamprey, Mrs. Anne Lynch, Mrs. Frank Lee and Mrs. Raymond Lynch.

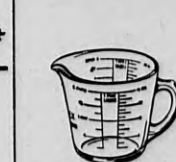
18 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
IN
DRESSMAKING
REMODELING
ALTERATIONS
LADIES' SUITS, COATS,
DRESSES MADE TO ORDER
★
PAUL'S
CLEANERS AND DYERS
127 MAIN STREET TEL. 2125

AS ADVERTISED IN

Post

SEE OUR DISPLAY OF
CLEAN, SPARKLING
PYREX WARE!

Bake, serve
and store
in the same
PYREX dish



PYREX Measuring Cups, 1 cup, 1 pint, and 1 quart, 25¢, 50¢, and 75¢



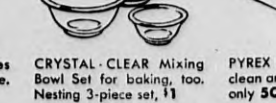
PYREX Percolator makes perfect coffee every time. 6-cup size, 12.95



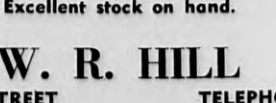
PYREX Knob Cover Casseroles have hundreds of uses. 4 sizes, 1½ qt. size, only 75¢ Get yours today!



"FLAVOR-SAVER" Pie Plate keeps the juice inside. 9" and 10" sizes, 40¢ and 50¢



CUSTARD Cups and Deep Pie Dishes, 6, 9, and 15 oz. sizes, 5¢, 10¢ and 15¢



PYREX Utility Dish—sandy, clean and handy. Two sizes, only 50¢ and 75¢

Announcement has been made that prices will advance. Order everything you can use, at these low prices. Excellent stock on hand.

W. R. HILL
45 MAIN STREET TELEPHONE 102

**Lumber — Paints
Paper and
Hardware
Mason Supplies**
J. E. Pitman Est.
63 PARK ST. ANDOVER
TEL. 664

**AUTO GLASS INSTALLED
WHILE U WAIT**



Channels, Regulators, Inside and outside door and trunk handles
Mirrors, Furniture Tops, Mirror resilvering.

CITY GLASS CO.
311 COMMON STREET
LAWRENCE
TELEPHONE 9539



**VICTOR ADDING
MACHINES**
Sales - Service - Rentals
PRICED FROM
\$95.77 Up
The Typewriter Shop
Incorporated
269 Common St. Lawrence
Tel. 4702



Cathay Imports

IPSWICH — Tel. 205

Argilla Road, ¼ Mile From South Green

We will be open for business during the Winter Months and are happy to have you drop in and browse around. Maybe we can help you with that Wedding or Birthday Gift.

What people say behind
your back is your standing
in the community.

—EDGAR W. HOWE

VOLUME 62, NUMBER

**NEWS
OF
THE
NEWS**

By LEONARD F. JAM

Recent British foreign
the Middle East has a so
shabby appearance, and ye
a good lesson along the
ous road of international
The outcry again
shooting down of five
planes flying near the
Egyptian border smacke
what of a red herring
across the trail of inter
flickerings. Coming close
heels of the Indonesian
Britain's official attitude
iated by Foreign Secretar
brings to mind the maxi
those living in glass hous
Palestine Complications

Many observers who w
haps sympathetic toward
Britain's difficulties over t
time issue find themse
embarrassing position.
mittedly, as we who
drawn into the comple
international politics ar
the Palestine problem ha
difficult issue for a lo
Were it merely a matter
fying the wishes and nee
Jewish people, the issu
well have been settled
But Arab and Russian
were unavoidable comp
and the British have fel
to steer carefully and av

(Continued on Page

**Christ Church
Parish Meeting**

The annual parish m
Christ church was held
night with an attendanc
100 present.

Annual reports of the
and treasurer were give
with other reports from
of various church org

Election of officers fo
resulted as follows: C
Kimball, senior ward
S. Young, junior ward
lin T. Bigelow, treasur
of William S. Hughes
signed after serving
years; Harold A. R
pointed assistant treas
eth S. Minard, elect
vestrymen for three ye
S. Hughes, William R
Norman L. Miller; dele
diocesan convention in
Carleton Kimball, C
Chipman and C. Dennet
delegates to the arch
Lowell, Mrs. Fred C. S
Walter C. Caswell and
H. Paradise.

Reports of the organ
presented and the W
Organ company will st
ing the organ immedi
expected that it will l
about six weeks.

**Father-Sons Banquet
At South Church**

The annual father an
quet of the South ch
club will be held in
at 6:30 p. m., Wedne
26. Chairman Charles
tom has planned a bu
for boys from 6-9 year
15 years, and for 16
over, with a prize to be
the winner of each
fathers are urged to st
their sons in the rule
lations of official base
records, averages, and
that there will be
strong competition f
worthwhile awards.
After the quiz, Jeff
on Braves scout, a
coach George L. F
Phillips academy wi
on baseball. Movies
will be shown, time pe

RUG
CLEANED — MOTHPROOF
CARPETING EXPERTLY
IN HOTELS — THEATR
— ORIENTAL RUGS A

Orash Rug Clean
5 BROOK STREET
Tel. Lawrence 22298 or L

The ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS, JANUARY 20, 1949

PRICE, 5 CENTS

What people say behind
your back is your standing
in the community.
—EDGAR W. HOWE.

We are here to add what
we can TO, not to get what
we can FROM, life.
—SIR WILLIAM OSLER.

VOLUME 62, NUMBER 14

VIEW OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

Recent British foreign policy in the Middle East has a somewhat hazy appearance, and yet it may be a good lesson along the precipitous road of international relations. The outcry against the shooting down of five R.A.F. planes flying near the Israeli-Egyptian border smacked somewhat of a red herring drawn across the trail of international bickerings. Coming close upon the heels of the Indonesian clamor, Britain's official attitude as enunciated by Foreign Secretary Bevin brings to mind the maxim about those living in glass houses.

Palestine Complications
Many observers who were perhaps sympathetic towards Great Britain's difficulties over the Palestine issue find themselves in an embarrassing position. For admittedly, as we who are now drawn into the complexities of international politics are aware, the Palestine problem has been a difficult issue for a long time. Were it merely a matter of satisfying the wishes and needs of the Jewish people, the issue might have been settled long ago. But Arab and Russian interests were unavoidable complications, and the British have felt obliged to steer carefully and avoid a pre-

(Continued on Page Six)

Christ Church Parish Meeting

The annual parish meeting of Christ church was held Monday night with an attendance of about 100 present.

Annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were given together with other reports from the heads of various church organizations.

Election of officers for the year resulted as follows: C. Carleton Kimball, senior warden; Ernest S. Young, junior warden; Franklin T. Bigelow, treasurer, in place of William S. Hughes who resigned after serving for seven years; Harold A. Rutter, appointed assistant treasurer; Kenneth S. Minard, elected clerk; vestrymen for three years, William S. Hughes, William R. Hill and Norman L. Miller; delegates to the diocesan convention in May, C. Carleton Kimball, Charles F. Chipman and C. Dennett McDuffie; delegates to the archdiocesan in Lowell, Mrs. Fred C. Smith, Mrs. Walter C. Caswell and Mrs. Scott H. Paradise.

Reports of the organ fund were presented and the W. W. Laws Organ company will start installing the organ immediately. It is expected that it will be ready in about six weeks.

Father-Sons Banquet At South Church, Jan. 26

The annual father and sons banquet of the South Church Men's club will be held in the church at 6:30 p. m., Wednesday, Jan. 26. Chairman Charles O. McCulloch has planned a baseball quiz for boys from 6-9 years, from 10-15 years, and for 16 years and over, with a prize to be awarded to the winner of each group. All fathers are urged to start coaching their sons in the rules and regulations of official baseball, players records, averages, and names, so that there will be some good strong competition for these worthwhile awards.

After the quiz, Jeff Jones, Boston Braves scout, and Baseball Coach George L. Follansbee of Phillips academy will give talks on baseball. Movies of baseball will be shown, time permitting.

RUG ORIENTAL AND DOMESTIC RUGS
CLEANED — MOTHPROOFED — REPAIRED
CARPETING EXPERTLY CLEANED
IN HOTELS — THEATRES — HOMES
—ORIENTAL RUGS A SPECIALTY—
Otash Rug Cleaning Co.
5 BROOK STREET — METHUEN
Tel. Lawrence 22298 or Lawrence 4372

Hall Enters Contest For Selectman

Third Candidate in This Race Formerly Held the Office During 1943-46

Additional interests is projected into the coming town election with the entrance of Edward P. Hall of Dascomb rd., in the contest for selectman and assessor.

Chairman Sidney P. White of the board of public works, and Louis E. Gleason, president of the Andover Taxpayer's association are already in this race.

The three-year term of Howell P. Shepard expires this year and as yet there is no indication from him that he intends to be a candidate for re-election. He is reported to be out of the state.

Nomination papers in the interests of Mr. White and Mr. Gleason were in circulation last week. The former's term on the board of public works expires in 1950.

The decision of Mr. Hall to become a candidate for selectman and assessor brings into the race a man who held the office before and is a member of the board of appeals. He was elected selectman in 1943 and served until 1946.

To date there are two candidates for a single vacancy on the school committee. William A. Doherty is running for re-election. Eugene A. Bernardin, Jr., 11 Abbott st., has taken out nomination papers in this contest.

There are two members to be elected to the board of public works this year. John H. Kelly of Holt rd., whose term expires, is a candidate for re-election. Sanborn A. Caldwell, whose term also expires in 1949, is residing in another town and will not be a candidate. So far only Mr. Kelly has declared himself in this contest.

The time for filing nomination papers expires Thursday, Feb. 3, at 4:30 p. m., and it is expected that several more candidates will have their hats in the ring at that time.

University of Life Registration Day

In preparation for the opening of the second annual University of Life sponsored by the Andover council of churches, Alexander D. Gibson, registration chairman announces that registration day will be Sunday, Jan. 30, and that registration blanks will be available in all of the cooperating churches this coming Sunday.

The registration blanks will be in charge of the following church representatives: Herbert H. Otis, Baptist church; the Rev. J. S. Moses, Christ church; Alexander D. Gibson, Cochran chapel; Alexander Stewart, Free church; George G. Brown, Methodist church; Thaxter Eaton, South church; Charles Scobie, Union Congregational church; Herbert P. Carter, West Parish church.

The registration blanks are to be filled out and given with the fee to the church representative or sent to Mr. Gibson at 49 Highland rd. The registration fee is adults \$2, young people \$1. The fee covers six buffet suppers, the chapel services and seminars.

The University of Life is a course of lectures and discussions established by all of the Protestant churches of Andover, through the council of churches, in the interest of bringing to the people of the town outstanding religious speakers and leaders. Any interested person may register. The first session will be held at the South church, Sunday, Feb. 6, with a buffet supper at 6:45 p. m.



Big league teams may be getting ready to go south for their spring training but with the mild weather we have been enjoying here recently the snappy Summer Street Superbas have been getting in a few licks during the past week. Here our enterprising cameraman, Robert W. Bachmann, has caught Bazil Yancy getting ready to meet a fast one, with Frank Nicols behind the bat. Looking on are, from left to right: Frank Wright, Dale Blake, Jack Polgreen (behind the batter), Lloyd Howells and Marilyn Nicols.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS BUDGET FIGURES

	1948	1949
	Appropriation	Expenditures
Highway Dep't. . . .	\$ 55,538.00	\$ 53,320.08
Water Dep't.	49,978.00	49,967.87
Park Dep't.	5,400.00	5,385.10
Sewer Dep't.	7,000.00	6,786.20
Trucks, Garage and R.S.M.	9,970.00	9,962.09
Administrative, Office	*13,560.00	13,255.30
Snow Removal and Sanding	36,090.96	36,090.96
Street Lights	20,500.00	22,000.00
Totals	\$198,036.96	\$194,334.60

*43 weeks in 1948, 52 weeks in 1949. The total Highway Budget provides for the \$4-a-week bonus for the entire calendar year. If bonus should be rejected, it would reduce this figure approximately \$4,784.00.

The park department's main increase is due to \$600 requested to paint the bleachers which were built 3 or 4 years ago.

The increase under office heading of approximately \$3,000.00 is due entirely to 52 weeks, compared to last year's appropriation covering from town meeting to December—43 weeks. In other words, it does not represent any new employees or increase in wages, other than the \$4.00-a-week bonus granted at Town Meeting—1948.

The increase in street light account is primarily due to new mercury vapor lights to be installed in Shawshen center and Andover square. These new lights were ordered last summer, but have not to date been installed, due to the fact to the difficulty in securing the steel standards. We feel this new installation will meet with the approval of the many interests at the last Town Meeting thought it might be necessary to spend another \$25,000 lighting the entire main road from the Lawrence line to the academy hill.

Registry Offers Driving Course

The driving classes which the registry of motor vehicles has sponsored in various high schools for the past two years have contributed so much to the reduction of the accident rate of teen age drivers that the registry, in cooperation with the Division of University Extension, is offering a driver education and training course as a service to the schools to help meet the need for additional trained teachers.

The course at Pynchard High school, will be held Tuesdays, from 3:45 to 5:45 beginning Feb. first.

Registrations will be taken at 200 Newbury st., Boston, or at the first class meeting. Massachusetts veterans may enroll free of charge and veterans from out of state will be accepted under the G.I. Bill. Non-veteran residents' enrollment fee is \$14.00 and \$16.00 for out-of-state non-veterans.

Call Tel. 1496, and make your appointment to save a life. Be a Red Cross blood donor.

Sees Urgent Need For Blood Donors

Hospital blood banks have done a tremendous job in supplying blood to patients but the need has grown far beyond the capacity of private blood banks, local Red Cross officials point out in a statement issued today. These private blood banks must have the reinforcement which the national blood program of the American Red Cross can give them.

Dr. Leslie F. Jolliffe, pathologist, Lawrence General Hospital, (Continued on Page Twelve)

Public Works Dep't Completes Budget

The board of public works has completed its budget for 1949 and the total figure for all of its operations is estimated at \$187,300, almost \$11,000 less than the 1948 appropriations.

The big item that causes this difference is that for snow removal and sanding. The 1948 total was \$36,090, while only \$15,000 is estimated for the present year.

One of the larger items showing an increase is that of administrative and office, due mainly to the \$4 cost-of-living bonus voted last year and which was paid 43 weeks in 1948 but estimated to be paid for 52 weeks in the present year.

Other items calling for larger appropriations in 1949 are those for supplies that have increased in the past year. This is shown in the cost of tarvia for surfacing roads and for fuel.

Another increase is sought for new mercury lights in Andover square and in Shawshen Village center. These have been ordered but installation has been delayed because the steel standards have not been available.

The board is also sponsoring several special articles in the town warrant, calling for various improvements. The total is \$53,785, which includes \$6,250 for the repair of the Andover street bridge in Ballardvale, and \$30,000 for the construction of a new bridge there.

If either article is accepted the other will not be necessary and it will reduce the estimate by that much.

Last year articles sponsored by the department totalled \$37,900 at the annual town meeting and \$25,400 at the special town meeting. In the latter sum there are \$15,200 for a new bridge on Central street and \$7,000 for a new bridge on Stevens street. The total (Continued on Page Twelve)

Big Jump In 1948 Building Construction

Estimated Cost of New Work and Alterations Much Higher Than 1947

New building construction in Andover during the past year took tremendous strides that nearly doubled the estimated value of construction during the previous year.

At the same time there was a great increase in the estimated cost of additions and alterations over the 197 period, and all told, the building program showed a tremendous growth in the value of construction for which permits were issued.

According to the records of Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman a comparative record for both years shows that for 1947 there were 125 permits issued for new buildings at an estimated cost of \$689,450, while in 1948 there were 169 new permits issued for new buildings at an estimated cost of \$1,224,109.

Permits issued for additions and alterations in 1947 were 76 and for 1948 there were 78. While these remained almost the same the estimated cost of construction jumped almost 50 per cent, the earlier year being \$100,150 and last year \$147,600.

The total estimated cost of new construction, additions and alterations for 1947 was \$789,600 but the 1948 figure showed a tremendous gain that brought the total up to \$1,371,709.

Urges Action To Save Elms

Prompt action to save elm trees from the ravages of the Dutch Elm disease is urged by George R. Abbott, tree warden, in his annual report. One diseased tree was found in 1947 and four more in different sections of the town in 1948, and this year, Mr. Abbott states, may bring many times this number.

In his budget the tree warden asks for \$10,800, an increase of \$310 over a year ago.

The complete report is as follows:

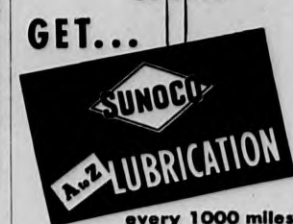
To the Citizens of Andover: "Trees are of the greatest importance to the health of man." "Good trees are an asset to a town in beauty, enjoyment and in property values. It pays to protect and guard them."

The citizens of Andover should be greatly stirred and concerned over the loss of our elms by the dutch elm disease. A great heritage of beauty, enjoyment and value to our homes and the town will be lost unless prompt all-out action is taken to retard and control this terrible disease.

(Continued on Page Twelve)



STOP squeaks
STOP squawks
STOP trouble
before it starts
GET...



every 1000 miles
Green's Service
205 NO. MAIN ST.

For Courteous Service In All Your Heating Problems...Call

JANES-NELLIGAN, Inc.

Range and Fuel Oil
'PHONES: ANDOVER 1129 — ENTERPRISE 5122
(No Charge)



Dalton Pharmacy
16 MAIN STREET TEL. 107

Our large prescription volume permits us to maintain the highest ethical standards, and to offer you the lowest consistent prices.

JUNIOR HIGH

By JANET THOMPSON

VISIT TO BANK

The junior business division, under the supervision of Miss Evelyn Parker, visited the Andover Savings bank last Thursday morning on a field trip which was both instructive and enjoyable. The division greatly appreciated the help given. One highlight was entering the big vault and viewing the \$1,000 bills, and the expert calculating machines.

Library

There are three new books in the school library.

"The Island Stallion" by Walter Earley is a story of Steve Duncan's search for a giant stallion.

In "Gold Prospector" by William Rush, Seth Monroe leaves a good job and achieves his dearest wish—to go prospecting.

"Patsy Jefferson of Monticello," by Marguerite J. Vance, is an interesting historical biography of Patsy, daughter of Thomas Jefferson.

Student Guide

The student guide held a meeting Friday in which a set of rules

were drawn up. The following are the members of the student guide: Janet Thompson, chairman;

Seventh grade: Ann Sughree, Patricia Sanborn, Allan Schwarzenberg, William Gens, Richard Fairburn, David Nowell, Roy Nightingale, Carol Michalski, Joyce M. Williams.

Eighth grade: Sandra Guertin, Robert Henderson, David Martin, Margaret McLachlan, Walter Wood, Arianna Shaw, Helen Andrew, Robert Best.

Ninth grade: Richard Holmes, Raeburn Hathaway, John Halbach, Richard Meadowcroft, Cynthia Hayward, John O'Connor, Judy Thompson, Jean Farrell, Virginia Lees, James Murray.

Sports

Our basketball team defeated Tewksbury High J. V., 25-21, in a game played at Tewksbury last Wednesday afternoon.

The team also defeated Methuen Central grammar school team, 16-10, here last Friday.

The "Celtics" defeated the "Crusaders," 14-12, in an over-

time game last Tuesday, and thus won the championship in the seventh grade boys' basketball tournament.

The members of the winning team are: Frank Hebert, Allen Schwarzenberg, Arthur Schwarzenberg, Phil Coates, Raymond Yancy, Robert Domangue.

The seventh grade All Stars will consist of the following 7th grade boys: Leo Ruel, captain; Jimmy Adams, John Carver, Raymond Yancy, Carleton Brown, William Mooney, Allan Wadman, Kenneth Sparks, Allen Schwarzenberg, Arthur Schwarzenberg. These boys will play the 8th grade champions.

In the girls' intra-mural basketball games held last Thursday, the Reds defeated the Greens, 26-6, while the Blues and Golds forfeited their game each team lacking two players.

P. T. A.

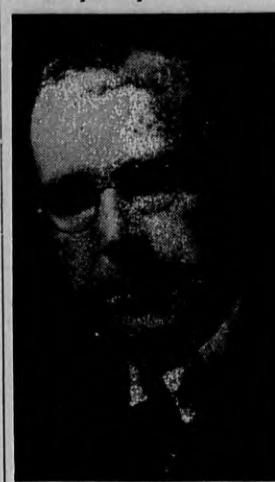
Previous to the Parent-Teachers meeting in the auditorium Wednesday night, parents had an opportunity to discuss their children's problems with the teachers, who were in their rooms from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Notes

Miss Evelyn Parker of the Mathematics department; Miss Catherine Barrett, principal of Stowe and Jackson schools; and Miss Anne Harnedy, principal of the Shawheen school; attended a Mathematics conference at Reading High school Tuesday afternoon. Miss Parker spoke on the Math course of study in our Junior High.

National Thrift Week starts on January 17th each year to commemorate the birthday of Benjamin Franklin. The students with school savings accounts made a special effort to bank a "Franklin Deposit" and Tuesday, bank-day.

Donovan Heads St. Ry. System



JOHN I. DONOVAN

John I. Donovan of Winchester was elected president and general manager of the Eastern Massachusetts St. Ry. Co. at a meeting of the board of directors held Saturday at the company's offices in Boston. He has been chairman of the board of public trustees since October, 1945.

His election not only marks the first time in 30 years that the company has had a president, but signifies the company's return to private operation after being under public control since 1918.

Other officers elected include Edwin D. Crowley of Swampscott, treasurer; Clarence J. Peters of Wilmington, assistant treasurer; Walter L. Hannan of Medford, secretary and clerk; Herbert F. Graves of Winchester, comptroller; John F. Gallagher of Newton, superintendent of transportation; Timothy F. Kane of Brockton, administrative assistant to the general manager; Thomas E. Wilkins of Brockton, personnel assistant to the general manager.

Mr. Donovan is a native of Lawrence, and prepared for college in the Lawrence schools. Entering Harvard in 1909, he completed his degree requirements in three

There's Something New
and Exciting at
10 Park Street

RCA VICTOR
EYE
WITNESS
TELEVISION

GILBOARD'S - ANDOVER
located in the
ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

CURRAN & JOYCE COMPANY

— MANUFACTURERS —

SODA WATERS
and GINGER ALES

Doctors Endorse Red Cross Blood Program

"As physicians, it is our considered opinion that the National Blood Program of the American National Red Cross is the best plan so far devised to integrate local facilities, into a program of national scope which will serve the country in peace and in war. It represents a challenge to the medical profession, to public spirited citizens, and to medical scientists to pool their efforts co-operatively for the welfare of the people."

(From The Journal of the American Medical Association)

We heartily endorse this program:

John T. Batal
Phillip W. Blake
Harry Byrne
Stanley G. Chart
Charles Currier
Jeremiah J. Daly
Harry C. East
J. Roswell Gallagher

John H. Hartigan
Charles H. Hollis
Leslie S. Jolliffe
P. J. Look
John J. McArdle, Jr.
T. Dennie Pratt
Joseph A. Sapientza
William G. Thompson

William G. Weiss

"Blood To Give Means Blood To Live"

BLOOD MOBILE AT SOUTH CHURCH ANDOVER
JANUARY 31

BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Hazel Schofield, Correspondent, Telephone 898-M

FRIENDLY GUILD NOTES

The regular monthly business meeting of the Friendly Guild was held last Friday evening at the home of Miss Doris Shaw.

The devotional service was led by Mrs. Philip Kelsey. Mrs. Joseph Bouleau was chosen as chairman of the group to work with the members of the West Parish church on their part of the University of Life program.

Reports were given on the sale of jewelry, the luncheon at the blanket club. Mrs. Alfred Webb will act as representative of the guild to plan the fellowship suppers.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Joseph Bouleau. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Philip Kelsey with Mrs. Charles Scobie co-hostess. The devotional period will be in charge of Mrs. William McIntyre.

Junior Choir Organized

The newly organized Junior choir made its first appearance Sunday morning in the Union Congregational church.

Rehearsals are held at 4:30 o'clock, Friday afternoons in the church vestry with Mrs. George Keith as pianist and the Rev. Philip M. Kelsey as director. Anyone wishing to join the choir should contact Mr. Kelsey.

Birthday Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford of Tewksbury st., entertained a group of their friends Friday evening, the occasion being the double birthday of Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Albert Coates.

A social evening was enjoyed. Refreshments, including a beautifully decorated cake, were served by the hostess. Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Coates, Mr. and Mrs. George For-

years, and took his degree cum laude with the class of 1913. He taught English at Lawrence High school until 1917, when he was made headmaster of the A. B. Bruce school. He entered the security business in 1926 after his resignation from teaching, and later served two years on the Lawrence school committee.

The new president of the Eastern Mass. became a director of the company in 1944, and a member of the board of public trustees in 1945. That same year, he was chosen chairman following the resignation of Arthur G. Wadleigh.

Mr. Donovan is president of the Eastern Mutual Insurance company; chairman of the board of trustees of the Winchester hospital; secretary of the Winchester Scholarship foundation; and president of the Harvard club of Eastern Middlesex. He is a member of the Harvard club of Boston, the Clover club, and the Charitable Irish society.

He married Dorothy A. McCullough of Brookline in 1934, and now lives in Winchester with his wife and two children.

sythe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Froburg and Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford.

Women's Service League Notes

At the meeting of the Women's Service league held in the vestry of Union Congregational church last Wednesday the following chairmen were elected: Missionary, Mrs. P. W. Moody; social and special features, Mrs. Ernest Edwards; shut-in committee, Mrs. Ernest Hall; birthday book, Mrs. Walter Curtis; smiles, Mrs. Michael Mullaney.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, Jan. 19 at the home of Miss Helen Davies on Dacombe rd.

Personals

Mrs. James Sparks of River st. is a surgical patient at the Beverly hospital in Beverly.

Mrs. James Schofield will attend the special meeting called by the general council of the Congregational churches to be held in Cleveland Feb. 4 and 5. Mrs. Schofield is a delegate of the South church, West Parish church and the Union Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge and family of Senter st., have moved to Lawrence.

THE LIBRARY ON THE AIR

The next broadcast by the Memorial Hall library over WCCM on the "Accent On Andover" program will be heard at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday Jan. 25. And this one is unquestionably for the ladies! It's a gentle reminder that the library has more than fiction books, and history books, and books about volcanoes, canaries, antiques and upholstery books. The class of literature under discussion is to be the self-overhauling, waist pinching, hair-do styling, dieting material that glorifies. You'll find all the books discussed at the Memorial Hall library. Why not listen in and then come in?

DOLLS ON DISPLAY

In your eagerness to catch the best fiction on the new book shelf, or to catch the next bus, don't fail to stop long enough in the entrance hall of the Memorial Hall library to see the dolls on display, dressed in the proper costumes of the countries from which they came. The display was loaned to the adult library by the young people's room, where it has been one of the favorite exhibits.

Tufts College Honors Dr. Henry S. Glidden

The trustees of Tufts college recently elected Dr. Henry Spencer Glidden of 67 Cheever circle, Andover, to the position of assistant professor of pathology and bacteriology at Tufts college Medical and Dental schools. Dr. Glidden is pathologist and medical coordinator of St. John's hospital, Lowell; pathologist to the State hospital, Tewksbury; St. Joseph's hospital, Lowell, and the Clover Hill hospital, Lawrence.

It's No Secret, but

... a lot of folks don't know how little it costs to be protected against burglary, robbery and other theft losses. Insurance to fit your needs, whether for your personal belongings, or to cover your business, is available at surprisingly low cost.

May we tell you more about it?

Smart & Flagg, Inc.

The Insurance Office
Bank Bldg. Andover 870

WINTER FOOTWEAR

RUBBERS
OVERSHOES
BOOTS

"SHOES THAT SATISFY"

★ X-Ray Fitting ★

REINHOLD S

49 MAIN ST.



BIG!

Massachusetts people have no less than \$3,100,000,000 on deposit in the 190 Mutual Savings Banks throughout the state.

That's a big sum of money... and a big tribute to the thrifty people who have saved it up in comparatively small amounts.

Mutual Savings Banks have a proud record for safe custody of savings.

Three out of every four people in this state have money on deposit in these Banks. Why not come in and open your account now?



Bank where you see this emblem
At a Savings Bank or Institution for Savings

The **SAVINGS BANKS**
of Massachusetts

ANDOVER
SAVINGS BANK

Andover - Not a Andover

AT THE

Here are a few books recently added to the library recently. Any be reserved, and are too good to miss.

Annie Jordan

At the turn of the century, Annie Jordan was a Northwest itself, but desperation born from Hugh Deming, who forced prohibition on success. When S families recognized, she continued to love self in the position ask for her help. Go early Seattle.

Remembrance Rock

Four and a half years this writing of an American VE day, more to early 17th century then to American early settlement, then on to the story Long story with s grounds.

I Heard Of A River

Hannes, a German boy joined a band of nomads fleeing Europe and terror in the and came to America now call the Susquehanna. An excellent picture of development of guns.

The Wild Country

A novel of a farm which this author lived the people who lived a growing boy who enlarging with each Fire In The Heart.

Vivid love story of the 1830s, set in the 1830s from the day she met as Juliet in Coven save her father's ban on to the time when

GARDEN PLOW
RUBBISH REMOVAL
GENERAL TRUCKS
BATESON
TEL. 1467

When Your Share
day's work is done
in and enjoy a
refreshing drink at

WALTE
6 Park Street

There's something
and exciting behind
door at 10 Park

GILBOARD'S—ANDOVER
located in the

ANDOVER
GIFT
HOUSE

See and Hear the
finest television
in action — RCA
20 years in the
television

AT THE LIBRARY

Here are a few books that have been added to the Memorial Hall library recently. Any of them may be reserved, and many of them are too good to miss:

Annie Jordan Post
At the turn of the century Annie Jordan was as wild as the Northwest itself, but because of a desperation born from her love for Hugh Deming, whose social position prohibited marriage, she forced herself into the pattern of success. When Seattle's first families recognized her, the man she continued to love found himself in the position of having to ask for her help. Good picture of early Seattle.

Remembrance Rock Sandburg
Four and a half years went into this writing of an American story. It opens at the time of the celebration of VE day, moves backward to early 17th century England, then to American through the early settlement, the great wars and on to the story's beginning. Long story with shifting backgrounds.

I Heard Of A River Singmaster
Hannes, a German-Lutheran boy joined a band of Swiss Menonites fleeing Europe's poverty and terror in the 17th century, and came to America to what we now call the Susquehanna region. An excellent picture of the settlement of Lancaster county, with a plot that revolves around the development of guns.

The Wild Country Bromfield
A novel of a farmland, a setting which this author loves, and of the people who lived there and of a growing boy who finds his life enlarging with each year.

Fire In The Heart Buckmaster
Vivid love story of Fanny Kemble, set in the 1830's and 40's, from the day she made her debut as Juliet in Covent Garden to save her father's bankrupt theater on to the time when she was ad-

mitted the most exciting and famous member of her family. A good story of the theater, of a great woman's triumphs and disappointments, her loves and her tragedies.

The Three Brothers McLaverty
In prose that is almost poetry, this is the story of the three Caffrey brothers, members of a middle-class Irish family. One hated beauty; another, resentful of his lot, came into the bad ways of gambling and thievery; a third, baffled that life failed to follow a pattern, lost his hold. Nelly, the sister, with her keen vision, saw them for what they were, and saw the solution for them all. Well done.

A Time For Laughter Wellner
This is for fun, this tale of a Russian-American family, imaginative, always excited, always being on the receiving end of the unexpected, in the form of guests and visiting relatives; overflowing with strange aunts and queer uncles, it is a story for a dull day or a long evening.

The Web Of Evil Emerick
Without question the author of this story of the Pennsylvania coal region in the 1880's has a good working knowledge of his locale. The characters who people the book are almost all unnatural, but well-drawn for the sinister part they play. Not really a mystery, this may entertain those who enjoy evil deeds and old hatreds.

Most Sacred Of All Farnol
After a long time, there is a new Farnol, done in the same swash-buckling style—lovely lady, honor to avenge, safety to secure and hazards to overcome.

I Married A Dead Man Irish, pseud
In a train disaster, Helen Geogresson is transformed from a terrified, forlorn, penniless girl into the much-loved daughter-in-law of a wealthy couple whose devotion makes it impossible for her to explain the mistake. Almost a mystery, but a better suspense story, well told.

Green Mountain Farm Merrick
During the 1932 depression, Elliott Merrick moved his family to Vermont, renting a run-down farm near Lake Champlain. Then for a thousand dollars he bought their present farm and began to know real country life—family, neighbors, babies, cars, skiing, gardening, writing, living with a big L!

Good Will Days Paulmier
Poems, plays, prose selections, essay material, anecdotes and stories, speeches and sayings, compiled for use in promoting racial good will.

The Stock Didn't Bring You! Pemberton
Just what it says, written in a manner that is intended to reach the modern boy and girl who want to know how that world-shaking event ever came to pass.

Complete Party Book Van Rensselaer
Simple, specific directions for entertaining adults economically and without the service of a carter or maid, with due respect to streamlined living in small quarters and the high prices of food. Here are forty complete parties, two hundred party activities, games, stunts. Novel, and practical.

Abbot Notes...

"Education for Understanding" will be the topic of a lecture to be heard at Abbot academy at 8 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 22, in Davis hall. The lecturer will be Mrs. Estelle Massey Osborne, a member of the faculty of New York university. She was born in Texas, and after taking an M. A. degree at Columbia university, she was graduated from Nursing School of City hospital in St. Louis.

A wide experience was gained from her teaching positions in the nursing school of the Harlem and the Lincoln hospitals in New York City, and during her war service when she was consultant for the City, and during her war service has provided Mrs. Osborne with a vast store of social material which she has given out in articles written for national magazines. She is associated with a number of national organizations connected with her field of work: The National Council of Negro Women; the Committee of Women in World Affairs; the American Women's Volunteer Service, and others. She is a member of the board of directors of the Sydenham hospital in New York.

For her significant contributions in the field of nursing, and especially for her advancement of the profession for Negro women, Mrs. Osborne has received many honors. She has participated in both national and international conferences, and was recently a delegate to the International Assembly of Women held in South Kortright, N. Y.

The lecture is open to the public without charge. The midyear examination schedule goes into effect next Friday, continuing through Tuesday, February 1. On that day the senior class plans to make its annual mid-winter pilgrimage to Intervale for winter sports.

On Sunday evening the vesper service will be conducted by the Rev. John T. Golding, Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut Hill.

"I'm proud to say I'm a self-made man."
"You're luck. I'm the revised work of a wife and three daughters."

William "Bill" Barron, Jr.
OIL BURNER
SALES AND SERVICE
Domestic Heating Systems
4 Virginia Rd. Tel. And. 1987

We Are Authorized Dealers for—

DEVCO
Paints, Varnishes
and
Artist's Materials

NEW ENGLAND PAINT AND WALLPAPER CO.
70 BROADWAY - LAWRENCE

MARKETING
with *Marjorie*

For a year of good food shopping—decide in this first month to make A&P your first choice for high quality foods—at prices that tip-toe across your budget. For the finest of food shopping in town—you'll save and save when you come to A&P!

SWEET 'N' SWELL!
One of the most tempting appetizers you can serve at breakfast—or any meal—is a JANE PARKER COFFEE CAKE. The oven-fresh goodness of these rich, icing-topped favorites gives them a real home-baked taste. Their budget-favoring price makes them real money savers, too! And at your A&P, you'll always find a great different, delicious kind to choose from.

THRIFTY SPENDING—HAPPY ENDING!
You're never at a loss for dessert when you have ANN PAGE SPARKLE DESSERTS on hand. Chocolate, Butterscotch and Vanilla Puddings; Gelatin Desserts in 6 tempting flavors. The puddings can double as pie fillings, too. Your folks are sure to enjoy luscious salads made with lime or lemon SPARKLE and fruits or diced vegetables. Notice the thrifty price tags on SPARKLE DESSERTS at your A&P.

A GOOD LINE HELPS!
A good line to remember when there's work to be done is the BRIGHT SAIL line of household helpers. There's a work-saving BRIGHT SAIL cleaning aid for every household chore—and because BRIGHT SAIL products are made exclusively for A&P, you get highest quality at lowest possible price!

TAKES A JIFFY—TASTES SPIFFY!
Be prepared with ANN PAGE PREPARED SPAGHETTI. This tender spaghetti in tasty tomato-cheese sauce is all ready to heat and eat. It's a praise-winner for a hurry-up-dinner. To fix a meal-in-a-dish just add cubed leftover meat. Or serve surrounded with fried ham or frankfurters. Toss a salad together and there's a tempting, well-balanced meal ready in a twinkling! Do get several cans of ANN PAGE PREPARED SPAGHETTI at your A&P today.

PUNCHARD HIGH

By PATRICIA PETERKIN

MIDYEARS

The midyear examinations are scheduled for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, Jan. 26, 27, and 28. The program is as follows:

Wednesday: first period classes 8:30 to 10:30 a. m., third period classes 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Thursday: fourth period classes 8:30 to 10:30; fifth period classes 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Friday: sixth period classes 8:30 to 10:30 a. m., seventh period classes 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

If a day is missed on account of stormy weather, the exams for that day will be held the following Monday.

March of Dimes Program

On next Monday an assembly will be held for the March of Dimes, directed by Miss Ruth Westcott. A real march is staged, whereby the students file onto the stage, and drop their contributions into the collection box. There will also be a movie on the March of Dimes at this time.

P. T. A.

The Andover Central Parent-Teachers association meeting was held at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Jan. 19, in the Memorial auditorium. The theme for discussion was the value of college education or other post-secondary training. The guest speaker was Mr. Dana M. Cotton of the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

Phone 3-4000—Res. 9088
Dr. Joseph B. McCavitt
CHIROPODIST - PODIATRIST
351 Essex St. Lawrence, Mass.

The second part of the program consisted of a brief panel discussion on guidance activities in the local schools. Mrs. Luthrop Merrick, Charles McCollom, and Roland Fraser participated, representing the parents. Bernard M. Kellmurray, director of guidance, Miss Luella Dunning, counselor for girls, and Milton H. Nelson, principal of the Andover Junior High school representing the school.

Red Cross Movie

The gym classes in Punchard recently saw a Red Cross film on accident prevention, depicting the hazards and their results. A first aid course is planned for the juniors and seniors next year that the students may be well prepared for any emergency.

Girls' Basketball

Some fast moving matches in the girls' intramural basketball have been going on recently at Punchard. The two Junior teams played off, with Barbara Parson's team coming out on top by defeating Virginia Buntin's junior team.

On Monday Barbara Parson's team played the seniors, again with a victory by a score of 13-5. Virginia Buntin's team of juniors played the sophomores, and also won with a score of 11-6.

There will be no intramural basketball next week on account of the mid-year examinations.

Broadcast

Friday morning on radio station WCCM the weekly broadcast of the Andover Public schools will be devoted to physical education. The speakers will be Donald D. Dunn, boys' physical director, and Miss Frances Collins, girls' physical director. They will give a brief interview on an explanation of varsity and intramural sports and their gym programs throughout the year.

Davenport, Iowa, located on the Mississippi river, is an important railroad and shipping center.

John W. Davis, born in West Virginia in 1873, was the Democratic nominee for President in 1924.

**ANYTHING OLD
BOUGHT AND SOLD
THE SHED**
77 MAIN STREET
Tel. 592-R After 6 P. M.

Maytag - Spartan - GM Frigidaire - Eureka - Bendix



F. J. LEONE CO.
—5 FLOORS—
FAMOUS BRAND NAMES

Radios - Appliances

430 ESSEX ST., LAWRENCE, MASS.
TELEPHONE 7637

Stromberg Carlson - Television - Domestic Sewing Machine

In January SAVE at SUTHERLAND'S

GLOSHEEN COVERED

Boudoir Chairs

"SWEETHEART"

Beautifully covered "Sweetheart" chair with heart-shaped back. Covered in floral and solid color glosheen with contrasting welting cord and deep full flounces. Your choice of many bedroom colors.

\$22⁹⁵



HOME FURNISHINGS

Third Floor

"BARREL CHAIR"

Glosheen covered chair for boudoir with "barrel" back to match your bedroom color arrangement. Floral patterns with contrasting cord welting and solid color panels. A chair that will add a charming touch to your bedroom

\$29⁹⁵

Sutherland's

CALL ANNE BETTY SUTTON AT ANDOVER 300

GARDEN FLOWING
RUBBISH REMOVED
GENERAL TRUCKING
BATESON & SON
TEL. 1467 - W

When Your Shopping or day's work is done, Drop in and enjoy a cool refreshing drink at . . .

WALTER'S
6 Park Street

There's something new and exciting behind that door at 10 Park Street

GILBOARD'S—ANDOVER
located in the
ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

See and Hear the world's finest television receivers in action — RCA Victor, 20 years in the field of television

Phone 898-M

Mrs. Frank Frod
d Mrs. John Craw.

League Notes
ing of the Women's
held in the vestry
regational church
ay the following
elected: Mission-
Moody; social and
s. Mrs. Ernest Ed-
committee, Mrs.
irthday book, Mrs.
s; smiles, Mrs.
ney.

meeting will be held
n, 19 at the home
n Davies on Dae-

Sparks of River st.
tient at the Beverly
verly.

Schofield will at-
tending meeting called by
ouncil of the Congre-
gation to be held in
4 and 5. Mrs. Scho-
legate of the South
Parist church and
regational church.
Mrs. Eldridge and
ter st., have moved

RY ON THE AIR

broadcast by the Me-
mory over WCCM
at On Andover" pro-
heard at 10:30 a.m.
25. And this one is
for the ladies! It's
her that the library
fiction books, and
s, and books about
maries, antiques and
ooks. The class of
der discussion is to
-overhauling, wait-
r-do styling, dieting
glorifies. You'll find
ts discussed at the
all library. Why not
then come in?

DISPLAY

agerness to catch the
in the new book shelf,
the next bus, don't fail
y enough in the en-
of the Memorial Hall
the dolls on display.
ne proper costumes of
s from which they
display was loaned to
brary by the young
n, where it has been
avorite exhibits.

ge Honors
S. Glidden

ees of Tufts college
ted Dr. Henry Spen-
of 67 Cheever circle,
the position of assis-
of pathology and
at Tufts college Medi-
cal schools. Dr. Glid-
ologist and medical co-
St. John's hospital,
nologist to the State
vksbury; St. Joseph's
well, and the Clover
Lawrence.

Secret, but

lot of folks don't
little it costs to be
against burglary,
and other theft
urance to fit your
ether for your per-
nings, or to cover
ess, is available at
ly low cost.
e tell you more
about it?

t & Flagg,
Inc.

urance Office
3. Andover 870

**ER
TWEAR**

**RS
RSHOES
BOOTS**

"HAT SATISFY"

ay Fitting ★

HOLD S

MAIN ST.

Colleges Facing Problems Of Finance and Enrollment

"Public education is going to cost a whole lot of money," Kenneth R. Fox, president of Lowell Textile institute told members of the Andover Service club at last Monday night's meeting in the vestry of the South Congregational church.

When Frank L. Brigham, president, called on the Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine's church, to offer the blessing, 77 members and their guests were present, many of the latter from the Lowell school.

The evening's program opened with the drawing of the free dinner which was won by Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan, after which J. Everett Collins led the group singing with Raymond Wilkinson at the piano.

Mr. Collins spotted four candidates for office at the coming town election in the gathering and called them to the center of the floor. They were "Sid" White, "Jim" Christie, "Gene" Benardine, and "Bill" Doherty. They were led over to the piano where they blended their voices in "Pack Up Your Troubles in Your Old Kit Bag," and drew a hearty round of applause for their efforts.

Dinner was served under the supervision of Osborne Sutton, capably aided by Sally Bassett, Patricia Peterkin and Shirley McCabe.

Thaxter Eaton and his social committee had charge of the program and Mr. Eaton called upon Harold Leitch, chairman of the board of trustees of Lowell Textile Institute, to introduce the speaker.

Mr. Fox, discussing problems that exist in colleges today, said that all members, whether or not

they had children in college or going to college, would be interested in the subject as taxpayers.

Discussing the enrollment, he said that colleges are under the pressure of entering students seeking admission. Back in 1890 there were about 157,000 students in all colleges of the country. Fifty years later the number was 1,333,000, during which time there was an 89 per cent increase in population and an 850 per cent increase in students. For the 1948-49 term he said the number was 2,400,000.

These figures, he pointed out, mean that it is going to be pretty tough to get into college.

He cautioned those with sons or daughters contemplating going to college to be sure to study the entrance requirement so that the prospective students can take the proper preparatory studies in high school.

Government subsidies, he foresaw, would be set up for scholarships which will accelerate the number of students who will want to go to colleges.

Touching on financial problems, he said colleges are facing greatly increased costs and income from endowments has decreased. Salaries, which constitute 75 per cent of the college budget, have gone up about 35 or 40 per cent since 1940; supplies, which are about 15 per cent of the budget, have gone up 100 per cent; and repairs and equipment, which make up about 10 per cent of the budget, are up 135 per cent.

These increases, he told the audience, have been met for the most part by taking it out of the students. The average cost of a year's tuition across the country is \$850; the average cost per year in New England is \$1,225; and the average cost in the South, West and central parts of the country is \$660. That means, he went on, it costs for four years about \$5,000 per head to send a boy or a girl to college.

One way to meet the rising costs, he pointed out, would be to increase endowments, and many colleges today are making such efforts. In the country now there are drives under way for about \$2



John W. Vandercook, famed news analyst, who will lecture at Phillips academy Friday. Photo courtesy W. Colston Leigh

billion for colleges. At Lowell Textile, he said, costs have increased three times over what they were four years ago.

Discussing curricula he said he believed educators should consider social problems that exist in the world today. He felt specialized training alone was too narrow and that college students nowadays should have a broader education. Introducing humanistic courses in a technical school opens up a problem but he believed that a survey of present courses should be made so that the basic studies could be retained, the frills left out, and the humanistic studies introduced.

At the business session that followed his address, Mr. Brigham said that he had appointed a committee to study what activities the club might take up so that it may become a "real service" club to the town. The committee: Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, chairman; William A. Doherty, Stanley Swanton, Harold Wennik and Harold Heseltine.

On motion of Dr. Stowers, the club adopted a suggestion, to be acted on at a later meeting, that the by-laws regarding annual dues be changed to read that payments of \$5 be made in April and \$5 in October, instead of \$3 each time, and that the extra \$2 of each payment be used only for community service within the Town of Andover.

The effective date of this change would be October, 1949.

The consolation prize, a large frosted cake, was won by Victor Mill, Jr., and Ira Buxton. At the next meeting, Jan. 27, Rep. J. Everett Collins will be in charge.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL GUILD

The Catholic School guild of St. Augustine's church held its regular monthly meeting last Thursday evening in the school hall.

Routine business was transacted following which a penny social was held.

The penny social which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Collins, 79 Summer st., Wednesday, Feb. 9th, has been postponed until a later date.

It was voted to hold a Valentine dance in the school hall on Friday evening, Feb. 11. Harold Phinney will be master of ceremonies. The committee in charge is: Mrs. Frank Nelligan, chairman; Mrs. James Sheard, co-chairman; Mrs. Joseph Barton, Mrs. Daniel Murphy, Mrs. Leo Naughton, Mrs. Robert Leete, Mrs. Philip Doyle, Mrs. Charles Greenwood, Mrs. John A. Polgreen, Mrs. Timothy J. Scanlon, Mrs. William Lucey, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Edward Rice.

The next meeting will be held in the school hall Thursday evening, Feb. 10th.

LUNDGREN

Funeral Home

MALCOLM E. LUNDGREN

DONALD E. LUNDGREN

Personal Service

in

Any City or Town

Telephone 2073

18 Elm Street

Andover, Mass.

Coming Events

Jan.

- 21 Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club meets at home of Mrs. Gilbert Cate, 12 Cedar rd., 2:30 p. m.
- 21 Indian Ridge lodge and Andover lodge party in lodge rooms, Musgrove building.
- 21 Explorer John W. Vandercook speaks at George Washington hall, open to public, 8:15 p. m.
- 21 P. H. S. basketball team at Central Catholic.
- 22 "Education for Understanding" lecture at Abbot, public invited, 8 p. m.
- 24 Art department of November club meets with Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers, 89 Main st., 3 p. m.
- 25 P. H. S. basketball team at Pinkerton academy.
- 26 Literature department of November club meets with Miss Kate Jenkins, 116 Main st., 3 p. m.
- 26 Father and Sons night by South church Men's club.
- 27 Andover Service club meets at Andover Inn, 6:15 p. m.
- 28 Chelmsford basketball team at P. H. S.
- 30 Winter meeting of Council of Churches at Union Congregational church, Ballardvale, 3:30 p. m.
- 31 Red Cross blood bank at South church.

Feb.

- 1 P.H.S. Basketball team at Amesbury.
- 1 Registration of Precinct 1 voters, Town house, 7 to 9 p. m.
- 1 Garden club meets at Andover Inn, 10 a. m.
- 1 Abbot senior class makes annual trip to Intervale.

(Notices for this column should reach The Townsman office not later than Tuesday night of each week.)

Births

Gillingham — A son, Friday, Jan. 14, at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gillingham (Clara Cochran) of 34 Salem st.

Lavin — A son, Saturday, Jan. 15, at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lavin (Marion Kay) of Alderbrook rd.

Rugg — A daughter, Tuesday, Jan. 18, at the Lawrence General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rugg (Ann Buggette) of Jenkins rd.

NEW CORPORATION

Among the corporations filed at the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth is the following: Percy J. Dole, Inc., 2 Washington ave., Andover; general trucking, etc. President and treasurer, Percy J. Dole; clerk, Margaret T. Dole.

SOUTH CHURCH MEN'S GROUP

Sidney P. White will speak to the South church Men's group Sunday, Jan. 23 at 9:30 a. m. on "Andover's Public Works." All men are welcome.

Gas Buggy Farmers

American farmers owned more passenger cars in 1946 than all the people of Europe and Africa together.

The bull-frog is edible and in-habits sluggish waters in the east half of the United States and Canada.

HONOR LIST OF PHILLIPS ACADEMY

FALL TERM, 1948

Scholarship of the First Grade

Seniors:

William Robert Millager
Peter Hoyos Ten Eyck
Clement Alexander Flagler Hastie
Gardner Watkins Smith

Ottawa, Ohio
Annapolis, Md.
Takoma Park, Md.
Brookline

Upper Middlers:

Andrew Thomas Cole, Jr.
James Rose Carter, Jr.
George Wood Beatty
Thomas Pascoe Gordon
Philip Wells Shambaugh
Richard Gray Eder

Urbana, Ill.
Squantum
Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.
Carnegie, Pa.
New York, N. Y.
Port Washington, L. I., N. Y.

Juniors:

Herbert Alan Klein
George William Luhrmann, Jr.

Andover
Cedar Brook, N. J.

PERSONALS...

Mr. and Mrs. William Ronan of 50 Morton st. have returned after visiting with Mrs. Joseph Gillooly of Miami, Fla. Mrs. Gillooly is a former resident of Andover.

Miss Joan Lannan, student nurse at St. John's hospital, Lowell, recently visited at the family home on Washington ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Sr., of Cumberland, Md., are visiting with their son and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr., at their home on Shawshen rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gonye and family of So. Berwick, Me., spent the weekend visiting at the home of Mrs. Gonye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Napier of Elm st., who were quietly celebrating their 30th birthday anniversary on Sunday. The date was also Mr. Napier's birthday.

Mrs. George J. Adams of Pasho st., is improving very nicely after a recent operation performed at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pash and Miss Cynthia Pash of York Beach, Me., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pearson of Florence st.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lord of Waterville, Me., visited recently at the home of Mrs. Lord's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jamieson on Washington ave.

Miss Margaret Reid, formerly of Essex st., is now living at the home of Mrs. Jennie M. Hall, on High st. Mrs. Kenneth Grant of Main st.,

recently assumed duties as clerk at the Dame shop.

F. Allen LeLachur of Elm st., has returned to his duties at the Simeone pharmacy, after enjoying a week's vacation.

At a meeting of the Massachusetts Nurserymen's association in Boston last week Heinrich Rohrbach, owner of Heatherfield nursery on Sunset Rock rd., was elected a director of the association.

Peter Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Arnold of Central street is a member of the Bowdoin college varsity hockey team. A sophomore at Bowdoin, Arnold prepared at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H., where he was a member of the varsity football and hockey teams. At Bowdoin he also plays tennis and is a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity.

The Boosters' day committee will meet tonight in the town house to consider a special article to be inserted in the town warrant for the purchase of bleachers for the playground. Bleachers now on the easterly side of the field are here under rental.

Obituary...

FRANCIS MICHAEL BYRNE

Following a brief illness, Francis Michael Byrne, 83 Central st., died Monday, Jan. 17, at the Lawrence General hospital.

Born in County Kildare, Ireland, 78 years ago, he had been a resident of Andover for 33 years. Employed as a rubber worker by the Tyer Rubber company before his retirement, he was a member of St. Augustine's church and was active in the Holy Name society of that church.

He is survived by two sons, John Joseph of Andover and Michael Joseph of Lawrence; one daughter, Mrs. Julia M. Hayes, with whom he lived; two sisters, Mrs. P. J. Dwane and Miss Elizabeth Byrne, both of Andover; five grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Thursday, Jan. 20, from the late home with a high mass of requiem at St. Augustine's church at 9:30 a. m. Interment was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

CESSPOOLS PUMPED OUT — ALSO — Cesspools and Septic Tanks Installed
CHARLES CORBEIL
TEL. LOWELL 7236

Andover Welding Co.
GAS AND ELECTRIC
Shop Hours 8-12
Tel. And. 2029-R
40 PARK ST. ANDOVER

Protect YOUR HOME
REMOVE DANGEROUS OVERHANGING LIMBS OR DECAYED TREES
Amalia
TREE SURGEONS
Tel. Manchester 300

The Gurio Shoppe

74 MAIN STREET, ANDOVER

... has a very fine collection of English Figurines, Old Staffordshire Luster Pitchers, Vases, Cups and Saucers, and very choice pieces of Old Chelsea, Early Bow, and Dresden. Why not pop in and look around? You will enjoy seeing all these lovely pieces.

Closed on Mondays

Inquiries Welcomed

Call Andover 2210

WALLPAPER
ALLIED PAINT STORES
JOSEPH T. GAGNE, President
34 Amesbury St. Lawrence

TYPING
MIMEOGRAPHING
ADDRESSING
Andover Letter Service
18 PARK ST. TEL. 1295

Won't you come and visit our new and large show room? We have fine Wainscoting, Wall Cupboards, Fireplaces, Doors, as well as Completely Arranged Rooms, with many newly Refinished Antiques.

Craft-Wood Products

OPEN DAILY OSGOOD STREET TEL. 2129-W



FLOORS ...for designing women!



Come in and plan your floor on the Kentile. Work out your own floor pattern. Preview your floor before you order.

*T.M. applied for.

You clever women with your own ideas — no longer satisfied with floors by the roll... you started the square by square way to choose floors. Now you create floors with Kentile — combine a host of colors to create the floor pattern you especially want. Kentile is first choice for other reasons, too. Colors go through to the back (can't wear off). Super-durable because it's 100% floor (no felt or other backing). We'd like to tell you more about Kentile. Drop over, or phone and we'll gladly come over with samples, give free estimates, serve any way we can.

Tel. 9172 for salesman to call with samples

KENTILE
Asphalt Tile

Elliott's

236 Essex St., Law. Tel. 38751
Lawrence - Lowell - Haverhill

WEDDING

STOWERS—MILULEC

With Christmas green poinsettias forming a background for their Margaret Hope Smith daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith of Bethlehem and Clifford Stowers, son and Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers were married Sunday at the home of the groom's parents.

The Rev. Charles S. Lowell, a close friend of the Stowers family, performed the ceremony at 4:30 p. m.

The bride, dressed in quince suit, had as her honor, Mrs. George F. W. and best man was George Mann.

Members of the immediate families enjoyed a wedding with the young couple being left for their new home in Wick, Me., where Mr. Stowers is at Bowdoin college.

DUFF—CARPILLO

In a setting of white pom pom chrysanthemums carnations with green forming the background Elizabeth Carpillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. C. 21 Bigelow st., Lawrence, the bride Sunday, Jan. Thomas J. Duff, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Duff of 59 Maple ave., in the church, Lawrence. George Gallivan, performed the ceremony and the father gave her in marriage.

The bride's gown of satin was made in color with an inserted lace yoke matched her fingertip lace. She carried a white pail adorned with an orchid and ribbon.

Mary J. Elliot of Lawrence, an aqua brocade taffeta colonial style, was maid and the bridesmaids, Dalton and Rita Therrie Lawrence, in gold and faded gowns identical honor attendant's, all with dresses of fresh flowers.

PLUMBING

and

HEATING

W. H. Welch

TRIDE AND

Howard Johnson

SUNDAY SPECIAL

Delicious

Tender-cut Beef
French Fried Potatoes
Garden Peas
Freshly Baked
and Butter
95c

ROUTE 28
At the By-Pass
TEL. ANDOVER



WE CONSIDER
THE FAMILY

Your children will be treated courteously promptly when you are shopping here are important members of the families we serve.

YOU MAY PAY

TELEPHONE BILL

HARTIG

PHARMACY

WEDDINGS...

STOWERS—MIHULEC

With Christmas greens and poinsettias forming a colorful background for their wedding, Margaret Hope Smith Mihulec, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Martin Smith of Bethlehem, Penn., and Clifford Stowers, son of Dr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers of Andover were married Christmas day at the home of the bride's parents.

The Rev. Charles S. Otto of Lowell, a close friend of the Stowers family, performed the ceremony at 4:30 p. m.

The bride, dressed in a turquoise suit, had as her matron of honor, Mrs. George F. Wiedemann and best man was George Wiedemann.

Members of the immediate families enjoyed a wedding supper with the young couple before they left for their new home in Brunswick, Me., where Mr. Stowers is a junior at Bowdoin college.

DUFF—CARPILLO

In a setting of white gladioli, pom pom chrysanthemums and carnations with green foliage forming the background, Marion Elizabeth Carpililo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carpililo of 21 Bigelow st., Lawrence, became the bride Sunday, Jan. 16, of Thomas J. Duff, son of the late Thomas and Elizabeth (Lynch) Duff of 59 Maple ave., in St. Patrick's church, Lawrence. The Rev. George Gallivan, performed the 3 o'clock ceremony and the bride's father gave her in marriage.

The bride's gown of heavy white satin was made in colonial style with an inserted lace yoke which matched her fingertip length veil. She carried a white prayerbook adorned with an orchid and stephanotis and ribbon streamers.

Mary J. Elliot of Lawrence, in an aqua brocaded taffeta gown in colonial style, was maid of honor and the bridesmaids, Sheila M. Dalton and Rita Therrien, also of Lawrence, in gold and pink brocaded gowns identical with the honor attendant's, all wore head-dresses of fresh flowers and car-

ried matching colonial bouquets.

David Hackney of Lawrence was best man and the ushers were John E. Carpililo and Charles Therrien, both of Lawrence and James D. Doherty of Andover.

Mrs. Carpililo, mother of the bride, wore an American beauty gown of satin crepe with gold accessories and a corsage of white camellias.

After the reception at the Red Tavern in Methuen, which was attended by the immediate families, the young couple left on a trip to New York City. When they return to Andover, they will reside at 66 High st.

Mrs. Duff has been associated with the Federal Security administration, bureau of old age survivors insurance, and Mr. Duff is employed at the Andover post office.

WEDDING RETURNS

The following wedding return has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Wilfred L. Lamontagne, 48 Beacon st., and Marie E. Gillis, 167 Gilbert st., Lawrence, married Saturday, Jan. 15 in the Sacred Heart church, Lawrence, by the Rev. Lawrence Michaud, S.M.

November Club Sees Travel Film

"The Grand Canyon to Alaska" was the subject of a lecture presented to the November club Monday afternoon by William H. Harris and enjoyed by an unusually large and appreciative audience.

This latest film of the lecturer's, taken last summer, is an all-color travelogue which starts at the Grand Canyon and takes the audience into Bryce and Zion Canyons, Glacier national park, Canadian Rockies, Lake Louise, Banff and the Alaskan highway into Alaska.

Refreshments were served by the tea committee of which Mrs. George Glennie is chairman.

ICAO Council Adopts Air Safety Standards

The sixth of a series of worldwide aeronautical standards and practices designed to foster uniform air navigation services and procedures, enabling aircrews of each nationality to be familiar with methods of other lands, was adopted here recently by the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO).

The new standards deal with air safety practices and procedures. The first five sets included standards for personnel licensing, aeronautical maps and charts, rules of the air, dimensional practices in air-ground communications and meteorological codes, aimed at insuring a better and safer operation of airplanes scheduled on international flights.

ICAO standards are drafted with a view to incorporation into the national regulations of its 51 member states to assure that each nation's aviation practices are maintained at a high standard of quality.

AMERICAN LEGION

The next meeting of Andover post, 8, American Legion, will be held Thursday, Jan. 20 at 7:30 p. m., in the Legion rooms. There will be a television demonstration and refreshments will be served.



Newly-elected officers of the Andover Square and Compass club as they sat down to enjoy the venison stew dinner at the club's annual meeting. From left to right: Walter R. Davis, president-elect; James R. Mosher, secretary; David L. Coutts, past president; Harry Sellars, treasurer; Harry Donovan, chairman entertainment committee. (Look Photo)

War-Devastated Countries Aided By U. S. Teachers

American teachers have contributed over \$265,000 to aid teachers in 20 war-devastated countries, the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization of the United Nations (UNESCO) declares.

Reporting to UNESCO from Washington, D. C., the National Educational Association of the United States, which conducted the overseas relief program, states that countries receiving this aid were Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Malta, Norway, the Netherlands, Poland, Philippines and the United Kingdom.

Funds were allocated for food, clothing, medical equipment, books and scholarships permitting overseas teachers to study in the United States. A total of 13 scholarships have been provided for teachers from Austria, China, France, Germany, Greece, Japan, Korea, Luxembourg, Malta and Norway.

The Association's report adds that the teacher's aid program, which opened in October 1947, will be continued next year, with special emphasis on providing opportunities for overseas instructors to study at American institutions and establish friendships with teachers in the United States.

Language Training Intensified by IRO

In order to help equip refugees and displaced persons for life in countries of resettlement, the U.N. International Refugee Organization (IRO) has intensified its language training program by acquiring 1,000 linguaphone sets to teach refugees under its care English, French and Spanish.

IRO headquarters here says that under the new system as many as 60,000 refugees will be able to study languages at one time. The sets will be made available at resettlement centers, embarkation centers, camps and IRO ships. Refugees desiring to learn one of these languages will be able to study with the aid of the linguaphone machines for one hour every day over a four-month period.

In another phase of its language program, the International Refugee Organization now has about 500 language teachers at work in three zones of occupied Germany conducting regular language classes.

To get blood in an emergency... give at your leisure. To be a blood donor... call the Red Cross, Tel. 1496.

Town's Fire Loss \$21,701 for 1948

The Andover fire department answered 70 box alarms and 163 still alarms in 1948, according to a partial report made by Chief C. Edward Buchan, and in these 233 fires had a fire loss for the year of \$21,701. This figure is somewhat above that of the previous year, being boosted about \$13,000 by the fire in an academy dormitory Dec. 16.

The assessed valuation of buildings in which the fires occurred amounted to \$885,775.

One of the unusual string of chores performed by the fire department in 1948 was recorded last spring when it was called upon to pump out 150 cellars in different parts of the town that had become flooded during the thaw.

In addition to responding to fire alarms the department had 551 ambulance calls as follows: Regular ambulance, 429; spare, 16; Ford car, 95; chief's car, 9; deputy's car, 1; lieutenant's car, 1.

In addition the department had seven calls (included in the box alarms) for out-of-town assistance. During the year one false alarm was sounded.

APPROVES ZONING CHANGE

Notice has been received by Town Clerk George A. Winslow that the approval of Atty. Gen. Clarence A. Barnes has been given the action taken at the recent special town meeting changing the zoning laws to allow multiple-type dwellings to be erected in the veterans' housing area on Morton street.

Club Observes 26th Anniversary

The Andover Square and Compass club observed its 26th annual meeting Friday night, Jan. 14, with a large and enthusiastic gathering of members and their friends present.

Prior to the meeting, a delicious venison stew dinner was served by the entertainment committee of which Harry A. Donovan was chairman.

During the business meeting which followed, various reports on the growth of the club and its excellent financial condition were given.

The following officers for the 1949 season were elected:

President, Walter R. Davis; first vice-president, Will G. Brown; second vice-president, George P. Thompson; secretary, James R. Mosher; treasurer, Harry Sellars; directors: above officers and M. B. McTernan; David L. Coutts, W. E. Buxton, Andrew J. Lloyd; entertainment committee: Harry Donovan, chairman; J. P. Christie, James R. Mosher, L. N. Thompson; membership committee, Robert Thompson, chairman; Joseph Higginson, James Gorrie; house committee, A. Winward, James Mitchell, Alex Beedle, Hector Parrillo; councillors, J. L. Smith, R. L. Luce, J. A. Remington; alternates, J. H. Playdon, Guy Howe.

After the business of the evening was transacted the members were entertained with two motion pictures, one of a tour through Africa and the other a tour of New England. These were shown through the courtesy of Douglas Crockett.

Complete Line of
AUTO BATTERIES
\$10.00 and Up
DELCO
WILLARD
NORWALK
TOMPKINS
SERVICE STATION
416 No. Main St. Shawshen

Telephone 7330 Established 1854
GEO. W. HORNE CO.
LAWRENCE, MASS.
TAR AND GRAVEL ROOFING SHEET METAL WORK
SPECIALIZING IN ASPHALT SHINGLING

**PLUMBING
and
HEATING**
W. H. Welch Co.
TEL. AND. 128

Howard Johnson's
SUNDAY SPECIAL
Delicious
Tender-cut Beef Steak
French Fried Potatoes
Garden Peas
Freshly Baked Rolls
and Butter
95c

ROUTE 28 ANDOVER
At the By-Pass
TEL. ANDOVER 1965

HARTIGAN PHARMACY
WE CONSIDER THE FAMILY—
Your children will be treated courteously and promptly when you send them shopping here. They are important members of the families we serve!
YOU MAY PAY YOUR TELEPHONE BILL HERE
4 PARK STREET
TEL. AND. 1943

PRINTING—



- We Have the Facilities For Printing Your
- LETTERHEADS
 - BILLHEADS
 - PROGRAMS
 - CARDS

LET US TAKE CARE OF YOUR PRINTING NEEDS

The Consolidated Press, Inc.

4 PARK STREET

TEL. AND. 1943

**Cherry
and
Webb's**



Pom trimmed Saturne straw cleverly manipulated. White with black; Navy with Pink. (above)

\$10.00

Flattering profile draped high and handsome. Brown, Black, White, Navy or Red. (right)

\$8.95

*Saturne
Straws*

Brighten Winter Costumes



Cherry & Webb's

Third Floor

EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

HOW THE WIND BLOWS

Pick up almost any newspaper, almost any day, and you'll probably find a few items about how the cost of government is increasing. And, of course, it is perfectly true. President Truman says the nation must spend more, and Governor Dever says the state must spend more. And the one and only way to get the extra money is by taxation.

It is not a pleasant story, but facts are facts and we can't do a great deal about it. Right here in Andover costs are going up in exactly the same way, and it will probably cost more to run the town during 1949 than it ever has before. Does that mean higher taxes?

One thing we can be sure of here, is that those who are managing the town's affairs have been, and still are, doing all they possibly can to keep costs down. But even a conscientious official cannot do the impossible.

The other night Kenneth R. Fox, president of the Lowell Textile Institute, addressed the Andover Service club. He spoke of the rising costs of education, and pointed out, among other things, that since 1940 the cost of supplies have increased 100 per cent, and repairs and equipment have jumped 135 per cent.

A week ago, Andover and Exeter academies announced increased tuition fees, effective next fall.

We are all in the same boat, and when the wind blows strongly in any direction, we all feel it.

NO "MANDATE"

According to some of the eager beavers in the government, the election was a mandate for congressional approval of federal compulsory insurance. It is to the credit of Oscar R. Ewing, federal security administrator, that he said frankly that no mandate is involved. Mr. Ewing supports the scheme — but, as he pointed out in a speech, too many issues played a part in deciding the election, to say that any one was the big factor.

The Christian Science Monitor elaborated on this, when it said editorially: "The farm vote, which helped to elect Mr. Truman was certainly not motivated by an urge for this compulsory program. Farm sentiment generally runs strongly in opposition. The two leading farm organizations have gone on record against socialized medicine. While organized labor formally favors the plan, it did not rank as a campaign issue nor arouse any driving enthusiasm in the rank and file of the workers."

The truth is that this "people's mandate" business is being overworked by every minority pressure group in the country. According to these groups, the public is red hot for more and more socialism, more and more government debt, more and more taxation to pay for the experiments — and, by implication, less and less freedom and independence. Compulsory health insurance is just one example of this. There is absolutely no evidence to make it appear that a large segment of the voters want any part of it.

FOR LABOR'S SAKE

The Most Reverend Russell J. McViney, the Catholic Bishop of Providence, recently spoke to one of the CIO unions. He condemned strike violence and "slowdown" tactics. Then he said: "It is a grave sin against justice for a workman to accept a day's wages when he knows he is not giving an honest day's work. Bricklayers used to lay 1,500 bricks a day, but now they're down to 400"

"Drones and racketeers who operate under the aegis of your unions, are bringing shame to you. I think it is time they be punished within the union, or read out of membership. They are discrediting organized labor, and you may all regret it. I charge you to set about purging the undesirables and correcting the abuses."

Millions of Americans who support the cause of organized labor will agree with this churchman. If labor does not voluntarily clean house, it will simply bring down upon its head far harsher legislation than any so far experienced. The "slowdown" in worker output has become a scandal in the building trades in many areas, and in other fields of work as well. And organized violence, with its destruction of automobiles, factories and its vicious physical attacks on non-strikers, can be described only by the word criminal.

The fight of highly-placed labor leaders against communism in labor's ranks has earned the applause of the country. It is equally important that elements which want big pay for a bare minimum of output, or which seek their ends through violence, be ostracized. Labor must clean its house for its own sake.

If the present Congress lives up to the usual order of things, only about 15 per cent of the bills introduced for its consideration will eventually become law. In round figures about 1300 laws are passed in each 10,000 ideas submitted. Some of the new laws are sometimes questionable as to their wisdom. What terrible things some of those that don't pass must be!

CLEARANCE of DRESSES

JUNIOR MISSES HALF SIZES

Ruth Hammond

14 PARK STREET, ANDOVER

All Sales Final

REPORT
From the
State House

By PHILIP K. ALLEN

Last week, after a short discussion of aid and relief in the department of public welfare, we commented in some detail on the first control to protect the rights of recipients: the imposition of mandatory standards.

The second legislative control is that payment must be made from the date of application.

Thirdly, there is within the law a clearly defined right for a fair hearing before a state agency for any recipient not satisfied with the action of the town board of public welfare.

In the fourth place, there are certain basic minimum rates of, for example, not less than \$40 monthly for individuals living outside a family group, not less than \$65 a month for married couples living together outside a family group, and somewhat lower rates for those who reside in family groups.

In the fifth place, there is a liberal schedule of exemptions applicable to the legally liable children of old age assistance recipients. These exemptions are based for the most part upon the amount of income after state and federal income taxes have been deducted of the child or children who are legally responsible for the support of parents. In the case of an employed single child living with his parents, income up to \$1,500 per year, is exempt. One-third of the income over \$1,500 shall be contributed as support. In the case of an employed single child living apart from his aged parent, or parents, income up to \$1,750 per year, shall be considered exempt. One-third of the income over \$1,750 shall be contributed as support. In the case of an employed married child living apart from his aged parent, or parents, income up to \$2,750 per year, is exempt. One-third of the income over \$2,750 shall be contributed as support. The amounts of exempted income of any child shall be increased by the amount of \$500 for each dependent child. It is felt by many people that the law is somewhat over-liberal in those cases where a number of single children reside at home.

In addition to the programs for old age assistance and aid to dependent children, there is a program of general assistance for those persons who do not qualify for special programs. This program is financed solely by the local communities except in the cases of those persons who have no settlement in the community. Approximately 22% of the recipients of this program are unsettled and for the full support of these persons the communities are reimbursed by the Commonwealth.

In the fiscal year of 1948 on 90,000 cases of old age assistance, 10,500 aid to dependent children, and 16,000 on general relief, \$79,000,000 of public monies was spent by the department of public welfare. Of this 79 million dollars the federal government contributed 28 million dollars, the state 29 million dollars, and the local communities 22 million dollars.

Except for California, Colorado, and Washington, Massachusetts leads all the states in the adequacy of payments on old age assistance.

The \$78 average payment per month in Colorado becomes in reality a pension system. California, recently by initiative petition and referendum, established a \$75 a month rate for every person over 62, however, with some eligibility requirement. New York, for example, with 70,000 cases expended only \$8,000,000 last year. The State of Oregon at the present moment is in a peculiar position. By initiative petition and referendum, a \$70 pension was established, going to all persons over 65 years of age, with no eligibility requirements based on need. With an estimate of cost exceeding \$100,000,000 a year for

Views of
The News

(Continued from Page One)

capitate solution that might not last. The United States in the past eighteen months has realized the need for careful attention to practical considerations before embarking upon an idealistic course. But the recent attitude taken by the British Foreign Office seems to carry realism too far.

Timing of Bevin's Accusations

Mr. Bevin took office more than three years ago with the announced intention of staking his political reputation on the solution of the Palestine problem. At the present writing both his career and the solution are by no means certain. His accusations against the Israeli forces on January 8 were badly-timed if he wants a creditable solution of the issue, or strategically-timed of his prime consideration is Britain's interests. If they were thoughtless, headlong accusations they were poorly timed because on the previous day a truce went into effect between Egypt and Israel, the first opportunity for real discussions since hostilities commenced eight months ago. If those accusations were deliberately made in full knowledge of the truce—of whose existence the Foreign Office should have been fully aware—then they could be construed as a hint for a "get tough" attitude to the Egyptians around the council table at Rhodes.

Egypt Requests a Truce

Events of the past few months leave a suggestion that Bevin acted precipitately, whatever his purpose. In November, 1947, the United Nations partition resolution awarded to Israel the Negev area, south from Palestine to the Egyptian border. Last September Mediator Bernadotte recommended a revision which would give that area to the Arabs. The United Nations Assembly declined to accept the recommendation. During the October fighting the Israeli forces greatly reduced Egypt's holdings in the Negev. The second round of fighting which began during Christmas week saw the Israeli forces not only drive on to the Egyptian border, but even cross into Egypt itself. Whether or not defeat was the cause, the fact is that Egypt just two weeks ago proposed that Israeli and Egypt start armistice negotiations. Since Israeli's announced intention has been to force the Arabs to negotiate a permanent peace it immediately agreed to a truce commencing at 7 a. m. on January 1. Presumably Egypt wanted the opportunity to make a deal while she still had some troops in the Negev. However, the reason for the truce is less important than is the prospect it offers for a solution to the Arab-Israeli war.

Incident or Aggression?

The truce seemed to be the auspicious time for all outsiders to tread lightly and work for an end to hostilities in an area which could become the scene of a catastrophic clash between larger powers. For Palestine and the Negev stand perilously close to the powder-kegs of Greece and Turkey. Yet it was at this time that Bevin chose to bring to a climax his unfriendly attitude of the past few months. From the start, Bevin opposed partition, perhaps with justified apprehension about future hostilities. Britain not only supported Bernadotte's

which there is no comparable revenue, the state has found itself in nearly financial bankruptcy. The banks of Oregon, for example, have completely cut off credit.

The Commonwealth in 1946 had on its ballot an initiative petition and referendum, putting the old age assistance in a state pension bureau, increasing the minimum to as high as \$96 a month for a married couple and eliminating many of the eligibility requirements. This was defeated in a photo finish by one-half of 1% and would have raised, if it had passed, a similar question in Massachusetts as to where the money was coming from.

MEET—



Ernest Simonton Young

Through the many contacts made in his business and his hobbies, Ernest Simonton Young has amassed a store of information and a large circle of friends. His work as a special agent for the Credit Insurance department of the London Guarantee and Accident company, Ltd., consumes much of his time, yet he still continues his activities in a number of organizations.

Born in Boston in 1901, he attended Browne and Nichols school in Cambridge and graduated from Harvard university. Prior to his present position, he was engaged in commercial and investment banking.

A resident of Andover for 13 years, he is a member of Christ church, is on the executive committee of the Andover chapter, American Red Cross, and holds membership in the American Philatelic society and the Andover and Camden, Me., historical societies. He has served for some time on the finance committee of the Orchard Home school in Belmont and is also a junior warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Young, the former Lorna Castle, and their two children, Joshua and Timothy, live at 70 Elm st.

plan but requested the Security Council to invoke sanctions—at least economic restrictions—against Israel during the Negev battles. What also seemed unfortunate at the time was the British treaty with Trans-Jordan in 1948 providing that British troops could be sent to Trans-Jordan in case that state became involved in a war. One may wonder why Abdullah should choose recent weeks to take advantage of the treaty and ask for aid. Two weeks ago the British announced, in answer to Abdullah's request, their intention to send a force to Aqaba, the Trans-Jordan Red Sea port close to the Palestinian Negev border. Events then moved quickly. On January 6 the Egyptians asked for a truce, on January 7 the truce commenced and on January 8 the British announced attacks on their planes, presumably the previous day, somewhere close to the Egypt-Negev border, debatably over Israeli territory. A Great Power, appreciative of the tension in the Middle East should be wise enough to caution Israeli on what could be tactfully regarded as a regrettable incident. To label it an act of aggression, even were the planes confined to Egyptian territory, might well add fuel to the flames.

Reasons are not difficult to suggest. Probably Britain feels the need of a base in that area close

(Continued on Page Seven)

Down the Years
with
The Townsman

50 Years Ago—Jan. 1899

Advertisements in the Townsman offered Japonette silk initial handkerchiefs at five cents each, six for 25 cents; also kindling wood at \$1.25 per load.

Albert Poor appointed executor of the will of Captain Julius Palmer, a brother of the Rev. Frederic Palmer.

Druggist George H. Parker, able to be out again after an illness, Albert Lowe in charge of the store.

The following gentlemen added to the list of post associates of General William F. Bartlett post, G. A. R.: Jacob W. Bernard, John W. Bell, John L. Brewster, George S. Cole, Samuel H. Eames, Lewis T. Hardy, Abraham Marland, Frank C. Phelps and T. Frank Pratt.

Mrs. J. Warren Moor, elected president of the Woman's club of the Andover grange. Mrs. S. H. Bailey chosen secretary-treasurer.

Booker T. Washington speaks at Seminary chapel.

Better street car service promised between Lawrence and Andover.

"Andover churches are prosperous," we say editorially. "They are more than that, they are generous."

Free and South churches have their annual meetings.

A mass meeting is held at Phillips academy to arouse interest in track athletics.

25 Years Ago—Jan. 1924

A. A. Roesch, local Ford agent, returns from New York automobile show.

L. D. Pomeroy of Chestnut st., and David R. Lawson of Wolcott avenue in Florida.

Invitations out for the wedding of Miss Hilda Belle Temple of Highland road to James W. Lamarque of Brooklyn.

Andover Fraternity Building association has a food sale in J. H. Playdon's store.

Frederick E. Cheever of Bancroft road accepts a position as bookkeeper at the Shawshen warehouse.

A bed of pansy plants as green as spring and parsley bright enough to use as a garnish are reported as flourishing in the garden at the Andover Home for the Aged.

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge has installation of officers.

The Valpey estate at the corner of Summer and Whittier sts., sold to Charles Hoffman, owner of the restaurant on Post Office ave.

An Abbot academy student, while skating on Pomp's pond, falls through the ice. She is rescued by several young men who are at the scene playing hockey.

10 Years Ago—Jan., 1939

Plans for headquarters in Town hall are now being considered by the board of public works.

"A few new nomination papers were taken out this week, but the field is still very small considering that there remain only two weeks in which to file papers."

Nativity pageant, "The Torch Leads On," given in the South church. Marjorie Edwards directs.

Mrs. Elwin D. Lane of Locke st., in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster C. Barnard of High st., return from a vacation in New York City.

B. L. McDonald of Chestnut st., in Havana.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Kearns of Haggett's Pond rd., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth E. Kearns, to Edward J. Hartly of Lawrence.

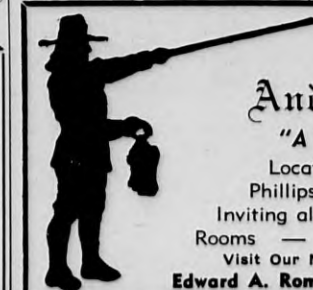
The Book Room

BOOKS—TOYS—DOLLS

OPEN DAILY 9-5:30 — FRIDAYS 9-8

77 MAIN STREET

TEL. AND. 2010



Andover Inn

"A Treadway Inn"

Located on Campus of

Phillips Andover Academy

Inviting all to enjoy its facilities:

Rooms — Meals — Functions

Visit Our Newly Installed Gift Shop
Edward A. Romeo, Mgr. Tel. And. 903

WEST P

Mrs. Sarah Lewis

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

The January meeting of the Men's Brotherhood will be the church vestry, Tl Jan. 27 at 8 p. m. George superintendent of the Essex Training school and a of the governor's recess on child delinquency, will on juvenile delinquency.

The committee in charge program follows: Arthur chairman, Dean Hudgins, Barron, Jr., Sherman B. John Fielding, Norman Frederick Orstein, Lever nam, Clarence Sanbor, George Winslow, Grange Notes

The next meeting of Grange, 183, will be held p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 25. The "Family Stunt" night a family is asked to come prepared stunt. An eve good fun is assured all tend.

At a recent meeting of ship Pomona Grange, Mrs. Abbott was installed as and Floyd Darby was installed. Both are men Andover grange.

University of Life

Registration for the U of Life series to be held evenings Feb. 6 through will be taken Sunday n Jan. 23 and Jan. 30. See list of your church for information. The regis West church will be He Carter.

There's Something

and Exciting a

10 Park Street

RCA VICTOR

EYE

WITNESS

TELEVISION

GILBOARD'S - AN

located in the

ANDOVER GIFT

ELECTRIFYIN

RADI

DEVELOPMENT

Specially for

HARD-OF-HEAR

The New

ACOUSTICON-RAD

A Hearing Aid That

Also An Incredibly T

(Battery - Contained)

tom-Fitted RADIO, C

in-Send coupon at o

for details about am

reception — incredible

Pat. A.

ACOUSTICON OF LAW

E. C. STEVENSON, DIST

Room 305, Bay State Bldg. Lav

I wish more information

Name

Address

City

Zone

State

FREE PARKING A

PLA

FRIDAY,

Three Musketeers

This Is America

Short Subject

SUNDAY

One Sunday Afternoon

Blondie's Secret

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

Let's Live A Little

Close-up

FRIDAY

It Happened One Night

One Night of Love

USUAL SATURDAY M

Feature Western

WEST PARISH

Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Correspondent, Telephone 584-J

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

The January meeting of the Men's Brotherhood will be held in the church vestry, Thursday, Jan. 27 at 8 p. m. George Baker, superintendent of the Essex county Training school and a member of the governor's recess committee on child delinquency, will speak on juvenile delinquency.

The committee in charge of the program follows: Arthur Lewis, chairman, Dean Hudgins, William Barron, Jr., Sherman Boutwell, John Fielding, Norman Morgan, Frederick Orstein, Leverett Putnam, Clarence Sanborn, and George Winslow.

Grange Notes

The next meeting of Andover Grange, 183, will be held at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 25. It is to be "Family Stunt" night and each family is asked to come with a prepared stunt. An evening of good fun is assured all who attend.

At a recent meeting of Friendship Pomoona Grange, Mrs. Wilma Abbott was installed as lecturer and Floyd Darby was installed as steward. Both are members of Andover grange.

University of Life

Registration for the University of Life series to be held Sunday evenings Feb. 6 through Mar. 13, will be taken Sunday mornings, Jan. 23 and Jan. 30. See the registrar of your church for further information. The registrar for West church will be Herbert P. Carter.

Church Notes

The annual meeting of the West Parish of Andover will be held in the vestry of the West church tonight at 7:30 p. m. All members should make an effort to come and hear the reports of the various committees.

At a meeting of the unit committee held Monday evening, Jan. 17, at the home of the Rev. John G. Gaskill. Mrs. Hazel Schofield was elected to attend the general council of Congregational churches to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 4 and 5. The major question to be discussed at that time is the merger of the churches.

A meeting of the devotional study group of the Senior Women's union was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Augustus Ennis of New York City and her daughter, Mrs. William Addison of Miami, Fla., recently spent a week with Mrs. George Addison of Chandler rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trott and son of Chandler rd. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Trott and family of Bethel, Conn.

The Rev. Raymond Cooper has recovered sufficiently from a serious eye operation performed at Research hospital, Kansas City, Mo., to enable him to return to his home on River rd. where he will enjoy a long rest.

Friends of Mrs. Herbert White of Reservation rd. will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly recovering from her illness. She has been staying at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frederick Carter of Tewksbury, and expects to return to Andover in a few days.

The Rev. John G. Gaskill visited his niece, Miss Alfreda Gaskill, Monday, Jan. 17, a patient at the Manchester hospital, Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. Charles Bailey of Highplain rd. visited friends in Stoughton and Norwood recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Orstein and daughter spent Sunday with relatives in Worcester.

The Misses Helen and Josephine McCarthy of Lawrence have moved into the house on Lowell st., formerly occupied by the Vandenberg family.

Mrs. Chandler Bodwell of Ipswich spent Sunday visiting relatives in Andover.

Joseph Lovejoy of Springfield enjoyed a brief visit last week with his father, Arthur Lovejoy of Lovejoy rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell st. drove to Chester, N. H., Sunday, to visit relatives there.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Mary Larkin to Benjamin T. Wilksh, et ux, "South Parish," Boston Road.

Andover Shawsheen Realty Co., to George W. Desmet, et ux, "Shawsheen Village," William street.

George E. Goodman et ux, to John Haykal et ux, "Shawsheen Village," on and near William street.

John P. Jones et ux, to Arthur F. Massaro et ux, Salem street.

Robert F. Raichlen et ux, to Jacob Vandenberg, et ux, Argilla road.

Frederick Smith Est. to Rochdale Realty Corp., Main street.

Women To Discuss Foreign Relations

A group of Andover members of the League of Women Voters will attend the 27th school of international relations to be conducted Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 26 and 27, by the state organization in cooperation with Radcliffe college at the Agassiz House, Cambridge.

The foreign policy of the United States in Western Europe, the Near East and the Far East will be the topic of discussion.

Among the distinguished speakers will be Professors Edward Mason, Carl J. Friedrich, Bruce Hopper, John K. Fairbank, Rupert Emerson, Edwin O. Reischauer, all of Harvard university; Dr. Alexander Szent-Ivanyi, department of international relations, M.I.T.; Professor Ephram C. Spelser of the University of Pennsylvania, and speakers from the Soviet research center of Harvard.

For further information as to time and transportation please call Mrs. Douglas Dunbar at Andover 1176.

WOMAN'S UNION

The executive board of the Woman's union of the Free church will meet at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Jan. 28th, at the home of the president, Miss Margaret Laurie on Whittier st. All officers and members of the board are urged to attend as there are important articles to discuss.

MARGARET SLATTERY CLASS

The regular monthly business meeting and social of the Margaret Slattery class of the Free church will be held at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr. on Shawsheen rd.

Views of The News

(Continued from Page Six)

to the Suez canal. In one sense, American interests would be so served, since we'd prefer to see that canal protected by Britain rather than left to a weak country which might easily be "persuaded" by Russia. But if Britain is wooing Trans-Jordan, she may be unnecessarily ardent in her efforts. Abdullah has already indicated his willingness to discuss terms, and it is doubtful whether he'd turn down British friendship, since he stands to gain a great deal from it. Perhaps the British wished to put Israel in the frame of mind that would temporize around the table at Rhodes.

U. S. Attitude

Whatever the purpose, it is certain that the method embarrassed and probably annoyed the United States. The American point of view is probably that Israel as a state is an accomplished fact, and that the Arabs have little real stomach for fighting without aid from outside. If the Arabs are persuaded that they can afford to be stubborn, the chances for real settlement are slimmer, and the prospect for an extension of the war is greater.

On the defensive, the British Foreign Office tried to cover its tracks by stating that the United States had earlier agreed to the

need for precise information regarding the charges of Israeli penetration into Egypt. Presumably the R.A.F. planes were seeking information, and in all probability without any ulterior motive. However, the United States cannot have been officially sympathetic to Bevin's denunciation of the incident.

Lessons in International Politics

The whole affair is perhaps a good lesson in international politics to all concerned. It reflects official Foreign Office action rather than public wishes. The man in the street appreciates that one such blunder can overshadow years of honest and sincere attempts to solve the problem. He knows that Jewish dislike will not be balanced by Arab friendship, whatever the worth. And he realizes that communism can afford to sit and wait for the opportune moment when Arab-Jewish relationships are no longer open to compromise, and when Anglo-American ties are being strained. And he knows that

communism will do all it can to bring that moment nearer.

Regrettable though the incident may appear, it will have its salutary effect. We may be made more aware of the complexities of Middle East politics. And the British Foreign Office may be brought sharply to heel by the people it is supposed to serve. The British people are aroused at the blunder, and they have shown their feelings in no uncertain terms. Mr. Bevin will have to do more than defend his action in the House of Commons. He will have to modify his attitude. And that is to the good. The incident is more than a lesson for the British Foreign Secretary. It is one which all might benefit from.

Federal and Massachusetts
INCOME TAX RETURNS
PREPARED
20 Years' Experience
Will Call at Your Home
JOHN E. GILCREAST
Telephone Andover 2108-W

This Week A "Breather"!

SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS - 1 lb. 27c
RIVAL TOMATO JUICE—No. 2 tins - 2 for 25c
ALLEN'S TOFFEE SAUCE—10-oz. jars - 25c
MATCHLESS COFFEE—Perc or Drip - Lb. 49c
LA SANATIS FLAT SHEETS — TOILET - 2 for 49c
SNACKS CHEEZIES — DE-LITE-FULL - Pkg. 10c
HUNT'S SLICED PEACHES — No. 1 Tall Tins 2 for 43c
PREMIER TINY TOT WHOLE BEETS—No. 2 tins 2 for 49c
COLONIAL BEEF WITH GRAVY—15-oz. Tins - 59c

Use for Shepard's Pie or Pot Roast Dinner

THE ROCKPORT MARKET

TELEPHONE ANDOVER 1234 — ACCOMMODATION SERVICE

There's Something New
and Exciting at
10 Park Street

RCA VICTOR
EYE
WITNESS
TELEVISION

GILBOARD'S - ANDOVER
located in the
ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

ELECTRIFYING
RADIO
DEVELOPMENT
Specially for
HARD-OF-HEARING
The New
ACOUSTICON-RADION

A Hearing Aid That Is
Also An Incredibly TINY
(Battery-Contained) Custom-Fitted RADIO. Come
in—Send coupon at once—
for details about amazing
reception—Incredible size!

ACOUSTICON OF LAWRENCE
E. C. STEVENSON, DISTRIBUTOR
Room 305, Bay State Bldg. Lawrence, Mass.

I wish more information about the
new ACOUSTICON-RADION.
Name.....
Address.....
City.....Zone.....State.....

FREE PARKING ANDOVER
PLAYHOUSE TEL. 11-W

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — January 21, 22

Three Musketeers	Lana Turner	Gene Kelly
	2:35 5:30	8:25
This Is America	2:00 4:55	7:50
Short Subject	1:45 4:40	7:35

SUNDAY, MONDAY — January 23, 24

One Sunday Afternoon	Dennis Morgan	Janis Paige
	3:15 6:10	9:05
Blondie's Secret	Penny Singleton	Arthur Lake
	1:55 4:50	7:45

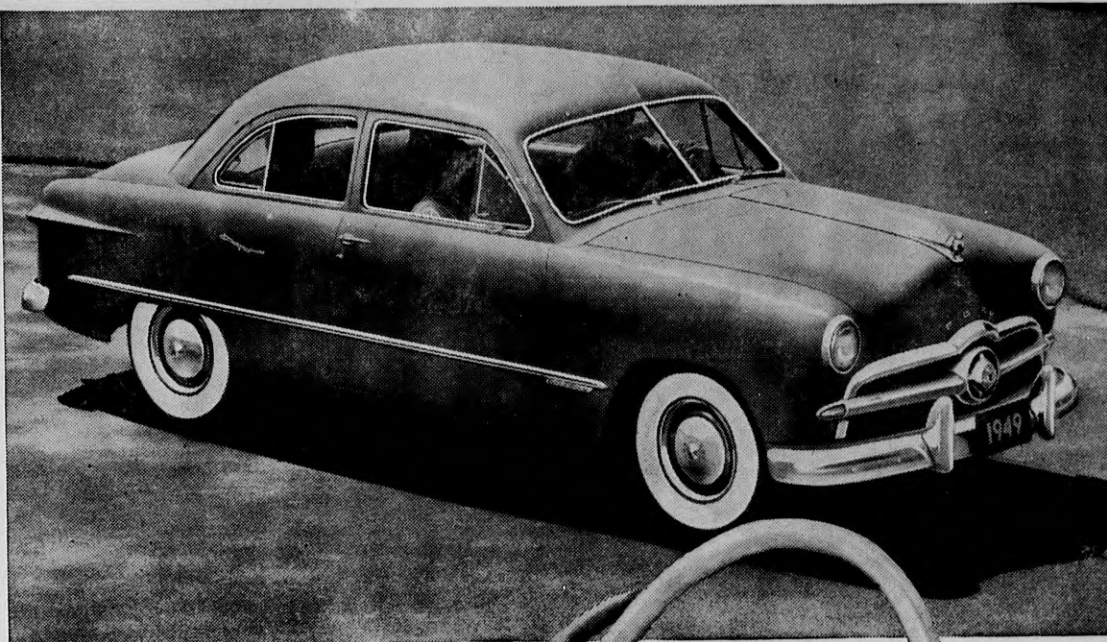
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — January 25, 26, 27

Let's Live A Little	Hedy Lamarr	Robert Cummings
	3:15 6:10	9:05
Close-up	Alan Baxter	Virginia Gilmore
	1:50 4:45	7:40

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — January 28, 29

It Happened One Night	Clark Gable	Claudette Colbert
	2:05 5:30	8:55
One Night of Love	Franchot Tone	Grace Moore
	3:50 7:15	

USUAL SATURDAY MORNING CHILDREN'S MOVIE - 10 O'CLOCK
Feature Western Picture Junior G Man (Serial)
Cartoons and Short Subjects



White sidewall tires available at extra cost.

Drive a
'49 FORD
and Feel the Difference!

You'd expect to pay hundreds more for Ford's new "feel"—the way it steers, the way it rides, the way it gets away! But that's what you get from Ford's Fingertip Steering, from Ford's new springing ("Hydra-Coil" in front, "Para-Flex" in rear) and Ford's new "Equa-Poise" Engines. Yes, drive a '49 Ford and FEEL the difference!

There's a **Ford** in your future

Take the wheel...try the new Ford "FEEL" today

PLACE YOUR ORDER TODAY AT YOUR **Ford** DEALER'S

Your Ford Dealer invites you to listen to the Fred Allen Show, Sunday Evenings—NBC Network at 8:00 E.S.T. Listen to the Ford Theater, Friday Evenings—CBS Network at 9:00 E.S.T.

SHAWSHEEN MOTOR MART

47 Haverhill Street, Shawsheen

Tel. 767 — Law. 5635

AT THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. WENDELL L. BAILEY, Pastor
Saturday: 10:30 a. m., Royal Ambassadors meet at Guild hall; 4 p. m., Youth choir rehearsal.
Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Church school for all departments; 10:45 a. m., Morning worship, sermon by the pastor: "Yet Will I Believe." Music by adult and youth choirs. 6 p. m., Baptist Youth Fellowship in the church vestry.
Wednesday: 2:30 p. m., Pioneer Girls meet in vestry; 7:45 p. m., Men's club meeting in vestry. Speaker and sound moving pictures shown.
Notes: Friday, Jan. 28 at 8 p. m. there will be a Friendly circle folk party in the vestry. Bring your partner.

CHRIST CHURCH
REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Minister
Friday: 6:45 p. m., Boy scouts, Troop 70.
Sunday: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday

school; 11 a. m., Morning prayer and sermon; 4 p. m., Confirmation class (adults); 5:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship.
Monday: 7:45 p. m., Girls' Friendly society.
Tuesday: St. Paul's Day; 10 a. m., Holy Communion; 2:30 p. m., Confirmation class; 3 p. m., Girl scouts, Miss Sparks' troop.
Wednesday: 2 p. m., Girl scouts, Mrs. Johnson's troop.

COCHRAN CHAPEL
REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister
Sunday, 5-5:15 p. m., Vesper Service—Organ Prelude.
5:15-5:45 p. m. Service of Worship.

FREE CHURCH
REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS, JR., Pastor
Friday: 7 p. m., Boy scouts.
Saturday: 9 a. m., Basketball practice for the Junior team in the Andover guild; 9:45 a. m., Intermediate basketball practice.
Sunday: 9 a. m., Church school; 11 a. m., Nursery class; 11 a. m., Morning worship; 6:15 p. m., Pilgrim Fellowship; 7:15 p. m., Young People's Christian association.

Tuesday: 7:30 p. m., Meeting of the Margaret Slattery class at 61 Shawshen road.
Wednesday: 7:30 p. m., Basketball: Seniors vs. St. Augustine's; 7:30 p. m., Meeting of the "Unseen Guest" supper committee in the parish house.
Thursday: 3:45 p. m., Junior choir rehearsal; 7 p. m., Girl scouts; 7:30 p. m., Senior choir rehearsal.

METHODIST CHURCH
(Ballardvale)
REV. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, Minister
Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon; 11:40 a. m., Church School with classes for all ages.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH
REV. THOMAS P. FOGARTY, Pastor
Friday, 7:45 p. m., Novena devotions.
Saturday, 4 to 6, and 7:30 to 9, Confessions.
Sunday, Masses 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
(Ballardvale)
Sunday, 9:00 a. m., Mass.

SOUTH CHURCH
REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor
Friday: 10 a. m., Prayer study group meets with Miss Davis, 90 Elm st.; 7:15 p. m., Troop 73, Boy scouts.

Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Church school and the Junior church; 9:30 a. m., High school classes; 9:30 a. m., Men's group; 10:45 a. m., Morning worship and sermon; 10:45 a. m., Church kindergarten; 11:15 a. m., Educational motion pictures; 5:30 p. m., Buffet supper, auspices Women's union for Abbot students and faculty attending South church. Young People's society meeting will be omitted.

Tuesday: 8 p. m., Ping Pong club.

Wednesday: 1:15 p. m., Week-day school of the Christian religion; 6:30 p. m., Men's club Father and Son night. Speakers: "Jeff" Jones, Boston Braves scout; George Follansbee, Varsity baseball coach at Phillips academy. 7:45 p. m., Church choir.

Thursday: 10 a. m., All-day sewing meeting of the Women's union; 3:30 p. m., Junior choir.

UNION CONG. CHURCH
(Ballardvale)
REV. PHILIP M. KELSEY, Minister
Friday: 4:30 p. m., Junior choir rehearsal in vestry.

Sunday: 9:30 a. m., Sunday school and Junior church; 11 a. m., Nursery and morning worship. Sermon: "The Quality of Mercy."

Wednesday: 2 p. m., Women's Service League meeting at home of Miss Helen Davies.

Notes: January 30 is Youth Sunday and will be observed in Union Congregational church with appropriate services.

WEST PARISH
REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Pastor
Sunday: 10:30 a. m., Children's Church service. Sermon: "How We Worship." Minister's assistants will be David Haartz and Marjorie Stewart. There are classes for adults, teen agers, and pre-school children. 11 a. m., Morning service of worship. Music by the West Parish church All-Girls' choir under direction of Mrs. Dean Hudgins. Sermon: "Jesus' Cure for Worry." 7 p. m., Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship. Social hour in charge of Jane Young.

Tuesday: 10:30 a. m., Committee on arrangements of the Andover association of Congregational churches will meet at the parsonage.

Thursday: 8 p. m., The Men's brotherhood will meet in the vestry. Elmer Peterson, president. The guest speaker will be George Baker, superintendent of the Essex County Training school. Committee: Arthur Lewis, chairman; Dean Hudgins, William Barron, Jr., Sherman Boutwell, John Fielding, Norman Morgan, Frederick Ortstein, Leverett Putnam, Clarence Sanborn, and George Winslow.

Subscribe to The Townsman
\$2.50 a Year

The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S.
LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE
HARRY E. CLOUGH
117 CHESTNUT STREET
TEL. ANDOVER 111

Established 1887
THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN
Published every Thursday by
The Consolidated Press, Inc.
4 Park Street, Andover, Mass.

Entered as second class matter at the
Andover Post Office
Price 5c per copy \$2.50 per year

Publisher J. K. Lilly, 111
Editor Frank J. A. Humphrey
Associate Editor Byron T. Butler
West Parish Sarah Lewis
Women's News Lois Smith
Ballardvale Hazel Schofield
Shawshen Mildred Best
Advertising Assistant Ruth B. Troit

NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION
1949
Action Member

WHY CHANGE THINGS?

New Slip Covers, Draperies, or a fresh coat of paint can do wonders in revitalizing your home — It will do wonders for your outlook, too. Try it and just notice the lift you give your entire family. Why not consult a decorator, it costs no more, but results are certain.

STRATFORD SHOP

50-A MAIN STREET

Navy Watches Old Man Weather



Weather plays an important part in the development and testing of aerial missiles. Therefore, the U. S. Navy maintains complete meteorological facilities at the Naval Ordnance Test Station, Inyokern, Calif., for predicting the antics of Old Man Weather. Such information is additionally of invaluable aid to the American public in many ways and is available when needed.

(Official Navy Photograph)

Officers Elected At South Church

At the well-attended annual meeting of the South church held Wednesday, Jan. 19, members of the church elected the following officers: to serve for one year, clerk, Arthur W. Bassett; treasurer, James P. Scobie; commissioner of the cemetery, Chester D. Abbott; superintendent of ushers, Ralph L. Draper; superintendent of the church school, Walter E. Mondale; auditors, Harry E. Clough and Robert L. Mower; to serve for six years; deacon, Dr. William V. Emmons; deaconess, Mrs. Walter Partridge; to serve for three years: prudential committee at-large, Mrs. Ralph L. Draper and Cleveland Gilcrease; and finance committee, Preston Blake.

The nominating committee which presented this slate of officers consists of Alvin J. Zink, Sr., chairman, Mrs. G. Richard Abbott and Fraser L. Colpitts.

Hold Up Installation Of Bancroft Rd. Pump

Plans for the installation of a new water pump at the Bancroft road station have been tabled for the time being for further study of the subject.

An appropriation of \$6500 was made at the last town meeting for this work but the engineer's estimate for the cost plus 10 per cent engineering fee bring the total cost up to \$7605, or \$1105 more than the appropriation.

Chairman Sidney P. White of the board of public works said that the board will hold up the installation pending a further survey to see if the pump can be operated successfully for another year at which time a better price may be obtained for the work.

HOW GRANGE MEMBERS STICK

A recent survey of the Grange membership of the country reveals striking instances of long affiliation with that organization. More than 75,000 Patrons now hold Silver Star certificates, designating 25 or more years of continuous membership; upwards of 700 hold Golden Sheaf certificates for 50 years; and nearly 300 have 60-year token pins.

Inasmuch as some 70-year Grange members are known to be living, steps are in progress for the preparation of a suitable reward for these veterans, probably in the form of a solid gold pin. Few, if any, other American fraternities can duplicate this remarkable record of long "sticking to" the Grange.

Free, Free, Free
County agents of the Massachusetts Agricultural extension service have many free bulletins on farm and home subjects — all available for the asking.

Learn To Steer Clear Of Folks With Colds

Now that scientists have definitely proved that the nasal passages of cold victims contain infection-laden droplets, there is more reason than ever for avoiding people with colds.

One good, old-fashioned sneeze, for example, can spray 20,000 of these droplets as far as 12 feet. Half an hour later, some 4,000 droplets will still be around.

So far no completely effective method of protection from these infections has been found. The viruses which, most scientists now agree, carry the cold around are so tiny they can get through the finest filter.

That is why staying away from those who have already fallen prey to colds is the most important rule to follow in avoiding infection. The only catch is that the person who has the cold may be passing it around for two days before he even knows he has it.

Additional protection can be gained by dressing in warm clothes and wearing rubbers or overshoes when the weather is stormy, by getting plenty of rest, and by staying out of drafts.

ANDOVER MEN ABOARD USS. FRANKLIN

Two Andover men, John A. Patterson, chief gunner's mate, USN, husband of Mrs. Agnes N. Patterson of 48 High st., and John J. Peters, fireman, USN, of Boston rd., are aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Franklin D. Roosevelt which is scheduled to arrive in Norfolk, Va., Monday, Jan. 24, after a six months' cruise in the Mediterranean sea.

POLICE ASS'N ELECTS

Officers of the Andover Police Relief association to serve during the coming year are: Joseph E. O'Brien, president; John Deymond, vice-president; Roy A. Russell, secretary-treasurer; Richard Caldwell and Frank Koza, auditors; Robert V. Deymond, William F. Tammany, Henry Smith, Frank C. Hughes and W. Raymond Hickey, directors.

Free Church Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Free Christian church was held Wednesday evening in the church vestry starting with a catered supper served at 6:30 o'clock.

Reports were heard, the budget acted upon and officers elected for the coming year. Those elected were:

Moderator, Roland Fraser; clerk, Mrs. Annie Angus; ass't. clerk, Miss Jean MacLeish; treasurer, Dr. Warren Sandberg; ass't. treasurer, Lewis Paine; auditor, Carleton Schulze.

Trustee: 4 years, Archie Gunn, 3 years, John Petrie; 1 year, Thomas Thin.

Deacons 3 years: Lewis Paine and Alex Black.
Deaconess 4 years: Mrs. Alex MacKenzie.

The following committees were elected for one year terms:
Standing committee: extra members, Mrs. George Cilley, Mrs. Thomas Girrie, David Cargill.

Music committee: Mrs. Annie Angus, Mrs. Alfred Harris, James Watt, Leslie Christison, Thomas Thin.

Choir Mithers: Miss Nancy Adams, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Frank Nicoll, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. Robert Deymond.

Missionary committee: Miss Irma Beene, Mrs. Agnes Burdett, Mrs. George Cilley, Mrs. Ida Jowett, Mrs. James Sullivan.

Religious Education committee: Mrs. Alex Black, Mrs. Gordon Thompson, Mrs. Floyd Napier, George Keith, Mrs. William Burnham, Mrs. John Petrie.

Flower committee: Wendell Kydd.

Every Member Canvass committee: David MacCord and Duncan Cairnie, (Co-chairmen)
Delegates to Andover association: Mrs. Joshua Paine, Mrs. Michael Marr, Mrs. Thomas Dea, Mrs. Robert Deymond.

Keep 'em Greener

The second New England Green Pasture contest will be held in 1949 for the purpose of encouraging pasture improvement. Louis A. Zehner, assistant vice-president of the Federal Reserve bank of Boston, is chairman of the committee which will direct the contest.

Tractor Tragedies

Tractors top the tragedy list in modern farm factory. Within their clutching chain treads, their ordered tangle of gears and levers and moving parts, is the constant threat of injury and death.

All Types of Cordwood Cut
At Any Length Wanted
Reasonable
GILBERT SORENSON
TELEPHONE 685-W

W. SHIRLEY BARNARD
Real Estate and Insurance
— at —
Main and Barnard Streets
Telephone 66

The Lee-Chalmers Upholstery Shop
All types of furniture re-upholstered and refinished — Custom made furniture and slipcovers.
160 High Street Andover
Tel. 301-M

Make Your Winter Reservations Now for the 6 to 18 Day Cruises to Bermuda, West Indies, South America and Europe, on many of the famous steamships. Also Air Plane Reservations to All Parts of the Country and Abroad.

ANDOVER TRAVEL BUREAU

Fred E. Cheever, Mgr.
21 MAIN STREET, ANDOVER PHONE 775 OR 1098

MY TIME IS BETTER SPENT WITH THE CHILDREN.



Devote more hours To Junior and Sis.

Send your Laundry To Us!

Quick Wet Wash Service.

Expert Flat Work.

ALL COSTS ARE REASONABLE

Andover Steam Laundry

TELEPHONE 110



Take a Peek at our crop of

COTTONS

... coming in daily
... looking better than ever
... offering a selection unsurpassed — right now!

Michael Jay's
"THINGS DIFFERENT"

We Have Anything and Everything FOR DRAPERIES AND SLIP COVERS



AT THE

ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

Open Tuesdays and Fridays Until 9 p. m.

Park Street

Telephone 1822 M

SAVE UP TO 10 GALLONS A LOAD . . . WITH A WESTINGHOUSE

Laundromat
with the exclusive water saver



5 year Guarantee
ON THE SEALED-IN-STEEL TRANSMISSION

1. SAVES WATER—Precious hot water and soap. Important savings that help the Laundromat pay for itself while working for you.

2. WASHES CLEANER—Exclusive patented washing action washes gently, thoroughly. Soiled water drains AWAY from clothes, not THROUGH them.

3. ENDS WASHDAY WORK—No bending or stooping. Completely automatic. Fills, washes, triple-rinses, damp-dries, cleans itself, shuts itself off.

\$299⁹⁵ (BUDGET TERMS IF DESIRED)

LAWRENCE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

PART OF NEW ENGLAND ELECTRIC SYSTEM

OF ALL THE THINGS YOU BUY ONLY ELECTRICITY IS CHEAPER

BASKETBALL GAME ON AIR
Radio station WCCM arrangements to broadcast Andover-Exeter game from Exeter, Mar. 5.
In its sports schedule present year WCCM will feature Lawrence and Lowell, Lawrence and Exeter basketball and football. Plans are being considered for the annual county track meet and events of local interest.

WOMEN'S THURSDAY

(Shawshen All)

ARMY (3)
A. Vaughan . . . 84 85
E. Dodge . . . 84 103
G. Carr . . . 92 101
J. Petrie . . . 89 84
B. Clarke . . . 102 81
Totals . . . 451 461

MARINES (9)
L. Littlefield . . . 86 91
M. Littlefield . . . 86 91
I. Killilea . . . 78 91
M. Gerrish . . . 77 91
C. Fiedler . . . 84 91
Totals . . . 409 461

C. B.'s (4)
I. Briggs . . . 92 99
G. Blamire . . . 95 7
R. Dolan . . . 96 8
H. Rielly . . . 87 8
M. James . . . 85 9
Totals . . . 455 42

NAVY (0)
L. Proctor . . . 94 7
A. Powers . . . 83 9
R. Thompson . . . 74 7
L. Leighton . . . 82 5
M. Rielly . . . 83 7
Totals . . . 416 37

COAST GUARD
E. Schaberg . . . 110 8
E. Reed . . . 75 8
M. Anderson . . . 89 7
N. Himmer . . . 108 7
M. Butler . . . 83 7
Totals . . . 471 47

AIR CORPS
B. Todd . . . 77 7
J. Dean . . . 82 7
M. Fowler . . . 88 7
E. Briggs . . . 99 7
B. Byrne . . . 87 7
Totals . . . 433 47

EX. PIANO
Walter Tel. 1

ASBESTOS S
New beauty in Johns manville Colored Asbestos
Also Insulated Brick Roofing. Estimates Free
WILLIAM P. FOSTER
Foster Circle, And.

Instrument In PRIVATE and

• Accordion
• Saxophone
• Piano • Bass V
• Electric & Spa
• Vibraph

METRO MUSIC
420 COMMON ST.

ROOF
ROOF REPAIR
OF ALL K
25 Years of E
All Work C
By Insur
HENRY E. HAGGETT'S PO
WEST AND
Telephone Lawr

AUTO GLASS
WHILE U

GLA

Channels, Regular outside door and Mirrors, Furniture resilvering.

CITY GL
311 COMMON LAWRE
TELEPHO

Church Holds Meeting

Annual meeting of the First Church was held Wednesday evening in the church with a catered supper at 6:30 o'clock.

Those elected for the year were: Roland Fraser, Annie Angus, Jean MacLeish, Warren Sandberg, Lewis Paine, auditor, Hulze.

4 years, Archie Gunn, John Petrie; 1 year, in.

3 years: Lewis Paine, lack.

4 years: Mrs. Alex Mac

Committees were one year terms: committee: extra mem-

George Cilley, Mrs. rrie, David Cargill.

committee: Mrs. Annie

Alfred Harris, James

ie Christison, Thomas

Others: Miss Nancy

rs. George Williams,

k Nicoll, Mrs. James

Robert Deymond.

ry committee: Miss

s. Mrs. Agnes Burdett,

ge Cilley, Mrs. Ina

s. James Sullivan.

Education committee:

Black, Mrs. Gordon

Mrs. Floyd Napier,

th, Mrs. William Burn-

John Petrie.

committee: Wendell

umber Canvass commit-

MacCord and Duncan

to-chairmen)

s to Andover associa-

Joshua Paine, Mrs.

BASKETBALL GAME

ON AIR

Radio station WCCM has made arrangements to broadcast the annual Andover-Exeter basketball game from Exeter, Saturday, Mar. 5.

In its sports schedule for the present year WCCM will broadcast Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill basketball and football games. Plans are being considered for coverage of the annual Essex county track meet and other events of local interest.

WOMEN'S THURSDAY LEAGUE

(Shawsheen Alleys)

ARMY (3)

A. Vaughan	84	89	75	248
E. Dodge	84	103	86	273
G. Carr	92	108	88	288
J. Petrie	89	84	101	274
B. Clarke	102	81	109	292
Totals	451	465	459	1375

MARINES (1)

L. Littlefield	84	93	78	255
M. Littlefield	86	99	102	287
I. Killilea	78	99	93	270
M. Gerrish	77	99	100	276
C. Fiedler	84	78	79	241
Totals	409	468	452	1329

C. B.'s (4)

L. Briggs	92	99	82	273
G. Blamire	95	71	97	263
R. Dolan	96	80	73	249
H. Rielly	87	84	83	254
M. James	85	95	85	265
Totals	455	429	420	1304

NAVY (0)

L. Proctor	84	75	89	253
A. Powers	83	91	78	252
R. Thompson	74	74	81	229
L. Leighton	82	58	82	222
M. Rielly	83	78	88	249
Totals	416	376	418	1210

COAST GUARD (3)

E. Schaberg	110	86	103	299
E. Reed	75	84	84	243
M. Anderson	89	75	85	249
N. Himmer	108	75	97	280
M. Butler	89	109	111	309
Totals	471	429	480	1380

AIR CORPS (1)

B. Todd	77	71	66	214
J. Dean	82	98	106	286
M. Fowler	88	79	74	241
E. Briggs	99	88	74	261
B. Byrne	87	94	76	257
Totals	433	430	396	1259

EXPERT PIANO TUNING

REPAIRING
Walter K. Jennings
Tel. Law. 9211

ASBESTOS SIDING

New beauty in Johns Manville Permatone Colored Asbestos Siding. Also Insulated Brick and Stone Roofing. Estimates Free.

WILLIAM P. DOYLE

Foster Circle, And. — Tel. 1483

Instrument Instruction

PRIVATE AND CLASS

• Accordion • Clarinet

• Saxophone • Trumpet

• Piano • Bass Viol • Drums

• Electric & Spanish Guitar

• Vibraphones

METRO MUSIC CENTER

420 COMMON ST. TEL: 20232

ROOFING

ROOF REPAIRING

OF ALL KINDS

25 Years of Experience

All Work Covered

By Insurance

HENRY E. GOSSE

HAGGETT'S POND ROAD

WEST ANDOVER

Telephone Lawrence 38805

AUTO GLASS INSTALLED

WHILE U WAIT

GLASS

Channels, Regulators, Inside and

outside door and trunk handles

Mirrors, Furniture Tops, Mirror

realigning.

CITY GLASS CO.

311 COMMON STREET

LAWRENCE

TELEPHONE 9539

Laundry

110

ANDOVER TOWN LEAGUE

CENTRAL (4)

Ruel	95	95	116	306
Ferrier	103	100	104	307
Dummy	86	89	88	263
Stewart	98	109	125	332
Craig	123	156	135	419
Totals	510	549	568	1627

THE ORPHANS (0)

R. Donahey	108	101	101	310
Biery	103	92	88	283
R. Cargill	116	96	111	323
Erler	86	111	133	330
Kelly	94	89	88	271
Totals	507	489	521	1517

ENGINEERS (1)

McDonald	96	99	95	290
Witzgall	97	92	97	286
Estell	105	166	104	315
Smith	94	107	97	298
Provost	107	98	100	305
Totals	499	502	493	1494

FRED'S LUNCH (3)

Nicoll	94	108	136	338
Milne	89	88	96	273
Gordon	92	100	91	283
Dummy	94	92	95	281
Nelligan	89	129	118	336
Totals	458	517	536	1511

HILLS (3)

Hatch	105	109	87	301
G. Cargill	86	104	131	321
J. Donahey	121	99	103	323
R. Cargill	106	112	95	313
Boudreau	115	126	109	350
Totals	533	550	525	1608

ANDOVER COAL (1)

Harris	112	117	102	331
Holden	106	104	144	354
Erler	92	98	105	295
Giata	85	117	116	318
Low	100	92	106	298
Totals	495	528	573	1596

ROYAL CROWN (4)

Tudisco	103	93	196
Anderson	105	90	105
Levsley	93	97	99
Jimoullis	108	122	93
Rizzo	105	102	100
Giglis	82	—	82
Totals	493	514	490

GRECOE'S (0)

Haji	101	99	92	292
Fitzgerald	83	90	101	274
Grecoe	82	98	107	287
Vivency	97	89	85	271
McCullom	94	112	93	309
Totals	457	488	478	1423

MEN'S MONDAY LEAGUE

CARISBROOKE (2)

Sughrue	92	85	84	261
Mosher	82	79	94	255
Greenfield	101	106	129	336
Reilly	91	111	93	295
O'Connor	98	103	106	307
Totals	464	484	506	1454

ENMORE (2)

Caliri	96	92	98	286
Sweeney	80	96	86	262
Svenson	97	94	97	288
Allen	116	90	95	301
Thompson	118	109	111	338
Totals	507	481	487	1475

ARUNDEL (0)

R. Parsons	88	73	83	244
Brent	100	94	91	285
Driscoll	90	85	95	270
DeClercq	94	105	92	291
Armitage	95	90	114	299
Totals	467	457	475	1389

YORKE (4)

Himmer	127	94	96	317
Innis	80	98	94	272
Neil	103	87	100	290
Best	98	97	114	309
Dummy	97	97	97	291
Totals	505	473	501	1479

ARGYLE (4)

Chalk	96	116	107	319
Davis	93	87	97	277
Anderson	125	116	111	352
N. Parsons	103	97	105	305
Dummy	89	89	89	267
Totals	506	495	509	1520

BALMORAL (0)

F. Kefferstan	84	90	93	267
Warhurst	84	79	96	259
Moriarty	108	99	113	320
Pulster	106	120	93	319
Proctor	95	105	104	304
Totals	477	493	499	1469



Bill Thompson, Captain Bruce Bates, and Bill Osgood who formed the starting line for the P.A. Hockey team in the Princeton Tournament.

Punchard Hoopsters

Win Seventh Straight

The Punchard High hoop squad stretched its victory string to seven straight triumphs last Tuesday afternoon by downing Amesbury High school to a tune of 48 to 23.

The high scorers for the home club were Charles Dwyer with 18 points, and Bob Deymond, who tossed in 15.

Friday evening one of Punchard's most important games will be on tap when Central Catholic clashes with Punchard at the Lawrence Armory.

PUNCHARD (48)

Dwyer, lf	9	0	18
Watson, lf	0	0	0
Chetson, rf	0	1	1
Mulse, rf	1	2	4
McVey, rf	0	0	0
Deymond, c	4	7	15
Hall, c	0	0	0
Deveaux, lg	2	0	4
Collins, lg	0	0	0
Craig, rg	2	0	4
Maucleri, rg	1	0	2
Totals	19	10	48

AMESBURY (23)

Muryeay, lf	4	0	8
Boyle, rf	1	0	2
Feltham, c	1	0	2
English, c	1	1	3
E. Gleed, lg	1	1	3
Sullivan, lg	1	0	2
Rubino, rg	0	3	3
Totals	9	5	23

Score by periods:

1	2	3	4	T.
Punchard	11	7	15	15-48
Amesbury	5	5	8	5-23

Referees: Connors, Berg. Time of periods: 4-8's.

JUNIOR VARSITY

PUNCHARD J.V. (27)

Stack, lf	0	0	0
Totals	0	0	0

DAMPHOUSE SIDING — INSULATION ROOFING

Telephone 29488 Any Time
200 MT. VERNON STREET
594-B ESSEX ST., at B'way

Fuel & Range Oil

ANDOVER COAL

COMPANY

27 MAIN ST. TEL. 365

The Punchard "Swish Kids," although trailing at half time by a score of 24 to 17, came to life in the last two periods to hand Pinkerton academy of Derry, N. H., its first defeat in nine starts at the Andover Memorial gymnasium last Friday evening before a capacity crowd. This 4

BUSINESS PERSONALITIES AND SERVICES You Should Know and Patronize

Polly Prim Beauty Shop
Specialist In all
Branches of
Beauty Culture
66 MAIN ST.
Tel. 970

VALENTINES
and
LOVELY HANKIES
15c Each to 50c Each
THE IRMA BEENE SHOP
8 MAIN STREET 795-M

DISTINCTIVE SERVICE
Lady Attendant
M. A. BURKE
FUNERAL HOME
383 No. Main St., And. 2

PHILIP I. GAUDET
Building Contractor-Remodeling
FOUNDATION and HOT-TOP
Cement Block, Stone, Brick and
Sand, Loom and Gravel
For Free Estimates Tel. 1519-W

COLES' NURSING HOME
"A Home of Helpful Service for Chronic
Convalescent, and Bed Patients"
10 Summer St. And. 1389

ERNEST L. WILKINSON
Real Estate — Insurance
RES. AND. 1653
LAW. 4762
311-312 BAY STATE BLDG.

AUTO LOANS
EQUIPMENT LOANS
PERSONAL LOANS
Deposits — \$7,407,090.97
Andover National Bank
ANDOVER, MASS.

T. J. SCANLON CO.
Building Materials — Hardware
LAW. 9018 — 5004
ESSEX ST. COR. BROADWAY
LAWRENCE, MASS.
RES. AND. 1529

N. E. Milk Producers Assn.
FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS
CHEESE — MEATS
Frozen Fruit and Vegetables
AND. 709

LORIS DISTEFANI
PAINTER and DECORATOR
RESIDENTIAL—INDUSTRIAL—SCHOOL
244 SO. MAIN ST. TEL. 1438-W

THE GARDEN SHOP
STEDMAN & SON
Flowers,
Plants, Shrubs,
Evergreens
Tel. 276
80 LOWELL ST.

RANGE AND FUEL OILS
TROMBLY BROS.
SERVICENTERS
Ignition — Carburetor and Brake Repairs
TEL. 31031 or 22582
147 Sutton St. Hillside Rd. By-Pass

WE SELL
STORM WINDOWS
LO-F WINDOW CONDITIONING NOW
LAWRENCE PLATE and WINDOW GLASS COMPANY
417 CANAL STREET LAWRENCE, MASS.
TELEPHONE 3-7151

Fine Cheddar Frozen Foods

The New England Milk Producers' Association at 16 Tantalum Road, Shawsheen Village, is a cooperative bargaining agency, and has been in business for 30 years.

The frozen food lockers which are so popular, have been operating since July 1943.

The N. E. P. E. A. (You've seen these letters on their trucks), sell frozen fresh fruits, frozen vegetables, butter, cheese and meat. If you enjoy frozen foods, this is the place to get quality and variety.

Customers come from near and far to buy the fine cheese which is made in their Vermont Plant. Cheddar is sold at 79c per pound. Users say it is of an unusually fine flavor.

The N. E. P. E. A. will buy and process meat for locker patrons and for those with home freezers. If you wish to buy frozen foods or freeze your own meat, vegetables or fruit, call at 16 Tantalum road and it will be processed for you.

Call Andover 709-710 for further information.

COUNTY LEGION AUXILIARY
The Essex county American Legion auxiliary held a meeting in Saugus, Jan. 15th. Reports on the Christmas parties which were held at the home of the Angel Guardian in West Newbury and the Carpenter home for children in Salem, were read at this time. The Christmas shop was held at the Essex sanatorium in Middleton, and was greatly appreciated by the patients, as it allowed the veterans to choose gifts for all members of their families at no expense. It is hoped that a large number will attend the next business meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday, Jan. 27.

DIANA BEAUTY SALON
All Types of PERMANENTS
DIANA LANE, Prop.
Mugrove Bldg.
Elm Sq. Tel. 164

PURITY CLEANSERS, Inc.
Home of Quality
3 HOUR SERVICE
13 ESSEX ST. TEL. 1951

Elite Beauty Shop
3 MAIN ST. TEL. 867

Quality MEATS
The Best in Town

SHAWSHEEN MARKET
Martha and Frank Robinson
Proprietors
DELIVERY HOURS
MON., WED., FRI. MORNINGS ONLY
SATURDAY ALL DAY
2 RIVERINA RD. TEL. 509

FLOWERS
J. H. PLAYDON
60 MAIN STREET AND. 70

Get Your Car Serviced For Winter At Murray's



Winter is here, and though it hasn't been noticeable, you'll soon need skid chains, a good sturdy battery ready to go on frosty mornings, and the right winter oil in your car.

Without these, winter means trouble, and the John M. Murray service station carrying the excellent Gulf products, is prepared to avoid all that for you.

Will your car start on a frigid morning? Is there any tread left on your tire to give you traction when caught in a snow storm? Murray's service station at Main and Chestnut sts., has the tires and tubes you need, Gulf gas and oil, and a lubrication job to offer that will make even winter driving pleasant.

Murray's service station can install a battery for you that will be quick starting when you need it most. Drive in to Johnny Murray's and get that car ready for any emergency.

New Exhibition Opens At Addison Gallery

In the words of Bartlett H. Hayes, Jr., director of the Addison Gallery, the new exhibition which opened Monday, Jan. 17 under the title: "Material and the Immaterial" consists of "seventy indescribable objects in transparent and translucent material."

This is one of the first times that the works of so many artists in such a variety of mediums have been displayed at the same time under one roof. Masterpieces in plastics, glass, metal and other unusual materials ranging from the early days in sculpture to contemporary works will be exhibited until Monday, Feb. 14.

Addison Gallery is open week days from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 2:30 to 5 p. m. Sundays.

Blue Bird Beauty Shoppe
PERMANENTS — HAIR TINTING
CARRIE P. BACON
FOOT TREATMENTS
Mugrove Bldg. And. 1004-W

THATCHED ROOF
"An Eating Place of Distinction"
TEL. LAW. 27732
NO. ANDOVER
ROUTES 125-133

MOTOROLA TELEVISION
Now Sensationally
LOW PRICED!
\$179.95
NOW—
EVERYONE can afford this
new Entertainment for the
ENTIRE FAMILY
ANDOVER HOME SERVICE
2 Essex St. Tel. 1970



Weston F. Eastman
INSURANCE
REAL ESTATE
Bay State Bldg.
RES. AND. 1775
LAW. 3-2149

Do You Know Massachusetts?

DO YOU KNOW.....Although total employment in Massachusetts dropped by 13,100 workers in November compared with the year before, certain industries showed substantial increases, as reported jointly by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Mass. Dept. of Labor and Industries.....Manufacture of transportation equipment, including automobiles, gained 4,900 employees, the construction industries 3,000, the service trades 2,700, finance, insurance and real estate 1,800, retail trade 1,800 and public utilities 1,700, in addition to increases of 8,000 in local and state governments and 3,800 in Federal government employees.....It is estimated that close to 500,000 veterans and service men in Massachusetts will receive dividends on their service life insurance, the payments ranging from small amounts to several hundred dollars.....Mass. Div. of Employment Security reports a total of 96,095 continued claims for unemployment compensation and veterans readjustment allowances during the first week in January, compared with 67,261 claims in the same week the year before.....Total payments during the week this year amounted to \$1,449,713.....A special committee has been appointed in Maynard to make recommendations regarding the establishment of an official town planning board.....In the town of Somerset a special committee has been appointed and is preparing a comprehensive zoning by-law for submission to the voters.

(Compiled by the State Planning Board)

HAD ROLE IN PLAY
Robert A. Baldwin, a freshman at Oberlin college, and son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin of Hidden Field, played the role of a sailor in the Oberlin Dramatic association production of Eugene O'Neill's "The Long Voyage Home" at Oberlin, Ohio, last Saturday.

M. T. WALSH
EST. 1885
PLUMBING and HEATING
CONTRACTORS
AIR CONDITIONING
SHEET METAL WORK
28 ESSEX STREET
TEL. AND. 201

THE SHAWSHEEN LAUNDRY CO., INC.
The Finest Laundry and
CLEANING SERVICE
AVAILABLE
TRY US AND SEE FOR
YOURSELF
TEL. 620 AND.

TAR AND GRAVEL ROOFS
New Roofs Installed and Repaired
J. A. PEROS & SONS
INSULATION, AND GENERAL
CONTRACTING
TEL. LAW. 4931

VERRETTE'S
Restaurant
In The
Square
ON THE SQUARE
ANDOVER



TROOP MEETINGS

Troop 72 of the South church met last Friday evening in the church vestry with Scoutmaster Leslie Mullin in charge. Among the visitors were the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the church; Calvin Metcalf, district chairman, and Walter Caswell, district commissioner.

The main business of the meeting was preparation for the court of review which will be held Friday evening, Jan. 21. Mr. Metcalf and Mr. Caswell assisted in drilling and quizzing the scouts on various tests.

Many boys are making an endeavor to advance in ranks. They are for first class, B. Douglas, R. Metcalf and R. Gillis; for second class, R. Huggins, D. Gordon, F. Rugg, J. Shaw, R. Fenton, R. Sherman, W. Crawford, and V. Robbins; for tenderfoot, J. Gordon, and P. Pingree.

Mr. Metcalf presented the troop with a plaque indicating that 36 per cent of the troop members attended Camp Onway.

Troop 71 of Shawsheen Village is entitled to a plaque indicating that 44 per cent of the registered scouts in the troop attended Camp Onway last summer.

Troop 70 of Christ church met Friday, Jan. 14, under the leadership of Scoutmaster of George Luedke and Senior Patrol Leader Bancroft Frederick. Numerous games, including basketball, were played. The troop has been concentrating on the study of Morse signalling. Walter C. Casewell has joined the troop committee and will assist the chairman, the Rev. John S. Moses.

Pack 72 of the Free church, supervised by Cubmaster John Carver, has approximately 50 cub scouts attending the various den meetings.

Troop 72 of the Free church is busy with the problems of re-registering for a new yearly charter. Calvin E. Metcalf, district chairman, was present at the meeting Friday, Jan. 14 and awarded the Camp Onway plaque to Scoutmaster David MacCord. The past summer saw 44 per cent of the troop in attendance at the camp.

Executive Board Meeting
The executive board held a supper meeting recently to discuss plans for coming events.

Highest Camp Attendance
Troop 76 of Ballardvale will receive a plaque from District Chairman Calvin Metcalf indicating that it had the highest percentage of registered scouts from the Andover district attending Camp Onway last summer.

**There's Something New
and Exciting at
10 Park Street**

RCA VICTOR
EYE
WITNESS
TELEVISION

GILBOARD'S - ANDOVER
located in the
ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE

TAR AND GRAVEL ROOFS
New Roofs Installed and Repaired
J. A. PEROS & SONS
INSULATION, AND GENERAL
CONTRACTING
TEL. LAW. 4931

VERRETTE'S
Restaurant
In The
Square
ON THE SQUARE
ANDOVER

Baker Refrigeration Co.
APARTMENT - SIZED WASHERS
\$39.95 Reduced to \$32.00
METAL BASE TABLE LAMPS
\$15.95 Reduced to \$9.95
GUARANTEED USED REFRIGERATORS
AND. 1934 LAW. 22221

SMOKED SHOULDER
Boned and Rolled
57c Lb.
CORNER BEEF
59c Lb.

Andover Consumers Co-op
68 MAIN ST. ANDOVER

SPECIAL
Silk or Woolen (plain)
DRESSES 63c
Expertly Dry Cleaned and
Pressed

CITY CLEANERS
LAUNDERS and DYERS
35 MAIN ST. ANDOVER

ANDOVER Sales and Service
General
AUTO REPAIRING
'Eddie' Ellis 'Hank' Bready
61 PARK ST. TEL. 24

CAR HARD STARTING?
TRY TEXACO HIGH-TEST
and
HAVOLINE MOTOR OIL No. 10
BLACKIE'S SERVICE STATION

JOHN M. MURRAY
SUPER GULF SERVICE
MAIN AND CHESTNUT STS. TEL. 464
COME SEE US FOR YOUR TIRE NEEDS

SHATTUCK'S EXPRESS
EST. 1911
Daily Dependable Service
32 Park St. Tel. And. 577

LOANS
\$50 to \$2,000
ANDOVER FINANCE CO.
License #98
2nd Floor — MUSGROVE BLDG.
ANDOVER SQUARE
TEL. ANDOVER 1998

WALNUTHURST DAIRY
Serving Andover
For Over
35 Years
B. A. JENKINS, PROP. AND. 994

Mortgages
LOANS
Andover Savings Bank
61 MAIN ST. TEL. 103

Fraser's Service Station
GAS — OIL
RANGE OIL
ACME TIRES
AND BATTERIES
12 No. Main St. Tel. 155

LEG
TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HEAR
Notice is hereby given that a Survey of the Town of Andover, made by the Surveyor of the Town of Andover, on January 21, 1949 at 7:30 a. m. in the Town Hall, on the petition of Sherman and others for the plan dated January 1949 and on F. Goodwin, for the purpose of a private way for public use, is open for public inspection.

BOARD OF
By SIDNEY

TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HEAR
M. T. Stevens Co. Marlan petitioned the Board of Selectmen to keep and store a tank on the land of the petitioner in the said Town of Andover, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws relating to the use of land.

ANDOVER SAVING
Andover, Mass.
The following list of officers of the Andover Savings Bank, as published in compliance with the provisions of the General Laws relating to the use of land, is hereby published.

PRESIDENT
Burton S. Flagg

VICE PRESIDENTS
Burton S. Flagg
Louis S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball

TRUSTEES
Term expires 1950
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1951
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1952
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1953
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1954
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1955
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1956
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1957
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1958
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1959
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1960
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1961
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1962
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1963
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1964
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1965
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1966
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1967
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1968
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1969
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1970
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1971
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1972
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1973
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1974
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1975
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1976
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1977
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1978
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1979
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1980
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1981
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1982
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1983
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1984
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1985
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1986
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1987
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1988
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1989
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1990
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1991
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1992
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1993
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1994
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1995
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1996
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1997
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1998
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 1999
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2000
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2001
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2002
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2003
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2004
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2005
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2006
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2007
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2008
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2009
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2010
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2011
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2012
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2013
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2014
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2015
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2016
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2017
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2018
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2019
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2020
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2021
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2022
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2023
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2024
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2025
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2026
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2027
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2028
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2029
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2030
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2031
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2032
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2033
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2034
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2035
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2036
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2037
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2038
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2039
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2040
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2041
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2042
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2043
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 2044
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball
J. Radford Abbott
Wallace E. Brimmer
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Flagg
Term expires 20

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing on Friday evening, January 21, 1949 at 7:30 P. M., at the Town Hall, on the petition of Roland H. Sherman and others for the approval of a plan dated January 1949 and drawn by Clinton F. Goodwin, for the purpose of opening a private way for public use as shown thereon.

BOARD OF SURVEY
By SIDNEY P. WHITE,
Chairman
(13-20)

TOWN OF ANDOVER

PUBLIC HEARING

M. T. Stevens Co. and Marland Mills having petitioned the Board of Selectmen for a license to keep and store gasoline in the amount of 2000 gallons in an underground tank on the land of the petitioner of Stevens Street in the said Town of Andover, a public hearing on said petition will be held January 21, 1949, 7:30 P. M. at the Town House, in accordance with provisions of the General Laws relating thereto.

By Order of the
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
GEO. H. WINSLOW,
Town Clerk.

Date of issue, Jan. 20, 1949.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

Andover, Mass.
January 13, 1949
The following list of officers and corporations of the Andover Savings Bank is hereby published in compliance with the law.

PRESIDENT
BURTON S. FLAGG
VICE PRESIDENT AND TREASURER
LOUIS S. FINGER

ASST. TREASURER
WINTHROP NEWCOMB
CLERK
CHARLES C. KIMBALL

TRUSTEES
Term expires 1950
J. Radford Abbot
Wallace E. Brimer

Term expires 1951
E. Barton Chapin
Louis S. Finger

Term expires 1952
Burton S. Flagg
Charles C. Kimball

BOARD OF INVESTMENT
J. Radford Abbot
Wallace E. Brimer

CORPORATORS
George E. Abbot
J. Radford Abbot

Philip K. Allen
Foster E. Barnard

Wallace E. Brimer
Hugh Bullock

E. Barton Chapin
Edward S. Eckman

William V. Emmons
Louis S. Finger

Burton S. Flagg
Claude M. Fues

James Gould
Edmond E. Hammond

Walter C. Tomlinson
CHARLES C. KIMBALL, Clerk

Reserve District No. 1
REPORT OF CONDITION OF
THE ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK

of Andover in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business on December 31, 1948.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection. \$2,366,801.53

2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed. 3,086,884.09

3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions. 336,671.70

4. Corporate stocks (including \$12,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank). 12,000.00

5. Loans and discounts (including \$61.27 overdrafts). 2,532,461.08

6. Bank premises owned \$107,379.58, furniture and fixtures \$15,719.45. 123,099.03

7. Other assets. 214,490.96

8. TOTAL ASSETS. \$8,672,408.39

LIABILITIES

9. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations. \$5,182,725.26

10. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations. 1,742,189.67

11. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings). 212,124.62

12. Deposits of States and political subdivisions. 425,141.53

13. Deposits of banks. 250,337.35

14. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.). 206,321.82

15. TOTAL DEPOSITS. \$8,018,840.25

16. Other liabilities. 36,302.95

17. TOTAL LIABILITIES. \$8,055,143.20

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

18. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$200,000.00. 200,000.00

19. Surplus. 200,000.00

20. Undivided profits. 217,265.19

21. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS. 617,265.19

22. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS. \$8,672,408.39

MEMORANDUM

23. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes. \$1,378,281.98

24. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of. 20,561.70

State of Massachusetts, County of Essex, ss:
I, C. W. Holland, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier.
(Seal)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1949.
Katherine A. Berry,
Notary Public.
My commission expires April 26, 1951.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Divorce Docket No. 19172
Essex, ss.

To Francis G. Power of Washington in the District of Columbia.
A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, Ada B. Power of Andover in said County praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of desertion and praying that she may be permitted to resume her maiden name of Ada A. Buchan.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court within twenty-one days from the seventh day of March 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 226,103
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Barbara M. Edmunds late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that William H. Delaney of Sudbury in the County of Middlesex or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.

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 January 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

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

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 220,734
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of George C. Richards late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The administrator of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance his first and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of January 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

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

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 226,209
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Katherine Driscoll late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Helen St. Pierre of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of February 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register

U.N. Extends Control Over Narcotics



The General Assembly of the United Nations recently approved a new protocol extending international control over a number of synthetic drugs which had been developed in recent years and had remained outside the scope of previous conventions on the control of narcotics. Above are some of the drugs brought under international control by the new Protocol. Previous conventions covered only natural narcotics, such as opium, cocaine and morphine.

SHAWSHEEN

Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Correspondent, Telephone 171

P.T.A. MEETS

The Shawsheen Village Parent-Teacher association met last Wednesday evening with their president, Herbert Ortstein.

Paul McKinnon, chairman of the program for the evening, presented Miss Elizabeth Harris of the M. S. P. C. C. and her subject was "Neglected Children." It was surprising to learn from her the

conditions of homes that she has visited as a representative and also the conditions under which some children have to live. She gave some real examples of conditions in homes such as she has found them and also the mistreatment that some unfortunate children receive at the hands of their parents. Miss Harris mentioned that the M. S. P. C. C. is one of the organizations supported by the Community Chest, and she also told of the wonderful work that is done in placing some of these children in better living quarters.

Vincent Barrett, a student of the Central Catholic High school and also of the Conservatory of Music entertained with Solovox arrangements.

Harry I. Emmons spoke briefly and earnestly of the importance of people signing up as blood donors and the Red Cross would like as many names as possible on their list.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening by the second and third grade mothers.

Dramatic Department
The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will meet at 2:30 p. m., Friday, Jan. 21 at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Cate of 12 Cedar rd.

Mrs. Wallace Fiedler, chairman of the department, will conduct the meeting which will consist of selecting a play from the group of plays that were obtained in Boston recently. This play will be presented by the group in the spring. The committees attached to the presentation of the play will be selected at this time also.

Dessert will be served prior to the meeting with Mrs. Charles Currier, Mrs. Gordon Colquhoun, Mrs. Charles Bowman, Mrs. Gilbert Cate and Mrs. Charles McCullom as the hostesses of the day.

All members not able to attend this meeting, please call Mrs. Gilbert Cate before Friday.

UPHOLSTERING
Chairs — Refinished — Cone Seating
Venetian Blinds — Window Shades
High Grade Coverings for Davenport
Lino Rugs — Mattresses Remade
Packing — Shipping — Crating

ROWLAND L. LUCE
(Formerly Buchanan's)
19 Barnard Street Tel. 1840

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

LOST—SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE Andover Playhouse—A silver bow-shaped brooch set with Zircons. Reply to Box B. J13

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—TWO CONNECTING Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; light housekeeping privileges; centrally located; business person preferred. Reply Box L, Andover Townsman. J13

WORK WANTED

GENERAL HOUSE WORK IN adult family. Reply Box C, Andover Townsman.

FOR SALE

NO. 8 RANGE WITH OIL BURNER, China closet, Four poster bed, Glass door Bookcase, Leather Sofa, Club Chair. (5,13,20) Roland Luce, 19 Barnard Street

JUST COMPLETED. THIS HOME talks for itself. Has everything. Extra good construction. Best quality materials, well planned, good location, transportation, built-in garage. Inquire of B. M. Thomas, Rocky Hill Rd., Andover.

FOR SALE—PORTABLE TYPEWRITER, Chaise lounge, Club chairs, coffee tables and leather chairs. Venetian Blinds repaired. R. L. Luce, 19 Barnard St., Andover.

Brand Heart Disease
America's No. 1 Killer

The outstanding progress made in the control of tuberculosis and other diseases, through programs of voluntary health agencies, can be duplicated in the efforts to conquer heart disease, America's No. 1 killer, if the February fund-raising campaign of the American Heart association and its affiliates is generously supported by the public. Harold E. Stassen, national campaign chairman, said today.

In a message transmitted to Dr. Laurence B. Ellis, of Boston, president of the New England Heart association in anticipation of its campaign which begins Feb. 7 and ends Feb. 28, Mr. Stassen declared:

"In terms of the need, the national goal should perhaps be 50 millions, not the \$5,000,000 we are seeking. But the leaders of medicine and science guiding the Heart program are in 1949 asking only for the funds that can be used in a program this year."

It was announced that Stassen will be the principal speaker Monday evening, Feb. 7 in the Hotel Somerset, Boston, when the national and New England campaigns will begin. Stassen's speech will be broadcast nationally from Boston.

STATE AUDITORS HERE

Two state auditors, Wendell C. Brooks and Herbert O. Sanborn, arrived here Monday for the annual audit of the town's books.

Here To Serve
John M. Murray
Gulf
Super Service
Cor. Main and Chestnut Streets

SHAWSHEEN
MOTOR MART
Your Andover Ford Dealer
47 Haverhill St., Shawsheen
Tel. 767—Law. 5635

Paint Sale

Clean-up on Discontinued

FLATS — SEMI-GLOSS AND HIGH GLOSS

B.P.S. PAINTS

At Half Price

Odds and Ends for as little as
20 cents on the dollar

A Chance To Do That Odd Job at Negligible Cost

W. R. HILL

Cross Coal Co.

COAL — COKE — OIL
OIL BURNERS

Correct—Attest
Burton S. Flagg
W. E. Brimer
Louis S. Finger
Directors

My commission expires April 26, 1951.

State of Massachusetts, County of Essex, ss:
I, C. W. Holland, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier.
(Seal)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1949.
Katherine A. Berry,
Notary Public.
My commission expires April 26, 1951.

State of Massachusetts, County of Essex, ss:
I, C. W. Holland, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier.
(Seal)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1949.
Katherine A. Berry,
Notary Public.
My commission expires April 26, 1951.

Tree Warden, G. R. Abbott, Urges Action To Save Elms

(Continued from Page One)

One diseased tree was found in 1947, four more in different sections of the town in 1948. This year may bring many times this number of diseased trees. Should we wait for the loss of a great many trees before the town becomes aroused the cost will be much greater than to fight for our good trees now.

Trees should be pruned and fertilized at least every three years for good growth and health. This department with but three regular men cannot hope to do this work alone.

Funds will have to be provided for extra pruning to destroy the home of the elm bark beetle. For an all-out fight, spraying from overhead by airplane or helicopter and from the ground by mist sprayer must be provided each year even though it is impossible to prune all the elms at once.

Such a program would not only retard and control the Dutch elm disease but at the same would control other insect pests, and as a public health measure destroy disease carrying flies and mosquitoes.

As authorized at the last annual town meeting a new 1½ ton truck with power winch was purchased. It has been a great help in carrying out our work since its delivery. Our chain saw con-

tinues to prove its worth. Many miles of roadside were cut by our tractor mower and additional heavy brush was cut by hand.

The Andover Village Improvement society stands ready to provide the tree warden with \$500 worth of chemicals this year to destroy poison ivy along our roadsides provided we supply the labor and a sprayer. Last year delay in obtaining chemicals was the cause of the small amount of this work being carried out. It is planned to continue this work more extensively in 1949.

I recommend that \$10,800.00 be appropriated to carry on the regular work of the tree warden's department. This is an increase of \$310.00 over the amount appropriated last year. Such a budget under present rates provides the following sums.

Wardens Salary...\$1,568.00
Labor 3 men...7,819.50
Gasoline, Oil Truck,
Tractor, Mower and
Saw Maintenance...690.00
Hardware, Tools
and Equipment...250.00
Trees...150.00
Rent of Shop and
Garage...210.00
Telephone, Printing
and all other items...112.50

Total...\$10,800.00

This budget provides for the employment of three regular men, and for an increased number of trees for planting, in front of new homes being built in many parts of the town.

Respectfully submitted,
George R. Abbot, Tree Warden

There's Something New
and Exciting at
10 Park Street

RCA VICTOR
EYE
WITNESS
TELEVISION

GILBOARD'S - ANDOVER
located in the
ANDOVER GIFT HOUSE



VICTOR ADDING
MACHINES
Sales - Service - Rentals
PRICED FROM
\$95.77 Up
The Typewriter Shop
Incorporated
269 Common St. Lawrence
Tel. 4702

ALL WOOL
Superb Fit — Handsomely Tailored
A large variety of patterns
\$22.95

- IMPORTED TWEED SPORT COATS \$39.50
- MCGREGOR CORDUROY SPORT COATS 4 pockets - excellent selection - \$22.95
- Fine Hockanum GREY FLANNELS Medium or Very Dark Oxford Grey Flannels \$13.50
- Other GREY FLANNELS — Medium and Dark \$11.50



Elander & Swanton
Incorporated
Andover, Mass. Exeter, N. H.

"Medal of Honor" Story Now In Its Second Printing

The first printing of "The Medal of Honor," the United States Army's great story of its Medal of Honor and of the courageous men who have won it since it was first authorized on July 12, 1862, was a huge success and sold out almost immediately. To meet the popular demand, a second printing has been authorized and will soon be off the press.

The stories of the bravery of these Medal of Honor winners—men like Lieutenant Audie L. Murphy, who jumped on a burning tank destroyer and, despite a leg wound, killed or wounded about fifty Germans and stopped an attack; or like Corporal Harry R. Marr, who threw himself on a live hand grenade and saved the lives of his comrades at the cost of his own—will linger with you long after you have closed the covers of this thrilling volume.

This book is handsomely bound and is divided into four major parts: Part I is the history of the Medal of Honor; Part II consists of photographs of Medal of Honor winners of World War II; Part III tells the story of the action for which each person was awarded the Medal of Honor and lists these persons by wars and campaigns, alphabetically, by last names, and by the states from which they entered the service; and Part IV tells how the information used in the volume was unearthed and has a calendar of documents and a bibliography.

Copies of "The Medal of Honor" may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25 D. C. at \$4.50 per copy.

COURT ST. MONICA

Court St. Monica, 783, C. D. of A., will hold a bakery sale at 9:30 a. m. Saturday in the Lawrence Gas and Electric Co. office, 5 Main st. The committee includes Mrs. Charles J. Bailey, chairman, assisted by Mrs. James J. Murray and Mrs. Florence Naughton. The regular monthly social meeting of the Court St. Monica, 783, C. D. of A., will be held at 8 p. m. Monday in the school hall.

JUROR DRAWN

Donald B. Look, 115 Main st., was drawn by the selectmen Monday night to serve as a juror at the session of superior civil court opening at Salem, Feb. 14.

ANDOVER CRAFTSMEN
RE-UPHOLSTERING
Musgrove Building Telephone
Elm Square And. 1820-W

To Hold Hearing On Street Plan

The board of survey will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p. m., Friday in the town house on the petition of Roland H. Sherman and others for the approval of a plan for the purpose of opening a way for public use as shown thereon.

The plan shows that a section of Highland rd., from Salem st., southwest, approximately 800 feet to a point 450 feet from Main st., would be closed, and that Dwight st., which runs from Main st. to Highland rd., would be made a public way. That section of the road which it is proposed to close borders the northwest side of the athletic field.

The decision of the board of survey will have to go before the town meeting for approval.

Public Works Dep't Completes Budget

(Continued from Page One)

amount for 1948 was \$63,300.

Other items sought for 1949, besides the Andover street bridge include Main street improvements, \$3,500, repair and build sidewalks, \$7,500, purchase power mower, \$935, light truck, \$1,600, replacing sections of wooden fence, \$1,000.

INQUEST ORDERED

Police Chief George A. Dane has been notified that Dr. William J. Brickley, medical examiner of Suffolk county has ordered an inquest into the hit-run death of Andrew N. Karakanas, who was injured fatally last New Year's eve. The inquest will be held in Suffolk county as the death occurred there after the victim had been removed to a Boston hospital.

SPONSOR WHIST PARTY

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, No. 136, and I.O.O.F. No. 230, will sponsor a public whist and domino party at 8 p. m. Friday in the fraternal rooms, Musgrove building. Prizes will be awarded, including a door prize. Those in charge include the entertainment committees of both lodges.

18 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
IN
DRESSMAKING
REMODELING
ALTERATIONS
LADIES' SUITS, COATS,
DRESSES MADE TO ORDER

★
PAUL'S
CLEANERS AND DYERS
127 MAIN STREET TEL. 2125

Sees Urgent Need For Blood Donors

(Continued from Page One)

reports the use there of between 20 and 25 pints a week on an average. The blood needs of other hospitals serving Andover people are just as great. Mrs. Ellen McCollum, executive secretary of Andover chapter, reports that since July 1 Andover chapter has had nine emergency calls for blood, involving 23 pints. The blood to supply these needs must come from the veins of healthy, generous people; it cannot be manufactured.

Blood donors are urgently needed, the statement continues, when the Red Cross bloodmobile comes to South church Jan. 31, in order that we may be able to supply blood for our people when they need it. If and when you or someone in your family needs blood, all you will have to do is call Red Cross headquarters. The blood will be supplied FREE by Red Cross. The only charge to a recipient is that made by a physician or hospital in connection with administration. If you can donate blood, or you know someone willing to do so, please call Andover 1496 and register.

To facilitate operations at the blood collection center, Mrs. Foster Barnard, chairman of registrations, has enlisted the follow-

ing volunteers as clerical assistants: Mrs. William Hughes, Mrs. James Eaton, Mrs. J. J. Tavern, Mrs. Frederick Johnson, Mrs. Byron Smith, Mrs. Harry Emmons, Mrs. Theodore Ward, Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. Roy Malley.

Mrs. Leon Field will be assisted as chairman of transportation by Mrs. John P. Connors. This committee will gladly furnish donors transportation to and from the center.

The General Education Board of the United States was chartered by Congress in 1903.

STUDY POPULAR PIANO
IN YOUR OWN HOME
NO EXTRA CHARGE
WALTER SLOCUMB
TELEPHONE 2037-MK

Lumber — Paints
Paper and
Hardware
Mason Supplies
J. E. Pitman Est.
63 PARK ST. ANDOVER
TEL. 664

No Time For Blindfold Choosing!

Your diamond purchase is an important one! Rely on the jeweler whose reputation for quality is well-known. Select your diamond from the collection of loose or mounted stones at—

John H. Grecoe's
JEWELRY STORE
48 MAIN ST. TEL. 830-R



It's

THE FURNITURE BARN

For Real Values in
Home Furnishings

EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR

Value No. 1

in its weight class!

For proof, read the "Value Comparison" at the right.

More power is yours for brilliant performance... with more payload capacity, too! Superior ease of handling is yours with advanced steering, and front-end design.

More load protection and driver comfort are yours with longer, bigger-capacity springs... and generous-sized cabs.

And more safety for loads, and for your truck investment, are yours with the safest vision ever designed into a truck cab... and with the finest of all brakes.

These are just a few of the many advanced features that are yours with Dodge "Job-Rated" trucks. There are many more!

So come in... and let us give you all the reasons why this truck represents Value No. 1 for hauling jobs in this weight class!

For the good of your business
switch to **DODGE**
"Job-Rated" TRUCKS



Read this Value Comparison

(Dodge Model F-152; and Comparable 1½-Ton Competitive Models)

Features and Advantages	DODGE "Job-Rated" TRUCK	TRUCK "A"	TRUCK "B"	TRUCK "C"
Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight	14,500 lbs.	12,500 lbs.	14,000 lbs.	13,500 lbs.
Maximum Horsepower	109	93	100	93
Turning Diameter*—Left—Right	50½ ft. 50½ ft.	61½ ft. 61½ ft.	60½ ft. 54½ ft.	54½ ft. 54½ ft.
Wide-Tread Front Axles	62 in.	56 in.	60.03 in.	58½ in.
Total Spring Length (front & rear)†	194 in.	171½ in.	182 in.	176 in.
Cab Seat Width‡	57¼ in.	53½ in.	53 in.	47½ in.
Windshield Glass Area▲	901 sq. in.	713 sq. in.	638 sq. in.	545 sq. in.

*To outside of tire (curb clearance). Computed from data based on tests or computations obtained from usually reliable sources. †All four springs. ‡Measured from production models. ▲Computed from width and depth measurements; no allowance for contours.

J. W. ROBINSON COMPANY

43 PARK STREET

HARRY E. WILLIAMS, Mgr.

TELEPHONE 1549

I pledge you—I pledge myself—to a new deal for the American people.

—F. D. ROOSEVELT

VOLUME 62, NUMBER

VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. J.

It is an interesting contrast that the United States with its enterprise system is urged to plan the lives of their people who have done little more than an umbrella against the inflation, now criticize it for failing to check spiraling prices, really increase export earnings. All these necessities increasing government control. This contradiction is not a contradiction in principle, but a contradiction in fact. The nation vociferously demands regulation in any form planning against obvious evils, really accentuates the evils in which it finds itself.

Purpose of Marshall Plan The devastation of Europe forced us to accept the idea of instituting the Marshall Plan. Nations were unable to feed themselves, much less to sell in exchange. So we extended the war-ware of Lend-Lease into time generosity and practice the European Recovery. From a blue-print of probable needs for four years, a means of getting Europe on its feet rather than indefinitely receiving would merely keep a soul failing body. The difficulties faced us, as the physician we couldn't really blue severity of the illness, the prescription or the time the patient should doses. And we couldn't resist to paper the complicated might develop.

Make Europe Healthy The nature of the illness. Europe was too slow to recover by itself. How long to take to make the patient impossible to determine thought that steady doses can supplies of food, raw and machinery for four years probably make him reasonable. The complications anticipated were national trade restrictions and currency. And a virulent attack of communism might well prolongment period, if it didn't kill the patient. Of course his part by making serious complications.

Cure "Dollar Deficit" Our purpose is simple. Nations suffer from "dollar deficit." (Continued on Page 13)

Shepard Resigns Town Offices

Howell F. Shepard of Andover has submitted his resignation from both the board of selectmen and the board of health recently attended a board meeting several weeks. He is expected to be out of the state.

The resignation, dated Jan. 15, came before the selectmen's meeting Monday night's meeting. Acceptance is required as to law, it becomes effective with the resignation. Mr. Shepard, whose selectman and assessor year, has been elected for four terms. He was elected in 1934 and with five re-elections serve years when he entered. He was again re-elected in 1938 and would have continued next March of the Watson-Park manufacturers of dye soaps at Lowell junction has been active in the town that have been held in Andover in recent years.

RUGS OR DOGS
CLEANED — MOTHPROOFED
CARPETING EXPERTLY
IN HOTELS — THEATRE
— ORIENTAL RUGS A SPECIALTY
Otash Rug Cleaning
5 BROOK STREET
Tel. Lawrence 22298 or La