

## mer Abbot Teacher

Miss Bigelow Jenks, assistant principal of residence at Bradford college, died June 5, at her home in North Brookfield. She had been ill for several months.

A graduate of Mt. Holyoke college, Miss Jenks taught science at the academy and served as secretary to the principal there for years. In 1932 she became registrar and from 1935 to 1936 was acting head of the school.

Prior to her appointment to the academy faculty in 1931, Miss Jenks had taught botany, zoology, and mathematics at the Campbell school in Windsor, Conn., and at Miss Jenks' School in Northampton.

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When men are rightly oc-  
cupied, their amusement  
grows out of their work, as  
the color petals out of a  
fruitful flower.  
—JOHN RUSKIN



Participants in the Tom Thumb wedding made a very gala party that was one of the features of the "Stunt Nite" held recently at the Baptist church. Principals in the ceremony, shown in front center of the photo, were: Nancy Wilhelm, bride; Brian Allen, bridegroom; Malcolm Estell, best man; Carol Stocks, maid of honor, and standing directly behind the bridal couple, Glenn Williams, the minister.

## VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

The fourth week of the Big Four Foreign Ministers' meeting in Paris bids well to end up with virtually nothing accomplished. This is the sixth round of conferences. The fifth ended in December 1947 with charges from both sides. Molotov accused the Western powers of forging a "common front" against Russia; Marshall retaliated with, "The Soviet government alone refuses to agree." In the ensuing seventeen months the West went ahead with its own plans, and gradually shifted the power balance in Europe against communism through the Marshall Plan and the security system of the Atlantic

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## Merit Certificates For Safety Patrol

At an assembly held recently in the Stowe school under the direction of Miss Catherine M. Barrett, principal, Award of Merit certificates were presented to 48 members of the schools safety patrol by James R. Lynch, officer in charge of patrols.

These awards of merit are made possible by the Lawrence Automobile club in "recognition of meritorious service rendered in protecting the lives of school children while serving as a member of the school safety patrol in the

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## Free Church Scouts Win Most Points At Camporee

Troop 72 of the Free church led all North Essex council scout troops in the competitive events at the 21st annual camporee held over the weekend at Camp Dad Sargent, Pomp's pond. In recognition of winning first place the large blue and silver council commissioners' flag was presented to the troop at closing exercises. For quite a number of years this flag has been won by either Troop 1 or Troop 2 of Lawrence. Troop 2 was last years' winner.

Taking into consideration that there are between 30 and 40 troops in the North Essex council, all of Andover's troops did a good job. Troop 75 of St. Augustine's church was in 5th place; Troop 76 of the Ballardvale P.T.A. and Troop 73 of the South church gave a good account of themselves.

Over 300 scouts were encamped for the three days. The encampment was in charge of the Knight Eagles of the council. These Eagle scouts were as follows: Commander William Youney, Ronald Reader, Hazen Curtis, Arnold Schofield, Robert Kent, Richard Ganley, Percy Wilson, John Hackney, George Russell and Edward Ryan. The troops camped by patrols and did all their own cooking on a patrol basis. Saturday morning the competitive events were run

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## Pay For Damage To School Windows

As the result of police investigating the breaking of windows in the John Dove school the sum of \$22.50 has been turned over to the school department in payment of part of the damage. Police Chief George A. Dane in giving the money to William A. Doherty, secretary of the school committee, said that more is expected. The money was collected from parents of the boys responsible for the damage. Some of the boys were assessed \$3.50 each for their share in the damage, while another lad was held responsible for \$1.50 for the breaking of a flood light near the bleachers.

Windows in other schools have been damaged in recent weeks and it has already cost the town \$150 to replace the glass that has been broken.

## Ball Clubs To Play For 'Jimmy Fund'

A baseball autographed by all members of the Boston Braves will be auctioned off at a ball game between the Andover V.F.W. team and the Andover Town team to be played for the "Jimmy Fund" at the local playstead at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, June 19.

The game is being played after the regular "Jimmy Fund" season because of the full schedule of both teams. Proceeds of the game and of the auction will go toward the fund.

The Andover Town team was started this year by "Jim" Morrissey, Tom Brennan and Timmy Daley. They have played various teams in this area and have a fairly good standing to date.

The V.F.W. team was started by the Andover Post No. 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars and this is its second season in the Greater Lawrence City league. The team is coached by Henry Porter and Bill Benson. The business managers are: Charlie McKew and Tom Eldred.

These are the only two teams in the senior league in the Town of Andover. Games are held nightly at the park by these teams and are a great drawing card for spring and summer sports in the town.

A special permit for this game has been issued by the board of public works, and a large crowd is expected to attend.

## Deny Health Aid To St. Augustine's

The request made to the school committee to provide the services of a dental hygienist and a school nurse in the setting up of a health program in St. Augustine's parochial school failed to receive support at Monday night's meeting of the board when Atty. Vincent F. Stulgis quoted a provision of the law to show that it could not be done.

Dr. Harry V. Byrne appeared at a meeting of the committee some time ago to outline the plan. He stated that the school already had five doctors and a dentist who

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## Baptist Church Pastor Resigns

The resignation of the Rev. Wendell L. Bailey as pastor of the Baptist church was tendered at last Sunday morning's service, effective Sept. 1, when he will become pastor of the Green Street Baptist church, Melrose.

In reading his resignation to his congregation Mr. Bailey said: "I have this past week received an unanimous call to become pastor of the Green Street Baptist church, Melrose, Mass. Upon careful consideration, I have chosen to accept this call, and this acceptance has been received by the Melrose church. I therefore tender my resignation today to the Andover Baptist church to take effect Aug. 31. It is with mingled joy and sadness that I announce this resignation—sadness at the thought of leaving you, but joy for having known you and having served you. Such sadness is further assuaged both by the challenge of a new and larger field of Christian service and by the faith I hold for you and your future prosperity. God abundantly bless you as you serve Him with increasing glory in the years that lie ahead."

While pastor of the Andover church, many far-reaching things have been accomplished. A new

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## Planning Board Begins Study

Appointed by the moderator after a vote at the last town meeting, the committee to study future needs of the schools plus sewer and water installations met last week and organized with Roy E. Hardy and chairman and Atty. Fredric S. O'Brien secretary.

Other members are Howell M. Stillman, Wallace Brimer, Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman of the school committee, Sidney P. White, selectman and chairman of the board of public works, and Joseph A. McCarthy.

The committee discussed the problem it faces and instructed the secretary to request information from the chairman of departments that would require substantial capital expenditures in the next 25 years.

Although it will plan particularly for the immediate future the committee will also study long range plans for developments in later years.

## Circulate Petitions Against Installation Of Automatic Gates

### Ballardvale Residents Oppose Plan To Have Grade Crossing Without Gate—See Danger To Children

## 40 To Graduate At St. Augustine's

The largest graduating class in the history of St. Augustine's school will be awarded diplomas Sunday morning at the 9:45 o'clock mass in St. Augustine's church.

The presentation to the 40 boys and girls in the 1949 class will be made by the Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A. pastor, who will also give out the numerous awards.

The graduates are: Everett Louis Belisle, Robert John Clouthier, Daniel Joseph Connors, Leonard Arthur Gallant, David Malcolm Hannon, Donald Jacques Lavigne, William John Lench, Edmund John Leswig, William Francis Lucey, Joseph William Lynch, Gilbert Emerson MacKinnon, Edward Francis Mahoney, Raymond John Matton, Edward John McCarthy, Raymond Francis Monty, William Thomas Stack, James Alan Sullivan, James John Sullivan, Theodore Joseph Surette, Russell Wilfrid Thornton, Doris Rita Audesse, Edyth Ann Belisle, Marguerite Odelle Boulanger, Muriel Claire Brouillard, Shirley May Chetson, Josephine Claire Collins, Elaine Estelle Dumont, Jane Marie Dumont, Mary Louise Gilman, Florence Ann Golden, Gail Moulton Griffin, Ann Theresa Lancaster, Gertrude Ann Madden, Patricia Louise O'Neill, Eleanor Marie McCarthy, Louise Ann Pothier, Patricia Ann Robertson, Dorothy Helen Sarcone, Isabel Ann Surette and Dorothy Ann Walsh.

The awards to be made are as follows: Court St. Monica, C.D., of A. scholarship to Central Catholic High school, Lawrence and the Mary Mercer prize for general excellence, awarded to David Malcolm Hannon.

The Dr. Edward Conroy prize for effort awarded to Joseph William Lynch.

The Andrew J. Crotty prize for religion awarded to James Alan

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## Urges Safe Driving Over The 'Fourth'

Police Chief George A. Dane announced today that an intensive traffic safety program will be conducted in connection with the three-day Fourth of July holiday celebration this year.

"Our enforcement program over the Fourth of July will bring Andover into a united effort by cities and states throughout the nation to hold down the high holiday death toll which usually occurs over the Independence Day celebration," Chief Dane said. This nationwide program is being coordinated by the National Safety Council.

"The police department urges everybody to take special precautions in an effort to save both lives and property over the Fourth. It will be a time of real hazard because of the long weekend, the festive spirit of the holiday and heavy holiday traffic."

Chief Dane emphasized that motor travel will increase during the Fourth of July celebration because the three-day weekend will tempt many summer vacationists to use it as the beginning or end

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## Phillips Academy Commencement

The Rt. Rev. Henry Wise Hobson, Bishop of Southern Ohio and president of Phillips academy's board of trustees was the principal speaker at the 171st commencement exercises of the academy held Sunday at the Cochran chapel.

Diplomas were awarded to the graduating class of 221 by Headmaster John M. Kemper, who presided at the exercises, and various prizes and scholarships were presented.

Andover boys who were the recipients of awards were: Herbert Alan Klein, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Klein, 141 Elm st.; John Ward Kimball son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Carleton Kimball, 50 School st.; Edwinn Snell Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert G. Weaver, 32 Phillips st.; Peter Arthur Baldwin, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, Hidden field; David Edwin Pingree, 45 Cheever circle and Joseph Belleau Wenneik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Wenneik, 50 Summer st.

Klein won the George T. Eaton Prize in algebra, given to that member of the junior class outstanding for proficiency in first

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### Safety Awards Made At Shawsheen School

A special assembly at the Shawsheen school, conducted by Miss Anne Harnedy, principal, was held Wednesday, June 15, to make awards to the school patrol. Officer James Lynch, who is in charge of all safety patrols in Andover, presented the "Award of Merit" certificates given by the Lawrence Automobile club in recognition of meritorious service rendered in protecting the lives of school children while serving as a member of the school safety patrol in the town of Andover.

The following children received the awards:

Captain George Leonard Hendrick, Lieut. Carl Arthur Ehardt, Robert Davis Redfern, Mary Anne Doherty, Julian Edmund Baer, Richard T. Finnerty, Barry Guertin, Jason Saul Aussubel, Allen Seva Vaughan, Marcia Marie Tagney, Richard O. Berube, Audrey Gail Tuttle, Robert George Grudzinski, Joyce Shirley Sullivan and Carol Elizabeth Emerick.

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### Wins First Prize In Book Contest

The first prize winner of the contest held for grades seven, eight and nine, in the contest sponsored by the Memorial Hall library was James Murray, a ninth grade student, whose choice of books for a home library and reasons for the selection were judged best of all contestants. Judging was based half on titles and half on reasons for choosing. Patricia Sanborn, grade seven, and Lyman Gale, grade nine were second and third winners, respectively.

The books that won the prize for James Murray are as follows:

**Sherlock Holmes**, by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

**Silas Marner**, by George Elliot.

**Death be not Proud**, by John Gunther.

**Call of the Wild**, by Jack London.

**Black Arrow**, by Robert L. Stevenson.

**We**, by Charles Linberg.

**The Three Musketeers**, by Alexander Dumas.

**Around the World in Eighty Days**, by Jules Verne.

**The Prince and the Pauper**, by Mark Twain.

**Don Quixote**, by Cervantes.

**The Lively Lady**, by Kenneth Roberts.

**Escape**, by Nitti.

## WEST PARISH

Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Correspondent, Telephone 584-J

### ANNUAL PICNIC

The annual picnic of the West Parish Sunday school children will be held Saturday. A bus will leave the church at 10 a.m., for Bella Vista beach, Cobbetts pond. Those who have extra room in their cars for passengers are asked to notify the Rev. John G. Gaskill as soon as possible so that transportation may be provided for all.

### Sunday School Staff

The following have been elected to serve on the staff of the West Parish church Sunday school for the coming term: Earl Young, superintendent; Philip Thomes, assistant superintendent; William Barron, secretary; Claire Henderson, assistant secretary; Herbert P. Carter, treasurer; Dora Ward, auditor.

The nominating committee was: Arthur Peatman, Mrs. John Hall, Jr., Frederick Orstein and the Rev. Mr. Gaskill. The ratification of the officers will take place when the church school opens in September.

### Children's Day

A very interesting Children's day program was given at the West church Sunday morning at the 10:30 o'clock service. The All-Girls choir sang the processional hymn, "Lead On O King Eternal." At the baptismal service the following babies were consecrated: Elaine Frances Abbott, James Sidney Batchelder, Randall Earl Batchelder, Linda Broughton, Cynthia Iranette Lewis, Jeannie Lowe, John Charles Lowe, Jr., Alan Irving West and Joanne Wilson.

The children of the first grade recited Bible memory verses, the second grade repeated the 23rd Psalm, the third grade the 100th Psalm, the fourth grade the commandments, the fifth grade the Beatitudes, and the sixth grade memorized the 1st Psalm.

Much credit is due to the various teachers for the fine memory work the children did. Miss Mary Fielding and Miss Barbara Williams were narrators for the entire service.

Bibles were presented to the following children who have reached or are about to reach seven years of age: Susan Abbot, Priscilla Bell, Pauline Boutwell, Marilyn Brown, Arthur Clegg, Barbara Davis, Eleanor Finnerty, Frank Monette, Elizabeth Nicholas, John Ozoonian, Norma Jean Peatman and Judith West.

Perfect attendance pins were awarded to the following: Kindergarten, Janice Henderson, Donna Bangs, and Lilly Disbrow; Grades 1 through 8, Norma Jean Peatman, Eleanor Finnerty, Patty Ball, Marilyn Freeman, James Clegg, Betty Heinz, Gail Marland, Edith Williams, Elizabeth Sarkisian, Elaine Freeman, Ruth Santuccio.

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Glenn Peatman, David Haartz, Joan Silva, Mary Bololan, Maryanne Garabedian, Barbara Williams, Shirley Clegg, Barbara Silva, Bruce Stewart, Mary Fielding and Myrtle Belle Jaques.

### Farewell Party

A group of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd., last week to honor Mrs. Sherman Boutwell who is soon to leave for her new home in Southbridge. A luncheon was served and the guest of honor was presented with a magazine rack and bracelet.

### Birthday Party

Miss Marcia Belding entertained a few of her schoolmates Sunday afternoon on the occasion of her ninth birthday. The guests enjoyed the party on the lawn. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Belding. Those present included Sandra Ritchie, Elaine and Marilyn Freeman, Beverly and Nancy Hird, Ann Woodcock, Betty Heinz and Rosemary Ozoonian.

### Visited Zoo

The first and second grades of the West Center school held an outing recently at the zoo in the Metropolitan District reservation at Stoneham.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Washburn of Calistoga, Calif., were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. William Trow of Lowell st. Mrs. Washburn is the daughter of the late Rev. William Cross Merrill, who formerly lived on Chandler rd.

Dr. and Mrs. Alex Alexander of Fresno, Calif., were recent visitors at the home of John and Amos Ozoonian of Osgood rd.

Dr. and Mrs. Harwood Belding of High Plain rd., visited with relatives in Rockport last Saturday.

Friends of Eugene Henderson of Haggets Pond rd. will be pleased to know that he is making satisfactory progress at the Lawrence General hospital following a serious operation performed there recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davidson of Lowell st., are enjoying an extended automobile trip through Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman and family have moved from High Plain rd. to North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright of Shawsheen rd., are spending the summer months at their home in E. Bluehill, Me.

William Stewart of High Plain rd., spent several days the first part of the week in Waterville, Me.

Fred W. Doyle, Jr., is at his home on Chandler rd. for the summer months after completing his third year at Princeton university.

Mrs. Earle Slate of Argilla rd. and Mrs. Norman Morgan of Lowell st., spent Monday at the latter's cottage at Seabrook beach, N. H.

Mrs. John Rasmussen of Lowell st., spent Sunday with friends in Somerville.

Mrs. Edwin Strain of Malden was the weekend guest of Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd.

Miss Frances Little is spending the summer months with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Little of Shawsheen rd. Miss Little attends the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Mich.

### Deny Health Aid To St. Augustine's Children

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had volunteered their services but required a dental hygienist and a school nurse to complete the program. It was brought out that similar aid is given parochial schools in some other cities and towns.

After much discussion in which Mr. Stulgis referred to the law in question, it was voted to instruct the secretary to send a copy of the law to Dr. Byrne.

The section from the general laws relating to education reads as follows:

"All money raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the commonwealth for the support of common schools shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which the money is expended; and no grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized by the commonwealth or any political division thereof for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any school or institution of learning, whether under public control or otherwise, wherein any denominational doctrine is inculcated, or any other school, or any college, infirmary, hospital, institution, or educational charitable or religious undertaking which is not publicly owned and under the exclusive control, order and superintendence of public officers or public agents authorized by the commonwealth or federal authority or both, except that appropriations may be made for the maintenance and support of the Soldiers' home in Massachusetts and for free public libraries in any city or town, and to carry out legal obligations, if any, already entered into; and no such grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any church, religious denomination or society."

Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools, discussed the progress of the school survey now being made after which it was voted to form a committee of citizens for a participatory survey.

Several bids on fuel oil were rejected as they were not uniformly submitted, and the committee will ask for new bids in September.

It was voted to approve the warrant of bills and accounts in the sum of \$1935.53.

A discussion of printing costs followed but no definite action was taken.

The secret of cooking all good omelets is to cook them slowly. A puffy omelet becomes a glamorous breakfast entree if you spread it with seasoned mashed Calavo before folding it over. Be sure the Calavo is buttery soft before using.

### Camp Fire Girls Receive Charter

In Shawsheen, the new group of Camp Fire Girls received their charter and membership cards June 9. They are called the Siquan group and the members are Joyce Dunlop, Martha Dietrich, Christa Hahnstein, Lynne Carter, Betsy Caswell, Elinor Warshaw, Linda Barrett, Sandra Dulong, Nancy Kelley and Marjorie Orstein. Mrs. Alan F. Dunlop is the guardian and the sponsors are: Mrs. Walter Caswell, Mrs. Herbert Orstein and Mrs. Rudolph Dietrich.

The girls have collected 70 soap wrappers for CARE. They have been forwarded for the Aid to Europe campaign.

On May 21, the group, with Mrs. T. Warshaw and Mrs. Dunlop, went to Camp Fire headquarters in Boston, and were escorted through the Herald-Traveler newspaper building. The trip ended with a ride on the swan boats in the public gardens.

On June 11, the group went to Camp Kiwanis in Hanson, where the girls had a fine time in the beautiful surroundings. Transportation was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Orstein, Mrs. Dunlop and Mrs. Dietrich.



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off. These consisted of knot tying, first aid, semaphore and Morse signaling, compass race and fire with flint and steel.

The annual council camporee committee was as follows: John Ramsden, council commissioner; Herbert Keogh, district commissioner of Lawrence; Fred Raitte, North Andover; George Bray, Methuen; Walter Caswell, Andover; M. Dean Burns, Ross Hamilton, Samuel Wright, Albert Desroches, Alfred DeFelice, James O'Sullivan, staff commissioners; Joseph Gibbons, Lawrence district chairman, Calvin Metcalf, Andover district chairman and Harvey Bacon, scout executive.

On Saturday night all scouts and leaders met at a big council campfire. A number of skits were presented by various patrols, singing was enjoyed and camp director Arnold Schofield gave an interesting talk about Camp Onway.

Green bar camping awards are to be made at a later date to the scouts and leaders of Troops 72, 75 and 76 of the Andover district.

The following scouts and leaders attended the camporee: Troop 72 of the Free church, David MacCord, scoutmaster, Merrill Burnett, Robert Meadowcroft, Arthur Schwarzenberg, Howard Johnson and the Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., committeemen; Roger Dea, junior assistant scoutmaster and the following scouts: Russell Johnson, patrol leader; Alan Dodge, assistant patrol leader; Raymond Yancy, David Haartz, Charles Simpson, Allan Vaughan, Allan Schwarzenberg, Richard Schaberg of the Arrow patrol; Thomas Burnett patrol leader; Richard Meadowcroft, assistant patrol leader; Richard Parker, Robert Domingue, Leo Ruel, James Adams, Arthur Schwarzenberg, and William Hood of Wolf patrol.

Troop 73 of the South church, Leslie Mullin, scoutmaster, Robert Hatton, committeeman; scouts Alan Douglas, patrol leader, David Pingree, assistant patrol leader, Robert Hatton, Jr., Peter Pingree, Robert Rugg, Valentine Robbins, Robert Gillis, David Gordon, Peter Ducot, Robert Ducot, Bruce Douglass, Richard Fulton and Robert Metcalf.

Troop 75 of St. Augustine's church, Frank Mooney, scoutmaster, William Tammany, assistant scoutmaster, Daniel Worcester, junior assistant scoutmaster and scouts, Beaver patrol, David Hannon, patrol leader; Daniel Nadeau, assistant patrol leader.

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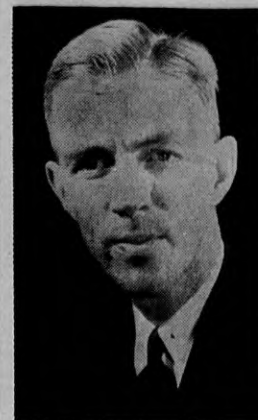
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A new membership rule: It will be compulsory on September 1, 1950, to divide scouts into the following age groups—cub scouts 8, 9 and 10 years of age; boy scouts 11, 12, and 13 years; senior scouts, 14 to 18 years of age. At the present time boys cannot join the cub scouts until they are 9 years old. The change will require more cub leaders and the formation of many senior scout units, since there are very few at present.

46 Scouts representing all troops in Andover have registered for from one to six weeks at camp. Even though this is ahead of last year's record it is hoped that more boys will at least try one week at camp as the boys that try always come back. This record can be much better since the larger troops have from 25 to 35 registered members. Camp registrations may be arranged through the scoutmasters or at council headquarters. Camp opens July 10.

A number of scouts from Troops 70, 72, 73 and 75 have qualified for the star or life rank this year. The first to complete all requirements for Eagle is Thomas Burnett of Troop 72, whose recommendation for advancement to that rank was signed by Walter Caswell, district commissioner, on June 12. Scout Burnett will be eligible as soon as approved by the district advancement committees, with Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, chairman, and the council office.

**Chief Dane Urges Safe Driving Over 'The Fourth'**  
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of their regular vacation periods. "Let's all work together to make certain that death and disaster do not mar the holiday celebration of anybody in Andover," Chief George A. Dane said. "The Fourth of July should be a joyful and safe celebration of our nation's independence, and it can be—if everybody remembers to try and make it so."

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## Shawsheen Pupils Guests At Picnic

The kindergarten pupils of the Shawsheen school, with their teacher Miss Eunice O'Donnell, recently enjoyed a picnic on the William M. Wood estate, where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Clarkson. There was a "weenie roast" and the children explored the grounds and played games. Many of the mothers furnished transportation.

The 29 pupils of the first grade and Miss Ethel Anderson, their teacher, were given a very nice picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Frye 89 Lowell st. They were served ice cream, home-made cookies and orangeade. They played games and received prizes for winning. When the children went home, the Fries gave each of them a lollipop, a prize and a little book.

## Guild To Entertain Graduating Class

The Catholic School guild will entertain the 40 graduates of St. Augustine's school tonight with a turkey dinner served in the school hall.

Following the dinner an entertainment will be presented and dancing enjoyed. To this part of the program, which will start about 8 o'clock, members of Grade 7, the school alumni and parents of the graduates are invited.

## V.F.W. MEETING

Andover post, 2128, V.F.W., will hold a regular meeting in the post rooms tonight at 8 p. m. Commander Thomas P. Eldred will preside.

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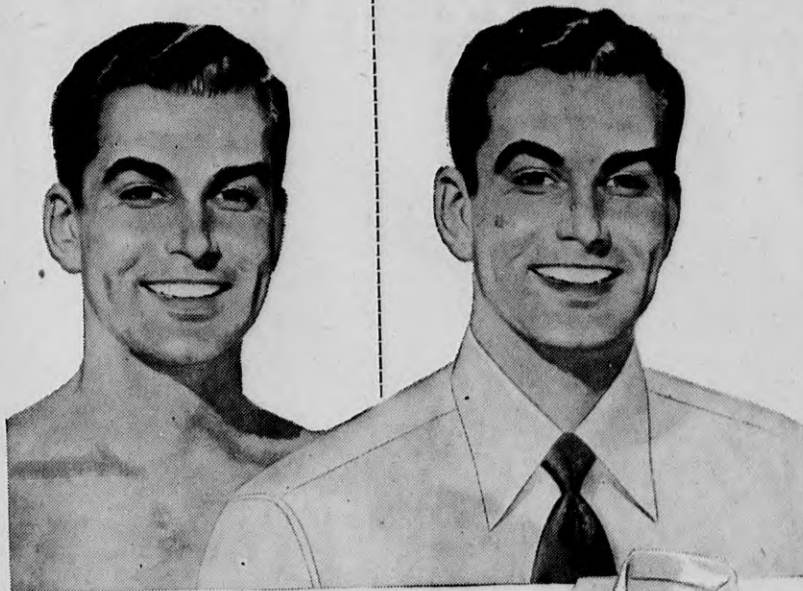
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## Phillips Academy Observes Its 171st Commencement

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year algebra. Kimball, the Bausch & Lomb Optical company medal for exceptional progress in science studies; Weaver, a French department prize for aural ability and the George Webster Otis scholarship, awarded to a student who in the judgment of the headmaster combines the qualities of sound character and high ambition; Baldwin, the Edward Pitkin Paynter prize given to that member of the Phillips academy choir who, in the judgment of the choir-master, has been the most useful member of that organization.

Pingree received the John Cornell scholarship, and Wennik was awarded the inter-fraternity scholarship.

## Markert Wins Prize For Latin Recitation

Robert Henry Markert, son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Markert, 56 Chestnut st., won first prize at Phillips academy for his recitation of a Latin work from memory. The prize is awarded annually to a member of the class in Latin 1.

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## With The Graduates

### Mount Hermon School

At the 63rd commencement exercises at Mount Hermon school, Mt. Hermon, Philip B. Churchill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Churchill of Burnham rd., was one of 150 students to receive diplomas. The exercises took place Monday, June 13.

### Princeton University

Among the graduates at Princeton university's 202nd commencement exercises on the north campus at Princeton, N. J., Tuesday, June 14 was Donald A. Walen, 68

Salem st., who received his B.S.E. in engineering. There were 934 persons who received degrees.

### BRIDGTON ACADEMY

Barry Grecoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Grecoe, 17 Florence st., was among the students who graduated from Brighton academy, N. Bridgton, Me., Monday, June 13. He was one of the leading members of the school's track team and received the school athletic letter. He has been accepted at Springfield college.

### RIVIER COLLEGE

At Rivier college, Nashua, N. H., Miss Maribeth Walsh, daughter of Mrs. George D. Walsh, 28 Essex st., received the bachelor of arts degree at the commencement exercises Sunday, June 5. She was active in the dramatic society and received the dramatic award for her portrayal of "Meg" in the school production of "Little Women." She is a graduate of Villa Augustina academy, Goffstown, N. H.

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### Tufts College

Tufts College will hold its 93rd Commencement exercises on the Tufts campus Sunday afternoon, June 19, when his Excellency, Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstierne, the ambassador to the United States from Norway, will be the commencement speaker.

Degrees in course will be conferred by Dr. Leonard Carmichael, Tufts president, from the various graduate and undergraduate schools of the college. Included among the degree candidates are the following from Andover and North Andover:

As of March, 1949: Mildred Harshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Harshaw of 94 Elm st., Andover. B. S., Jackson college, major, biology. Julius R. Pierog of 42 Highland ave., North Andover. B. S., Liberal Arts, major, chemistry-biology.

As of June 1949: Milton D. Howard, 19 Pleasant st., North Andover, B. S., Liberal Arts. Robert W. Lowe, 8 Chapman ave., Andover, A. B. Liberal Arts, major, economics.

### Bowdoin College

John F. Lord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Lord of 67 Summer st., is one of 192 Bowdoin college seniors who will receive degrees from Bowdoin at the college's 144th commencement exercises at Brunswick, Me., Saturday, June 18.

Lord, an air corps veteran, prepared for college at Phillips academy. At Bowdoin he majors in French and economics and is an honor student. He is also active in dramatics, music, journalism, and the Delta Upsilon fraternity.

### Wesleyan University

Robert E. Look, son of Dr. Percy S. Look of 115 Main st., is a candidate for the degree of bachelor of arts at Wesleyan university's 117th commencement exercises to be held Sunday, June 19. Look, who majored in biology, has been president of the Pre-Medical club. He is a graduate of Phillips academy.

### HEALTH ASSOCIATION

At the annual meeting of the Essex County Health association held earlier this week, the following were among the directors elected: Mrs. Frank L. Brigham, Mrs. Will G. Brown, Mrs. Matthew Colquhoun, Mrs. Thaxter Eaton, Mrs. Kenneth S. Minard, Mrs. George K. Sanborn and Mrs. Elbert C. Weaver.

Dr. Percy J. Look and Dr. John J. McArdle were included among the directors-at-large.

## Class Reunions Held At Abbot

One hundred and forty alumnae returned to Abbot on June 4, to celebrate their class reunions and visit the school.

The annual meeting of the alumnae association was held in Abbot hall at 11 a.m., with the president, Mrs. Polly Francis Loesch, presiding.

Annual reports were read and approved, as follows: clerk, Mrs. Frances Flagg Sanborn, who also gave the report of the treasurer, Mrs. Barbara Nelson Twombly and auditor, Mrs. Ursula Ingalls Rockwell. The general secretary, Mrs. Constance P. Chipman, reported on the activities of the alumnae office, its relationship with the Abbot clubs and the school. She also read the names of the 22 alumnae whose deaths had been reported during the year.

The members were delighted to know of the generous response of alumnae to the Second Century Alumnae fund appeal for scholarships. Since April 1, the sum of \$3517 had been contributed.

Before the seniors marched in, the president read the names of alumnae relatives in the class: Fredericka Brown '45; Susanne Jord '45; Elizabeth Merrick '45; Nancy Newhall, daughter of Ruth Winn Newhall '20, and Esther Peirce, daughter of Esther Wood Peirce '23.

According to custom the seniors marched in and were presented to the association by Miss Hersey, and Mrs. Loesch accepted them as new members in the name of the alumnae association. After they had sung their salutes and led the singing of "O Abbot Beautiful," they left the hall.

Miss Hearsey was then presented and extended her welcome to the alumnae, expressing her appreciation of their support and loyal relationship, and reading the list of gifts to the school during the year.

On exhibition was a beautiful gift from the class of 1901 for the Rebekah Chickering room in the library. It is an exact facsimile of page one of the prologue from Chaucer's "Canterbury Tales," copied in exquisite hand painting from the Ellesmere Chaucer in the Huntington library in California.

Mrs. Helen Allen Henry, alumna trustee spoke most enthusiastically of the pleasure she derives in serving on the board of trustees.

The reunion chairmen were then called upon for class reports as follows: 1879, Miss Julia Twitchell; 1889, Miss Flora Mason Lees; 1899, Miss Catherine Sandford; 1904, Mrs. Helen Abbott Allen; 1909, Miss Sally Knox; 1914, Miss Mildred Horne; 1919, Mrs. Cora Erickson Ayers; 1924, Mrs. Laura Schudder Williamson; 1929, Mrs. Lois Hardy Daloz; 1934, Mrs. Ada Carlson Prescott; 1939, Mrs. Lloyd Pierce Smith; 1944, Mrs. Charlotte Trow Young.

Mrs. Loesch expressed the appreciation of the association to Mrs. Winifred Tyler for her flower decorations, and to Mrs. Helen Knight Wilkinson for assistance in the dining room arrangements.

Following other announcements the meeting adjourned to the school dining room for the alumnae luncheon.

### AUTO STRIPPED

Stripped of its four wheels, four tires and a radio, an automobile owned by August Lima of Lowell was found in the woods off Pleasant street Monday by William Flint of Bailey rd. Sgt. Hickey and Officer Warren Maddox, who investigated, had the machine towed to a local garage. The machine was stolen from Franklin street, Lawrence, Sunday night. Lowell officials reported to local police.

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## Grade 9 To Hold Final Assembly

Parents and friends are invited to attend the ninth graders' final Junior High assembly, to be presented in the Memorial auditorium at 10 a.m., Friday, June 17. The class, under the direction of Miss Beatrice L. Stevens of the school faculty, has worked hard to put forth this program, entitled "New England." All speaking material for the assembly has been composed by the pupils themselves, with the musical selections being student directed.

Almost all of the poems and essays read were written by other ninth grade pupils.

### The program:

Entrance marches, Mary Alice Shea, Joyce Mowatt; address of welcome, Raeburn Hathaway; solo, Eileen Skeirik, acc. by Mary Elise Waddington; essay (Charm of New England—James Murray) Lyman Gale; essays (Beautiful Things of New England) Ruth Belka; Waterfall Wonder (Marion Noss) Marion Noss; Above the Clouds (Judy Maddock) Ruth Denholm; The Flume (Richard Bramley) Richard Bramley; Cape Cod (Richard Bramley) Mary Fielding.

Piano solo (Grand Concert Fantasie—Chadwick) Louis Hajos; trumpet solo, Barbara Folley, acc. by Marion Washington; essay (Andover) Priscilla Tompkins; piano solo John Halbach; accordion selection Arthur Rehe; essay (New England Poets—Past and Present) Judy Maddock; girls' chorus, acc. by Judy Thompson.

Poems, Sunrise at the Beach (Janet Thompson) Christine Baduvalis; The Brook (Marilyn Meek) Clair Grassi, The Mountain Peak (Judy Maddock) Jean Farrell; A Fall Dream (Mary Elise Waddington) Elizabeth Hagopian; A New England Stream (Raeburn Hathaway) Rosemary Davidson; New England (Peter Miller) Claire Dumont; Cape Cod (Betty Born) Betty Born.

Piano solo Amy Robinson; saxophone solo Marilyn Joutet; poem (Lake Winnepesaukee Moods—Cynthia Hayward) Alan Parker; solo Richard Holmes, acc. by Judy Thompson; poem (New England—Richard Bramley) James Brown; poem (New England Lures—Lola Graig) Felice Pomerleau; poem (New England—James Murray) Brad MacCormack; violin solo Frances Dunlavy, acc. by Janet Thompson.

Poem (Gloucester's Glory—Richard Meadowcroft) John O'Connor; piano solo, Mary Elise Waddington; essay—(America—Barbara Walde and Ruth Weaver) James Murray, acc. by Judy Thompson and Girl's Chorus.

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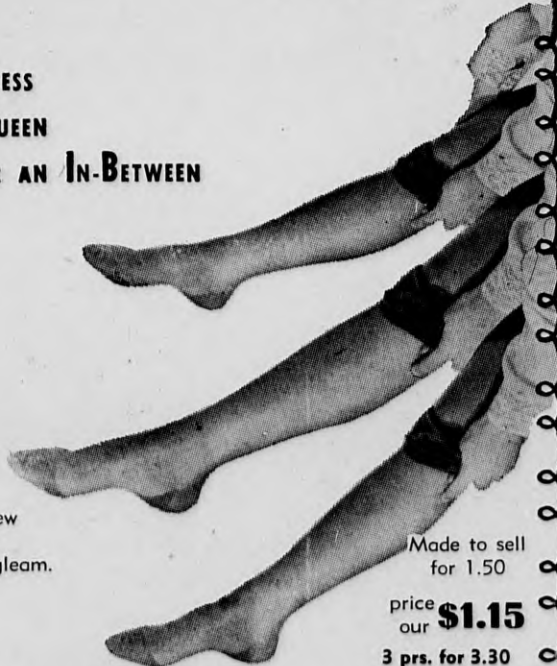
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## Births...

MacDonald—A son, June 12 at Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. David MacDonald (Ruth Anderson), 81 Chestnut st.

Lustenberger—A daughter, June 13 at Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lustenberger (Claire Erzin), 14 Harding st.

### BRIDGE TO BE CLOSED

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## JUNIOR HIGH

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### FIELD DAY

The annual Junior High school field day was held on the playground last week with a series of sports events in which the Greens finished first with 51 points, the Blues second with 48, Reds third with 47 and the Golds fourth with 30.

The results of the events were:

#### Boys Events

50 yard dash—1st. Sarkis Sarkisian; 2nd. Andrew Vannett; 3rd. Allan Wadman; 4th. Richard Bramley.

100 yard dash—1st. John Lawrie; 2nd. John Carver; 3rd. Raymond Yancy; 4th. Charles Simpson.

220 yard dash—1st. Raeburn Hathaway; 2nd. Russell Johnson; 3rd. Dan Worcester; 4th. Bob McCabe.

440 yard dash—1st. Gil Efinger; 2nd. Warren Tyler; 3rd. William Hood; 4th. Louis Hajosy.

880 yard dash—1st. Richard Holmes; 2nd. William Ronan; 3rd. James Brown; 4th. Arthur Rehe.

440 relay—1st. Greens, Andrew Vannett, Richard Bramley, Joe Morgan, John Lawrie; 2nd. Reds, Charles Simpson, Raymond Yancy, Roy Poland, Raeburn Hathaway; 3rd. Blues, John Halbach, John Carver, Carleton Brown, James McGrath; 4th. Golds, Alan Parker, Jimmy Gale, William Emmert, Asher Reynolds.

880 relay—1st. Greens, Richard Holmes, Russell Johnson, Paul Ostrowski, Charles Garabedian; 2nd. Blues, Gil Efinger, Calvin Hatch, Sam Desalvo, John Asolan; 3rd. Golds, William Ronan, George Gilman, Sarkis Sarkisian, John Garabedian; 4th. Reds, James Brown, Eddie Doyle, William Hood, David Lloyd.

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High Jump—1st. John Halbach; 2nd. John Rose; 3rd. Raeburn Hathaway; 4th. George Gilman.

#### Girls Events

50 yard dash—1st. Janet Svenson; 2nd. Joan Conybear; 3rd. Betty Born; 4th. Jean Pearson.

100 yard dash—1st. tie, Marion Washington, Silvia Carter; 3rd. Barbara Williams; 4th. Pat Sanborn.

440 relay—1st. Reds, Joan Conybear, Janet Svenson, Vilmar Marchese, Dorcas Johnston; 2nd. Golds, Marie Cote, Judy Colmer; 3rd. Greens, Lesley Jane Westfall, Ruth Belka, Anne Smith, Frances Dunlavy; 4th. Blues, Joyce Margaret Williams, Barbara Kenny, Ruth Weamer, Joan Lemay.

High Jump—1st. Dot Dunn; 2nd. Marion Washington; 3rd. Dorcas Johnston; 4th. Marie Cote.

Broad Jump—1st. Janet Svenson; 2nd. Maureen Darby; 3rd. Barbara Williams; 4th. Jean Pearson.

Baseball Throw—1st. Jean Pearson; 2nd. Joanne Durling; 3rd. Ruth Weamer; 4th. Judy Maddock.

#### Class Day

The ninth grade class picnic, held last Thursday at Cranes' beach, was a great success. Everyone found opportunity to enjoy himself, whether swimming in the warm (?) ocean, or playing softball, football, or handball. All helped with the preparing (as well as the eating) of frankfurters, tonic, potato chips, and ice cream. The students were grateful for the bus transportation provided by Chester Abbot and Rudy Johnson. A good many picnickers returned well decorated with sunburns.

The evening's entertainment was equally good, with Bob Phinney providing the music for the informal dance. Miss Mabel E. Marshall of the faculty gave several amusing readings, which delighted the audience.

#### Flower Arrangement

The seventh grade girls staged a very colorful flower arrangement show. Anne Smith won first prize for her attractive arrangement of white "flags." Joyce Ann Williams' display of pink "ramblers" in a crystal bowl received second prize, with Marlene Hurst's exhibit of wild flowers taking third prize. Judy Colmer won honorable mention for her purple iris arrangement.

Notes

## Wedding...

### COLE—WILSON

In the Phillips church at Exeter N. H., Tuesday afternoon Miss Susan Appleton Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips E. Wilson, of Exeter, N. H., became the bride of Donald Barnard Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole of 16 High st. The 3:30 o'clock ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elbridge F. Stoneham and a reception followed at Dunbar hall.

Miss Marion Howe Wilson of Exeter was her sister's maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Mrs. William B. Kinter of Chittenden, Vt., and Miss Constance Cole of Andover, sister of the bridegroom.

Robert Hinman of Melrose was the best man and the ushers included Howard Pennington of Bellrose, N. Y., Warren Lewis of Andover, cousin of the bridegroom, Theodore A. Seabrooke, Jr., and Richmond Mayo-Smith Jr., both of Exeter.

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### Engagements

#### Vens—Mahoney

Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Mahoney, 36 Central st., announce the engagement of their daughter, Diane, to Julien Vens, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Julien Vens, 26 Oregon ave., Lawrence.

Miss Mahoney, who is employed at the Capital Distributing Co., graduated from Pynchard High school and the McIntosh school, Lawrence. Her fiancé is employed at the Zuber-Choate Co., Lawrence, and is a graduate of Lawrence High school and is a member of Lawrence Council 67, K. of C.

#### Swenson—Greenwood

The engagement of Isabelle Rae Greenwood to Walter G. Swenson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Swenson, Summer st., is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, of River rd.

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Frank H. Foss, 48 York st., and Vera J. Chaffee, 9 Bowdoin st., Worcester.

Philip F. Wormwood, River st., and Helen G. Lacey, 22 Lila ave., Medford.

William N. Perry, 47 Cuba st., and Virginia M. Hodgson, Holt rd. Richard L. Beaulieu, 97 Chester st., Lawrence, and Joan C. Pomeroy, 29 Main st.

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## EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

### SCHOOL WINDOWS FOR TARGETS

Agencies working to curb various forms of juvenile delinquency encounter many odd quirks of the juvenile mind yet seem to find one common trait among them, and that is the seemingly inherent desire in boys to break windows.

The latest outburst of this form of destruction is the breaking of 10 windows in the John Dove school. Only a week or two before it was the Shawsheen school that was similarly damaged. To date it has cost the town \$150 to replace school windows that have been broken, a practice which Police Chief George A. Dane says has got to be stopped.

It may be that in this form of delinquency youngsters are just showing their feelings toward the institutions that keep them indoors during fine spring days, or it may merely mark the opening of the sling-shot season.

However, it is a costly sport for the taxpayers and, as police investigations bear fruit, it will be much more costly for the parents whose youngsters are found to be responsible for these destructive acts.

### PENALTY ON THRIFT

Thrift has always been regarded as a sound American practice. It has always been encouraged and rewarded.

The policy of "put something aside for the rainy day," has long been practiced by the individual citizens who have contributed to make this country great.

The person who saved something out of his earnings, invested in banks where it might accumulate with interest toward the end of later entrance into business, home ownership and security in declining years, has always been regarded as the sound citizen. Such persons rarely become public charges or burdens on society. Savings accounts in banks develop personal as well as civic pride.

There should be no penalty placed upon thrift. But a penalty on thrift now threatens in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The state legislature is now considering a proposal for a drastic increase of the present tax on mutual savings banks of the state. There are 3,000,000 depositors in the 190 savings banks in the state, each of whom will be penalized for their thrift if the proposed legislation is passed by the legislature. Every person, young or old, with an account in any of those banks will share in this extra burden of taxation.

There is a psychology that makes people reason that they should not worry about such a proposal as it is a tax the banks will have to pay. In too many instances they overlook the fact that they are the banks and the banks are them. If this tax bill is passed it will be paid for out of the interest that should, and rightfully does, belong to the thrifty depositors.

Legislators are chosen by the people to best serve their interests. It is difficult to reason that passage of such tax legislation would be serving the people best. Savings bank interest on deposits is just about as low now as it can be to attract more and larger deposits and thus encourage continued and profitable thrift. Such an additional tax does not seem wise or sound. It savors of tapping the barrel to the last drop.

Thrifty people, those who have bank deposits, might do well to study this proposed legislation and learn more about it while there is still time. Those who are opposed to it should so notify the representatives from their communities. Otherwise, tardy interest, could be likened to locking the barn door after the horse has gone.

### LONG SHOT BETS

Most people have a touch of the gambler in their make-up. But only a few go to extremes in wagering on the horses, the dice, the wheel, and other unbeatable games.

However, many millions do the most dangerous gambling in the world without knowing it. They risk their lives, their savings, their jobs, by taking unnecessary chances.

Gambling with fire is a perfect example. Do you pile up junk you don't know what to do with in closets and attics? Do you put off until tomorrow the repair of that frayed electric cord? When you lack a new fuse, do you put a penny behind a burned out one to restore the circuit? Do you luxuriate in bed with a cigarette going? Do you keep on using a heating system that doesn't seem quite as efficient as it ought to be, without calling in an expert to look it over? Do you store paint and solvents and other such flammables in any old open container that comes to hand? When you have a chance to learn about fire safety — as during Fire Prevention Week — do you open your mind to it or do you figure it's a dull business and no concern of yours?

A list such as this could be extended for many pages. These are just a few of the "long shot" bets that can result in a fire — and do exactly that on thousands upon thousands of occasions in this country each year. The result is more than 10,000 horrible deaths and a property loss averaging well over \$700,000,000.

Are these gambles worth it?



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## Views of The News

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Alliance. Now the Big Four council is assembled again.

The main issue on the agenda was and still is Germany. But the Big Four are not discussing Germany from an objective viewpoint. Both the West and Russia want the support of the Germans, and the conference was bound sooner or later to become a tug-of-war between the two. And to complicate matters even further, the Western officials must decide which of the "problems" must take precedence, the problem of Russia or the problems of Germany.

### Problems Of Germany And Russia

We are obviously engaged in a struggle to prevent an alliance of Russian man-power and German skills, to try to prevent Soviet infiltration westwards with its possible threat of armed aggression. Thus the Russian "problem" is evident. But a constant consideration is that Germany started the last war and must still be regarded as a possible threat to future peace. There are those who claim that Germany will be loyal to nothing but its own ambitions, that the Germans will seek every opportunity to play off West against East. The supporters of this view are concerned with the probability that the more we build up Germany the more we increase the possibility of future aggression from Germany and Russia. The French quite naturally are particularly conscious of this fear, as are the Germans fully aware of their own strategic position.

And the dilemma facing the delegates from the United States, Great Britain and France still is to remain united in their efforts to keep both issues in sight. They have not only to hold Russia off but to convince the Germans that a divided Germany as it at present exists is better than a united Germany run by a Central government created by Soviet influence.

### Political Stalemate On Germany

The first week of the Paris conference resulted in little more than shadow boxing. Four agenda points were agreed upon the first day: (1) the matter of German unity, (2) a united Berlin, (3) a German peace treaty, (4) a possible Austrian treaty. For the first five days the ministers sparred, but then invited Russia to go along with the political formula already established in Western Germany, extending to the Russian or Eastern zone the privilege of joining with the republican government with its safeguards for free elections. Vishinsky's reply was anticipated, for it was obvious that Russia could not afford free elections with the almost certain result of a less than 20 percent vote for communist candidates. He made the counter-offer of returning to the old Allied Control Council set-up and its veto rights. Or as Mr. Acheson put it, suggesting to a recuperating paralytic that he revert to complete paralysis. The Russians will have nothing to do with the Bonn Constitution of Western Germany, and the Western powers will have none of the so-called Peoples' Congress created by the Russians in their zone.

### And Economic

Even on the question of economic unity the conference got nowhere, for the proposed conditions are parallel to the political. Russia proposed an Allied Council to run Germany economically, but with "unanimity" — the right to veto. Such a suggestion was doomed to complete failure since the Western powers certainly won't agree that the revived economy of Western Germany come under Russian veto. That clearly finished with point one on the agenda.

Berlin Stymied By 'Unanimity'

But discussions on the second topic soon reached an impasse on

## MEET—



MRS. PRESTON HINDS BLAKE

If anyone sees a pleasant woman surrounded by small boys, very likely it is Mrs. Preston H. Blake, wife of food broker Preston Hinds Blake, busy as a den mother of the Cub scouts. Not only is she talented in handling groups of young boys but she is also interested in dramatics and is an able publicity director for theatricals.

Born in Haverhill and educated in Bradford and Haverhill schools, Mrs. Blake lived in Bradford before coming to Andover 11 years ago. A member of the South church, she is active in several clubs; the Shawsheen Village Women's club, Alpha Phi Chi sorority, was recording secretary for the November club (1948-1949), and was publicity chairman for the two Broadway plays given recently at the auditorium.

The Preston Blakes and their 11 year old son Dale Winsor, live at 7 Stratford rd. Mrs. Blake spends much of her time in the garden with her shrubs, perennials and annuals which she designed into borders. Since her mother, Mrs. Loud, owns the Stratford shop, she shares her talents and relish for interior decorating and this makes her colonial-type house very charming.

The familiar and monotonous issue of unanimity. Vishinsky suggested a new government for Berlin, but with its almost every action subject to approval of the Allied council under the veto rule. The conference almost broke up then and there. But it managed to survive to listen to Vishinsky's suggestion on point three, the German peace treaty. The offer was that the Big Four submit treaty drafts within three months and withdraw all troops jointly a year after a treaty was concluded. Mr. Acheson's comment was pointedly appropriate, "What sort of Germany are we going to have to make a peace with? . . . We are here to tackle basic problems, not to engage in a diplomatic minuet." Is The Real Issue East-West Trade?

The chances are that the conferences will end soon without effective results. But there is one matter vital to the Russians, an issue that could cause her to reconsider all the issues. It is the matter of East-West trade, and is probably the real reason for Russia's suggesting the conference in the first place. Russia's satellites have been tied to Russia in a series of trade pacts that have really done little good, since they all produce raw materials and foodstuffs but not the vital manufactured goods and machines. East-West trade has drooped to about one third of its pre-war level, and Moscow is worried about the situation. Several Western nations, too, foresee that by 1952 they will have no Marshall Plan dollars. They too are interested in Eastern Europe. The United States is well aware that depression in Europe would seriously affect the international scene, and us with it. We are certainly prepared to continue negotiations while there is any chance of agreement, slight though the results may yet be.

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## Down the Years with The Townsman

### 50 Years Ago—June 1899

Business so brisk that the Andover National bank decided to remain open Saturday afternoons.

John H. Flint and family at their summer home in Newcastle, N. H., for the season.

Mrs. Hodges has sold her business, the American Hand laundry, to Abel F. Grimes who will conduct a steam laundry.

Peter D. Smith of Andover was one of the speakers at the G.A.R. campfire in Boston.

Among the weddings were the following: William Choate Harraden and Mary Louise Cogswell; the Rev. Frank R. Shipman, pastor of the Old South church, and Mary Appleton Ripley; Fred Berry Goff and Laura Fulton Farnum, the latter at the home of the bride performed by the Rev. Frederick A. Wilson of the Free church.

The grocery stores in town will close every evening in the week except Saturday.

Phillips academy baseball team defeats Exeter 11 to 8 with "Ike" Saunders on the mound.

The salary of Postmaster Bliss has been increased from \$2300 to \$2400 by Uncle Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bell of Frye Village on a carriage drive to Bethlehem, N. H.

### 25 Years Ago—June 1924

New recitation hall at Phillips academy dedicated with presentation speech being made by Samuel L. Fuller of New York, member of the 1924 class. Academy graduates 142 students, among them being six from Andover.

"The Romantic Age" a three act play presented in the Town Hall by the senior class of Pynchard High school.

Dr. A. E. Stearns delivers the commencement oration at the Rogers Hall school in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Berry celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary with informal reception.

The Rev. Charles W. Henry, who completed 10 years' service as rector of Christ church, tendered reception by members of the parish. Nine members of the Raspberry club spending the week at their camp on Great Island, Casco bay, Me.

Edward P. Renouf of Elm st., awarded the Price-Greenleaf scholarship of \$250 by the dean of Harvard university.

### 10 Years Ago—June 1939

Eleven Andover boys listed as prize winners at Phillips academy, it was announced at the commencement exercises, the scholarship winners being Lincoln D. Clark, Donald R. Cole, George C. Nicoll, John R. White and Edmond E. Hammond, Jr.

Miss Frances Hoskins of Longmeadow appointed to the domestic science staff of Pynchard to take the place of Miss Madeline Kimball, resigned.

Pynchard high graduates 118 pupils, the largest class on record, the diplomas being presented by the Rev. Frederick B. Noss of the board of trustees.

One of Andover's oldest and most respected residents, Mrs. Charles C. Carpenter dies at the age of 99. She was the oldest person in town.

Dr. Charles S. Curtis, head of the Grenfell mission in Labrador, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shattuck of River rd.

Miss Edith Valpey of Piedmont college, Demorest, Ga., in town for the summer.

The Margaret Slattery class of the Free church enjoys picnic at Little Neck, Ipswich, with games and a hamburger and weenie roast.

## REPORT from the State House

By PHILIP K. ALLEN

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The main function of the sergeant-at-arms is to keep order in the house and senate chambers. In order to accomplish this, he appoints two assistant sergeants-at-arms who act as doorkeepers of the house and senate. He also appoints 35 court officers who were originally called messengers, and 15 pages who work only during the session. The court officers and assistant sergeants-at-arms are employed full time.

In addition to this, he is responsible for the legislative document room where current bills, journals, etc., can be obtained by any citizen upon request. He also keeps supplies for members of the legislature.

In addition to these duties, he is the custodian of committee and recess travel funds. When a committee or commission receives an order from the senate or house to travel outside the confines of the state house on investigative trips, the sergeant-at-arms appoints a court officer to go with them to handle all the details of the trip, such as taxis, payment of hotel rooms, food, etc. This court officer under supervision of the sergeant-at-arms must account for every penny of the money advanced to him for that trip. When the complete transaction is reported to the comptroller, the sergeant-at-arms, of course, is held responsible and accountable.

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In his office are two journals in which appear the names of the legislative counsels and the legislative agents who are retained as lobbyists by associations and business concerns. By law, these lobbyists are required to register and are liable to a stiff penalty if they are found to be misrepresenting themselves before legislative committees. Any individual, of course, who is not being retained at a fee can lobby at his own discretion without registering.

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## AT THE LIBRARY

Among the books recently added to the Memorial Hall Library, several titles stand out from the others in the field of business, large or small, and for the man whose daily tasks require work with both head and hands. All listed here are available at the library:

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## Obituary...

MRS. ERNEST T. HETHERINGTON

A former resident of Andover and teacher at the former Briggs-Allen school, Mrs. Malda Louise (Darling) Hetherington, 64, died Sunday, June 12, at her home, 36 Central st., Northfield, Vt., following a short illness. She was the wife of Ernest Hetherington, who conducted a grocery store in Andover for many years.

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Sunday: 10:45 a.m., Morning worship. Pastor's sermon: "The Ties That Bind." The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Andover and surrounding communities will attend the service and will observe their annual Memorial service.

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, Rector

Sunday: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Litany, Ante-Communion and sermon.

Thursday: Friday, June 24, St. John the Baptist's day, 10 a.m., Holy Communion.

### FREE CHURCH

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS, JR., Pastor

Friday: 7 p.m., Boy scouts. Refreshments will be served. This will be the last meeting of the troop until fall.

Sunday: 11 a.m., Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor; 12 m. Meeting of the standing Committee; 1:30 p.m., The young People's Christian association will meet at the church to go to Crane's beach for a picnic.

Monday: 2 p.m., Rehearsal of the girl scouts.

Tuesday: 7 p.m., Mother and Daughter program of the girl scouts. Friends and parents of the girls are invited to attend.

Thursday: 6:30 p.m., Senior choir supper, served by the Woman's union.

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REV. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, Minister

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REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

Friday: 3 p.m., Cradle roll party.

Sunday: 10:45 a.m., Morning worship and sermon.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., The Prudential committee.

Thursday: 10 a.m., All-Day Sewing meeting of the Women's union.

### UNION CONG. CHURCH

REV. PHILIP M. KELSEY, Minister

Sunday: 10 a.m., Morning worship, special recognition of Father's day sermon: "The Prodigal Father."

Notes: Summer services will be at 10 a.m.

### WEST PARISH

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister

Saturday: All-Day church family picnic at Bella Vista beach, Cobett's pond. Bus leaves West Andover at 9:30 a.m., and leaves the church at 10 a.m.

Sunday: 11 a.m., Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor; 4 p.m., Executive committee meeting of the Andover Council of Churches at the home of the president, Alexander Gibson.

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m., The officers of the church school will meet at the home of the president, Earl Young, 119 Lowell st.

### POLICE NOTES

Police are investigating a break in Scanlon's Inn on N. Main st., near the Lawrence line, made sometime Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning. Entrance was gained by breaking a rear window. Several empty beer bottles were scattered about the place. It was reported that \$3 and some change were taken from a juke box.

Since the first of June, 27 cards have been sent to the registry of motor vehicles for violations of traffic laws. The drivers involved will have their licenses suspended for a period of seven days to indefinite.

Two juveniles were caught Wednesday night jumping from the top of the wall at the library onto the top of automobiles parked at the Andover Playhouse, causing damage to one machine belonging to Daniel McDuffy of Lawrence. Police ended the performance and notified the boys' parents.

### RECREATION CENTERS

Equipment at the town playgrounds and Pump's pond bathing beach is being installed and other improvements being made at these recreation centers in preparation for the opening Monday, June 27.

### Legal Notices

#### TOWN OF ANDOVER

#### PUBLIC HEARINGS

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 28, 1949, to act upon the petition of Scott H. and Frederick S. Black for permission to enlarge the service station at 13 Union st.

A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 28, 1949, to act upon the petition of Harry F. Schofield to change the house at 48 Elm st., into a multiple apartment house.

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## Court St. Monica Installs Officers

Court St. Monica, 783 C. D. of A. held an installation of officers after enjoying a delicious Smorgasbord supper in St. Augustine's school hall, Monday, June 13 at 6:30 p.m. Mrs. James Hanson, worthy district deputy conducted the installation, assisted by visiting monitor, Mrs. John Doherty. Miss Ann Moran, state secretary represented the state court.

The new officers installed were: Mrs. Stewart Anderson, grand regent; Mrs. John Connors, vice-regent; Miss Mary McKeon, financial secretary; Miss Katherine McNally, treasurer; Mrs. Daniel Murphy monitor; Mrs. Arthur James, historian; Mrs. Phillip Higgins, lecturer; Mrs. Stewart Easton, prophetess; and Miss Monica Coleman, sentinel. The new trustees are: Mrs. Joseph Barton, Mrs. Gilbert Stone, Mrs. Charles Fowler and Mrs. Roland Valentine.

Chairman of the evening, Mrs. James Coleman, introduced Mrs. Robert Courtemache, financial secretary of the Methuen group, who sang a solo, then Mrs. Robert

Pierce, vice regent of Lawrence gave a recitation. Mrs. Harold Wrennik played a piano solo and the entertainment closed with Miss Jean Murray, who sang popular selections, accompanied by her sister Ann at the piano.

The past grand regents of the court who were present were: Mrs. Stephen Boland, Mrs. Peter Cunningham, Mrs. Gertrude Bailey, Mrs. Nell Cussen, Mrs. Michael Burke, Mrs. William Coupe, Mrs. James Coleman, Miss Ann Greeley and Mrs. Joseph Barton.

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## Town Topics

Two meetings on refinishing of furniture will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Richard Abbott in cooperation with the Essex county home demonstration agents June 17 and 24. The meetings will open at 10:30 a.m., and last until mid-afternoon. Those attending will bring box lunches. Miss Erma Bamsberger, specialist in home furnishing will be the leader. She will be assisted by Miss Katherine M. Lawler, and Mrs. Pearl Brown of the demonstration staff.

The closing meeting of the season was held by the Alpha Chi Chi of the South church last week with a picnic at the summer home of Mrs. Osborne Sutton at Island pond.

Roland A. Marcoux, quartermaster, first class, U.S.N., son of Edmund Marcoux, 30 Juliette st., has been on a ten-day visit to Naples as a crew member of the USS Marquette. The liberty schedule included tours to Rome, Pompeii and the Isle of Capri.

John Campbell of Brechin terrace and Warren Maddox of River rd., are doing reserve police duty during the summer months while regular members of the department are on vacation.

The summer schedule of meetings of Andover lodge, 230, I.O.O.F., will be at 7:45 p.m., the second and fourth Wednesdays of July, August and September.

The baseball team of Andover post, 2128, V.F.W., will meet the North Andover A.A. on Grogan's field, North Andover tonight in a city league contest. The game starts at 6:15 p.m.

Among the new students to enter Michigan State college in the fall is Philip F. Markey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Markey, 48 Chestnut st. About 3000 new students are expected.

Scott I. Paradise of Hidden field is among the 200 students from 40 colleges and universities attending the 12th annual summer conference of the student Christian movement in New England at East Sebago, Me., this week.

Staff sergeant Clarence P. May, Jr., of Main st., has flown with the 28th Air Depot reserves via C-46 aircraft from Bedford to Mascon, Ga. for two weeks' active duty training with the unit.

### ENJOY OUTING

The Margaret Slattery class enjoyed their annual outing as an outdoor picnic, Monday evening with 17 members present.

Steak, hot dogs, and hamburg were enjoyed by the group followed by an entertainment of song and dance numbers by Mrs. Annie MacDonald, Miss Margaret Laurie and other members of the group.

Mammoth cave, in Kentucky, has about 150 miles of subterranean passageways.

## PERSONALS...

Miss Margaret Laurie, 59 Whittier st., enjoyed last weekend at Lake Auburn, Me.

Mrs. William G. West of East Orange, N. J., spent a recent two weeks' vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gouck, 10 Burnham rd.

Mrs. Charles L. Smith and her daughter Martha of Danielson, Conn., are spending the week with the former's mother, Mrs. Irene W. Cole of Elm st.

Miss Mary Lord has completed her first year at State Teachers' college in North Adams, and is enjoying her vacation at her parents' home on Summer st.

Miss Madeline Hewes of Porter rd., has returned from a visit with the Rev. and Mrs. Leslie J. Adkins in New York city.

Joseph H. Smith of Coxackie, N.Y., spent the past weekend with

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Smith of Main st. Mr. Smith attended the 25th reunion of his class at Phillips academy.

Mrs. Oswald Tower of Hidden Field attended her class reunion at Wellesley college last weekend. She is a member of the class of 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. West-haver have moved from 46 Chestnut st., to their new home in Cheever circle.

Miss Elizabeth Cole of Andover Bookstore has moved into her new apartment at 98½ Main st.

Miss Clara J. Baldwin, 22 Summer st., is convalescing at the Mt. Auburn hospital in Cambridge.

Patrick Canton of New York city has returned following a weekend spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sullivan, 61 Red Spring rd.

Mrs. Leslie Christison, 100 Burnham rd., is convalescing at her home following a recent stay at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mrs. Elsie Chase and her infant son has returned from the hospital, to 6 Stirling st., where she is making her home at present with her brother, George P. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Green of Tewksbury st., recently visited Mrs. George Thompson, formerly of the Vale and now residing in Randolph, Vt.

### Priscilla Abbot Chapter Holds Annual Election

Priscilla Abbot chapter, N.S.D.A.R., held its first annual meeting and election of officers Tuesday evening at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Roland Weeks, Carmel rd., with an attendance of 13 members. Mrs. McQuesten, vice-president general of the order was a guest at the meeting.

A weenie and hamburger roast was held among the trees early in the evening, under the direction of Mrs. George Glennie. This was followed by the business meeting. As it was Flag day, appropriate selections were read by the Chaplain, Mrs. Harold Hathaway after the salute to the flag opened the meeting.

The annual reports were given, starting with general remarks by the regent, Mrs. Guy B. Howe, followed by the secretary's report by Mrs. Roland Weeks; treasurer's report by Mrs. Howard B. Johnson; registrar's report, written by Mrs. Wilson Knipe, Jr., and read by the secretary; historian's report, Mrs. Walter E. Mondale; Chaplain's report, Mrs. Harold P. Hathaway; librarian's report written by Mrs. Henry J. Stevenson, read by the secretary.

The various committees also reported through their chairmen as follows: Program, Mrs. Bertrand G. Peck; good citizenship, Mrs. Howe; approved schools, Mrs. Peck, for the chairman Mrs. Myron Clark; Ellis Island, Mrs. E. C. Edmonds; press relations, Mrs. Arthur A. Reeves, finance Mrs. John M. Murray; hospitality, Mrs. George W. Glennie.

In the annual election the following were returned to office: Mrs. Howe, regent, Mrs. Peck, vice-regent; Mrs. Weeks, secretary; Mrs. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. Hathaway, Chaplain; Mrs. Knipe, registrar; Mrs. Mondale, historian. The new officers who were elected and appointed were Mrs. Will G. Brown, Jr., librarian and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds, head of press relations. The heads of the other committees remain the same.

The reports showed that the original organizing list of 14 members had been increased to 23 before the charter closed. Four more applicants are expected to enter shortly. For a small organization, the financial status was shown to be very satisfactory.

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## Coming Events

- June
- 16 Elementary schools close.
  - 17 Final assembly for Junior High school.
  - 18 West Parish Sunday school picnic at Cobbetts' pond.
  - 18 Bakery sale by All-Womens' post, American Legion, at Lawrence G & E store, Main st.
  - 19 St. Augustine's school graduation at St. Augustine's church, 9:45 a. m.
  - 23 High schools close.
  - 23 Mothers' club outing at Salem Willows.
  - 27 Playgrounds and P. O. M. P.'s
  - 27 Summer sessions open at Merrimack college.
  - 28 Summer sessions open at Phillips academy.

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## Building Code Committee Meets

The committee to study and revise the building laws met Wednesday night and organized with Atty. Roland H. Sherman, chairman and John Radford Abbot secretary. Other members of the committee are Fred Doyle, Edward P. Hall and Roy E. Hardy.

This committee was named by the moderator after vote at the last town meeting to accept an article for revision of the building code to include many of the modern products and techniques which have been developed since the code was put into effect many years ago.

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Mr. Eastman was one of the charter members of the Lawrence Housing Authority at the time when the Essex Street Housing project was built in Lawrence. He is a member of the Boston Real Estate Board and Junior vice-president of the Greater Lawrence Board of Realtors, he served as chairman of the Lawrence Licensing board for six years.

His son has joined him in business and the Eastmans have helped many Andover residents with their problems. Weston D. Eastman is a Marine veteran of three and one-half years in the Pacific and a holder of the Purple Heart.

### Roger Dea Receives Boy Scout Award

Roger Dea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Dea, 28 Summer st., was the winner of the God and country award which is given by the national Protestant committee on scouting for fulfilling an extended list of requirements which includes proficiency and personal devotions in life, church history and knowledge of the Bible and regular service to church. The Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., made the presentation Sunday, at the Free church.

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### Bus Service Restored After 10-Day Strike

Bus service was restored to Andover last Saturday afternoon after the longest strike in the history of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company.

The 10-day strike started the morning of June 2 and involved maintenance men and operators. It was not sanctioned by the AFL Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach employees, the president of which informed the local union men that it violated their agreement.

Chief issues involved were a wage cut of 10 cents an hour asked by the company and a wage increase of 15 cents an hour sought by the union. After the strike the union received a third week's vacation with pay for men with 15 years' service, four holidays with pay, time and a half for those forced to work holidays and an increase of \$9.90 in pay for the two-week vacations. No wage cut or increase was made.

### Baptist Church Pastor Ends Duties September 1st

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heating system was installed and paid for, a new church constitution was adopted, associate membership was instituted, a youth choir was organized, missionary giving was doubled, and more recently the church vestry was renovated. Also two popular youth groups for Junior high age young people were organized, the Pioneer Girl's organization and the Royal Ambassador boys' group. Also a Men's club was organized.

The Rev. Mr. Bailey was born in Springfield, Oregon, and was educated at Colgate university, Colgate-Rochester Divinity school and Harvard university, and graduated from Colgate university and Colgate-Rochester Divinity school. When he completed his resident work for the doctorate in the philosophy of religion, he came to the pastorate of the Baptist church, and has lived in Andover for three years.

He is a member of St. Matthew's Masonic lodge and for the past two years has been an instructor in the 19th lodge of instruction in Lawrence. For over a year now, he has broadcast religious programs over WLAW, on Saturdays and Sundays, and has been for the past two years secretary of the ordination council of the Merrimack River Baptist association. He has also been active in the Andover Council of Churches.

The Rev. Mr. Bailey lives with his wife, the former Lois Eleanor Dingman of Rochester, N. Y., and daughter, Wendy, 2½ years, at 50 Salem st.

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### Do You Know Massachusetts?

DO YOU KNOW THAT... Five of Massachusetts' principal manufacturing industries are now more than half again as large as in the prewar period 1935-1939, as shown by the department of labor and industries' indexes... Using 100 as the number of wage earners employed before the war, the April 1949 indexes give employment in electrical machinery and apparatus as 240, textile machinery 181, radio apparatus 168, machine tools 155 and women's clothing 154... Federal Reserve bank's tourist index for Massachusetts shows an increase of about 3.5% in reservation for tourist lodging houses this summer, but a slight decrease for summer hotels, compared with last year... Public housing in Massachusetts from 1937 to date comprises 16,203 units sponsored by the federal government, of which 5,790 were temporary war or veteran's housing; also 1,790 units sponsored by the state under Chapter 372 and 11,115 approved under Chapter 200, the total so far, both federal and state, numbering 29,108 units, as reported by the state housing board... Dutch elm disease has been found in 3,376 trees in 131 Massachusetts cities and towns. The only counties so far not invaded are Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket... U. S. department of labor estimates that Massachusetts affords 49% of the manufacturing employment and 55% of the total non-agricultural employment in New England... A committee has been appointed in Nantucket to prepare a zoning bylaw for the protection of the town.

(Compiled by State Planning Board)

### Report From the Statehouse

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legislature. The charge is nominal, being \$3 for the bulletins, and \$10 for the documents. It is interesting to note that some five or six hundred bulletins are sent out by this office a week.

Formerly, the sergeant-at-arms was responsible for the maintenance of the state house building, but, since 1931, this has been generally placed under the supervision of the superintendent of buildings.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 217,728

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph N. Ashton late of Andover in said County deceased. The executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court for allowance their first and final account.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
(9-16-23)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 222,833

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Carrie B. Carrier late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance his first account.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
(2-9-16)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 227,520

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of Willard Henry Davis 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 Irene Jackson Davis 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 twentieth day of June 1949, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
(2-9-16)

## ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK

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

Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 8406.

CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier.  
(9-16-23)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 184,916

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Kate Adams Swift late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Elizabeth Florence Swift and others, and to Elizabeth F. Swift, a former trustee.

The third and fourth accounts of said trust have been presented to said Court for allowance.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
(9-16-23)

Petitions Being Circulated  
Opposing Automatic Gates

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in Newburyport, which is right beside the railroad station. This was done over the protests of the city government. The crossing is one of the busiest in the city with hundreds of pedestrians and motorists crossing it daily.

Most of the 'Vale residents who are circulating the petitions are parents who have children going to school there.

They report that only a few weeks ago one child crossing the tracks got his foot caught in the rail and the crossing-tender helped to get him out.

'Vale residents also claim that in the past many serious accidents have been averted at this particular crossing due to the vigilance of the gateman. It is the fear of most parents that without the verbal warning from the gateman that youngsters will not heed the automatic warnings as there is a curve in the tracks only a short distance on both sides of the crossing and the visibility is limited.

## LEGION MEETING

A regular meeting of Andover post, 8, American Legion will be held tonight in the post rooms. Commander-elect Richard Wrigley will preside.



Officers of the Punchard High School Alumni association in attendance at the annual meeting and class reunions held in the Memorial auditorium last week. From left to right: Donald Becotte, president; Morris Krinsky, vice-president; Bessie Dantos, statistical secretary; Joanne O'Brien, recording secretary, and Mabel Broughton, treasurer. (Look Photo)

Punchard Alumni  
Elects Officers

Donald Becotte was elected president of the Punchard Alumni association at the annual banquet and business meeting held last week.

Other officers elected were Morris Krinsky, vice president; Miss Mabel Broughton, treasurer; Joanne O'Brien, recording secretary; Miss Bessie Dantos, statistical secretary; and executive board members, Harold Bendroth, Miss Carolyn Bowen, James D. Doherty, Mrs. Ruth MacDonald, John McGrath, Miss Dorothy Keith and David MacDonald.

About 130 members were present to enjoy the baked ham dinner served in the school cafeteria.

During the festivities remarks were made by Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools, and Eugene V. Lovely, principal of Punchard High school.

Announcement was made that the Nathan C. Hamblin scholarship, formerly the Punchard Alumni scholarship, has been awarded to Douglas Hart, member of the high school graduate class, who has been recently notified of his acceptance at Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn.

Following the business meeting and reading of annual reports, dancing was enjoyed in the Memorial gymnasium.

Children Baptized  
At Free Church

The following children received Baptism at the Free church on Children's Sunday: Walter Scott Downs, and Marianne Downs, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Downs, Jr.; Craig Arthur Hurst, parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hurst; Robert Craig Hoehn, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Hoehn; Gerrard Gordon Petrie, parents, Mr. and Mrs. David R. Petrie; George Angus Rennie, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rennie; Lynda Jean MacLeish, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell MacLeish; Richard Russell Bushway, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Bushway; Barbara Jean Sorrie, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Alexander Sorrie; Barbara Jane Madison, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Madison; Nancy Ellen Fraser, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland K. Fraser; Richard Earle Piercy, parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Piercy; Scott Alan Gorrie, parents, Mr. and Mrs. James MacDonald Gorrie Jr.; Jeffrey Lee Hall, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Hall; James Russell Winfield Folley, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Folley; Bruce Samuel Moody, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood W. Moody; George Puddington Thomson Jr., parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Thomson; Dennis George Cargill, parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cargill; Allan William Thomson, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thomson.

## SELECTMEN'S MEETING

All members were present at the regular meeting of the board of selectmen Monday night. The board approved the town treasurer's monthly warrant and devoted the rest of the evening to their duties as assessors.

Women Voters  
Elect Officers

The Andover League of Women Voters announces the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Peter G. McKee; first vice president, Mrs. Herbert D. Klein; second vice president, Mrs. John B. Hawes; treasurer, Mrs. Byron Welner; secretary, Mrs. James H. Grew, members of the board, Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, Mrs. George L. Follansbee, Mrs. Byron T. Butler, Mrs. Dudley Flits, Mrs. Charles R. Bennett, Mrs. Hart D. Leavitt, Mrs. Robert Saltonstall, Jr., Mrs. Jack Barry, Mrs. Harold Howe, Mrs. David Darling, Mrs. John C. Brown and Mrs. A. Lochlan Reed.

PULITZER PRIZE BOOKS  
AT THE LIBRARY

The thirty-second year of the award of the Pulitzer prizes brings to the front an interesting group of writers. Most of the books which received this top honor are available at the library, or are on order and may be reserved. The following selections from wide fields of possible candidates received the awards of \$500 each, as arranged by the gift of \$2,500,000 to Columbia University made by Joseph Pulitzer, former publisher of the New York World and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch:

James Gould Cozzens was awarded the prize for the finest novel for his "Guard Of Honor," the story of a wartime air force general; Arthur Miller, the playwright, for his gripping play about the dissolution of a salesman, "Death Of A Salesman"; to Peter Viereck the recognition of fine work in the field of poetry, for his historical study "The Disruption of American Democracy" of the political circumstances that led up to the Civil War. The intimate biography "Roosevelt and Hopkins" by Robert E. Sherwood, won the award for being the most outstanding work in its class during the year.

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Walter J. Hamel et ux to Joseph R. Lariviere et ux, North st.

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James Nelson, Jr. et ux to Lloyd E. Cameron et ux, Red Spring rd., and Cuba st.

Alexander C. Ferguson to Earl L. Cutting et ux, Alderbrook rd.

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### Children's Day

The annual Children's day observance was held Sunday at the Union Congregational church with the following program: Organ prelude, Marjorie Emery, organist; processional hymn, Primary department; worship service; scripture, Psalm 91, Anthem by choir (junior); service of baptism and dedication when the following were baptised, Christine Helen Walent, Lissa Karen Vogt, Carol Ann Kelsey, Robert Edgar Mansur. Hymn, "Faithful Lord Jesus,"

Presentation of Bibles from parents to Janet Bouleau and Robert Colpitts; from Congregational church to Lawrence Arthur Mitchell, Gail Barbara Smeltzer, Linda Norma Mitchell and Judith Lee Webb; Offertory, Doxology; Beginners' department, songs

Graduation exercises and presentation of certificates: Cradle roll to beginners' department, William H. Batchelder, George Stewart Hoffman, Ronald Allen Keith, Beverly Mary Newcomb, John Phillip Smith, Donald Frank Spinney, Robert Henry Walent and Marilyn Carol Watts.

Beginners' to primary department, Patricia Butler, Robert Crawford, Ruth Hall, Eugene Marshall, Wayne Moore, Kenneth Newcomb, Carolann Shaw, Janet Sherry, James Smeltzer, Craig Warner, Margaret Williamson.

### Children's Service

Children's day service was held in the Methodist church Sunday morning with the following program: Organ prelude, call to worship, hymn, prayer, silent prayer, words of assurance, Lord's prayer, anthem, responsive reading, solo "By the Waters of Babylon," Ruth Whittier Crawford, scripture.

Songs by beginners' and primary departments, "It's Children's Day" and "What the Flowers Say"; recitations, "In My Best," Donna Hazelton; "Orders," Richard Meyers; "Glad to Come," Richard Brown; "It's Mine," Linda Merrett; "Speak Up Loud," Bobbie Green; "A Brave Speech," Marion Gollan; "Our Day," Eddie Davidson; "Show our Colors," Arthur Kibbee; "A Place," Robert Brown; "The Right Start," Elizabeth Payne; "Our Own Way," Bruce Meyers; Songs, "A Whisper Song" and "All Around the Wide World," beginners and primary departments; recitations "Something Good," Jackie Gollan; "Very Happy," Margaret Bouleau; "Join Us," Darlene Payne; "My Mother Reads," Billy Davison; "The Song of the Shepard Boy," Barbara Wakefield; "The Twenty-Third Psalm" by a group of children; "Why We Have Children's Day," Norma Kibbee; "The Children's Crusade," Joyce Lee Nason; songs, "The Children's Song" and "The Bird's Lullaby," primary and beginners department; hymn, benediction, the Rev. William Crawford; Doxology, postlude, Ruth Whittier Crawford. The organ numbers were prelude, Sonatina, Rogers; offertory, "Moon Dawn," Prime; "Grand March," postlude, Playton.

During the baptismal service, Cheryl Hazelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hazelton was baptised.

As the children marched by the superintendent, George A. Brown, he presented them with a plant. Primary department songs, "Tell Me the stories of Jesus" and "Useful in the Family."

Awarding of prizes, perfect attendance, James Butler, Robert Colpitts, Leigh Henderson, Daniel MacIntyre, Donald Milligan, Ann Perry, Warren Russell and Allan Smeltzer.

Recognition of teachers, Doris Shaw, superintendent, Pauline McFarlane, assistant superintendent, Helen Keith, superintendent of cradle roll 1948, Edna O'Hara, superintendent of cradle roll 1949; Rosalind Kelsey, Winifred Butler, Mary Elizabeth Green, Edna McIntyre, Ann McFarlane, David Linehan, Harriet Schofield, Fred Weicker, Helen Webb, Ainslee Schofield and Elsie Fairweather.

Recessional hymn, "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us"; Benediction, the Rev. Philip M. Kelsey.

### Personals

Little Harlan Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moore cut an artery in his foot when he fell from a bicycle on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks and family of River st., visited relatives in Beverly last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks visited Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Collins of Lanchester over the weekend.

Robert Mitchell, Jr., of Tewksbury st., is spending a few days at Hyannis.

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## Calls For Action On Hoover Report

The Massachusetts committee for action on federal reorganization of which former Gov. Joseph B. Ely is chairman, is calling attention of citizens to the recommendations of the Hoover commission in a series of shot news releases.

The committee states that in the report there is an abundance of "explosive" highlights which make interesting reading and which they propose to include in the series.

Under the heading, "What are You going to do about this," the first release says:

The Hoover commission found that in the last 20 years the cost of operating the government has leapt from \$4 billion annually to \$42 billion and they are trying to push it higher, while the number of employees in the executive branch has risen from 570,000 to 2,100,000. During the same 20 years the number of departments, agencies, administration, boards, bureaus, commissions, authorities, etc., has increased from 350 to 1812. The federal debt has mounted from \$17 billion to \$215 billion which means a mortgage of

## Capt. Donald J. Bond On Leave In Japan

Capt. Donald J. Bond of 28 Phillips st., supply officer with the Quartermaster section of Headquarters First Corps in Kyoto, Honshu, Japan recently enjoyed a nine-day leave at Miyashita, near Yokohama, Japan. Capt. Bond, who entered the army in March, 1942, is a graduate of Norwich university with the class of 1933. His mother, Mrs. John W. Bond resides at 28 Phillips st.

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