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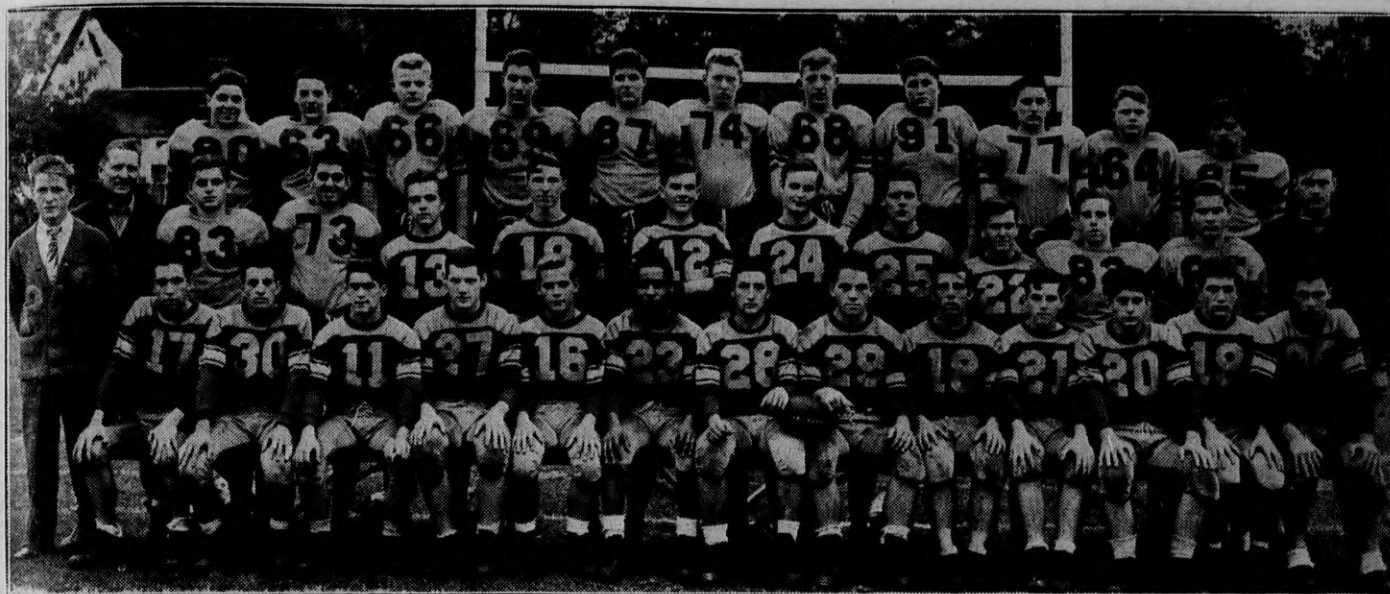
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PUNCHARD IS FAVORED IN HOLIDAY GAME



Punchard High school's football squad which made such a fine record this season and which is primed for the annual "Turkey day" contest with Johnson High. The players, from left to right:
First row: Joseph Rayball, David Brucatto, Francis Brennan, James Calder, Thomas Wilkinson, Clifford Lawrence, Nicolas Mauceri and Raymond Collins, co-captains, Charles Dwyer, Bancroft Frederickson, Justin Curry, Donald Valz, Clark Otis.
Second row: William Ronan, assistant manager, Donald Dunn, assistant coach, Marco Stefani, George Peters, Edward Lawson, Louis Fielder, Norman Hudgins, Robert Prescott, Alan Wilson, Robert Brennan, Roy Poland, Gil Effinger, Walter Roberts, head coach.
Back row: Louis Mirisola, James Dolan, Edwin Bramely, George McAfferty, Robert Stefani, Paul Ostrowski, James McGrath, Raymond Hudgins, James Murray, James Brown, Samuel DeSalvo.
Austin O'Hara, manager of the team, and Phillip Dole, an assistant manager were absent when the picture was taken.

Record Gives It Edge Over Johnson High

Big Crowd Expected
When Rival Elevens
Meet On Playstead

Punchard renews its annual "Turkey day" game with the traditional rival Johnson high on the gridiron Thanksgiving day at the local playstead with the kick off slated at 10:30 a. m. Punchard has compiled a good record this year with six wins and two losses, while Johnson has had a hapless season winning one and losing seven. Their only win was over a rugged Howe high of Billerica and the Johnson boys looked very impressive in winning it.

But it must be remembered that all records and impressive showings should be forgotten when two rival teams like these meet.

Punchard held an extra squad scrimmage Friday afternoon and some of the boys on the second team have showed a decided improvement since the beginning of the year and will probably see some action in the holiday game.

The probable line ups: Punchard—le, Brucatto; lt, Curry; lg, Brennan; c, Mauceri (co-c.) rg, Valz; rt, Frederickson; re, Ross; qb, Lawrence; lhb, Dwyer; rlb, Wilkinson or Wilson; fb, Collins (co-c.)

Johnson—le, Finn; lt, Schliepers; lg, Lewis; c, McGuire; rg, Shottes; rt, Balzius; re, Midgley; qb, Canty; lhb, Knightly; rlb, Driscoll; fb, Hagen (c.)

School records for the season:		
Punchard	0	Concord 12
Punchard	19	Chelmsford 6
Punchard	21	Danvers 20
Punchard	19	Reading 7
Punchard	26	Ipswich 6
Punchard	27	Stoneham 0
Punchard	18	Lexington 6
Punchard	6	Methuen 12

Punchard 136	Opponents 69
Johnson 0	Amesbury 21
Johnson 6	Franklin, N.H. 14
Johnson 0	Chelmsford 20
Johnson 0	Methuen 6
Johnson 0	Wilmington 7
Johnson 6	Reading 27
Johnson 0	Ipswich 1
Johnson 15	Howe 6

Johnson 27	Opponents 102
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Become Members Of Shut-In Society

Miss Helen Eaton, Mrs. Charles T. Gilliard, and Mrs. Llewellyn Pomeroy have recently become members of the Massachusetts branch of the Shut-In society. They will aid in the work at the Tewksbury hospital.

Saturday, Miss Florence I. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton took to the hospital gifts of flowers and magazines. Fifty-two rose buds and many chrysanthemums were distributed at every bed as long as they lasted. The joy of the bed patients having a flower to hold was most touching.

Many people have left magazines for distribution at Mrs. Eaton's, 49 Abbot st. Please continue to leave them.

Becomes Pastor Of Taunton Church

The Rev. Philip M. Kelsey, former minister of the Union Congregational church, Ballardvale, has accepted a position as minister of the Congregational church in Taunton.

The Rev. Mr. Kelsey will remain at the Taunton church only for the winter months as interim pastor. The Rev. and Mrs. Kelsey with their daughter have already moved to Taunton.

School Building Plans Discussed

New school building finances were discussed at a meeting of the school survey committee with the school committee Tuesday night.

The discussion was based on a report drawn by Roy E. Hardy, chairman of the board of selectmen and assessors. It covered a plan calling for a total of 24 new class rooms divided into two or three buildings.

One plan called for a 12-room central school with a six-room school in West Parish and another six-room school at a location to be determined. The other called for an 18-room central plant with a six-room unit in West Parish.

"I have been asked to make a preliminary study of the effect on Andover's tax rate if elementary schools are to be constructed in accordance with the recommendations made in the recent report to the school committee.

"The study I have made is based on certain assumptions of my own, and is to be considered as but a first approach to the problem. I am sending it to several individuals for perusal and comment.

"Recent construction costs show that schools can be constructed for \$40,000 per room, and this figure includes at least one multi-purpose room in addition to the class rooms. In other words, a six-room school, including a heating plant and an extra all-purpose room can be built for \$240,000.

"My financing plan is based upon a central elementary school of 12 rooms, to be constructed in 1951, and two schools of six rooms each, to be built in 1953 and 1955, at locations to be determined later. For the 24 rooms I have a sufficient sum for land purchase, if that be necessary. The total cost of the 24 rooms would be approximately \$960,000, divided as follows:

Buildings, \$800,000, or \$33,333 per room; architect-engineering \$70,000, or \$2,917 per room; equipment \$90,000, or \$3,750 per room.

At the present time state aid is available in the amount of 21% of the construction cost. I have taken this at 20%, or \$160,000 for 24 rooms, or \$6,667 per room.

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Choir To Present Sacred Concert

Members of the Free church Senior choir will present a program of sacred and choral music under the direction of Donald Amos, organist and choir leader, at 7:30 p.m. Friday Nov. 25 at the Lawrence Home for Aged people.

Send Checks To 3544 Patrons In Time For Annual Yule Shopping

The two Andover banks have distributed a total of \$240,902 to their Christmas club patrons.

Checks for this amount were placed in the mail recently for the 3544 persons who use this form of savings to provide for their annual Christmas shopping.

The funds distributed by the Andover Savings bank were fairly well divided, \$63,274 going to 1011 Andover patrons and \$66,889 being sent to 1094 depositors from North Andover.

At the Andover National bank the 1439 patrons of the club received checks amounting to a total of \$110,739. The latter bank is now operating its Christmas club on a weekly payment basis.

Oppose Decision To Drop Track

The action of the school committee in voting to drop track from the high school athletic program has drawn vociferous protest from a number of sport followers and others.

They question the decision of the school committee to take such drastic action because track is not self supporting or that the school is not large enough to support track and baseball.

Last season the operation of the track team cost over \$1000. Of this amount the Boosters' club provided \$555 for new uniforms and equipment, the athletic association contributed about \$400 and the school department \$100. There is no provision in the school budget for the sport.

Last season's track team not only had a successful season but turned out a state champion in Joe Ratyna. The team won second in Class D events at the 31st state interscholastic meet in Newton with Ratyna winning both the 220 yard dash and the running broad jump.

Wilfred Johnson, Joseph Rayball and Herbert Deveaux also scored in the meet and the Punchard relay team, consisting of the four mentioned above, took first honors in the relay. All qualified for the New England finals.

Track was established at Punchard about six or eight years ago and, as followers of the sport point out, has helped to provide good.

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Banks Distribute \$240,902 In Christmas Club Funds

Courtesy On Road Stressed By Chief

Chief George A. Dane in cooperation with the Massachusetts Safety Council is issuing a warning to motorists to dim their lights in passing. Many accidents could be avoided if drivers would live up to this law. It's a simple matter to dim one's lights, and it's a great help to both operators in approaching each other.

The chief stated that now is the time to see that your brakes are in good working order. Have them equalized to prevent slipping on wet leaves and pavements.

Chief Dane warns that at 20 m.p.h. it takes almost 60 feet to bring your car to a complete stop. It takes the ordinary driver almost a second to change his foot from "gas to brake", and at 20 m.p.h. your car will roll about 29 feet. Keeping this in mind, don't "follow" too closely—it will save you a lot of rear-end collisions.

Second Session Of Court Nov. 30

Trial Justice Richard K. Gordon will hold another session of court here Wednesday, Nov. 30, at 9 a. m. Listed for hearings are seven cases involving traffic violations.

The new trial justice held his first session of court here Monday, Nov. 7 at which time four defendants appeared before him on traffic charges. The first session of court was held in the office of Police Chief George A. Dane as the former D.A.V. room on the second floor of the town house was not ready.

Many Attend Rites For Dr. Stearns

Funeral services for Dr. Alfred E. Stearns, 78, headmaster emeritus of Phillips academy who died at his home 12 Locle st., Tuesday, were held Friday in Cochran chapel with persons prominent in many spheres in attendance.

The Rt. Rev. John T. Dallas, D. D., retired Episcopal bishop of the diocese of New Hampshire assisted by the Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, academy minister, and Headmaster John M. Kemper.

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Suggests Early Christmas Mailing

The necessity for public cooperation in the early mailing of Christmas gift packages this year was substantiated by figures released by Postmaster Stephen A. Boland which showed that the volume of parcels being handled daily for the past two months is exceeding the peak day of last Christmas.

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Weekly Report Of New Building

The weekly report of Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman, which the board of selectmen accepted at Monday night's meeting, showed that in the past week permits had been issued for new buildings at an estimated cost of \$27,450.

The permits were issued as follows:

New Buildings: Vincent Stulgis, 22 Cheever circle, Rooms over Garage; Perez O. Lewin, Chestnut st., foundation for garage; Sidney P. White, Lowell st., milk house; Malcolm G. & Carolyn L. Johnston, residence & garage; H. K. Jenkins, Ballardvale rd., 2 stall garage; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finnerty, Ferndale ave., 1 stall garage.

The report for the prior week was as follows: New Buildings: Mr. and Mrs. William L. Knoepke, Cheever circle, residence and garage; Clement T. and Gertrude R. Dame, Central and Torr st., residence and garage.

Alterations: Pike school, Porter rd., tear down building.

Quoted Earnings For War Period

At the Andover Service club dinner on Nov. 10, Mrs. James R. Mosher discussed the progression of wool to cloth and made an extemporaneous remark relative to the earnings of the mending group of employees at the Shaw-sheen Mill. This address was published in the Andover Townsman of Nov. 17.

The figures quoted by Mr. Mosher were incorrect as they were from his recollection of reports published during the war years when all industrial earnings were in the higher brackets and it was not his intention to convey to the members that the figures reflected current earnings which are not at the same level as those of the war years.

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COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Wednesday, Nov. 30, the regular weekly meeting of the week day school of religious education will be held in the vestry of the South church.

Plans are being completed for the anniversary of the week day school of religious education which is to be held Jan. 29 through Mar. 2 on six Sunday evenings in the Free church and the South church. Herbert P. Carter is chairman.

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Inter-Church Basketball

The Inter-church Basketball league results for Monday, Nov. 21, in the Pynchard high school gymnasium are as follows:

Juniors

West Parish 22, St. Joseph's 2 C.Y.O., Christ
In the first game, R. Paolmo featured for the winners, and I. McKittrick for the losers. C. Y. O. won the second game by a forfeit.

Intermediate

South 32, B. V. Cong. 12
St. Joseph's 45, West Parish 6
W. Emmert and R. Yancy featured for the winners in the first game, and R. Hannan featured for the winners in the second game.

Seniors

St. Augustine's 26, South 37
St. Joseph's 27, C. Y. O. 25
R. Graves and C. McCullom featured for the winners of the first game, and W. Cox for the losers. In the second contest, one of the closest games to take place to date W. McKee and R. Thompson featured for the winners, and J. Dolan for the losers.

The committee voted to make the roster deadline for intermediate and senior boys on Dec. 8. This was necessary because of a

ruling by Coach Kenneth K. McKiniry of the high school; that no boy, if a member of his varsity, J. V., or Junior high team, will be permitted to play on other teams during the season.

All men in charge of registration for their respective churches are requested to turn over the dues at once to Howard Johnson, the league treasurer.

The following teams are leading their respective divisions:

Juniors — a four way tie between St. Augustine's, Ballardvale Cong., Free, and South.

Intermediates — South in first place.

Seniors — St. Joseph's first and C. Y. O., second.

The schedule for Monday, Nov. 28 is as follows:

Juniors 6:30 p.m.

Baptist vs. Free

South vs. Ballardvale

Intermediates

Baptist vs. Free

Christ vs. C. Y. O.

Seniors

St. Augustine's vs. Free

St. Joseph's vs. South

Christmas Seal Sale Opens Here

On Nov. 16, Miss Mary C. Dinmore, executive director of the Essex County Health association, met with those members of the Andover Christmas Seal committee who are working on the special gift list. Mrs. Thaxter Eaton, at whose home the meeting was held, is in charge of this work, assisted by Mrs. Frank L. Brigham, Mrs. Walter Curtis and Miss Louise R. Kelsey.

Letters to the special gift contributors have been mailed, and this week the annual sale of Christmas seals will start, to continue for three weeks. Posters have been distributed throughout the town by Miss Helen Eaton and Miss Eaton and Mrs. Sarl Elander.

There will be a meeting of the trustees of the Andover Village Improvement society in the Memorial Hall library at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 28.

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Pay Tribute To Miss Edna Todd

At the business meeting following the roll call supper held recently in the Andover Baptist church, tribute was paid to Miss Edna Todd, a member of the church since 1906, who passed away this summer. The tribute was as follows:

Miss Todd, in her quiet unassuming manner, exerted a great influence for good in the church, and among her many friends in this, and other communities, with whom she came in contact.

Her correspondence with shut-ins brought comfort and help to many folks throughout the whole nation. To her friends here in Andover, she always gave inspiration and help in time of crisis and need. Many fine Christian projects came to find culmination by her prayerful help. Many in the church feel that the great inspiring services held recently were a direct answer to her prayers.

We, her friends, miss her and think of her often as her Christian character works through our lives.

H. H. O.

Win Major Prizes At Church Bazaar

At St. Augustine's annual parish bazaar, which was held Nov. 17, 18, and 19, the following people won prizes:

First, \$250, Mrs. Thomas P. Eldred, 52 Main st.; second prize, \$100, Philip A. Cox, 12½ Ridge st.; third, suit of men's clothes valued at \$50, Francis A. Hendrick; 1 George st.; fourth, suit of men's clothes valued at \$50, M. Cristo, 7 Castlane st., Jamaica Plain; fifth, \$25, Harold Waldie, 13 Bartlet st.; sixth \$20, Carolyn Champy, 6 Garden City rd., Methuen; seventh, \$10, Mrs. Joseph Pellegrino, 9 Sherbourne st.; eighth \$10, Mrs. Margaret P. Mazer, 56 Essex st.; ninth, \$5, Charles Regan, 79 Summer st.; tenth, \$5, Mrs. Lola M. Castle, High st., Ballardvale.

Door prizes were awarded each night to the following people: Thursday night the award was won by Mrs. John J. Hannon, 33 Shawheen rd.; Friday night, to Mrs. Henry Wrigley, Center st., Ballardvale; Saturday night, to Mrs. Leo Walsh, 29 Maple ave.

Kimball To Speak At C.P.A. Meeting

C. Carleton Kimball of School st., vice president of the Merchants National bank of Boston, will be one of the speakers at the joint meeting of the Massachusetts Society of Certified Public Accountants, Inc., and the Robert Morris Associates, at the Parker House, Boston, Monday evening, Nov. 28.

Subjects for discussion are: "What is the value of inventory?" and "Problems of depreciation in periods of high cost." Mr. Kimball will speak on the latter subject.

Other participants will be: Morris W. Lawson, vice president of the Rockland-Atlas National bank; Edward S. Culver, partner, Robert Douglas and Co., certified public accountants; and Russell H. Hassler, professor of accounting at the Harvard Graduate school.

Walter Driscoll, vice president of the First National bank of Boston, will be the moderator and discussion leader.

SLATTERY CLASS

The Margaret Slattery class will hold its monthly business meeting and social at the home of Mrs. Arthur Jowett of Binney st., at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 29. Devotionals will be led by the class leader, Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr. and refreshments will be served by Mrs. Agnes Beauchesne, Mrs. Agnes Burdett, Mrs. Margaret Burnham and Mrs. Etta Chadwick.

Friskin Concert At Abbott Nov. 26

The musical event to which the community as well as the school look forward with eagerness during the pre-Christmas season will take place Saturday evening, Nov. 26 at the Abbott academy when Kate Friskin will give a piano recital. The program will take place in Davis hall at 8:15. The public is cordially invited to come.

Miss Friskin will play selections from the works of Gluck-Saint Saens, Brahms, Chopins, Schumann, Dohynanyi and others.

The Thanksgiving day holiday will be ushered in by the traditional chapel service Wednesday evening. This service is reserved for the school group and visiting parents as far as the seating capacity provides space. The service has remained the same for approximately a century. On Thursday the school will scatter to local and nearby homes for the day, returning to Abbott at 8 p.m. A number will remain at Abbott and enjoy a festive day and a traditional Thanksgiving dinner at the school. Miss Hearsey will preside over the dinner table.

On Sunday evening the vesper service will be conducted by Dr. Frank Ashburn, headmaster of the Brooks school, North Andover.

Cordell Hull, secretary of state during World War II, drafted the first U.S. income tax law.

Births...

Auchterlonie—A son, Nov. 10 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Auchterlonie (Mildred Collins) 39 Hall ave.

Reardon—A daughter, Nov. 10 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Reardon (Helen Nangle) 388 No. Main st.

John Marshall Harlan, of Kentucky, was a member of the U. S. Supreme court 34 years.

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Button Collect At The Library

Mrs. Jesse Bottomly has an interesting collection of buttons to the Memorial Hall for the pleasure of many who look forward to such a day. She has included some theatrical and operatic buttons, sporting scenes, glass, pearls, cut steel, jewels and even "good modern plastics."

Those who might enjoy collecting will want to see the and may want to read or borrow many books on the subject.

Coast Guard Academy Exams Next February

Cong. Edith Nourse Rogers announces that she will be furnishing application forms for information about the competitive examination for admission to the U. S. Coast Guard Academy at New London, which will be held Feb. 2, 1950.

Men are eligible between ages of 17 and 22 who have been graduated from a preparatory school by June 1 and who pass the physical examination. Applications may not later than Jan. 15, 1950. The academy prepares young men as officers in the navy.

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This is the husking bee at the Union Congregational church, Ballardvale, which turned into an informal reception to the new minister, the Rev. Paul E. Callahan, shown seated in center with Mrs. Callahan. Also seated to the right is the Rev. Earl D. Haywood, new minister of the Ballardvale Methodist church. From their expressions it looks as though all were having a good time. (Look Photo).

Button Collection At The Library

Mrs. Jesse Bottomly has loaned her interesting collection of buttons to the Memorial Hall library for the pleasure of many collectors who look forward to such a display. She has included scenes from theatrical and operatic performances, sporting scenes, enamels, glass, pearls, cut steel, lustrous, jewels and even "goofies", the modern plastics.

Those who might enjoy collecting will want to see the exhibit, and may want to read one of the many books on the subject which may be borrowed from the library.

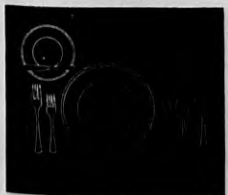
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Have No Part In Bus Controversy

In a statement adopted at a recent meeting, the social action committee of Congregational churches throughout the state and others interested have disassociated themselves from the petition now being circulated which seeks to repeal the state law permitting bus transportation for children attending parochial schools.

At the same time the committee issued a five point program for support of the public schools.

The leaders said they shared with the petitioners "a common loyalty to the historic principle of the separation of church and state." The bus transportation issue, however, is "charged with complex social and moral problems," this group said. The statement went on to point out that welfare aids to children, such as bus transportation, should be handled through separate legislation and not administered as part of educational programs or through departments of education.

In its positive program, the Congregational group said that a more important issue for the churches is meeting the educational needs of the children of the commonwealth. After listing these needs, the statement went on to recommend the following five point program of action for Congregationalists:

- 1) more local interest in public schools;
- 2) Increase of teacher salaries where needed;
- 3) \$40,000,000 annual state aid to public education;
- 4) The encouragement of young people to go into public school teaching;
- 5) teaching of the fundamental concepts of religion in the public schools.

In its 33 centuries, the city of Jerusalem has endured more than 20 sieges and blockades.

New Long Distance Dialing Speed Calls

Andover is linked with the new long distance service just opened in Boston by which operators dial practically to all parts of the Country, including the Pacific coast.

This operator-dialing service opened Nov. 19 for New England in the new long distance center of New England Tel. & Tel. Co. on Franklin st., Boston, which provides facilities for connections with points outside the New England company's area.

Long distance calls from Andover will be routed through the Lawrence exchange and thence to Boston from which point the new system takes over.

On calls to many distant points from each city equipped for it, operator-dialing will carry through directly to called telephones without assistance from any other operator enroute. On calls to cities not yet equipped for automatic connections to called telephones dialing will signal distant operators for their assistance in completing the connections.

In either case there will be new speed to a large portion of Andover's long distance telephoning. Some will be completed in less than a minute, often within 30 seconds.

MOTHER'S CLUB

The Andover Mother's club will meet at 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 1 at the home of the president, Mrs. George Symonds, 4 Beech circle. The following committee will serve, Mrs. Thomas Bradshaw, Mrs. Albert Cole, Sr. and Mrs. Herbert Folley.

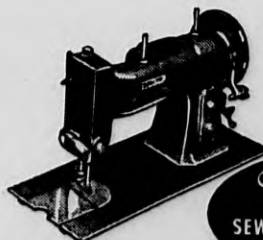
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"Family Close-up," based on actual documented stories of problems in average American homes, is being heard at 9:30 p.m. under the joint sponsorship of ABC and family agencies in over 200 cities, including the Family Service association of Greater Lawrence, a Red Feather service of the local community chest.

Like the Green family, whose story will be dramatized Saturday, there are in every community hundreds of families where married couples live on in disharmony, embittered and thwarted in relationships with each other and those around them.

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California Style

A woman traveling by train was talking to a man in the next seat. In describing her holiday, she said that she had visited San Jose.

"You pronounced that wrong,"

said the man. "It's San Hessay. In California you pronounce all the J's as H's. When were you there?"

The woman thought a moment, then answered: "In Hune and Huly."

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CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The annual Christmas sale of the West church will be held in the church vestry Saturday, Dec. 3, from 2 to 7 p. m. A baked bean and ham supper will be served from 5:30 to 7 p. m. If you are interested in Christmas decorations, the committee in charge is planning some novel ideas. Orders will be taken for greens and house decorations. Candy, home-cooked food, and aprons will also be on sale. Hand-made jewelry will be available for interested persons. Mrs. Harriet Sparks, president of the Junior Woman's union is chairman of the bazaar.

Thanksgiving Cheer

The sunshine committee of the Lafalot club distributed a number of baskets of fruit and candy to shut-in friends in West Parish last Wednesday.

Grange Notes

Andover grange, 183 met in Grange hall Tuesday evening. During the business meeting the officers of Pomona grange filled the chairs. The program of the evening consisted of a variety show put on by various members of the order and it caused much merriment. Refreshments were served.

Church Notes

A meeting of the executive board of the Woman's union of the West church will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 30, at the home of the president-elect, Mrs. Lawrence Thomas. All the officers are asked to attend as plans for the coming

year will be discussed at the meeting.

The beautiful flowers on the altar of the West church last Sunday were in loving memory of Mrs. Lillie Greene, and were given by Mrs. Ethel Monan, Miss Anna Grabner, and Mrs. Virginia Dufton.

Visit to Wanderer's home

Following the annual custom of many years, the children of the West Parish church Sunday school brought contributions of money, fruit, canned goods, and vegetables to the church on Sunday, and these were later in the day taken to the Home for Little Wanderers in Boston. John Hall, Jr., and Philip Thomas, assistant Sunday school superintendent accompanied the children of the sixth grade to the home on Sunday for their annual visit.

Personals

Mrs. H. V. Evans of Brookline visited with her sister, Mrs. Earl Slate of Argilla rd. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lermond and son, David, of Lowell st. spent Sunday with relatives in Whitinsville.

Mrs. Donald H. Savage of Greenfield spent the weekend with Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd.

Mrs. John Rasmussen of Lowell st. has returned to her home after spending several days in New York City. She accompanied her friend, Mrs. Edith Geist of Quincy, who sailed Thursday for a vacation in Denmark.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brodhead of Greenfield spent the weekend as guests of Miss Louise Kelsey of Shawsheen rd.

Miss Annie Wright of Lawrence spent the weekend with her friend Mrs. Kenneth Hilton of Lowell st.

Friends of Joseph Lovejoy will be pleased to learn that he has accepted a position as vice president of the Ederle company, linen manufacturers of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Lovejoy, formerly resided on Lovejoy rd. He and his family have already taken up their residence in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens of Virginia rd. visited with relatives in Durham, N. H. on Sunday.

Mrs. John Buchan has returned to her home after visiting friends in New York City.

Friends of Douglas Crockett will be pleased to learn that he has returned from the Baker Memorial hospital, Boston, where he

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WELCOME PARTY

A very enjoyable evening was held by all the many friends and members of the Union Congregational church at a welcome party held last Wednesday in honor of the new Minister, the Rev. Paul E. Callahan, and Mrs. Callahan.

Miss Marjorie Davies had charge of the very pleasing program. Elwyn Russell was master of ceremonies.

Those taking part included the senior choir: Mrs. Ernest Edwards and Elwyn Russell in a short skit; Mrs. Ralph Sharpe as a dancer; James Butler offered selections accompanied by Mrs. James Butler. The corn huskers included Mrs. Frank Froburg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warner, Mrs. Arthur Gray, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Edna O'Hara, Miss Marjorie Davies, Miss Helen Davies, P. W. Moody, James Butler, Mrs. Randolph Perry and Mrs. Charles Walent.

Randolph Perry gave the address of welcome to the Rev. and Mrs. Callahan and then Clyde Mears acting as postman presented the carriers with gifts for the pantry shelf for the minister and his wife. Many useful gifts were received. The carriers were Paul Bouleau, Kenneth Sparks, Warren Russell, Roy Youmons and Paul Payne.

Elwyn Russell offered a poem and community singing was enjoyed with Mrs. Emery at the piano and Mrs. P. W. Moody violin. A circle of friendship was formed. The Rev. and Mrs. Earl Haywood of the Methodist church were honored guests.

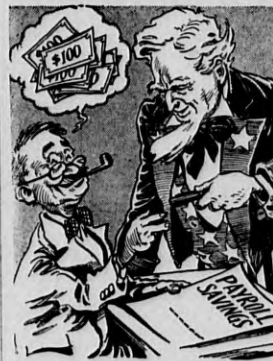
Refreshments were served by Mrs. Walter Custis, Mrs. Curtis Schultz, Mrs. Michael Mullaney,

submitted to surgery, and is resting comfortably at his home on Shawsheen rd.

Bruce Stewart of High Plain rd. is making satisfactory progress at his home following an injury to his foot. He is now able to be about on crutches.

Mrs. Wilfred Dwyer of Fletcher st. entertained Circle Three of the Woman's Guild of the Lawrence Street church at her home on Monday evening. Mrs. Ralph Hill of Methuen spoke on antiques and decorating. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Celebrated Birthday

Donald Milligan son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan of Tewksbury st. celebrated his 12th birthday by taking a group of his playmates on a sight-seeing trip.

The group visited the House of the Seven Gables in Salem, the Peabody museum and the Pioneer Village in Salem.

After the trip a weenie roast was held at the family home. Those present included Paul Bouleau, Warren Russell, Carl and Ralph Bushmann, Donald Milligan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan.

Thanksgiving Service

A union thanksgiving service will be held this evening in the Union Congregational church. There will be music by the choir of the Methodist and Union Congregational churches. The Rev. Earl D. Haywood of the Methodist church will be the speaker.

This service is for all the people of the town and will be held at 7:30 o'clock.

Ballateer Club

At the meeting of the Ballateer club held last Wednesday evening plans were completed for the Thanksgiving dance to be held Saturday evening in the community room.

The group has made posters advertising this dance and have placed them in various stores.

Personals

James Butler is in charge of the entertainment for the Congregational church fair to be held Dec. 3, in the community room. A supper will be served that evening in the church vestry. The tickets will soon be on sale.

Ralph Greenwood has returned home after a hunting trip to Randolph, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Misak Asadorian of Ward Hill, formerly of the Vale are spending the week in New York City.

Members of the Friendly Guild will hold their sewing meeting in the church vestry Wednesday of next week.

There will not be a meeting of the boys of troop 76 this week because of the holiday.

Youngsters who celebrated birthdays this week, include Paul Bouleau on Tuesday; Linda and Lawrence Mitchell on Wednesday; Janet Bouleau and Bobby Carroll also on Wednesday.

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Report cards were issued Nov. 10, with a students receiving honor to have his name on the honor roll a pupil in grade of 80 or better. Regular ty considered as a prepared subject.

The honor roll was:

Seniors: Gregory Artrice Bourassa, *Ken Jean Dumont, Martha house, Helen Glennie, *Arlene Kupis, Ayn, *Arlene Sullivan, Danberg and Kingman *Belle Juniors: Shirley Buehler, *Grace Enfieldhouse, *Scott Hamilton, Richard Hinch Johnson, Clifford Betty Locke, Judy Mooney, Harry Frances Ratyna, Jeanne Pettit Sunderland, Thorson, Jane Young and Znamierowski.

Sophomores: Christy, Betty Born, Karen Jean Farrell, Mary Fiebra Folley, Raeburn Cynthia Hayward, Chaley, James Murray, Al Eileen Skerik and Jan son. *Grade of 90 or better prepared subjects.

Student Council

The members of the recently to form tent for the reorganization of the Student Council at Punched project of this or which has been inactive years, will be to revise tuition.

Members of this co include the captains of major sports, football, and baseball; the captain cheerleaders; leader of the class presidents and the school year as well as three faculty represent sports, academic and extra-curricular and three members of the body chosen by the faculty.

The members of the representing the various or will be as follows: Raylins, or Nicholas Mauhall; Charles Dwyer, John McCarthy, baseball, cheerleaders, Fowler, band; Joseph Jean Dumont, senior Clifford Lawrence and house, junior class off-burn Hathaway and B. sophomore class off-Margaret Hawkesworth, regular Bernard M. I academic; Kenneth K. sports.

The three student tives chosen by the f Scott Gerrish, Richard and Janet Thompson.

Book Week

Since last week "week", Punched student day were given an opportunity to see a favorite Mark T. actor, "Huckleberry P. tion. In this film, show the courtesy of the Me library, Mickey Roone.

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PUNCHARD HIGH

By JANET THOMPSON

Report cards were issued Thursday, Nov. 10, with a total of 44 students receiving honors. In order to have his name on the honor roll a pupil must have a grade of 80 or better in four prepared subjects, one of which must be English. Regular typing is considered as a prepared subject, with personal typing not so considered.

The honor roll was as follows: Seniors: Gregory Arabian, Beatrice Bourassa, *Kent Donovan, Jean Dumont, Martha Ann Fieldhouse, Helen Glennie, Joseph Ratyna, *Arlene Kupis, Ann M. Murray, Joan Sullivan, David Wetterberg and Kingman Webster.

Juniors: Shirley Bushway, Bessie Christie, Grace Engel, *Janet Fieldhouse, *Scott Gerrish, Louis Hamilton, Richard Hincley, Phyllis Johnson, Clifford Lawrence, Betty Locke, Judy Marland, Arthur Mooney, Harry Morrissey, Frances Ratyna, Jeannette Saroa, Betty Sunderland, Thomas Wilkin, Jane Young and Blanche Znamierowski.

Sophomores: Christine Badavakis, Betty Born, Carolyn Erler, Jean Farrell, Mary Fielding, Barbara Folley, Raeburn Hathaway, Cynthia Hayward, Charlotte Kelley, James Murray, Alan Parker, Ellen Skerik and Janet Thompson.

*Grade of 90 or better in four prepared subjects.

Student Council

The members of the faculty met recently to form tentative plans for the reorganization of a student council at Punchard. The first project of this organization, which has been inactive for several years, will be to revise the constitution.

Members of this council will include the captains of the three major sports, football, basketball, and baseball; the captain of the cheerleaders; leader of the band; the class presidents and secretaries; and the school principal, as well as three faculty members to represent sports, academic work, and extra-curricular activities; and three members of the student body chosen by the faculty.

The members of the council representing the various organizations will be as follows: Raymond Collins, or Nicholas Mauceri, football; Charles Dwyer, basketball; John McCarthy, baseball; Bessie Christie, cheerleaders; Barbara Fowler, band; Joseph Ratyna and Jean Dumont, senior class officers; Clifford Lawrence and Janet Fieldhouse, junior class officers; Raeburn Hathaway and Barbara Hook, sophomore class officers; Miss Margaret Hawkesworth, extra-curricular; Bernard M. Kellmurray, academic; Kenneth K. McKinney, sports.

The three student representatives chosen by the faculty are, Scott Gerrish, Richard Bramley and Janet Thompson.

Book Week

Since last week was "Book week", Punchard students on Friday were given an opportunity to see a favorite Mark Twain character, "Huckleberry Finn," in action. In this film, shown through the courtesy of the Memorial Hall Library, Mickey Rooney portrayed

the role of "Huck," whose various antics greatly amused the audience.

Class Dance

A sophomore class meeting was conducted Monday in which plans for a class dance were discussed. This affair, a holiday dance to celebrate both Thanksgiving and Christmas will be held in the Memorial gymnasium from 8 p. m. to 11 p. m., Friday, Dec. 2. There will be a variety of dances, with James Hart of the faculty in charge of the music. Admission will be charged.

Uncle Sam Says



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U. S. Treasury Department

Cranberry bogs are regularly flooded as a control for certain injurious insects.

JUNIOR HIGH

By MARY E. BISHOP

COMMITTEES ELECTED

During homeroom meetings last Tuesday, dance committee members were elected from various homerooms. They were formed into the following committees at their first meeting held Thursday: Refreshments — Chairman James Sparks, Mary Lord, James Butler, Elaine Hopping; music — Chairman Alan Vaughn, Judith Hall, Margie Retelle, Elaine Dumont, Marsha Tangney; prizes — Chairman John Mirisola, William Emmert, Peter Doucet; publicity — Chairman Sandra Guertin, Janet Svenson, David Wilkinson, Alan Wadman; doormen — Chairman Larry Lewis, John Kelsling, Thomas Pearl, Robert Heese; decorating — Chairman Ann Smith, James Fontaine, Mary Morse, Susan Appleton; invitations — Chairman, Kathleen Lord, Roger Johnson, Marilyn Davis, David Hart. The first dance is planned for Dec. 9.

Presented Gift

At Friday's assembly Richard Lawrence was sent to escort Miss Mabel Broughton, school secretary, the present Mrs. John McGrath, into the hall with the wedding march played by Joyce Mowatt of grade nine. Janet Svenson then presented her with a surprise gift and wished her great happiness on behalf of the student body. Following this, President Elinor Mondale introduced Miss Margaret Lane who showed the film "Huckleberry Finn," which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Notes

A short Thanksgiving assembly was held Wednesday morning. Thanksgiving songs were sung and enjoyed by all and the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the South church, delivered a Thanksgiving prayer.

All eight and ninth grade boys wishing to play for the Junior

High School basketball team this year signed up last Monday. This did not apply to those who plan to come out for the intramural league.

NICKEL CANDY BAR COMES BACK AGAIN

Did you know that Americans buy nearly 46 thousand nickel candy bars every minute, that some candy bars are made especially for dogs, cats, bees and canaries, and that the bar named Baby Ruth was not named for the home-run champion?

These and other interesting facts about the nickel candy bar business, which has a yearly volume of \$1,200,000,000, are contained in a full-length article in the October issue of Cosmopolitan magazine.

"It is commonly believed," says the author, "that the Baby Ruth bar was named after the great ball player, but the Curtiss Candy Co. points out that the Baby Ruth was named in honor of Ruth Cleve-

land who was a baby when her father, Grover Cleveland, occupied the White House." As a matter of fact, when Babe Ruth decided to enter the candy business, the court of customs and patent appeals ruled that he could not use the name "Babe" on his own products because Baby Ruth was already on the market.

Other interesting facts presented in the article include: that a single candy bar factory turns out over a million bars in an ordinary work day; that, for the most part, the names of the bars are prompted by hunches, superstitions and nicknames currently in vogue; and that the bar we buy today got its start during World War I when soldiers found they fit both their budgets and their uniform pocket.

The author quotes a professional candy taster as remarking: "Mark down 1949 as the year that the

nickel candy bar returned and saved us from a revolution. Candy-bar lovers had taken about all they could bear—six cent signs on candy counters, ten-cent mini-mums in movie lobbies—and what did you get for these outlandish prices? A midget candy bar, mounted on a huge piece of cardboard, and hidden in one of the folds of the paper wrapping. Thank goodness the original nickel candy bar is back again."

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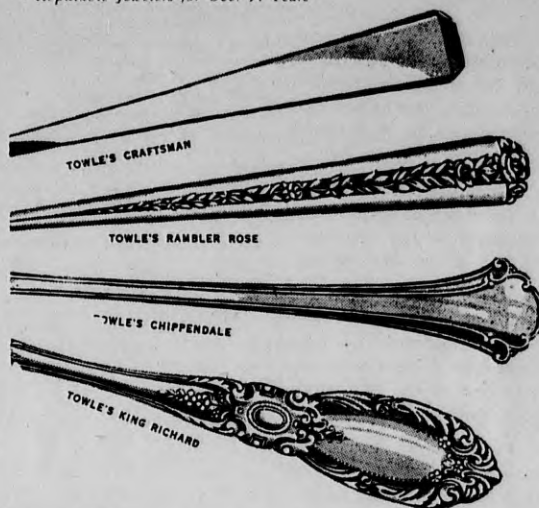
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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

ALFRED E. STEARNS

All Andover has suffered a loss in the death of Alfred E. Stearns, one of its distinguished citizens and an educator of national note.

While his first interest was with the academy which he so ably guided to national fame during his 30 years as headmaster, he also had a warm spot in his heart for the town in which he lived for nearly two score years. In his earlier days he was quite active in its civic affairs, serving for a great many years as moderator of town meetings.

He was a wholesome influence on the lives of the many boys who came under his supervision at Phillips, setting a fine example for them by his own high standards. He believed in giving students a wide latitude but was quick to discipline any who broke the school's code of honor.

He made many contributions to education and received scores of academic honors while leaving his own indelible mark of the school first entered with the class of 1890.

His whole life and accomplishments were such that Andover—school and town—will long revere the name of Alfred E. Stearns.

THE SCHOOL BUS ISSUE

The circulation of petitions in Andover for signatures of persons in favor of placing on the ballot a referendum question proposing an amendment to the state law which would restrict the use of school buses to public school pupils, makes pertinent a strongly-worded statement recently issued by five former governors opposing the move.

The five—Saltonstall, Bradford, Allen, Cox, and Fuller—made a joint appeal against the proposal to repeal the 13-year-old school bus law which gives cities and towns permissive authority to provide public transportation for private and parochial school children.

"The principles of the present law," they say, "has been upheld by the U. S. supreme court which ruled that it did not bear upon the subject of separation between church and state—a principle which we all support as one of the foundation stones upon which our system of life is built."

They further state that the plan, if successful, will deprive many children from enjoying the assistance and safety which the present transportation law provides them. According to the authors of the state constitution, they say, legislation pertaining to religious matters should be fully debated and finally determined in the legislative halls and not by resort to the initiative or referendum process which places it on the ballot of state elections.

For this reason the five former governors urge those circulating petitions to give thoughtful consideration before they decide to file. They make it clear that while they do not wish to interfere with the prerogatives of any citizen they do wish to emphasize that their suggestion is presented in the hope that it may help to keep religion out of politics, a desire in which all can concur.

SORRY EXAMPLES

"The world sorely needs honest and courageous leaders who will truthfully tell the people that 'something for nothing' is a slogan-mirage luring them to economic and physical slavery and degradation," declared Ernest E. Norris, of Washington, D. C., president of the Southern Railway system.

"Our country grew great and strong," he points out, "because it has been a land of opportunity without a ceiling on the heights that could be achieved by anyone willing to work and save and invest. The pioneers' slogan 'Waste not, Want not,' is one that needs to be put before the swarms of bureaucratic locusts now devouring the people's sustenance, and bankrupting the nation's moral and spiritual values."

The "something for nothing" delusion is reaching its peaks in the welfare state. According to the theory behind it, the government should meet the costs when we are born, furnish "free" medical care all our lives, see to it that we have retirement pensions shortly after middle age, and take care of practically any other exigency that may arise. What this means, of course, is that government must take most of our incomes to pay the bills, and so make individual thrift and saving impossible. It has happened in England and other countries. We seem bent on following such sorry examples.

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Views of The News

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Yugoslavia — Geographically Strategic

Usually a map emphasizes facts more vividly than do mere words. Russia looks at Yugoslavia not merely as a "rebellious" satellite but as a geographical location of tremendous significance to her own plans. Russia is separated from the Mediterranean by Yugoslavia in the West, by Greece in the southwest, and by Turkey in the south. United States foreign policy has indicated quite definitely that we do not intend Russia to take over Greece or Turkey at her leisure. So Russia had hoped to sidestep our stand in Greece and Turkey by getting influence in Italy. Had she been successful in setting up the communist party in Italy, she could have ignored Yugoslavia for the moment. Her influence would have been extended far to the West, and she would have had important bases in the central Mediterranean.

Albania — Russian Interests

Thwarted in that move, Russia then turned her attention to Albania, a little country of no economic or political importance. But of tremendous strategic value. Situated between Yugoslavia and Greece on the Adriatic Sea, Albania could be the thin end of the wedge of Russian expansion into the Mediterranean. Ten thousand square miles in size, with a million people, it is not worth diplomatic recognition by most nations. But it is rapidly becoming of vital significance to Western Europe and the anti-Soviet world. Particularly so since the stand taken by Tito.

Yugoslavia — The Broken Link

Albania is at present Russia's westernmost outpost, accessible from Russia only by sea and air. Were Yugoslavia under Russian domination, then Albania would be readily accessible from Russia by land. And all that now stands between Russian satellite country and Albania is Yugoslavia. Why is Albania so important? Just off the small Albanian port of Valona is the former Italian island of Saseo. Albania as a satellite of Moscow has permitted Russia to fortify Saseo into a second Gibraltar. The Italians had fortified the island when they controlled it. Now the Russians are reported to have equipped it with heavy artillery, rocket-launching platforms and anti-aircraft defenses. In the Bay of Valona the Russians are said to be constructing submarine pens in which they can base at least sixty modern submarines. The Soviet "diplomatic" mission to this small country includes thousands of military and scientific personnel. And Russia is not given to wasting experts on fruitless projects.

The pieces of the international jig-saw puzzle now begin to fall into place. If the Russians could have assisted the Greek communists to victory, Moscow would probably have created an "independent" Macedonia from Bulgaria across northern Greece to the eastern frontier of Albania. The Truman Doctrine of assistance to Greece checkmated that move. Of course, that cost money. But who will now insist that the money was wasted?

Russia wasn't too disturbed by the Truman Doctrine at the time because she had Yugoslavia — she thought! The revolt of Tito against Russian domination was a strategic blow to Soviet plans. It was also a play for our side. And any anti-Russian move should be examined with favor by the United States. Particularly is this so about Tito's action.

Should We Assist Tito?

Of course, the fact still remains that Tito enforces his own brand of communism. But another important fact is that the Moscow-Tito feud must not be regarded simply as a local affair in which we have no interest. If we stand aside, or show lack of interest in what happens to Yugoslavia, then Russia moves in. There are no doubts. Russian policy clearly so indicates.

But the fact is that the United States can not permit Russia to move in as she wishes. Why not? The future of western Europe can hang in the balance over the fate of Yugoslavia. If Russia should attack Yugoslavia then her troops would have very little difficulty in moving across the northern part to the frontiers of Italy. Even if Russia did not invade Italy, we are

MEET—



HAROLD C. DUNN

Always interested in civic affairs and especially active in local school problems and improvements, Harold C. Dunn is also well-known throughout the town through his interest in building and his development of Appletree Lane.

Mr. Dunn was born in Brockton, graduated from Brockton high school and went to Nashua, N. H., where in 1915 he married Ruth E. Marsh of that city. He was employed in the automobile business before coming to Andover in 1931. He continued in the heating industry with Treat Hardware corporation and Cross Coal company.

At the outbreak of the war he went with the Hardy Brush factory in Shawsheen, a division of the American Woolen company, where he is now resident manager. He is a veteran of World War I, a member of the Andover Service club, and the Ancient York Masonic lodge of Nashua, N. H.

He and his wife reside at 49 Summer st., and spend their vacations at their summer home, "The Spouting Whale" at Moody, Me. They have two daughters, Mrs. Glenn Andrews of West Newton, and Mrs. Kit Carson Patrick of this town, also three grandchildren, Clark and Holly Gay Andrews, and Whitties Cushing Patrick.

Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago—November 1899

Next on the program—"The Firemen's Ball". Thanksgiving eve.

It is reported that a deer was seen in the West Parish by A. T. Lovejoy. They very frequently come over the line from New Hampshire and are seen in the vicinity of Haverhill, Groveland and North Andover.

The Gen. William F. Bartlett Woman's Relief corps, No. 127, will serve a baked bean supper in G. A. R. hall. Tickets will be fifteen cents.

One of the fire department horses is on the sick list with a bad neck. Mrs. Colin Kerr will go to Raleigh, N. C. next week to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Smith.

The senior class of Pynchard Free school will conduct an entertainment in the school hall short-

virtually involved in view of the Atlantic Alliance. Could we stand by and watch pressure being put on Italy? Would not the Italian communists be almost certain to take over? It doesn't take many communists to control a country. In Rumania two thousand did it with the help of the Red army.

Even more serious would be Russia's position in the Adriatic. She could bring pressure on Greece, certainly take over a large part of Yugoslavia, and very obviously seriously threaten the United States position in the Mediterranean.

It is doubtful whether Russia is prepared to go to such lengths yet. Her probable approach is through renewed guerrilla and civil wars in the Balkans, furnishing arms to rebels and thus finally gaining her objective.

It must be apparent, therefore, that our interest in Yugoslavia must not be decided by mere political labels. An independent communist Yugoslavia is of vital importance to us if the only alternative is a Russian Yugoslavia. This is not the first occasion on which the United States has found strange bedfellows. We fought off one danger by assisting our curious ally Russia. It is not inconsistent with our interests and those of all anti-Soviet countries to keep communist Yugoslavia out of Russian control.

ly. It will consist of the picture play "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush" presenting the sketches "For Conscience Sake" and "A Doctor of the old school," by Albert Armstrong. The pictures were made expressly for Mr. Armstrong in Drumtochty, Scotland.

After the Lawrenceville game the Phillips boys had a big celebration in the evening with a procession, speeches from the teachers, call on the Fem Sema., bonfire on the campus and speeches from the eleven.

Dr. Magee and others of Lawrence have secured control of the Ballardvale Lithia spring and expect to largely increase the output in the near future of this noted mineral spring.

25 Years Ago—November 1924

"Every day a Thanksgiving day" was the theme of the address delivered by the Rev. Geo. E. Lombard at the union Thanksgiving service at the South Church.

Miss Margaret Sweeney of Chestnut st., former supervisor of the Lawrence telephone exchange, has now entered the local exchange.

Thanksgiving bags were given out to Sunday school children at the Methodist church Sunday morning. The bags are to be filled with vegetables, fruit or other articles and returned to the vestry. A committee in charge will send them to the "Little Wanderer's Home," Boston.

The Andover playstead established a new record for attendance when the annual football game was played between the great high school rivals, Pynchard and Methuen. It is estimated that nearly 5,000 spectators were present and the new stands which were taxed to capacity could hold only about one quarter of the attendance and (Continued on Page Eight)

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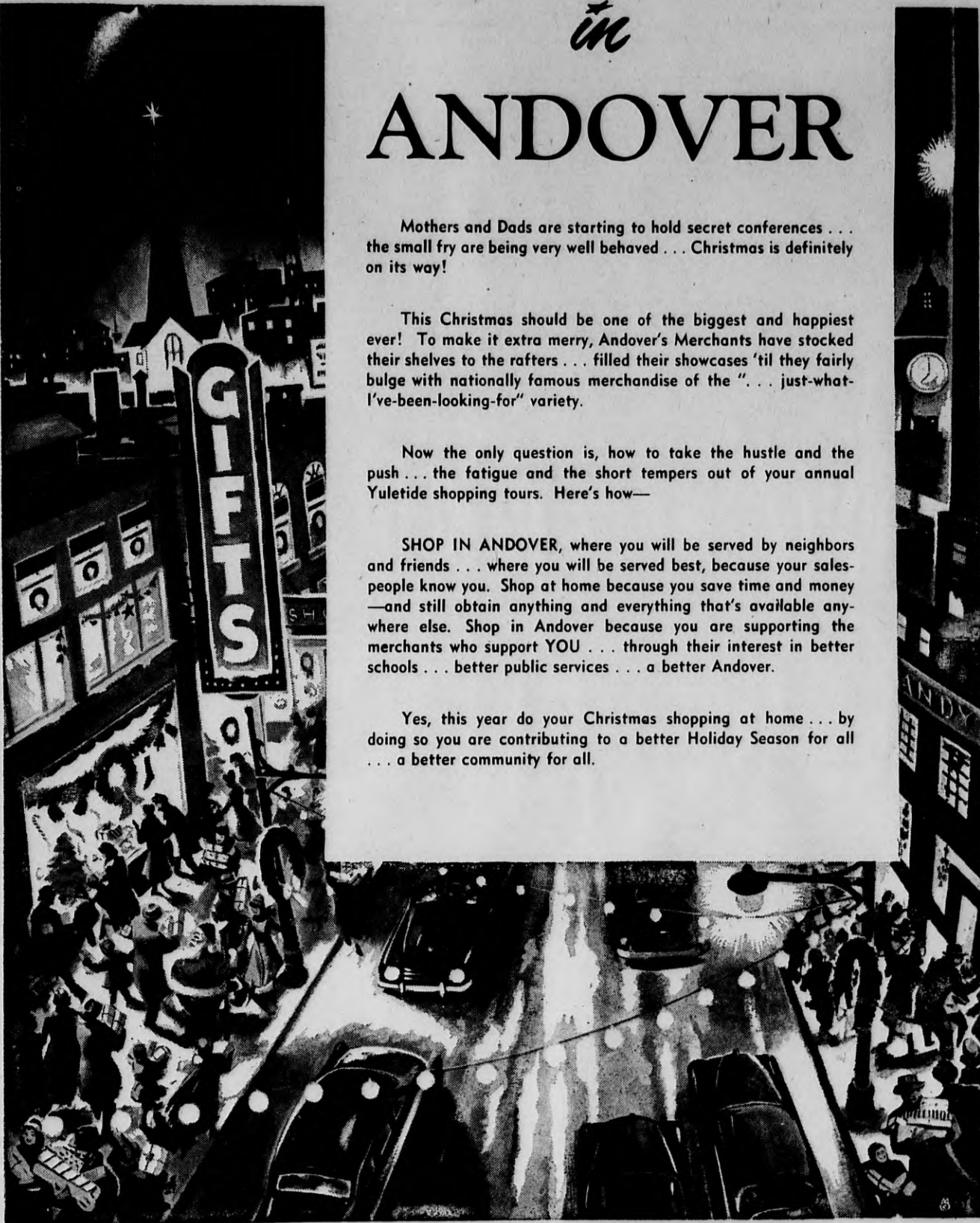
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In the art of education it is well known that a picture is as effective as a thousand words. And educators know that an actual example of we elders is as effective as a thousand pictures. Accordingly, the Andover council of churches deserves commendation and support in its exemplary stand that "... the raising of funds by the selling of tickets for chances or other forms of lottery involving prizes or awards" is unnecessarily neutralizing the superior moral standards upon which the public

school, in particular, is founded. Such activity has many of the aspects of paying out good money for a doctor's instruction then deliberate by encouraging the youngsters to do opposite.

In the minds of the young people who attend the public school prizes and awards are closely related to prudent behavior, diligent effort, and a solid regard for the things these qualities achieve. On the other hand, prizes and awards in the gambling field are closely related to a gross, inferior, and unreliable substitute for them. Hence enticing youngsters to sell tickets of chance to obtain funds is making a mockery out of the reason why young folks should attend the public school. It grievously undermines its reliable moral standards.

As to the view that the end is a worthy one, hence justifies the means, we may as well hold that since useful work is the end, or objective of any youngsters living, therefore, any kind of work he does is all to the good. But we know that is incorrect; that the quality and kind of work done in our youth inevitably determines the quality and kind of work we do in man's estate that the objective is inextricably permeated affected, and colored by the means. It is not a thing separate or immune from it.

Moreover, to the extent that we elders stoop to this practice of hoping the end will justify the means, or at least not be deteriorated by it we give aid and comfort to the public school's three deadly competitors; ignorance, institutional indoctrination, and gambling. Thus we woefully detract from the only essential and reliable tool we have for implementing the priceless objective of our national Constitution.

Consequently, funds for the Booster's club should be raised by a diligent application of the principles and methods the town is paying enormous sums to inculcate an understanding and respect for, and the ability to apply, in the young people. And I am sure the school committee will give the important matter the proper attention so as to protect the town's large investment.

Sincerely yours,

Karl Haartz

Down the Years
with
The Townsman
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those unfortunate enough to fail to obtain seats were crowded around the playing field five and six deep.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kendall Jenkins, who are not only Andover's oldest married couple but also its oldest residents, observed their 60th wedding anniversary at their home on School st.

Mrs. Grace Lake and daughter have returned from a four months' visit to England.

Many Andover people braved the wind and rain to witness the annual gridiron classic between Harvard and Yale in the bowl.

More than 200 fathers and sons were present at the annual supper and entertainment held at the South church. The honor of being the oldest person present was awarded to Clark Richardson. There were four families present in which three generations were represented.

10 Years Ago—November 1939

Since the Thanksgiving propagation it's the thing to say, "Happy Thanksgiving."

Andover had its first real touch of winter-driving hazards this winter when the light snowfall hardened on the roadways making them very slippery.

Fred B. Batcheller and son, Barton, of Shawsheen road spent the weekend duck hunting on the Cape.

Philip Christie of Brechin terrace is able to resume publication of the Daily Sentinel after a week's absence because of measles.

Isabel Murphy won the prize of a Thanksgiving turkey at the bridge party held by the Square and Compass club.

Donald A. Boynton of Andover was elected captain of next year's soccer team at Phillips academy at the annual banquet Sunday. He has played two years on the team.

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COUNCIL ELECTION

The 25th annual council meeting was held at Phillips chapel, Methuen, Monday, Nov. 14. The meeting opened with a dinner following the pledge of allegiance to the flag led by John R. Berwick, Methuen district chairman and former Andover resident. The Rev. Perry Haines, Protestant scout chaplain gave the invocation. Carleton Skillings, headmaster of Edward F. Searles high school was program chairman and introduced William F. Brandy, council president, who was in charge of the business meeting.

North Essex Council officers elected for the year 1950 are as follows: William F. Brandy, president; Dr. Nathaniel Stowers of Andover, Dr. Joseph A. Gaidis and Carleton Skillings, vice-presidents; William F. Brandy and Dr. Joseph Gaidis, national council representatives; Herbert Keogh, council commissioner; Atty. Arthur A. Thomson, treasurer; Philip Robbins, George Goodman, Dr. John J. Lorentz, Dr. John J. D'Urso, Edward Hamel, Charles F. Eaton, Ernest Bruckman, F. Tyler Carleton of Andover, the Rev. Egbert W. A. Jenkinson, John W. Ramsden, James F. Hennessey, Merrill F. Burnett of Andover, Dr. J. Leroy Wood, Herbert Wieland, John S. Sullivan, and George Cohen, executive board members; Francis J. O'Brien, Richard E. Horne, Walter J. Jackson, James Stanley, and Joseph T. Gagne of Andover, executive board members-at-large; Henry Fredette, Michael Casey, John Appleyard, Fred Pitkin, the Hon. John E. Fenton, the Rev. George P. Galian, the Rev. Perry Haines, Jr., Michael Mullins, James Burns, Bruno Prevost, Walter Lang, Albert Perault, Abbot Stevens, J. Edward White, Harold Leitch of Andover, William E. Redfern, Robert Hurd, Amherst MacCartney, John Danton and Harold Flanders, council members-at-large; Richard Horne, William Brandy, Raymond Kinney, Atty. Arthur A. Thomson, and Walter J. Jackson, trustees.

Charles F. Eaton was the nominating committee chairman and other committeemen were Dr. Joseph A. Gaidis, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers and John R. Berwick. The session was brought to a close with an interesting showing of colored pictures by Ernest Bruckman.

Roll Call Inspection

Scoutmasters and Cubmasters are asked to contact Walter C. Caswell, district commissioner, when they are ready to have their units inspected.

Troop 73 of the South Congregational church did not meet Friday, Nov. 18 because of preparations for the harvest bazaar and smorgasbord supper held Saturday, Nov. 19.

Troop 72 of the Free church met Friday, Nov. 18 with Scoutmaster David MacCord and Explorer Advisor Fred Schaberg in charge. The senior scouts in the explorer section of the troop helped to run the meeting. Alan and Arthur Schwarzenberg, explorer scouts, were presented with the home repair merit badge.

Troop committeemen Merrill Burnett, Howard Johnson, the Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., and Robert Meadowcroft were present. The hike which was planned for the weekend was postponed.

Merrimack College

Merrimack college suspended classes Wednesday, Nov. 23, at 12:30 p.m. for the Thanksgiving recess. Classes will resume Monday, Nov. 28.

The first quarter of the fall semester at Merrimack ended Saturday, Nov. 19. Mid-term examinations marked the closing of the term. The Rev. Joseph J. Glides, O.S.A., Ph.D., dean, stated that quarterly marks would be announced next week.

P. H. S. CROSS COUNTRY

Punchard has only one cross country meet left this season and that is with Essex Aggies. The date of the meet hasn't been established as yet. It is believed that the two teams will be traditional rivals in cross country from now on.

Warren Tyler, a six foot three sophomore has shown himself to be the most improved runner on the local squad. He finished 15th in the first time trial meet and since then has steadily moved up to third best runner on the team.

It must be remembered that the local boys, captained by Phil Dantos and coached by Don Dunn, have been very impressive even though the record doesn't show it. The team is made up mostly of sophomores and should be one of the best teams in its class in another year or so.

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An attack of measles wiped out one-quarter of the population of Fiji in 1875.

9 P. M. will be the closing hour of Lowell retail stores on the remaining Monday, Friday and Saturday evenings prior to Christmas.

On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 5:30 p. m. will be the closing time, with the exception of those immediately preceding Christmas.

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Knights To Peabody Me

Edward A. Doyle, of Andover council, lead a delegation of Columbus to the winter conference of officials, scheduled for 27 in the council chamber, K. of C. Hall, p.m., according to a statement from John V. state deputy.

Many Attend Rite For Dr. Stearns

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The academy choir, ward Christian Soldiers, the Good Fight, "Me," and "Savior" during the services. The church was closed from 2 to 4 p.m. in the academy where Bishop Dallas committal services.

The active bearers, Claude M. Fuess, headmaster of the academy, S. Fales of New York, Bruce Fletcher of Phillips academy, E. W. Cole, Allan Vanderheadmaster of Lawrence school; Ernest Mar, president-emeritus of college, an academy headmaster John M. Henry Hopper, ac, troller; Huntley Nowe, former governor of shire; Richard Mayo, Philip L. Reed, acade, The honorary bear, Frank Learoyd Boyd, Barton Chapin of Andover, Stuart Ching, federal service director; E. Hayes, Jr., director of Art gallery of the academy; H. Gregory, Fre, Stanley King, pre, itus of Amherst coll, E. Lynde, John Morse, sons, Horace M. Poyr, F. Ripley, Charles E, wald Tower, Charles, son and Harry E. Wh, The student bearers, Ham L. Cooke, Jr., Gardere, Thomas P. G, ard B. Johnson, J. K, Donald, J. Evans Ros, man D. Starke and Watson.

The ushers were: Frederick S. Allis, Jr, Adrance, former St, Philip K. Allen, Scott I, George K. Sanborn and Thomson.

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Knights To Attend Peabody Meeting

Edward A. Doyle, grand knight of Andover council, K. of C. will lead a delegation of local Knights of Columbus to the annual mid-winter conference of K. of C. officials, scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 27 in the council chambers of Leo council, K. of C., Peabody, at 2:15 p.m., according to an announcement from John W. McDewitt, state deputy.

Many Attend Rites For Dr. Stearns

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The academy choir sang "Onward Christian Soldiers," "Fight the Good Fight," "Abide With Me," and "Savior of My Soul," during the services. The academy was closed from 2 to 4 p.m. Burial was in the academy cemetery where Bishop Dallas conducted committal services.

The active bearers were: Dr. Claude M. Fuess, headmaster-emeritus of the academy; Frederick S. Fales of New York City, Dr. Bruce Fletcher of Canada; Dr. Lewis Perry, former headmaster of Phillips academy, Exeter; Charles W. Cole, Allan Vanderhoef Heeley, headmaster of Lawrenceville (N. J.) school; Ernest Martin Hopkins, president-emeritus of Dartmouth college, an academy trustee; headmaster John M. Kemper, Henry Hopper, academy controller; Huntley Nowell Spaulding, former governor of New Hampshire; Richard Mayo-Smith and Philip L. Reed, academy trustees.

The honorary bearers were: Frank Learyoy Boyden, Atty. E. Barton Chapin of Andover, Cyrus Stuart Ching, federal mediation service director; Bartlett H. Hayes, Jr., director of Addison Art gallery of the academy; Richard H. Gregory, Frederick Hussey, Stanley King, president-emeritus of Amherst college; Lester E. Lynde, John Morse, Joseph Parsons, Horace M. Poynter, Phillip F. Ripley, Charles E. Stone, Oswald Tower, Charles D. Thompson and Harry E. Whitcomb.

The student bearers were: William L. Cooke, Jr., George P. Gardere, Thomas P. Gordon, Howard B. Johnson, J. Kenneth McDonald, J. Evans Rose, Jr., Rodman D. Starke and William B. Watson.

The ushers were: Head Usher Frederick S. Allis, Jr., James R. Adrance, former State Senator Philip K. Allen, Scott H. Paradise, George K. Sanborn and Philip W. Thomson.

ALFRED E. STEARNS

We at Andover feel a deep sense of loss and sorrow at the passing of Dr. Stearns. During his thirty years as headmaster he exerted a profound and lasting influence on thousands of boys. It was with real pleasure that we welcomed him back when he returned to live in Andover a little over a year ago. Once again during the past year he was able to meet and talk to the boys, who were invariably delighted with his tales of Andover boys in his day. For my own part, he was always a source of inspiration and always available to give sound counsel to me in my first year as headmaster.

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Wheaton Club Plans To Hold Book Review

Many people are looking forward to the book review which Mrs. Marion Tucker Rudkin will give at the November club Tuesday morning, Nov. 29, under the auspices of the Merrimack Valley Wheaton club. Coffee will be served at 9:30 o'clock and the review will begin at 10 o'clock. A book sale will accompany the talk with samples of all books reviewed as well as others which may be ordered as Christmas gifts. Plans for the morning are being carried out by the program and scholarship committees under the chairmanship of Mrs. J. J. Tavern and Miss Barbara Loomer. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Suggests Early Christmas Mailing

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This has been observed in a greater measure in such huge postal terminals as New York and Boston. The general superintendent of postal transportation for New England pointed out that 714 cars of parcel post were received at the Boston terminal in September of 1948 as compared with 336 in September of this year. But most significant is the statement that 976 cars of incoming parcel post were received last month as against 747 cars for the Christmas month of December of last year.

Every facility of the Post Office Department has been put into operation to keep abreast of this tide of parcels and the great onrush of individual parcels have not yet appeared. The closing dates for mail as announced by the post office have been based on all known factors of receipt, distribution, transit and delivery. Parcels must be deposited earlier this year if Christmas delivery is expected. Additional plane space has been provided for the large volume of air parcel post which is and will be received, particularly on commercial shipments.

The purchase of stamps at this time will eliminate some congestion in the postoffice lobby later, said the postmaster. He warned that December is a troublesome one for the postoffice insofar as weather is concerned.

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CAMPFIRE GIRLS

The Shawsheen Village Campfire girls are doing another very worthwhile chore, that of collecting soap wrappers. For every two wrappers the girls obtain, they receive a cake of soap and they are sending this to "CARE".

This group of girls keep very busy with all their meetings and the making of plans for all other activities. At the present time the girls are making Thanksgiving place cards that will be distributed to the Randolph Nursing home on York st. and the town infirmary.

Six of the girls have gained the honor to attend the Red Featherette treasure hunt that is to be held in Boston this coming Saturday morning. The girls in order of their points are, Joyce Dunlop, Martha Dietrich, Betsy Caswell, Sandra Dulong, Eleanor Warshaw, Christa Hahnenstein.

At present, Mrs. Alan Dunlop is the leader of this active group and there are 13 girls in all who meet once each week. A group of mothers are now attending a training course for new leaders and sponsors that is being held in Reading every Friday for four weeks. The mothers are, Mrs. Byron Weiner, Mrs. Walter Caswell, Mrs. Rudolph Dietrich, Mrs. Herbert Ortstein, Mrs. James Byrnes, Mrs. Harold Steigler, Mrs. Alan Dunlop.

Drama Dept.

The dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club held a very interesting meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Edgar Best.

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Mrs. William McLay is convalescing at her home, 8 Avon st., after a recent operation at the Lawrence General hospital.

Miss Virginia Woodhead, 184 Elm st. is ill at her home.

Miss Annie Ramsay, who has been living at 56 Whittier st., has recently moved to 8 Temple place.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cairnie, 64 1/2 High st. recently moved to 105 No. Main st.

Miss Emma Stevens, 121 Summer st. recently spent an enjoyable weekend at Boothbay Harbor.

Robert Beauchamp, 29 Rensselaer st., recently entered the chemist's offices at the Shawshoe Mills.

Thomas E. Woodhead is ill at his home 184 Elm st.

Wayne Smith is ill at his home on Rattlesnake Hill rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Woodhead recently of 174 Elm st. and now of Allentown, Pa., have been visiting at the home of their son, Thomas E. Woodhead, 184 Elm st.

Mrs. Frank H. Kendall, 7 Chestnut st. is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital with a hip injury.

Miss Barbara Nicoll, second year student nurse at Salem hospital, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nicoll, 72 Essex st.

Mrs. Thomas A. Davidson, 29

Main st., recently enjoyed a vacation in Canada.

Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr., Mrs. Agnes Burdett and Miss Margaret Laurie served as hostesses at the recent tea sponsored by the Woman's union of the Free church.

Private Arthur Jowett, who has been stationed at Fort Dix, N. J., has recently enjoyed a 10 day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Arthur Jowett, 6 Binney st. He will return to his new location at Camp Hood, Texas.

Friends of William Orr, 97 Shawshoe rd., will be pleased to learn that he is improving nicely at his home following spending several weeks at the Lawrence General hospital.

Obituaries...

WILLIAM A. TROW

The funeral of William A. Trow, 81, a retired mill executive and prominent in the public, civic and community life of Andover for more than half a century, was held from the family home Sunday, Nov. 20, at 2:30 p.m., with services at the West Parish church by the Rev. John G. Gaskill, pastor, and the Rev. Newman W. Matthews, pastor emeritus. Mr. Trow died Nov. 17 at his home, 31 Lowell st.

An honorary president of the Andover Historical society and former treasurer of the Bay State Historical league, he was widely active in this region and also in Boston where he formerly had business associations.

He established the Armstrong Knitting Mills in Boston with a group of associates in 1907, and remained a director until his retirement in 1931. Previously he had been associated with Brown, Durrell & Co., in Boston.

He was graduated from Pynchard High in 1886, as president of his class, leader of the scientific society and class historian. He later was a member of the Andover school committee, from 1900 to 1907, and also a member of the Andover finance and administration subcommittee.

He was formerly on the Pynchard School board of trustees. He was also active in affairs of the West Parish Congregational church.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Florence Gardner Trow, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Bowes Trow Young.

At the services J. Everett Collins was soloist and Marion Abbot organist.

The bearers were Edward Anderson of the Andover Home for the Aged, Henry Stephenson of the Andover Historical society, Edmund E. Hammond of the Pynchard high school trustees, three deacons of the church, Fred Doyle, Leverett Putnam and Winthrop Boutwell, and two friends Benjamin Schubert and William S. Titcomb.

The ushers were Harry A. Wright, Herbert Carter, Dean Huggins and Arthur Lewis. A delegation from the Men's Brotherhood attended the services and burial was in the West Parish cemetery.

IRVING R. SHAW

Irving Roland Shaw of 401 Andover st., Ballardvale, who had been in failing health for several months, died Thursday, Nov. 17, at his home.

Born in Ballardvale 69 years ago, he was employed as a wool sorter by the American Woolen company for a long period and more recently was employed as a watchman at Abbot academy. He was a member of St. Matthew's lodge, A. F. & A. M., Andover, and the Ballardvale Union Congregational church.

Surviving are his widow, Alice G. (McIntyre) Shaw one daughter, Miss Doris Shaw of Ballardvale, and one son, Gardner Shaw of Andover.

The funeral was held from the late home Sunday with services in the Union Congregational church at 3 p.m. by the Rev. Russell B. Richardson, pastor of the Attleboro congregational church, and the Rev. Paul E. Callahan, Union church pastor. Cremation took place in Harmony Grove, Salem.

The honorary bearers were William D. McIntyre, Frank Petty, Frederick Cheever, Theodore Tyler, and Edward York.

JAMES ROSS

James Ross, 56, widely known bowler and member of the Hardy & Ross firm of bowling alley owners, died Thursday, Nov. 17, at his home 52 Chestnut st. He had suffered a heart attack a week prior to his death.

Born in Arbroath, Scotland, he had lived in this community for the past 40 years. Since 1916 he had been associated with Roy E. Hardy in the operation of bowling alleys in Greater Lawrence, including the Recreation alleys on Park street. For several years he was rated among the top 10 bowlers of the country by the National Duckpin bowling congress.

A member of Christ church, the Lawrence Lions club and Clan Johnston, 185, O.S.C., he was also a director of the Massachusetts Bowling association, representing Essex county.

He leaves his widow, Mary C. (MacGregor) Ross; a daughter, Christine M., wife of Edward Jones of Andover two brothers, Robert of Andover and John C. of Portsmouth, N. H.; two sisters, Mrs. Peter Stewart of Andover and Mrs. Annie Fraser of Lawrence and one grandson.

The funeral was held Sunday with services conducted in Christ Episcopal church at 2 p.m., by the Rev. John S. Moses, rector. Irvin Wilkinson was organist. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery were the Rev. Mr. Moses conducted committal services.

The bearers were Angus Stewart, Roy Hardy, Albert and James Ross, James Gillett, and John J. Daly. The ushers were Robert Ross, Jr., and John Ross, nephews of the deceased.

A large delegation from the Lawrence Lions club attended the funeral as well as the bowling alley proprietors of many Greater Lawrence establishments.

MRS. EDWIN ANDERSON

Mrs. Edwin (Garrett) Anderson, wife of Edwin Anderson, 62 Red Spring rd., died at the Lawrence General hospital Tuesday, Nov. 15. Born in Scotland 65 years ago, the deceased came to Andover in 1917 and made her home here ever since. She was a member of the Free church, and the Woman's union of that church also of the ladies' auxiliary to Clan Johnston, 185, O.S.C.

Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Edna

AT THE LIBRARY

Here are a few of the new books, now available at the Memorial Hall library, all of which may be reserved:

Signature of Time

Havighurst
Maury Hazard, just out of a German prison camp, found himself unable to return to his writing as a newspaperman; he went back to the island home of generations of Hazards, in Lake Erie, and tried to find himself in its peace. But not until he recognizes great courage and the need for courage in the lives of others does he begin to find that balance.

Gypsy Sixpence

Marshall
The main theme and character of this tale was suggested to the author, Edison Marshall, by a chance reading of an article about Richard Burton, the talented, gypsyish character of Victorian days who explored and wrote of his adventures.

It Was Like This

Winslow
A mother, two sons and an adopted daughter are the people who are involved in this dramatic story that takes place on a plantation remote from other society in Southern Mississippi at the end of the nineteenth century.

My Indian Son-In-Law

Wernher
Hilda Wernher has told another of her incomparable experiences in India; in this case, of her life in the household of her son-in-law and his new wife. The young couple's happiness is soon disturbed by religious and class prejudices. As in her former book, "My Indian Family," Mrs. Wernher brings out the differences in Eastern and Western philosophy, religion and way of life.

Rowan Head

Ogilvie
The many readers who have found real pleasure in Elizabeth Ogilvie's "Storm Tide" and "High Tide At Noon" will enjoy her new novel, this dramatic story of Miriam Chase, who came to Rowan Head as companion to frail, dreamy, Cameron and found herself in a situation so filled with emotional conflict that it required all her natural balance to see it through.

The Passionate Journey

Stone
The youth of John Noble was driven by a compulsion to find his own God in life about him and with his talent for putting beauty on canvas he somewhat eased the driving need. Three women were to love him, one with a great understanding, while he tore his mad way through life, hiding his sensitiveness under a rough, hard manner.

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Hemsworth, a son, William D., and one grandchild.

The funeral was held from the Lundgren funeral home Saturday afternoon with services at 2 p.m. by the Rev. J. Levering Reynolds, Jr. pastor of the Free Christian church. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery. The bearers were Victor and James Hemsworth, Larry Jackson, James Valentine, Thomas Auchterlonie and John Sullivan.

NOVEMBER CLUB

The next meeting of the art department of the November club will be held at the home of Mrs. John C. Bond, 28 Phillips st. Monday, Nov. 28, at 3 p.m.

The program, in charge of Mrs. Charles J. McCabe, will have as its subject "The Art of Mexico." The next meeting of the Drama department of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Edward C. Nichols, 31 Wolcott ave. at 2 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2, "Cyrano De Bergerac" will be read.

The literature department of the club will meet at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30 at the home of Miss Barbara Loomer, 27 Summer st. Miss Miriam Putnam, will review the book "Dreamer's Journey" by Morris Cohen.

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SUPPER A SUCCESS

The Smorgasbord supper held Saturday in conjunction with the South church fair, was well attended, about 250 people being present. Tables were beautifully decorated in yellow and blue with copper bowls of flowers in true swedish style.

Mrs. Arthur Covell and Mrs. Norman Pitman were co-chairman of the supper. Mrs. Winston Blake and Mrs. Charles McCullom were co-chairman of the general fair. Publicity was handled by Miss Marion Hill.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 223

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Laurence Bourassa late of said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to the Court praying that Leda Bourassa be appointed executrix of said estate with full powers.

If you desire to object to your attorney, should file a notice in said Court at Salem in the forenoon on the fifth day of December, 1949, the return day of this said Court, this notice.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Judge of said Court, this 19th day of November, in the year one hundred and forty-nine.

JOHN J. COSTELLO

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 223

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Marion Morrison, late of Andover, deceased.

The executor of the will of said deceased has presented to said Court his first and second and final account.

If you desire to object to your attorney, should file a written notice in said Court at Salem in the forenoon on the twelfth day of December, 1949, the return day of this said Court, this notice.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Judge of said Court, this 19th day of November, in the year one hundred and forty-nine.

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LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer

10-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 229,084

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Emile Laurence Bourassa late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Leda Bourassa of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

17-25-1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 229,468

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Marion Morrison, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

The executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance his first and second and final accounts.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

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Monday: 7:45 p.m. Girls' Friendly society.

Tuesday: 5 p.m. Choir rehearsal. Wednesday: St. Andrew's day. 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

Thursday: 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Cochran Chapel

REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister
Sunday: 11 a.m. Service of worship. Sermon by the Rev. Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, of New York.

Thursday: 8 p.m. Special Thanksgiving service — Andover Male choir and Andover Choral society.

Free Church

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS, JR., Minister
Thursday: 9 a.m. Union Thanksgiving service in the South church. The Rev. John S. Moses speaking.

Friday: 7 p.m. Boy scouts. 7:30 p.m. The Senior choir will sing at the Lawrence Home for the Aged.

Saturday: 9 a.m. Basketball practice for junior and intermediate boys in the Andover Guild.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Church school. 11 a.m. Nursery class for children whose parents wish to attend church. 11 a.m. Morning worship, with a sermon by the pastor. 6 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship. All young people of high school age invited to attend.

Monday: 6:15 p.m. Andover Interchurch Basketball league games played in the Memorial auditorium.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Monthly meeting of the Margaret Slattery class.

Thursday: 3:40 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Methodist Church

REV. EARL D. HAYWOOD, Minister
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Union Thanksgiving service in Union Congregational church.

Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Morning worship and sermon; 10:50 a.m. Church school.

Monday: 8 p.m. Women's meeting at parsonage.

West Parish

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister
Saturday: 10 a.m. A food sale will be held in the vestry of the church to benefit the basketball teams of this church. Mrs. William Stewart, chairman.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Children's church service. Assistants to the pastor are to be Jean Arnold and Frank Monnette. Ushers are to be Billy Nicoll and John Ozoonian.

Classes are held in the vestry for adults and young people of high school and junior high school age.

11 a.m. Morning service of worship. Music by the All Girls' choir under direction of Mrs. Dean B. Hudgins and Miss Marion Abbott, organist. Sermon by the pastor, "Malachi" Speaks Today.

7 p.m. The Young Peoples' Pilgrim fellowship will meet in the vestry.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. The church school teachers will meet in the vestry.

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WEDDING RETURN

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Suzanna Pass . . . 1:45 4:40 7:35
Roy Rogers—His Horse "Trigger"

Sunday, Monday—November 27, 28
Story of Seabiscuit . . . 3:05 6:00 8:55
Shirley Temple — Barry Fitzgerald
Alias The Champ . . . 1:50 4:45 7:40
Robert Rockwell — Barbara Fuller
Short Subject . . . 1:45 4:40 7:35
News #222 . . . 2:50 5:45 8:40

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—November 29, 30, Dec. 1
Fighting Kentuckian . . . 3:00 5:55 8:50
John Wayne — Vera Ralston
Barbary Pirate . . . 1:45 4:40 7:35
Donald Woods — Trudy Marshall
News . . . 2:45 5:40 8:35

Friday, Saturday—December 2, 3
Red Danube . . . 2:40 5:35 8:30
Walter Pigeon — Ethel Barrymore
Some of The Best . . . 1:45 4:40 7:35
News . . . 2:25 5:20 8:15

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School Building Plans Discussed

(Continued from Page One)

The central elementary school seems to be our immediate problem. I have taken a 12-room school at a cost of \$480,000. We have certain resources that we can use in addition to our borrowing capacity. These are as follows:

Post-war rehabilitation fund, \$90,000, available free cash, \$125,000, state aid, \$80,000, 1950 taxes — architect's fee, \$12,000, 1951 taxes, \$40,000; total \$347,000.

This means that we must borrow approximately \$150,000. I suggest that we pay this back in 10 years, and believe we can borrow at a rate not exceeding 1 1/2%.

"On the first six-room school I have included \$5000 for architect's fees in the 1952 tax rate, \$35,000 in taxes in 1953, and a 10-year loan of \$160,000 repaid in the years 1954 to 1963. These figures total \$200,000 and added to a \$40,000 grant from the state give us the \$240,000 we need for our second school.

"The second six-room, or the third school if each six-room unit is erected in a separate location, is figured in much the same way; \$5000 for architect's fees in the 1954 tax rate, \$20,000 in the 1955 tax rate, and a loan of \$175,000 paid in annual installments from the years 1956 to 1965.

"This rough preliminary analysis spreads the cost over 16 years with a total rate expenditure of \$655,212, an average of \$41,000 per year or \$2.06 per thousand on our present tax base.

Engagement

Mayo — Kavochka

Mr. and Mrs. Kavochka of 400 Central Park ave., Yonkers, N. Y. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Olga, to Richard A. Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Mayo of Dacombe rd. The wedding will take place in June.

Miss Kavochka was graduated in 1948 from Colby Junior college. This October she completed a course in medical technology at Mary Hitchcock Memorial hospital Hanover, N.H.

Mr. Mayo, a graduate of Dartmouth college, class of 1947, has completed two years at Dartmouth Medical school. He is now in his third year at Harvard Medical school.

During the war he served with the U. S. army in the European theatre and was with the Army of Occupation in Austria.

Oppose Decision To Drop Track

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spirited competition with very little danger of injury. It is a sport in which many boys, not inclined are physically equipped to play baseball, football or basketball, can take part.

It is expected that proponents of the sport will ask the school committee to reconsider its vote and will make an attempt at the next town meeting to get an appropriation to carry it as part of the school athletic program.

SOUTH CHURCH NOTES

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 30, the Men's Club will have a gala night. A Father and Son's night is planned with a roast beef banquet followed by a most unique program. The club is presenting the Oriental mysterious Fu Ling, the Chinese magician. This will be a fascinating entertainment for young and old. A trip into the land of fantasy and color. It's the outstanding event of the year and fathers are invited to bring their sons and sons to bring their fathers. Don't miss this big event.



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Obituary . . .

CLAUDE H. MINER

Claude H. Miner, a former resident of Andover, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning at Baltimore, Md., where he had been visiting relatives. For the past several years he had made his home in Reading.

Born in Connecticut about 72 years ago he came to Andover as a young man and lived on Maple avenue for many years. A member of the Lawrence Plumbers and Steamfitters union he was employed at that trade during his residence here.

Besides his widow he leaves four sons, Claude, Jr., of Andover, James of Winchester, Roland of Lawrence and William of Andover; and three daughters, Mrs. James Downey, Mrs. Frank Leslie and Rita, all of Andover.

Funeral arrangements are pending.

FAMILY GATHERING

A Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mrs. Gladys Shattuck who entertained several members of her family at her home on Center st. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Shattuck of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Haskell of Marblehead, Mrs. Leota O'Donnell of Manchester, N. H., Fred Shattuck and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis and daughter, Marylyn, all of the Vale.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Joseph A. Richard, Boston rd., and Mary M. Mundry, 34 Holly st., Lawrence.

James E. Cunningham, 26 Cleveland st., North Andover, and Frances M. Benson, 13 Marland st.

Joseph Ponte, graduate of Phillips academy where he won the Milton Collier prize for piano playing, will make his debut as a concert pianist Sunday afternoon, Nov. 26, in Jordan hall, Boston.

Corporal Fred Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blackburn, 16 Ridge st. is assigned with Company A, 17th Infantry regiment, 7th Infantry division, stationed at Camp Schimmelpfennig, near Sendai, Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stewart of 3 Temple place, are spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Edwin Winship in Patten, Me.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Deacon, of Brockton have purchased a home at 64 Summer st. They have two children, Judith Ann, 4, and Thomas Henry, 3 months. Mr. Deacon is a mechanic in the Lyndel mill in Lawrence.

Mrs. Jean A. Foster and her three children, Stephen, Richard, and Jo-Anwyll have moved to Andover from Weymouth. They are living at 4 Dumbarton st.

Mrs. Catherine R. Gamage of Gloucester has moved into an apartment at 44 Salem st. She has three daughters, Torrey, 12, Townley, 10, and Toby-Ann, 5. The oldest girl received her name from her great uncle, Dr. John P. Torrey, who formerly lived in Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Reilly come to Andover from Port Ewen, N.Y. They have purchased the Babb home at 48 Princeton ave. Mr. O'Reilly is a salesman for the Sherwin Williams Paint Co. There are two sons, Alan, 2, and James, 5.

Captain William Cargill and family, formerly of Andover, have moved to Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Westbrook of Westwood, have moved to Andover. They are living at 1 Cornell rd. Mr. Westbrook is connected with the Hemenway Transportation Co. They have three children, Robert 2, Herbert, 4, and Constance, 7.

Miss Harriet Carter of Bartlett is spending Thanksgiving in New York City with relatives.

William Doyle of Trinity college, Washington, is spending the Thanksgiving recess at his home on Foster circle.

Miss Helen McCarthy, teacher in the Bradley school, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Concord, N.H.

Miss Mary O'Brien of 52 Summer st. is a surgical patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

Miss Florence Borg, who has been a guest of Miss Irma Beene of High st. will return to Long Beach, Cal. Dec. 1.

Miss Hilda M. Cargill of Stevens st. attended a wedding Sunday in Exeter, N. H.

Mrs. W. Gordon Coutts, 34 High st., has returned to her home and is improving nicely following an operation performed recently at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mrs. Furnace Garrett McLean, a former Andover resident and now of Long Island, N. Y., attended the funeral services on Saturday, of her aunt, the late Mrs. Edwin Anderson.

John McIntosh, 46 Elm st., Thomas Farragher, 65 Carmel rd., Harold Salvage, Montville ave., Stoneham, and Robert Frederickson of Chapman ct. went deer hunting in Maine last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Crompton, 15 Carlisle st., Mrs. Anna Kerr and Mrs. Bertha Parisian of 54 Whittier st., were guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Thomas Campbell of Marblehead. Mrs. Robert Cowan and her two children "Bobbie" and "Ricky" of Locke st., left recently by plane for Sacramento, Calif., where they will join Mr. Cowan and make their home.

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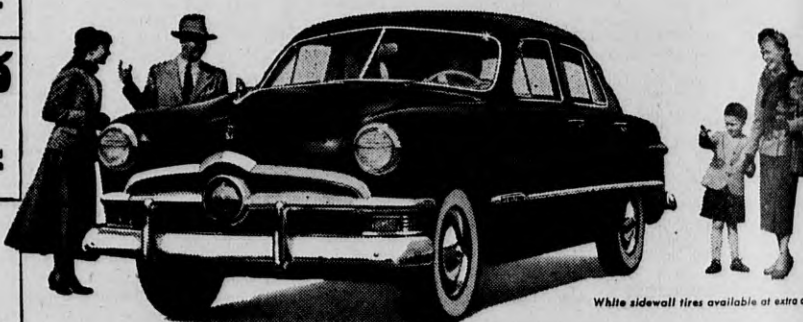
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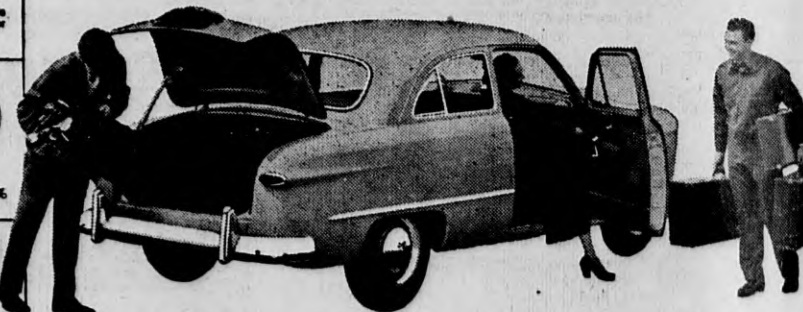
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