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TOWN FACES MANY PROBLEMS IN NEW YEAR

Questions Regarding School And Water Improvements Top List

Officials View Requirements In Various Departments For 1950 And See Cost Of Operations Still Growing



A group of Junior high school students enjoying an afternoon on the bowling alleys of the Youth center at the Andover Guild. Lorraine Nadeau is about to send one down the alley while some of her teammates look on. (Look Photo)

VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

An issue of prime importance and great difficulty for the year 1950 is Western European economic "integration." Mr. Hoffman, primarily responsible for the success of the Marshall Plan, means by this term the widest possible cooperation between national economies. By means of the Economic Co-operation administration, Paul Hoffman wants to make Western Europe one large free market of 200,000,000 people with no trade or money barriers. The purpose is to increase productive efficiency in Europe so that industry can make its own way without constant Marshall Plan aid. The objective is imperative, but the difficulties are great.

What Trade Restrictions Can Do
 At present there are as many barriers to free trade as there are countries. The complications of such barriers, quotas and trade restrictions would be paralleled in the United States if there were 48 different currencies, and rigorous restrictions against importing raw materials and manufactured products across state lines. Quite obviously, fewer automobiles would be sold if each state insisted that only "state-manufactured" cars could be sold within the state. If such restrictions were then extended to many other articles, there could be no doubt that living standards would drop. This would be particularly so if labor and capital could not move freely from one state to another.

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Ass't Assessors Start Canvass

The six assistant assessors started Tuesday on their annual rounds. They will distribute blanks for the returns of personal property which are required to be filed on or before Jan. 31 by those having such property subject to taxation. The assistant assessors are also assistant registrars, and as such will also pick up the names of all male inhabitants above the age of 20 on Jan. 1, 1950, whether citizens of the United States or aliens.

Ask \$10,000 For Plans For Two New Schools

Seniors To Stage 'Life With Father'

A large attendance is expected at the presentation of the stage production, "Life With Father," which will be given by the Pynchard senior class at 8 p.m., Friday, Jan. 13, at the Memorial auditorium under the direction of Marvin E. Stevens of the school faculty.

Tickets for this production may be obtained at the door the evening of the performance or from any member of the senior class.

Joseph Ratyna is playing the role of "Father" while Jean Dumont is cast as "Vinnie." Others in the cast are: Clarence, William Johnston; John, John McCarthy; Whitney, Brian Caldwell; Harlan, James McKinery; Cora Cartwright, Joan Lord; Mary Skinner, Marjorie Walsh; Rev. Dr. Lloyd, Kent Donovan; Dr. Humphreys, Donald Mudgett; Dr. Somers, Allen Wood; Margaret, Harriet Schofield; Annie, Dawn Dunn; Delia, Shirley Pilgrim; Nora, Anne Marie Murray; Maggie, Doris Nicoll.

Artists To Exhibit Works In Boston

Artists from Andover will exhibit oil paintings in the seventeenth annual exhibition by the Boston Society of Independent Artists which will be held in the galleries of the Paine Furniture company, 81 Arlington st., Boston from Jan. 9 through Jan. 28.

Frances L. Dalton of 70 Chestnut st. will exhibit "Son of the Soil". Miss Dalton has exhibited work in many shows, and has been awarded the Richard Mitton gold medal for a child's portrait.

"Involute" will be shown by Maud Morgan of 173 Main st., while L. V. Goriarsky of 148 Main st., will exhibit a painting called "Venezia".

The Wilson family of 20 Lincoln st., will be represented by Mrs. Olive Wilson who is showing an oil, "My Husband", while Francis S. Wilson's entry is called "After Glow".

The school committee Tuesday night took preliminary action toward the erection of two new elementary school buildings when it approved an article to be inserted in the town warrant asking for a new 12 basic room and other facilities at the central plant, and for a new 6 basic room building and other facilities in the West Center district.

The other facilities mentioned would include special rooms, cafeteria, recreation facilities and everything needed for a complete unit.

Under the proposed plan the Stowe school would be retained, the John Dove school would be eliminated, and the Jackson converted into a workshop.

The article adopted reads as follows:

To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for preliminary plans for a new 12 basic room elementary school building plus other facilities at the central plant, and for a new 6 basic room elementary school building plus other facilities in the West Center district, and authorize the Moderator to appoint a school building committee.

Earlier in the meeting Chairman Gordon L. Colquhoun read a communication from Arthur Peatman, president of the West Center PTA asking that any action taken for new elementary schools would include one in the West district.

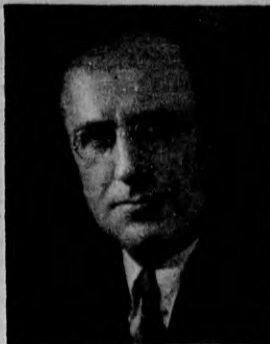
All members were present. Minutes of the Dec. 12 meeting were read by Secretary William A. Doherty and approved.

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New Stop Signs On Summer St.

New stop signs have been placed on Summer street at the corner of Whittier street, making it necessary for all Summer street traffic to stop before entering the intersection.

Police officers will be stationed at the corner at different intervals to see that the new traffic signs are obeyed. Since the signs were installed last week several first offenders have been warned and at least one other will be summoned into court.



ROY E. HARDY
 Town Cannot Lower Standards Or Give Inferior Service

By ROY E. HARDY

As yet no decrease is in sight in the cost of local government in Massachusetts. Most of our town costs are embodied in: 1, the school appropriation; 2, activities under the control of the board of public works; 3, aid to the aged and the needy; and 4, protection to persons and property. I hesitate to prophecy, but the general outlook is for an increased cost in most departments.

Very few people in Andover are desirous of lowering educational standards. With a growing population, and a very substantial increase in the percentage of our population under six years of age, our school budget will be larger whether we build new school buildings or not, and each time the legislature sets aside more money for schools, Andover loses \$2 in other money returned from state funds for each additional dollar given us for education.

The town must maintain its streets, water and sewer systems, parks and playgrounds to the satisfaction of a public that is not satisfied with less or with inferior service. We face extensions and improvements in the water system alone that will be reflected in higher construction and operating costs.

Old age assistance is very carefully administered in Andover but more generous budgets, as established by state law, will call for a much higher appropriation in 1950. The same general tendency prevails in most of our relief agencies.

In the 1949 town meeting, shorter hours were voted for both police and fire departments. This meant, of course, more men in the departments for the same man power on duty at any one time. The full cost of this change will be reflected in our 1950 appropriations, and again higher figures are inevitable.

To sum up, the town is just like any individual. We want to maintain our standards and improve them if financially feasible. Andover is served by many capable and conscientious public officials. Money is carefully budgeted. We are in a good financial condition. Vigilance and vision on the part of both officials and the taxpayer are needed as we approach our 1950 problems.

Business Advisor To Address Club

Bert Welbourne, national affairs advisor of the U. S. chamber of commerce, will discuss the topic, "Business Looks at the 81st Congress," at the dinner meeting of the Andover Service club to be held at 6:15 p.m., Jan. 12 at the Andover Inn.

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SIDNEY P. WHITE
 Water System Shows Effects Of Recent Dry Summer And Fall

By Sidney P. White

The recent dry summer and current dry fall and winter, with their subsequent effects on water supply systems are gradually making themselves felt by the man in the city as well as the man on the farm.

Small towns and farms feel a dry spell relatively soon because of lack of water storage. Large cities with extensive systems of reservoirs feel a dry spell much later as is shown by New York City's much publicized water austerity program.

Water works storage and distribution facilities are major construction projects and can not be brought into existence overnight. Therefore advance planning and advance construction must be done if a municipality is to be protected from the threat of a water shortage.

Andover was more fortunate than many other towns and cities during the past year. The rainfall deficiency for 1949 was about 8 inches, or 20% below normal, the level of Haggetta pond dropped nearly five feet, and has shown no immediate signs of recovery. The main pumping equipment was often operating at maximum capacity around the clock. Despite these unfavorable circumstances no restrictions were placed on the use of water at any time. However, such fortunate results cannot forever follow such unfavorable circumstances. Protective planning and construction is needed at all times to guarantee an adequate water system.

Andover is also more fortunate than some other towns and cities in that its board of public works has a long range plan for improving and safeguarding its water system. This systematic planning dates back to 1944 and earlier, and construction under the plan has been carried on since 1945, when, and as funds have been made available.

The work required to maintain a system that can be flexible enough to care for a growing town is of major proportions and costly, as well as never-ending. Each year an endeavor is made to add to the system those improvements which are the most important and most urgently needed in the light of existing conditions and trends.

At the present time the most needed links in our water system are distribution reservoirs, improved pumping facilities, and enlarged force mains.

It is currently hoped that in 1950 a new low-service reservoir can be constructed adjacent to the existing reservoir. This proposed reservoir is to be of six (6) million gallons capacity, or four times as large as the present one.

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GORDON L. COLQUHOUN
 Qualified Teachers And Adequate Housing Needs Of School Department

By GORDON L. COLQUHOUN

In answer to your question regarding the needs of the school department for 1950 and for the next few years, I am of the opinion that the school department is faced with two such outstanding and immediate needs that I feel that I should only write on these two needs at this time.

First, additional qualified teachers, and second, adequate housing facilities.

In October, 1945, we had enrolled in our public schools a total of 1304 pupils. During the past few years this total has steadily increased until at the present time we have 1650. This is an increase in four years of 28% and it should be obvious that additional teachers were needed to take care of this increase.

We have every reason to believe that this increase in enrollment will continue at least until 1957, and then any "leveling off" process would merely hold to that total enrollment at that level. While it is impossible to forecast accurately, I am convinced that we will have at least 1800 pupils in our schools (exclusive of out-of-town pupils) by 1952. This means over 300 additional elementary school pupils over the present enrollment.

Therefore, it is my belief that we on the school committee are faced with the task which is ever with us — that of finding the best possible teachers. The present school committee feels aware that this is their most serious and important function.

During the past year the school committee has engaged experts to make a survey of our school buildings and our needs for the future. The results of this survey have been publicized, and anyone in the community wishing to read it is able to procure a copy. It is too extensive to review at this time.

While the members of the school committee do not accept it in its entirety, it has been of great value for our future planning. It points out what was fairly obvious — that Andover needs new school buildings.

While it is my opinion that the most pressing need is in the central part of the town, I do not in any way minimize the needs in other localities, especially West Andover.

I believe it is obvious that we need in the center of Andover 18 basic class rooms, plus two kindergarten rooms, one special class room, and other facilities. This need here and in West Andover is so great and so real and so immediate that I would rather at this time not discuss other necessities.

How this need is met would be for the decisions of the school committee, building committees and the town itself.

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The committee also voted to adopt two other articles for the town warrant. They were as follows:

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To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1585. to be paid to the commonwealth for assessments for members of the Teachers' Retirement association on military leave of absence. This to be paid under Section 9 of Chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941 and Section 9A of said 708, as inserted by Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1943.

To see if the town will vote to authorize the school committee to continue to maintain state-aided vocational education in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 74, General Laws, and Acts amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and further raise and appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty (\$980.00) dollars therefor.

BOY MISSING FROM HOME
Arthur C. Rehe, 15, of Argilla rd., has been missing from home since Jan. 3, according to a report made to the police.

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**Finds For Defendant
In Contract Dispute**

A finding for the defendant was made by Judge Frank J. Donahue, sitting in a jury-waived session of superior court at Lawrence, Wednesday in the action of contract brought by Karl C. Killorin against Guy B. Howe in a dispute over payment of a commission for the sale of real estate.

The plaintiff, represented by Attorneys Roland H. Sherman and Andrew J. Lloyd, claimed \$1250 was owed him by the defendant for commission on the sale of property on Johnson road. The latter, who was represented by Attorneys Walter C. Tomlinson and Charles G. Hatch, denied owing the plaintiff anything.

At The Churches

West Parish
REV. JOHN G. CASKILL, Minister
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Children's church service. Assistants to the pastors are to be Gail Marland and Neil Morgan. Ushers will be James Clegg and Jeffrey Hall. Classes in the vestry for adults, young people and pre-school children. 11 a.m. Morning service of

worship, with reception of new members and service of Holy communion. Music by the choir under direction of Mrs. Dean B. Hudgins, Miss Marion Abbot, organist. Communion meditation by the pastor. The public is cordially invited to this and all services of West Parish church. 6 a.m. Andover Youth council, sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches will meet at the Free church.

Monday: Interchurch Basketball league will play in the high school gym.

Wednesday: 1:15 p.m. Week-day school of religious education in the South Church. 3 p.m. Children's choir rehearsal; 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal under direction of Mrs. Dean B. Hudgins.

Thursday: 8 p.m. The Junior Woman's union will meet in the vestry. Arthur Basset will speak on "Bells". Hostesses are to be Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. Theodore Peterson, Mrs. Ejner Blomquist, Mrs. William Engle, Miss Isabelle Doble, Mrs. Harold Johnson, Mrs. William Turner, and Mrs. Carl Haartz.

Miss Barbara Buchan of Central st. has been ill at her home for the past week.

**Discuss School
Building Survey**

Many phases of the town's school problem were discussed at a pre-town meeting symposium in the Memorial auditorium Wednesday night held by the Central PTA in cooperation with the other parent-teacher organizations of Andover.

All who spoke were in agreement that new school buildings were needed and that the steady increase in population and birth trends made it necessary to provide more than the present number of class rooms for the immediate future.

About 250 persons were in the auditorium when the meeting opened at 8 o'clock with Ronald K. Fraser, president of the Central PTA, presiding.

Seated on the platform and introduced to the audience by Dino Valz were school committee members, Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman; William A. Doherty, secretary; Mrs. Walter H. Partridge, Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, Atty. Vincent F. Stulgis, Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools; Selectman Roy A. Hardy, Howell M. Stillman, chairman of the finance committee; James P. Scobie, and the consultants, Jesse B. Davis and Cyril B. Sargent.

After several speakers reviewed the survey, the increasing school enrollment, the school committee's vote to ask the town meeting for \$10,000 to have plans prepared for a 12-room and a six-room building, the financial end of the problem was discussed at length. This was followed by a question and answer period of about an hour and the meeting adjourned at 10:07 p.m.



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**Punchard Varsity
Defeats Alumni**

Punchard High school ball quintet just made out a tight 37-34 victory over the alumni at the Memorial gymnasium Wednesday, Dec. 28.

Three of the alumni Johnny Craig, Al Chubb, and Bob Deyermond, were last season's hoop team. The Class C title in the Massachusetts tournament was won by the Varsity (87-74).

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Thompson.....
Stack, rf.....
Wetterberg.....
McCullom, c.....
Vivency.....
Gerrish, lg.....
Dimlich.....
Mauceri, rg.....
Wilson.....
Total.....

Dubois, if.....
Lloyd.....
Chetson, rf.....
Hall.....
Deyermond, c.....
Morocco.....
Davie.....
Craig, lg.....
Wetterberg.....
Demers, rg.....
Barry.....
Kydd.....
Total.....

Score by periods 1 / 2
Varsity..... 6 10
Alumni..... 3 9
Referees, Mahan and Ripley) of 7 Abbot st.

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**Entertains Friends
At Supper Party**

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Following the supper and games were enjoyed, the nature of which was that was presented with a wadded in a Christmas

Among those present were Shirley Murray, Betty Hall Goddard, Barbara Lase Butler, Robert F. William Emmert, Wardford, Roger Chadwick Merrow, James Gem James McGrath.

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School Survey

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Several speakers reviewed the increasing school enrollment and the school committee's plan to have plans prepared for a six-room school and a financial end of the year discussed at length. The meeting adjourned at 9 p.m.

Building Operations During 1949

On the estimated value of building operations granted for new buildings and alterations, the closed showed the greatest increase in building operations during the year. For 1948, according to the records compiled from the records of Inspector Ralph W. Gaudet, the highest shown for 1949 figures is \$1,534,110, this figure, however, covers the estimated veterans' housing program street. This would be estimated cost of \$1,534,110 for the year slightly below the million.

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The summary:

Varsity (37)				
	G	F	P	
Watson, lf	5	0	10	
Ross	0	0	0	
Thompson	1	0	2	
Stack, rf	3	2	8	
Wetterberg	0	0	0	
McCullom, c	4	3	11	
Viveney	0	1	1	
Gerrish, lg	1	1	3	
Dimlich	0	0	0	
Mauceri, rg	0	0	0	
Wilson	0	2	2	
Total	14	9	37	

Alumni (34)

	G	F	P	
Dubois, lf	0	0	0	
Lloyd	0	0	0	
Chetson, rf	2	1	5	
Hall	0	0	0	
Deymond, c	7	4	18	
Morocco	0	0	0	
Davie	0	0	0	
Craig, lg	0	1	1	
Wetterberg	0	0	0	
Demers, rg	2	2	6	
Barry	0	0	0	
Kydd	1	2	4	
Total	12	10	34	

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Former Andover Man Was Melrose Official

The recent celebration in Melrose of its 50th anniversary as a city has recalled to Marcus Hill of 55 High st., the fact that a former Andover man, Peter J. Lynch, served on that city's first board of aldermen.

Mr. Lynch, a boyhood chum of Mr. Hill's, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lynch and formerly lived on Morton street. He was a graduate of Punchard high school and was well known here before going to Melrose.

To Represent College For National Magazine

Mary E. Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustine P. Sullivan of 34 Essex st., and a student at Emmanuel college, has won an appointment to represent her college on the national college board of Mademoiselle magazine.

Miss Sullivan will report campus news in addition to completing assignments during the college year. She will also be competing for one of the 20 guest editorships to be awarded by the magazine next June.

Masons Name Caspar New District Deputy

At the installation of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, held in Boston, recently, Frederick G. Caspar of 22 William st., well known Lawrence business man, was appointed district deputy grand master for the 11th Masonic district.

Mr. Caspar, a 32nd degree Mason and Knight Templar, has held many offices during his 29 years in the order. His district includes Andover, Lawrence, Methuen and North Andover.

Third Expedition To Yukon Planned

While no definite date has been set, plans are already being made, according to Frederick Johnson, Curator of the R. S. Peabody foundation for archaeology at Phillips academy, for a third expedition to the Yukon, for the purpose of documenting the migrations of Indians across the Bering strait from Siberia and down through the two American continents.

Two previous expeditions were launched, in 1944 and 1948; the first sponsored by the Andover foundation and the second supported by the Viking fund, the American Philosophical society and the Arctic Institute. The expeditions brought back archaeological evi-

Win Green Pastures Contest Certificates

Gilbert Cromie of 108 Abbot st. and the Shattuck farm of Lowell st. were among the participants in the Green Pastures contest of 1949. They received certificates from the Massachusetts department of agriculture. Mr. Cromie received a gold seal for scoring 90 percent or better in the contest, and the Shattuck farm received a blue seal for scoring 70 to 79 percent.

vidence of these Indian migrations, which have been discussed for over fifty years, but never before definitely proved.

Catholic Club To Hold Annual Ladies' Night

Another large gathering of members and friends of the Andover Catholic club is expected to attend the annual ladies' night and installation to be held Saturday, Jan. 14 at the Andover Country club.

James E. Sheard is chairman of the committee making arrangements for the event. Dinner will be served at 7:30 o'clock and after the installation general dancing will be enjoyed.

The officers to be installed are: Robert A. Walsh, president; Frank J. O'Connor, vice-president; James D. Doherty, secretary; Frank S. Twomey, treasurer; and William F. Simeone, director until 1951.

STATE INCOME TAX

A representative of the income tax division of the state will be at the town house from 9 to 1 o'clock and again from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 11, to assist state income taxpayers in making out their returns. These are due on or before March 1.

Assistance in making out returns will be given at the Lawrence court house daily from Jan. 3 to March 1.

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PTA MEETING

The Ballardvale PTA will hold its first meeting of the year tonight at the Bradlee school.

Bart Smalley will preside at the business meeting and the guest speaker will be Miss M. Dorothy Baker of the Abbot academy faculty. Miss Baker will talk on English towns, using Bath as her theme.

A social hour will follow and refreshments will be served. All PTA groups are invited.

Friendly Guild

The January meeting of the Friendly guild will be held Friday evening, Jan. 13, in the parsonage with Mrs. Paul E. Callahan and Mrs. James Fairweather as co-hostesses. Mrs. Alfred Webb will

lead the devotional services.

The blanket club now being conducted by members of the guild may be joined by contacting Mrs. Frank Green or Mrs. Charles Scobie.

Girl Scouts

Members of Troop 19, girl scouts, resumed their meetings Wednesday afternoon in the Bradlee school. Mrs. George Forsythe and Mrs. Edna O'Hara are the leaders. The girls are working for merit badges and to pass tests.

Ballateeners Dance

A successful dance and party

was held Saturday by the Ballateeners club and their guests. Refreshments were served. Jimmy MacMillan had charge of the music. The Rev. and Mrs. Paul E. Callahan were chaperones.

W.S.C.S. Meeting

The next meeting of the Women's society for Christian service will be held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Dube with Mrs. James Green serving as co-hostess. The latter will be in charge of devotions.

A kitchen shower will be held

and articles brought to refurbish the kitchen of the parsonage.

Service League

Members of the Service league of the Union Congregational church were entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Samuel Scholtz on Ballardvale rd.

Saddened by Death

Many people of the 'Vale were saddened by the recent death of Lieut. Joseph C. McMahon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMahon of Lawrence. Mrs. McMahon was formerly Linda Clinton of Ballardvale, a sister of Mrs. George A. Dane. Lt. McMahon was fatally injured in an auto accident in El Paso Texas, Christmas night.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews have returned to Skowhegan, Me. after spending the holidays with relatives in Ballardvale.

Miss Katherine O'Donnell is ill at her home on Center st.

Miss Mary Comber is ill at her home on Center st.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weiss and family have moved to Bar Harbor, Me. where Mr. Weiss will commence his duties as principal of the elementary schools.

Ensign Charles E. Callahan, who has been visiting his brother, the Rev. Paul E. Callahan, has returned to Pensacola, Fla. where he is finishing his flight training.

Christmas Program At Indian Ridge

Pupils of the Indian Ridge school presented the following Christmas program:

- Poem, There will always be a Christmas, Grades 1 and 2;
- Song, Silent Night, school;
- Song, Bright Star of Christmas, Priscilla Terrio and Grades 1 and 2;
- Song, Ring Out, Oh Bells, Grades 5 and 6;
- Song, Christmas Tree, Kindergarten;
- Song, Christmas Day, Grades 1 and 2;
- Violin solos, Away in a Manger, Joy to the World, Edward Raryna;
- Poem, The Inkeeper's Cat, Patricia Doyle and Nancy Sunder land;
- Poem, Santa Claus, Kindergarten;
- Song, On Christmas Day, Grades 1 and 2;
- Song, Merry Christmas, Merry Christmas, Everywhere, Grades 3 and 4;
- Poem, 'Twas the Night before Christmas, Granville Cutler;
- Poem, Santa Claus on his way, Barbara Auchterlonie;
- Poem, Christmas is coming, Joanne Allen;
- Song, Up to Santa Claus land, Grades 1 and 2;
- Song, Tell me what you have for me Santa Claus, Grades 3 and 4;
- Song, Santa Claus is coming to town, Raymond Hutching;
- Song, If it doesn't snow on Christmas, Catherine Duke;
- Poem, Best time of all the year, Grades 1 and 2;
- Carols, It came upon a Midnight Clear, and Silent Night, School.

Practically every state in the Union has laws regulating the quality of agricultural seeds offered on the market.

What Can The People Believe?

When the anti-trust lawyers in Washington filed their suit to put the A&P out of business, they immediately handed out for all the newspapers of the United States a story giving in detail their "allegations" against this company.

When we published advertisements giving our side of the case, they protested, even though they had made, and have continued to make, in newspapers, in speeches and over the radio these charges that would seriously damage our business, if they were believed by the public.

Every week millions of American housewives patronize A&P stores. Many of them would not want to deal with the kind of people that the anti-trust lawyers represent us to be.

We think we have a right to protect this 90-year old business which has made it possible for millions of American families to get more and better food for their money, which is providing high-wage employment for 110,000 Americans and which is helping millions of farmers to improve the methods of distributing their produce.

No answer by us would be necessary if the anti-trust lawyers were always right.

But they, like all other human beings, can be wrong.

In this case we know they are wrong.

They have been wrong before.

In case after case they made charges against A&P which were proved in court to be utterly without foundation.

We will prove that statement right up to the hilt.

The anti-trust lawyers tell the public that they won a previous anti-trust suit against us at Danville, Illinois. They did.

What they do not tell you is that they brought case after case against the A&P in federal courts all over the United States. Before they won this case they suffered three defeats.

The anti-trust lawyers have told everybody about the time that the courts said they were right. We think you are entitled to know about the three times the courts said they were wrong.

Now we are going to tell you about the first one. In future advertisements we will tell you about all of them.

The Washington Bread Case

In April, 1941, the anti-trust lawyers brought a criminal suit in Washington, D. C.

They charged that the A&P, two grocery chain competitors, two labor unions and other good American citizens had conspired to fix the price of bread.

Can anyone imagine any charge calculated to be more damaging to a retail grocery business? They asked millions of people to believe that we were the kind of grocers who would take bread out of the mouths of poor people and make it harder for a wife and mother to feed her family.

These charges were false.

In that case it developed that the A&P and the two competitors who were charged with conspiring with us to maintain high bread prices actually sold bread cheaper than most of the other stores in Washington.

The anti-trust lawyers presented and argued their case. When they were through, Federal District Judge Allen T. Goldsborough ruled that A&P and the other defendants did not even have to put in a defense. He ordered the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

Judge Goldsborough said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all."

"Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was as absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it."

So here was a case in which the anti-trust lawyers made seriously damaging charges against the A&P, in support of which, in the words of the court, they did not have "any evidence at all."

This was not the only time the anti-trust lawyers made charges against the A&P which the courts said were not true. In future ads we are going to tell you about these other suits. We are not going to duck, either. We are going to tell you about the criminal suit that the anti-trust lawyers won at Danville, Illinois.

The anti-trust lawyers say that they are not attacking "bigness" or efficiency. They have to say that because the courts have decided that "bigness" and efficiency and selling at low prices is not a crime.

But the fact is crystal clear that they only brought their bread suit against the big companies and against companies that sold good bread at the lowest prices; just as in this current suit they are attacking a big company that sells good food cheap.

We are going to show the American people that the suit to destroy A&P is really a suit against efficiency and against real competition.

The real question involved in this suit is whether businessmen are going to be encouraged to do a better and more efficient job; or whether we are going to let the anti-trust lawyers in Washington blow the whistle on anybody who gets big by giving the people more for their money.

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SENIOR PLAY

During the Christmas season much time and work was made in making the costumes for the play, "Life which is being directed by E. Stevens of the P. Other faculty members in the play are as follows: Margaret Hawkesworth and furniture; Miss G. I. Miss Marjorie Smith; Miss Jeanne T. Ber...

Alston O'Hara of the class is in charge of the lighting. He has been working on the order of lights for the play.

Bancroft Fredrickson, manager with Roy Raymond Collins, Jr. and John McCarthy, are helping hand.

Gregory Arabian, chairman of the ticket sale, while Elizabeth Boland and Mortimer are in charge of the costume group.

Chairman of the play committee is K. There is keen interest among the seniors who have divided into 11 teams for the purpose of selling tickets. The team leader is Suzanne Markey.

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PUNCHARD HIGH

By JANET THOMPSON

SENIOR PLAY

During the Christmas vacation much time and work was spent in making the costumes, scenery, and other equipment for the senior class play, "Life With Father", which is being directed by Mervin E. Stevens of the Punchard faculty. Other faculty supervisors for the play are as follows: Miss Margaret Hawkesworth, properties and furniture; Miss Agnes Dugan, ushers; Mrs. G. B. Hardy and Miss Marjorie Smith, costumes; Miss Jeanne T. Bernadin, tickets.

Alston O'Hara of the senior class is in charge of lights and has been working on a new border of lights for the stage.

Bancroft Fredrickson is stage manager with Robert Prescott, Raymond Collins, James Calder, and John McCarthy all lending a helping hand.

Gregory Arabian is general chairman of the ticket committee, while Elizabeth Boloian and Barbara Mortimer are co-chairmen of the costume group.

Chairman of the general class play committee is Kent Donovan.

There is keen competition among the seniors who have been divided into 11 teams, each with the purpose of selling the most tickets. The team captains are, Suzanne Markey, Allen Wood,

Frank Brennan, William Walsh, Phidias Dantos, Robert Whitney, David Wetterberg, Raymond Collins, Bancroft Fredrickson, Donald Mudgett, Joseph Ratyna.

Goldsmith Contest

Sunday, Jan. 1, participants in the Goldsmith prize speaking contest met with Mervin E. Stevens of the school faculty to read through one third of "Western Star," a book of poetry by Steven Vincent Bonet with which the contestants are to familiarize themselves. Work was also done on the memorized selections which the participants will present.

Junior Class Notes

Gloria St. Jean was awarded a prize recently for selling the most "Blue and Gold" pencils during the fall campaign to raise money for the Junior class treasury.

Members of the ring committee have been selected as follows: David Brucato, Bessie Christie, Jean Davis, Scott Gerrish, Elizabeth Locke, Charles McCullom, Marion White, Thomas Wilkinson, Frances Ratyna, Nancy Adams, Clifford Lawrence, ex officio.

Mid-Year Exams

Mid-year exams will be given Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, Jan. 18, 19, and 20.

P. H. S. Sport

By JOE RAYBALL

Basketball

Punchard high's basketball team that is enjoying a 3 and 1 record going into tomorrow night's game with Pinkerton academy at Pinkerton should be a favorite over the New Hampshire boys.

The locals won two more games last week defeating the Alumni in thrilling contest before a small crowd by the score of 37 to 34. Then Friday they met Stevens high of Rumford, Me., at the Boston Arena and won by a 42 to 36 score. Capt. Dwyer who returned to the starting lineup led his mates over the Maine team by scoring 13 points. On Tuesday, Jan. 10, the locals meet Amesbury on the Amesbury court with the game scheduled to get under way at 3 p.m. The starting line-ups for each of these games is not known.

Track

Due to a mix up in schedule the Punchard high school track team coached by Donald D. Dunn and led by Joe Ratyna will not attend the naval meet at the Fargo Building this Saturday. Mr. Dunn and Donal Mudgett student manager are trying to arrange several meets for the locals, this coming season. A meet will be held in the near future with the Academy Jayvee A track team.

Praises Red Cross Motor Corps Work

In this season when people are expressing and receiving messages of good will, the Andover chapter of the American Red Cross is happy about a letter sent by a thoughtful citizen of Andover in appreciation of services the chapter was able to give.

It was the Red Cross Motor corps which provided her with needed transportation to the hospital. The writer closed by saying "It is nice to know there is the Red Cross to which one can turn in time of need."

Never a week and scarcely a day goes by that Motor corps is not called upon for some errand. Patients are carried to clinics and when necessary the driver of the Red Cross beach wagon waits hours to bring the patients home again. Or perhaps a neighboring chapter needs an emergency errand done while its Motor corps is on other duty. Sometimes it is an emergency blood donor to be carried to and from a hospital.

On Christmas day it was a trip to Bedford Veterans hospital to take "seven forgotten men" to see the lighted trees and decorations.

Andover chapter is indebted to Mrs. Leon A. Field and Mrs. John P. Connors, the volunteers who serve the community in this capacity. During December alone they made 27 trips which involved 60 hours and 1052 miles.

CHOIR HOLDS PARTY

The Free church senior choir held an enjoyable party Thursday evening with about 30 present.

Among the invited guests were the Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Amy; Mr. and Mrs. David L. Coutts and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Higginson.

SLATTERY CLASS

The Margaret Slattery class met at the home of Mrs. Thomas Gorrie, 22 Brook st. recently for their monthly business meeting. New mystery pals were drawn for the year. Chicken patties were served by the committee.

B.P.W. MEETING

The board of public works met Tuesday night and devoted most of its time to consideration of the budget. The board will continue its work on the budget at another meeting tonight.

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DAY and NIGHT



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Announce Speaker In Church Series

Prof. Anthony Bertocci, A.M., Ph.D., will be the chapel speaker at the University of Life evening service, March 5, according to an announcement by the arrangements committee.

Sponsored by the Andover council of churches the University of Life series will be conducted on successive Sunday evenings from Jan. 29 to Mar. 5 inclusive.

Dr. Bertocci has written many articles in philosophy, psychology, religion and education and has done much speaking and lecturing before young people and adults in high schools, colleges, and adult organizations, and is particularly appreciated by young people.

A graduate of Somerville high school and holder of degrees from Boston university and Harvard university, Dr. Bertocci is at present secretary of the American Theological society.

Details of the University of Life will be announced next week by Herbert P. Carter, chairman of the arrangements committee.

Vesper Series To Open At The Cochran Chapel

Sunday vesper services at the Cochran chapel from Jan. 8 to Mar. 5 inclusive will include a series of 10-minute talks on the topic, "The search for meaning in Life."

The subjects of discussion at the services, which will begin with an organ prelude at 5 p.m., are eight of the world's seekers of truth, as follows:

- Jan. 8, Zarathustra — Whose religion might have been ours;
- Jan. 15, Buddha — Who sought the cause and cure of suffering;
- Jan. 22, Confucius — Sage and Scholar and seeker for a righteous state;
- Jan. 29, Mohammed — The camel boy who became Prophet of Allah;
- Feb. 5, Job — Who dared to question the justice of God;
- Feb. 12, St. Francis of Assisi — God's troubadour;
- Feb. 19, Socrates — The Gadfly of God;
- Feb. 28, Jesus A Prophet and more than a Prophet;
- Mar. 5, A service of special music led by the choirs of Abbot academy and Phillips academy.

Mistaken Identity

Drama Critic Alexander Woolcott was emerging from a theater one night when a stranger approached him and said: "Hello, Mr. Hammond, I'm delighted to meet you. I've been wanting to tell you for years that I think your drama reviews are the best I've ever read."

The man grasped Woolcott's hand and shook it effusively.

"This is a great pleasure, Mr. Hammond," he told the dazed critic.

A friend of Woolcott, who had witnessed the scene, walked up to him after the stranger had departed.

"Can you imagine that!" said the friend. "The poor guy doesn't even know that Percy Hammond is dead!"

"I can forgive that," sighed Woolcott. "What hurts is that he doesn't know I'm alive!"

Nobody's Perfect!

The male half of a new dance team was pleading with a producer.

"You never saw anything so sensational," the dancer raved. "At the finish of our act I take my partner by the hair and whirl her around for exactly 20 spins. Then I wind up the whole thing by heaving her through an open window."

The producer paled. "Heave her through an open window?" he repeated incredulously. "Do you do that at every performance?"

The young man shrugged. "Nobody's perfect," he admitted. "Sometimes I miss!"

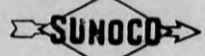
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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

THE YEAR AHEAD

Peering into the year ahead at the request of The Townsman, several town fathers have presented their views on the more important matters on which the town must take action in the near future.

The school problem has been brought into the foreground of 1950 planning by the recent survey and recommendations of the school consultants. Allied with the need for new buildings, Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman of the school committee reminds us, is the need of qualified teachers to take care of the increased enrollment now being felt in the lower elementary grades, not only in Andover but throughout the nation. New housing and qualified teachers are the first problems of the school department.

The board of public works has expansion plans for the water and sewage systems to keep pace with the growth of the town. These, Sidney P. White, chairman of the board reveals, are projects proposed to be done over a period of years, although the new reservoir suggested, is needed to keep the town's water supply higher than it has been in dry years.

In addition to the problems in the school and water departments, there are increases expected in the expenditures for public welfare and in the protection of persons and property, Roy E. Hardy, chairman of the selectmen, assessors and board of public welfare, foresees.

In his discussion he says the town is like an individual—it wants to maintain its standards and improve them if financially feasible. He sees no decrease in sight in the cost of local government, but says the town is in good financial condition, adding that "vigilance and vision on part of both the officials and the taxpayers are needed as we approach our 1950 problems."

GOOD BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The old year has passed into history leaving its record of success and failure, joy and sorrow, in which all have shared. Now that it has been consigned to the past, what is in prospect for 1950?

Good business, say the economists who, viewing the 1950 picture in relation to the year just closed, seem to be in general agreement that business activity for the first six months will continue high, with only a slight decline for the second half of the year.

In the military field the experts see a sharp business increase due to unsettled conditions in both Europe and Asia, but predict no more than an extension of the "cold" war in the coming year.

Some of the things they look for on the domestic side are an increase in the federal budget, labor conflicts with but few wage increases, a general lowering of commodity prices, and elimination of the "nuisance" taxes as a stimulation to business.

When 1950 comes to a close 12 months hence, may it be that its joys will exceed its sorrows, and its achievements be so great that the disappointments will need little time for consideration.

FEDERAL SPENDING

If anyone wonders why the cost of the federal government is just about the most critical domestic issue we face, a tabulation recently printed by Reader's Digest will make the reason clear. It simply shows the amounts of money spent by each of the Presidents from the beginning of the nation up to September 30, 1949.

Washington and Adams each spent a little more than \$34,000,000. Lincoln had a war on his hands, yet his budgets totaled only \$3,252,000,000. Thereafter, expenses went down again. McKinley, for instance, spent just over \$2,000,000,000.

The first really big budget came with the first world war and the Wilson administration—nearly \$47,000,000,000. Again expenses dropped, with Coolidge and Hoover together spending around \$34,000,000,000.

Then came the depression, President Roosevelt and the New Deal. During his first eight years in office Mr. Roosevelt's administration cost some \$67,500,000,000. The grand total for all the Presidents through 1940 was \$179,620,000,000. And that total, it must be remembered, covers more than 150 years of our history.

Reader's Digest leaves out the extraordinary expenditures of the World War II years—1941-45. It then lists President Truman's spending from the 1946 fiscal year to the end of September, 1949. It adds up to over \$191,000,000,000—nearly \$12,000,000,000 more than all his 32 predecessors spent except for the 1941-1945 period.

Here is a very revealing picture of the way the nation has gone. It is true that conditions have changed over the years. But it is also true that the government has expanded in every direction to a point greater than most of us realize. Mr. Truman is now a symbol of that expansion, but he is not the major cause. Pressure groups of every kind have grown infinitely more adept and powerful, and officeholders of both parties have fallen into line. The results are our huge budgets, with recurring federal deficits in spite of these budgets.

Small wonder that more and more people are showing concern over the nation's fiscal affairs and calling for a cut in federal spending.

Views of The News

(Continued from Page One)

If, in addition, Massachusetts for example, would accept only Massachusetts-coined money in exchange for her products sold in other states, trade would be further handicapped. Massachusetts might then decide to protect her own local manufacturers by permitting the importation of only 2,000 out-of-state trucks, with similar quotas on all goods competing with her home-made articles. She would obviously meet retaliation from other states protecting their local manufacturers and producers.

Even this hypothetical set-up would be simple by comparison with Western Europe. Political complications of different types of governments, of free-enterprise versus state-controlled economies, together with suspicions of expansionist-minded neighbors—all these complicate the job enormously.

If ECA is to achieve its objective, it must set out along practical lines. It must somehow persuade the removal of quotas that restrict imports from neighboring countries. Currencies must be allowed to move freely from one nation to another. And tariffs must be lowered in order to stimulate trade.

Proposed European Clearing Fund

Of these methods, the easy circulation of money is perhaps the hardest to achieve. And so efforts are now being made to set up a "clearing-fund." Today most trade deals are bilateral—between two nations. Obviously, the goods exchanged may not balance out exactly. So nation A, selling a greater value of goods than she buys from nation B, demands the difference in nation A currency. This illustration is oversimplified, but the generality holds true. If trade is to be multilateral or many-sided, these money difficulties must be removed. In effect, nations would then buy and sell in the open market. When a series of transactions had finished, there would be one debtor owing one creditor. If one general currency were in use, as in our own 48 states, the debt would be a simple matter.

It is very easy to assume that if 48 states can work together financially, then 16 Marshall Plan nations should have no difficulty in co-operating harmoniously. But such a point of view is as false as our too-common assumption that our own brand of democratic political and economic life has only to be exported in order to be welcomed throughout the world. But a start has to be made, and the "clearing-fund" proposal is a concrete beginning.

United States dollars have the best chance of acceptance as virtual guarantee of "worth" behind them—certainly in buying power. So the purpose of the clearing-fund is to make European currencies transferrable or interchangeable with each other. By this means, nation B would not run up a debt which would be unmanageable because nation A would not accept B's currency. But naturally enough, the United States would want some sort of guarantee that the clearing-fund had a better than fair chance of succeeding in its objective. There would have to be insistence upon the removal of quotas and other trade barriers.

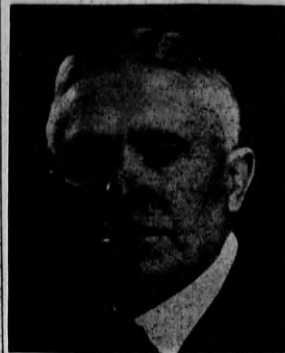
New Objective of Marshall Plan

Thus the Marshall Plan goes beyond its original purpose of getting Europe back on the road to recovery by sending American foodstuffs and raw materials as a virtual gift. This recovery has to a large extent been achieved. The new main purpose of the Marshall Plan would be to encourage a large single European market, so that greater productivity and lower prices would bring greater prosperity.

The clearing-fund proposal has obvious merits. There will be attempts to limit its operations, perhaps to side-step its real purpose. Great patience will be required from the United States. For there are many complicating factors to be examined. If we can try to look at them as Europeans see them, perhaps we will begin to appreciate their difficulty.

(Mr. James will continue his discussion of this subject next week.)

MEET —



THE REV. NEWMAN MATTHEWS

Although the Rev. Newman Matthews retired from the pastorate of the West Parish church after a little less than 25 years of service, he has not been idle, but has continued many of his ministerial duties. He has conducted many funeral services and a large number of services in churches of this section of different denominations. He served his former church during the long illness of the late Donald H. Savage and until a new pastor was secured.

The Rev. Mr. Matthews was born in Drayton, Ontario, Canada, on Dec. 14, 1868. He was educated at Phillips Andover, Harvard and Bangor Theological seminary. He received ordination to the ministry in 1895, and had pastorates in Pennsylvania, New York, and Florida before coming to Andover.

He and his wife, the former Elizabeth Tomlinson, who live on High Plain rd., recently passed the fifty-fourth anniversary of their marriage. They have one son, two grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago—January 1900

Miss Maud M. Cole chosen organist for the Seminary chapel. The thermometer dropped to 20 below zero this week. The 8:30 a.m. express from Boston to Portland, stopped Thursday morning to leave many Phillips academy boys.

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Florists and Gardeners' club will be held in the Town house. A paper will be read on "How to grow Carnations."

Warren Mears has the top of his thumb cut off by a circular saw.

A special meeting of the Andover cricket club will be held in Abbott Village hall to consider the proposed by-laws for the new Merrimack Valley cricket league.

Principal Baldwin of Pynchard Free school had a bad fall while skating last week at Rabbits' pond. An ugly gash was cut in his forehead which necessitated several stitches. Although confined to the house for several days he was able to assume his duties at the opening of school.

New members who care for singing are urged to join the singing classes at the Guild house. The evening chorus hopes to present a concert in the spring.

25 Years Ago—January 1925

The agent at the B. and M. station is pleased to announce that a telephone has been installed at the local ticket office. This much-needed convenience will greatly improve the service at the local station.

The 25th anniversary of their marriage was celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. David Archibald at their home on Haverhill st. A large gathering of relatives and friends were present and the couple received many beautiful and useful gifts.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott left for Florida where they will spend the winter.

A rehearsal for the Pynchard junior class play was held in the school hall.

Preliminary plans have already been made for the second in a series of smokers by the Knights of Columbus. Several new men are scheduled to appear in the bouts, including several from Lawrence and vicinity.

An enjoyable dance was conducted in the November club by Miss Esther Dwyer. About 50 couples attended.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alfred C. Church reached Andover Wednesday having come from Brooklyn, N. Y. by automobile. The Rev. Mr. Church will occupy the Free church pulpit Sunday morning.

The Andover fire department was called out twice Sunday, one fire completely destroying a camp on Tewksbury road and the other blaze on Salem st. was quickly extinguished.

10 Years Ago—January 1940

"Phillips Inn" becomes "Andover Inn" when the management of the well-known hostelry on Chapel ave. is taken over by other hotel interests.

The trustees of Spring Grove cemetery voted to accept the monument donated by the Legion auxiliary for the lot known as the Legion lot. The post and the auxiliary attended the meeting.

The British War veterans held

their annual New Year's party at the Andover Guild with dancing from 8 to 12 to the tune of Alexander's old (rag) time band.

Warren Lewis of Lowell st., Gerard Twomey and Jack Pidgeon of Haverhill st. attended the hockey game at the arena.

Prof. A. M. Davis spoke on "Why an Englishman loves his garden" before a small and interested group of Andover club members. At the close of the lecture afternoon coffee was served under the direction of Mrs. Jerome W. Cross.

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LAWRENCE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY PUBLIC INVITATION for Bids for Purchase of \$2,750,000 principal amount of First Mortgage Bonds, Series A, —%, due 1979. Lawrence Gas and Electric Company (hereinafter called the "Company") hereby invites bids, subject to the terms and conditions herein stated or referred to, for the purchase of \$2,750,000 principal amount of First Mortgage Bonds, Series A, —%, due 1979 of the Company, to be dated December 1, 1949 and to be due December 1, 1979. Copies of "Terms and Conditions for Bids for Purchase of \$2,750,000 principal amount of First Mortgage Bonds, Series A, —%, due 1979" of the Company (hereinafter called the "Terms and Conditions"), and of all other relevant documents referred to in the Terms and Conditions, may be examined and copies of the Terms and Conditions and certain of such documents may be obtained at Room 1030, 441 Stuart Street, Boston 16, Massachusetts. Bids will be received at the Directors' Room, Eleventh Floor, 441 Stuart Street, Boston 16, Massachusetts, up to 12 Noon, Eastern Standard Time, on January 10, 1950, or on such later date as may be fixed by the Company as provided in the Terms and Conditions. Prior to acceptance of any bid, the bidder or bidders will be furnished with a copy of the Prospectus relating to the Series A Bonds. Bids for the purchase of the Series A Bonds will be considered only if made in accordance with and subject to the Terms and Conditions. The Company hereby further advises prospective bidders that officers and representatives of the Company, counsel for the Company, representatives of Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery, and representatives of Messrs. Choate, Hall & Stewart, who have been selected by the Company as counsel for the successful bidders, will be available in Room 200, 441 Stuart Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on January 5, 1950, at 11 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, to meet with prospective bidders for the purpose of reviewing with them the information contained in the Registration Statement, in the Prospectus and in the Terms and Conditions. All prospective bidders are invited and urged to be present at such meeting. LAWRENCE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY By HARRY HANSON, Treasurer December 30, 1949.

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Beauty and serviceability... the new Dodge cars now displaying the new Dodge models, are large protection to parking in gleaming stainless steel replacement costs.

The J. W. Robinson dealers in Andover since now displaying the new line of automobiles in the rooms at 43 Park st.

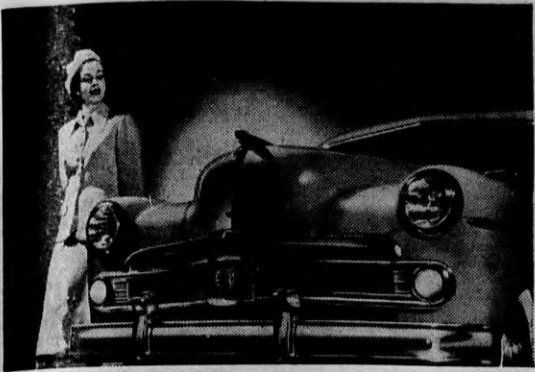
The 1950 Dodge longer and lower in appearance... result of styling modern rear fenders are larger and the rear wheel is wider. The rear window coronet and Meadowbrook increased one-third. New bar-type grille, of peace construction to repair and replacement larger bumper guards, for chrome trim, a rear instrument panel, new bowl insulation and new are among the improvements. Harry E. Williams, manager J. W. Robinson Co. indicates that the new Dodge is in ten body styles a standard wheelbases. The generous head room, leg room, seat height door openings of models, which establish a high in retail sale.

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1950 DODGE ON DISPLAY AT J. W. ROBINSON CO.



Beauty and serviceability are combined in the front end design of the new Dodge cars now on display at the showrooms of the J. W. Robinson Co. at 43 Park Street, Andover. Bumper guards, on the new Dodge models, are larger and of special design to provide maximum protection to parking lights, hood and grille. The grille is made of gleaming stainless steel members, replaceable separately to minimize replacement costs.

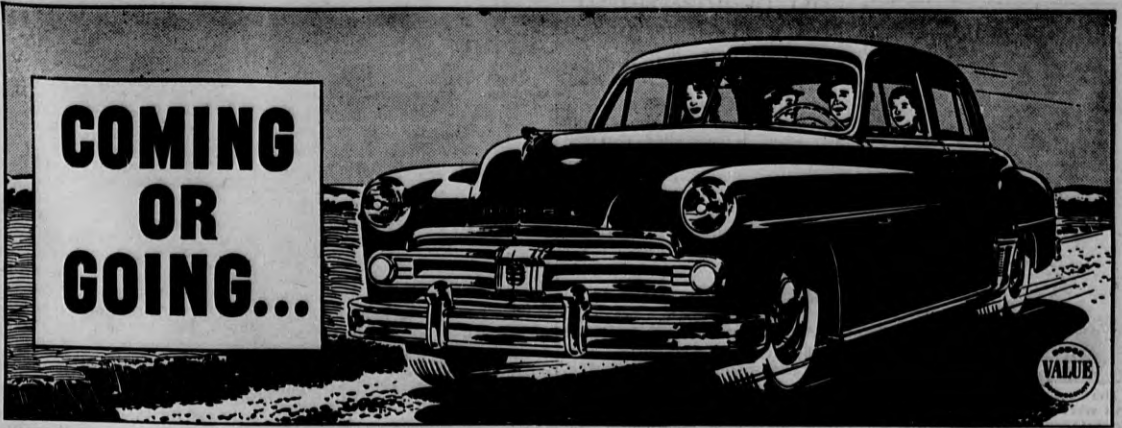
The J. W. Robinson Co., Dodge dealers in Andover since 1937, is now displaying the new Dodge line of automobiles in their showrooms at 43 Park st.

The 1950 Dodge models are longer and lower in appearance as a result of styling modifications. Rear fenders are larger and longer and the rear tread is two inches wider. The rear window area in Coronet and Meadowbrook Models is increased one-third. New parallel bar-type grille, of separate piece construction to minimize repair and replacement cost; new larger bumper guards, new exterior chrome trim, a restyled instrument panel, new dash and bowl insulation and new tail lights are among the improvements.

Harry E. Williams, manager of the J. W. Robinson Co. in Andover states that the new Dodge is available in ten body styles and on two standard wheelbases. They retain the generous head room, shoulder room, leg room, seat height and side door openings of preceding models, which established an all-time high in retail sales. Fluid

drive is no-extra-cost equipment on all models. Gyro-Matic transmission, which frees the driver from shifting, is available in the Coronet series.

The sales staff at the J. W. Robinson Co. includes Harry E. Williams, manager and long associated with the sales of automobiles in the area; Clyde A. White, a veteran auto man in Andover and James A. Renny, well known Andover resident. Albert A. Walker of Andover is foreman of the Robinson service department and has a log of 28 years experience in auto repair. Merlin V. Winward and Joseph J. Raine, mechanics work in the service department under the direction of Mr. Walker. The lubricorium work is supervised by Elias Rizkallah assisted by Harry G. Murphy. The accounting work is the responsibility of Lawrence H. Stahley, Jr. The preceding staff plus the large facilities of the J. W. Robinson plant in Andover provides a complete automobile service to the residents of the town.



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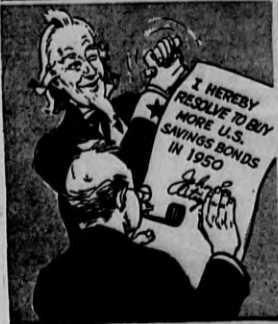
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COST OF GOVERNMENT RIVALS FOOD IN DRAIN ON PUBLIC'S PURSE

Figures compiled by the U. S. department of commerce on where the people's money comes from and where it goes show that the aggregate cost of government in the United States—federal, state and local—has become the rival of food as the biggest single charge on the public's purse. Clothing and shelter have been left far behind.

Such relationships have few peacetime precedents, and then only since the war and in the deficit financing period of the '30s. They therefore provide a clear insight into the impact of the rising cost of government, and the consequent burden of taxation to support it, on the people and on the economy at large.

Department of commerce figures give the aggregate value of all food expenditures in 1948 as \$52.9 billions. The total cost of federal, state and local government last year was \$51.8 billions. Thus for every dollar spent on food in the nation in 1948 the cost of government was 98 cents.

In 1947 government cost the people 90 cents for every dollar of food expenditure. From 1946 on back through 1940 the relationships were distorted by the cost of the war and its accompanying enormous increase in federal expenditures.

Relationships approximating those of the last two years between the overall cost of government and aggregate food expenditures are in marked contrast with those that prevailed in previous periods of peacetime prosperity. In 1929, for example, the aggregate value of all food expenditures in the nation was \$19.7 billions. Federal, state and local expenditures in that year added up to \$10.2 billions. Thus for every dollar spent on food in the nation in 1929 the overall cost of government was only 52 cents, a ratio little more than half that of last year.

With respect to other major items of personal expenditures, department of commerce figures show that the overall cost of gov-

College Students Admit Cheating

Cheating on American college campuses is worse than ever before and has become a major problem to administrators. Moreover, the successful cheat is no longer scorned, but often admired on the campus.

These are some of the conclusions made from a country-wide investigation, results of which are reported in a recent issue of *Cosmopolitan* magazine.

"In a recent survey conducted by *The Ohio State Lantern*," says the report, "222 out of a simple group of 300 students said they felt that cheating was dishonest. But 203 replied that they would cheat in tests if given an opportunity." According to the investigators, "we found this attitude not at all unusual in our broad general survey."

Both students and administrators were questioned on campuses from small New England colleges to large western universities. At the University of Michigan, where 22,000 students are enrolled, the assistant dean told investigators: "Overcrowding is one of the most significant reasons for the increase in cheating. The student feels he is a very little fish in a very big ocean. Impersonality results, and the student loses his sense of ethical responsibility."

The article cites some interestingly elaborate techniques of cheating. These include notes written on cigarette packages, the use of "pinch-hitters" to take exams, and the discovery at Columbia university that crucial formulae for a physics test had been carefully painted on the shades of overhanging light fixtures in the classroom.

"Some schools," the investigators report, "are succeeding in licking the cheating situation, and the most successful of these are the schools having honor systems. . . . However, the basic solution lies in making college students realize their purpose in going to college and accept the mature responsibilities that go with their attendance."

ernment in 1948 was the equivalent of—

More than three times the year's expenditures on housing;

Over double the cost of household operation for the year, and that includes everything in running a home;

More than twice the amount spent on clothing, accessories and jewelry combined;

Three times the cost of all improvement outlays, including automobile purchases and their operation.

Except for transportation, the people spent more on each of the above classifications in 1929 than they did on government.

The records show that the dominant development in these changed relationships is the great increase in federal expenditures in the last two decades. In 1929 federal expenditures were \$2.6 billions, equivalent to only a quarter of the total cost of government in that year. By 1940 the cost of the federal government had grown to over \$10 billions, more than half of all government expenditures in that year. Last year federal expenditures were \$34.4 billions, equivalent to more than two-thirds of the total cost of government in 1948. And the trend is still upward, according to present indications.

KEEP WATCH WARM

It's a good idea to wear your wrist watch in bed. The reason is that the special oil used for lubricating its delicate machinery tends to thicken at low temperatures. *Cosmopolitan* magazine cites the advice of watchmakers that you should never let a watch spend a cold night on a stone or hardwood surface. Placing a pocket watch in a drawer, preferably between two handkerchiefs, will give it protection similar to that which your body warmth gives to a wristwatch.

DON'T SEAR MEAT

Contrary to common belief, searing a roast does not "seal in" the juices. Actually, the procedure toughens the outer layer of the meat. If you like that seared flavor, go ahead—but, says *Cosmopolitan* magazine, don't blame the butcher for the result.

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Water System Shows Effects Of Recent Dry Summer And Fall

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The two reservoirs will furnish a combined storage of 7.5 million gallons which is the equivalent of two days supply for the town under the maximum demand of last summer.

The reservoir will be large enough to protect the needs of the low-service system, serving the built-up sections of the central and southern portions of the town until about the year 2000 A.D. and it has been planned in such a manner that it can be enlarged to a total storage capacity of fifteen (15) million gallons when the need arises. Land has been acquired for the location of a distribution reservoir in the West district and present mains are so planned that when construction of this West district reservoir is indicated the force mains will be available.

The high-service pumping facilities are in need of improvement and enlargement. The present Bancroft Road pumping station equipment is overtaxed during periods of high demand and it is planned to increase the capacity of this station by the addition of a new dual-driven 450 gallon per minute pump which will assure a more adequate supply of water to the high-service distribution reservoir on Prospect hill.

Other improvements in the form of more positive electrical control equipment and measuring devices are also planned for this station, all of which will improve the efficiency of the high-service system.

The new force main from Haggets pond to Bancroft road has been partially completed in recent years and the final link from Phillips street to Bancroft road is now needed to ease the burden on the main pumps and extend their useful life until such time as they can be replaced.

This section of force main is to be of twelve-inch cement-lined cast iron pipe, and will extend from Phillips street through the West campus of Phillips academy to Hidden road and thence by Gardner avenue to Bancroft road.

It is also equally desirable to install a new force main of ten-inch cement-lined cast iron pipe from Bancroft road pumping station to the high-service reservoir. The present eight-inch main is old and so heavily encrusted inside that it greatly adds to the pumping load at the station.

A secondary part of this latter improvement consists of the installation of new ten-inch pipe in Salem street to better the flow of water in the high-service system.

Other improvements such as the increasing of pumping facilities at Haggets pond station, the increasing of storage capacity at Haggets pond, and enlargement of the high-service storage and distribution facilities are being studied, and further news relative to this work will be forthcoming at a later date.

The estimated cost of the new reservoir and its piping is \$90,000, that for the pumping station improvements at Bancroft Road \$15,000, and for the force main from Phillips street to Bancroft road \$40,000. The total of these three improvements which are of vital importance is \$145,000.

It has been estimated that the cost of the force main to Prospect hill and the Salem street improvement would cost about \$68,000 at present-day prices.

The board of public works also has made preliminary studies and approximate cost estimates of a sewerage system for portions of Ballardvale, together with the necessary trunk sewer to connect the Ballardvale system with the present trunk sewer system. This project, one of major proportions, is currently being re-examined in the light of present day costs and further information will be soon available on this subject.

COSTUME TRICKS

Have you ever heard that you can narrow the appearance of wide hips by paying careful attention to your gloves? It's true, says *Good Housekeeping* magazine. Gloves that contrast too strongly with your costume—white with black or navy, black with very light colors—emphasize the distance between your hands. If you happen to be wearing gloves that contrast strongly, hold your purse under your arm so that one hand is up.

The first opening of lands to white settlement in what is now the state of Oklahoma occurred on April 22, 1889.

IT PAYS TO SET FAMILY AFFAIRS IN ORDER NOW

Do you know how much your family is worth, and where important documents like marriage and birth certificates, wills, life insurance policies, and social security cards are? You will achieve a new peace of mind and your family will have an additional feeling of security if you and your husband take the time to make an inventory of what you own jointly and singly, says Sylvia Porter. Writing in *McCall's* for December, she tells you how she and her husband went about organizing their affairs and gives you a lot of items to check, as a starter:

"Get three pieces of paper from your desk. Label one 'Husband', the second 'Wife', the third 'The Two of Us.' Then go on a family treasurer hunt.

"Social Security: Take out your social security card. On your husband's sheet, or on yours or on both, mark down the number of the card, and note where it is usually kept. If you've lost your card write to the social security board in Baltimore, give your name, working address and number, and apply for a duplicate.

"Your marriage and birth certificates: You can't collect social security benefits or benefits from many insurance companies unless you can submit proof of your age and marriage. Note location of these documents on your sheets. The right place for them, by the way, is a special strongbox at home or a safe-deposit box in a nearby bank.

"Bank accounts: Both of you may know about each other's accounts, but you may be vague as to the names of the banks and their addresses. Write down the vital facts now.

"Savings bonds: Count up the bonds you own, put down the maturity date of each, its determination, its serial number, then record the total.

"Various insurance policies: Of all the subjects we should talk out together, this is one of the most important.

"Insurance cannot just be bought; it must be planned by the husband and wife together. Put down on your husband's sheet the names and addresses of his insurance companies, the amounts of his policies, the benefits they provide for you and your family, the methods of settlement.

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"Your home: More than 40 per cent of America's homes are in the names of women. Yet many women are utterly ignorant of what ownership implies and the responsibility it carries.

"Find out where the deed to your house is, the record of payments you have made on it, the

mortgage certificate, the tax papers, the other documents so important to proving your ownership and position.

"Wills: It's only natural for us to avoid this subject, but reluctance and delay can cause heart-break, expense and pain to our loved ones.

"So if you haven't gotten your wills out of the way do it now. Put them in the safekeeping of your lawyer or a trusted friend or in the strongbox at home."

Inter-Church Basketball

The schedule of games in the Inter-church Basketball league for the latter part of the season is as follows:

Jan. 28
Juniors vs. South, St. Joseph vs. Baptist, CYO vs. West Parish.

Intermediates—CYO vs. West Parish, Free vs. South, St. Augustine vs. B. V. Cong.

Seniors—St. Augustine vs. CYO, Free vs. South.

Jan. 30
Juniors—St. Augustine vs. Free, St. Joseph vs. B. V. Cong., CYO vs. South.

Intermediates—Christ vs. West Parish, CYO vs. South, St. Joseph vs. B. V. Cong.

Seniors—South vs. CYO, Free vs. St. Joseph.

Feb. 6
Juniors—Christ vs. West Parish, St. Augustine vs. St. Joseph, CYO vs. Free.

Intermediates—St. Augustine vs. Free, West Parish vs. Baptist, Christ vs. South.

Seniors—St. Augustine vs. South, CYO vs. St. Joseph.

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Garbed in the colorful costumes of many nations a group of pupils at the Shawsheen school take part in the Christmas program which was successfully presented as part of their Christmas observance under the supervision of the teachers. (Cole Photo)

WEST PARISH

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ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

The annual supper and meeting of the West Parish church was held Wednesday, Dec. 28 in the church vestry. A baked ham supper was served at 6:30 p.m., and was followed by the annual meeting which was opened by prayer offered by the Rev. Newman Matthews, a former pastor.

The report of the clerk was read by Herbert P. Carter, followed by the report of the church treasurer, Warren A. Lewis.

The following were elected to office for 1950: Herbert P. Carter, clerk, who is commencing his 29th year of service in this capacity; Warren A. Lewis, treasurer; Richard Williams, auditor; Arthur R. Lewis, deacon for four years; Herbert P. Carter, deacon for five years; delegates to the Andover council of churches were named, Mrs. Lathrop Merrick, Robert Marland, and Robert Gaskill; members of the flower committee, Mrs. William Titcomb, Mrs. Earl Young, Mrs. John Fielding; Lathrop Merrick was appointed as a delegate to the Laymans' conference.

Reports were read from the Senior Woman's union, Men's Brotherhood, and the Sunday school. The church ratified the

election of Earl Young as superintendent of the Sunday school, and Philip Thomas as assistant superintendent.

A resolution on the recent death of the late William A. Trow was read by Miss Angie Burt, who had known Mr. Trow for many years.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m. when the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Newman Matthews.

Personals

Robert Muller, grandson of Mrs. Margaret Muller of High Plain rd., will leave shortly for London, England where he will attend the world conference of Junior Salvation Army leaders. He is the son of Major and Mrs. Emil Muller of New Haven, Conn.

Miss Virginia Stevens has returned to her home on Virginia rd. after spending several days with friends in Dahlgren, Va. While away, Miss Stevens attended the officers ball held New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Crosby have returned to their home in Dexter, Me. after enjoying the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. William Barron of Virginia rd.

Mrs. Laura Hardy of Haggetts Pond rd. is spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Carruthers of Lowell.

Mrs. John D. C. Little has returned to her home on Shawsheen rd., after spending nearly two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. John Dice of Austin, Texas. She made the trip by plane each way.

The Rev. Raymond Cooper of Baltimore, Md. has returned after spending the holidays with his family on River rd.

Miss Sandra Ritchie of Lowell st. has returned after spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs.

Engagements

McNamara—Shiebler

Mrs. Alice Shiebler of 160 Parker st., Lawrence, announces the engagement of her daughter, Anne Marie of Andover, to Richard Paul McNamara, nephew of Mrs. Rita Darby of 165 N. Main st.

Miss Shiebler is a graduate of St. Patrick's high school, Lawrence, and at present is employed by the Eagle-Tribune printing. Mr. McNamara attended the Andover schools and served in the U. S. navy for three years during World War II.

No definite plans for the wedding have been decided.

Leland—Hewitt

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Youngren of Milwaukee, Wis. announce the engagement of Mrs. Youngren's daughter, Margaret Allis Hewitt, to Edmund Francis Leland III of 59 Phillips st.

Miss Hewitt graduated from Wheaton college in 1949. She made her debut in Milwaukee in 1946, and is a member of the Junior league.

Mr. Leland is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Francis Leland, Jr. He graduated from Holderness school and attended Brown university where he was a member of the Delta Phi fraternity. He served in the Army Air Force for three years as a lieutenant.

The wedding is planned for the early summer.

Warhis Shaw of East Greenwich, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart of High Plain rd., attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brady of Lawrence which was held at their home on New Year's eve.

Friends of Lewis Lane of High Plain rd. will be very sorry to learn that he is seriously ill at the McGowan hospital, Lawrence.

Miss Mabel Barron has returned to West Newton after spending the holidays with her father, William Barron of Haggetts Pond rd.

Miss Ruth Anne Chadwick returned home after spending several days with her roommate at Mt. Holyoke, Miss Jacqueline Goucher of Southbridge. She resumed her studies at college Wednesday.

Mrs. Iske Swannenburg of Harriet, Cuba, has been visiting with her friend, Mrs. Jack Vandenburg of Argilla rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Russell and family rd. spent the weekend with relatives in Sanford, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. William Corliss of High Plain rd. attended a family dinner Sunday at the home of their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuze of Chelmsford.

MOVIES AT BALLARDVALE

There will be a movie program on Thursday, Jan. 12 at the Ballardvale branch of the Memorial Hall library. Grades one through six are invited at 6:30 p.m. to see "Eskimo Children" and "Stars In Stripes". At 7:30 o'clock, students of junior and senior high school and their adult friends are invited to their program. During the evening these films will be shown: "Football Parade Of The Year," "Snakes Are Interesting," and "The Price Of Freedom." Parents and adult members of the community are welcome at any of these programs, which are presented under the joint sponsorship of the Ballardvale Parent-Teachers' association and the Memorial Hall library.

Births ...

Bosworth—A daughter, Suzanne Clare, Dec. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bosworth of Holyoke. There is also a son, Charles, Jr., 6. Mrs. Bosworth is the former Dorothy Campbell of Andover.

Crowther—A son Dec. 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crowther of Angola, Ind. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Arnold Crowther, who was a former resident of Ballardvale.

COURTEOUS CIRCLE

The Courteous circle of the King's daughters will meet in the South church vestry on Monday, Jan. 9 at 6 p.m.

The supper chairman is Mrs. Harry Wadman. The devotional leader is Mrs. Myron Clark. Music will be furnished by a trio consisting of Mrs. Roger Higgins, piano, H. P. Keller, violin, and Hart Leavitt, clarinet.

The guest speaker will be Sumner C. Cobb of the Phillips academy faculty, who will read the play, "Family Portraits". A large attendance is desired.

Personals ...

Douglas Hart, 52 Whittier st., has returned to Wesleyan college, Connecticut following the holidays.

Robert Deyermond, 91 Elm st., has returned to New Hampshire state university following the holidays.

Miss Genevieve Murray, 29 Bartlet st. has returned to Radcliffe college where she is a third year student.

Friends of Mrs. Bella Hamilton, 8 Harding st. will be pleased to learn that she has returned from the Lawrence General hospital and is convalescing at the home of Mrs. David MacDonald, 1 Upland rd.

Mrs. Floyd Napier, 150 Elm st. has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Ruth Gonye and her infant son in So. Berwick, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Sr. of Cumberland, Md. and Mr. and Mrs. Balch and daughters,

Carolyn and Brenda of Staunton, Va. have returned to their homes following a week's vacation at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds Jr., 61 Shawsheen rd.

Mrs. John R. Sullivan is ill at her home, 61 Red Spring rd. Miss Emma Stevens, 121 Summer st. enjoyed the holiday week-end with friends in Boothbay Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Porter, 29 Main st. have moved into their new residence on Pine st.

Miss Jennie Cuthbert of Concord is visiting at the home of Mrs. Thomas Gorrie 22 Brook st.

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SHAWSHEEN VILLAGE WOMAN'S CLUB

On Jan. 6 at 1:30 p.m. there will be an executive board meeting of the Shawsheen Village woman's club at the home of Mrs. Edward P. Dean, 34 Canterbury st.

On Jan. 9 at 8 p.m. there will be an open meeting of the club. Edwin A. Rowlands will present "Hobbies Are My Business" relating famous personalities and their hobbies. Hostess chairman: Mrs. Herbert L. Orstein; Mrs. William Weiss.

P. T. A. The P.T.A. will hold a meeting Jan. 11 at 8 p.m. presenting a forum on child health. Speakers

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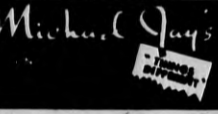
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The Jungle Is Neutral Chapman
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Mode In Costume Wilcox
A development of costume written after exhaustive research among all known accredited sources; forty-eight chapters of descriptive notes, over 1100 drawings of full length figures and accessories, covering each period in every country included — France, England, Germany, Holland, Italy, Ancient Greece and Rome, and Near East from 3000 B.C. to 1948 A.D.

The Wise Encyclopedia Of Cooking
This is supposed to take the place of a row of cookbooks; it might also fill all gaps as far as histories of food go; spice information, kitchen care, table setting, the use of wines, etc.

Father Flanagan of Boys Town Oursler
Thirty-two years ago, Father Flanagan borrowed ninety dollars and five boys, three from juvenile court and two from the streets, and founded Boys' House in downtown Omaha. Now the home is Boys Town, an incorporated village eleven miles from the city, with 900 acres of grounds, and holds 1000 boys from six to eighteen. Intimate, heart-warming stories of boys who entered the home discouraged, frightened and wretched and left it as responsible young men.

New England College Men Walking and Talking Shurcliff
An unusual book with an amazing number of items of interest, as a group of cultured and alert men walk through countryside and streets and talk freely with each other. An education in itself on some points of nature study.

New Ice-Breaker Geister
More than 100 games, based on the latest demand for recreation material, covering all sorts of things from mixers to quizzes. Has an excellent section on party plans and techniques that show how to use the right game at the right moment.

Children's Interests And What They Suggest For Education Jersild
John Dewey did much to clarify the relationship between learning and interest and made many people aware of the significance of that relationship. This book has grown from the fact that many teachers realized this and were willing to work in this experiment, which is described here at length. The book also explores a simple technique which teachers can use in studying their own pupils. Several hundred teachers and parents have "had a hand" in this work.

This I Remember Roosevelt
A dignified and charming remembering of those years as wife of the former president Franklin D. Roosevelt, from the period preceding his first term as governor of New York state to the day of his death. This is what she believes to be true of him, as a politician, a president, a great war leader, as a man, husband, father and friend. Intimate small matters, typical of any family, are warmly and kindly told.

Belgium Gibson
Hugh Gibson, author, was our ambassador to Belgium from 1927 to '33, and 1937 and '38. He knows the country well, and makes this a travel, social study, history type of a book. Not a guide-book, but an over-all picture of a people in a small but important country.

American Social Insurance Gagliardo
One of the few full-length descriptions of social insurance programs in the United States today. It describes them, tells why we have them, how they came to be, what they are and how they function.

COMMISSIONERS' MEETING
The first commissioners' meeting of 1950 was held in the scout office, Lawrence, Wednesday Jan. 4. The opening exercises were in charge of District Commissioner George Bray of Methuen. Council Commissioner Herbert Keogh was in charge of the business meeting and Marvey H. Bacon, scout executive, addressed the group. Walter C. Caswell, district commissioner of Andover had charge of closing exercises. The plans for this meeting were made at a preliminary meeting held Dec. 30 attended by district commissioners only.

Cub Scouts
Boys of 8, 9, and 10 years of age attending the Shawsheen school who are interested in joining the cub scouts should ask their room teachers to give their names to Miss Ann Harnedy, school principal. Application blanks will be available for the boys to take home and have made out by parents and returned to the teachers. If the boys and parents are interested, Cub pack 71 sponsored by the Shawsheen PTA will be re-activated. Several preliminary meetings will be held to explain the program of cubbing to parents.

Unit News
Troop 76 of Ballardvale resumed meetings Tuesday evening Jan. 3. Troop 72 of the Free church, Troop 73 of the South church, and Troop 75 of St. Augustine's church will meet following the holiday season.

Pack 72, cub scouts, of the Free church is probably the largest unit of boys in the North Essex Council. Boys who belong to this pack come from every church in the town. It is hoped that other churches will also see their way clear to sponsor cub packs, and assist in this boys work.

Merit Badges
All but 11 merit badges are now available for second class scouts. No limit is set on the number of badges a second class may earn. The 11 badges reserved for first class scouts are astronomy, camping, cooking, canoeing, first aid, life saving, pioneering, rowing, signaling, surveying, and swimming.

Registrations
Scout, cub, and explorer leaders are asked to get in all new registrations for recruits this week if possible.

Camp Onway
Information on next summer's camping season will be available in a few weeks. The council camping committee has already held a preliminary meeting and another is scheduled.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS
The Campfire Girls of Shawsheen Village, under the direction of Mrs. Allan Dunlop made and sent twelve joke books to the Veterans hospital in Bedford for Christmas.

The mints that the girls have been selling to make money for their own treasury and also for the building fund have been going exceptionally well. Up to this time, they have sold in the vicinity of 200 boxes and during this week they will be selling them in Andover at the bus stop for those who desire repeat orders.

There will be a council fire at the home of Mrs. Allan Dunlop this week to distribute merit awards to the girls selling the most.

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Engagements

Peabody — Gale
The engagement of Miss Miriam Elizabeth Peabody, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Peabody of Grosse Point, Mich., to Justin Edgerton Gale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Gale of 118 Main st., was announced recently.

Miss Peabody is a graduate of Bradford Junior college, and Bradford college. She also studied at the London school of economics last winter. Mr. Gale is a graduate of Phillips Andover academy, Harvard college with the class of 1948 and also studied at Cambridge university in Cambridge, England.

The wedding ceremony will take place February 4.

Ellis — Foster
Mr. and Mrs. Russell J. Foster, 684 N. E. 83rd terrace, Miami, Fla., formerly of 15 Fletcher st., Shawsheen-Village, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Shirley, to Edward Ellis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark Ellis, 49 Athol st., Springfield.

Miss Foster, a graduate of Punched high school, class of 1948, and Miss Framer's school in Boston is spending the winter with her parents in Miami. Mr. Ellis is a graduate of the Technical high school in Springfield and Monson academy and is now attending the University of Michigan. He spent three years in the U. S. army during the war.

A June wedding will take place in Chicopee at the home of Miss Foster's aunt, Mrs. James Marshall.

Lambert — Cross
The engagement of Miss Joan Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cross, 50 Elm st., to Donald B. Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Lambert of 239 Pelham st., Methuen, was announced recently by Miss Cross' parents.

Miss Cross is a graduate of Punched high school. Mr. Lambert is a graduate of the Edward F. Searles high school, Methuen. They have set June as the date for their wedding, after which they will establish their residence in Los Angeles, Calif.

Rockwell — Peck
Mr. and Mrs. Montville Ellsworth Peck of 1 Highland wayside announce the engagement of their daughter, Geraldine Julia, to Henry Davis Rockwell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis Rockwell of North Andover.

White—MacLeish
Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacLeish of 28 Shawsheen rd., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to James White, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James White of Quincy.

Miss MacLeish, a graduate of Punched High school, is a clerk in the Andover Savings bank. Mr. White is taking up accounting at Burdett college, Boston, and expects to graduate in June.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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A man who had been stopping at a snazzy hotel was paying his bill. He looked up at the cashier and asked what it was she had around her neck.

"It's a ribbon," she said. "Why?"

"Well," he replied, "everything else is so high around here that I thought perhaps it was your garter."

Inter-Church Basketball

The eighth in the series of games in the inter-church basketball league was completed Monday evening at the memorial gymnasium with the following results:

Juniors
South 4, West Parish 2
B. V. Cong. 6, Christ 4
St. Augustine's 1, Baptist 0

Colquhoun and McCullough scored for the winners, and Melton for the losers of the first game. Nolin, Sharp, and Payne scored for the winners, and Dalton and Whitman for the losers in the second contest. St. Augustine's won the third game by forfeit.

Intermediates
St. Augustine's 36, Baptist 0
South 22, West Parish 14
St. Joseph's 42, CYO 27

Polgreen and Lucey led the scoring for the winners in the first tilt. Haartz and Lavette scored for the losers and Yancy totaled 18 points for the winners in the second game. Lynch and Hannon led the winners with 11 points between them, and Downes was high-scorer for the losers in the third contest.

Seniors
CYO 34, St. Joseph 28
St. Augustine's 46, South 11
Botsch, Hoyer, and McKee scored 22 points for the losers and McCafferty and Sannette were high scorers for the winners. Cox led the winners of the second contest with 15 points and Yancy was high-scorer for the losers.

40th Wedding Anniversary
A Christmas family reunion marked the 40th wedding observance of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Lawson, 24 Wolcott ave., Christmas day.

A large number of relatives were present and the couple received numerous gifts, flowers and congratulatory messages during the day. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson were married in Methuen Dec. 12, 1909 by the late Rev. Fredrick Wilson of the Free church.

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The Annual Meeting of the Andover National Bank at its Banking House, 20 Andover, Mass., Tuesday, January 10, 1950, at ten o'clock P.M. for the purpose of electing directors and the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.
CHESTER W. HOLLAND

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK
The Annual Meeting of the Andover Savings Bank at its Banking House, 20 Andover, Mass., Tuesday, January 10, 1950, at ten o'clock P.M. for the purpose of electing directors and the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.
E. C. NICHOLS

NOTICE
The Annual Meeting of the Cambridge Mutual Company for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting at the office of the Company, 100 Main Street, Andover, Mass., Monday, January 16, 1950, at ten o'clock P.M.
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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK
The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the Andover Savings Bank will be held at the office of the Company, 542 North Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts, on Monday, January 16, 1950, at two o'clock, P. M., for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

NOTICE
The Annual Meeting of the Members of the Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them, will be held at the office of the Company, 542 North Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts, on Monday, January 16, 1950, at two o'clock, P. M.

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To all persons interested in the estate of Alfred E. Stearns, late of Andover in said County, deceased, and to James Gould, the executor first named in said will.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT
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To all persons interested in the estate of Irving R. Shaw late of Andover in said County, deceased.

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Members of the church circles of the Free church Woman's union have been announced as follows:

January—Mrs. Annie MacDonaid, Mrs. Edith Sorrie, Mrs. Sadie Denholm, Mrs. William Stevens, Mrs. Bella Mooney, Mrs. Bella Auchtenlonie, Mrs. Louise Thompson, Mrs. Norman MacLeish, Mrs. John Nicoll, Mrs. Jean Coutts, Mrs. Frank Buttrick.

February—Mrs. Ruby Rose, Mrs. Bessie Myles, Mrs. Ruby McKenzie, Mrs. Belle Eagle, Miss Ada Powers, Mrs. Agnes Burdett, Mrs. Thomas Gorrie, Mrs. Lillian Paine, Mrs. Thelma Carmichael, Mrs. Gwen Burnett.

March—Mrs. Gladys Deyermund, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. Roy Hood, Mrs. Mary Manning, Miss M. Wilkinson, Mrs. Alice Neil, Mrs. Thomas Neil, Miss Irma Beene, Mrs. Ann Renny.

April—Mrs. Marian Pearson, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. O'Hara, Mrs. Millie Foster, Mrs. Margaret Petrie, Miss Margaret Morrissey, Mrs. Morrissey, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. J. Edgar, Miss Bertha Cuthill.

May—Mrs. Violet Binnie, Mrs. Marie Souter, Mrs. Eva Dea, Mrs. Nan Nicoll, Mrs. Agnes Deyermund, Mrs. Ina Jowett, Mrs. Cora Davidson, Mrs. Doris Black, Mrs. Jessie Poland.

June—Mrs. Etta Chadwick, Mrs. Ruth Hitchings, Mrs. Gwen Sanberg, Mrs. George Burridge, Mrs. Gertrude Allicon, Mrs. Isabella Batchelder, Mrs. Elizabeth Gallagher, Miss Ella Petrie, Miss Nan Lindsay.

September—Mrs. George Cilley, Mrs. Helen Adams, Mrs. Lulu Gillespie, Mrs. Isabel Williams, Mrs. Roger Whitcomb, Mrs. Jean Wood, Mrs. Jessie Finnerty, Mrs. Betty Fitzgerald, Mrs. Ethel Sullivan, Miss Annie Ramsay.

October—Mrs. Bruce Valentine, Mrs. Mary Fraser, Mrs. Alfred Harris, Mrs. David Anderson, Mrs. Donald Laurie, Mrs. William Burnham, Miss Margaret Laurie, Miss Esther Dodge, Miss Esther Batchelder.

November—Miss Mary Fowler, Miss Jessie Fowler, Miss Ina Petrie, Miss Grace Lake, Mrs. Marian Moore, Mrs. Lexie Mozen, Mrs. Archie Gunn, Mrs. Lily Nalrn, Mrs. Lillian Lelacheur.

December—Mrs. Dorothy Peirce, Mrs. Marietta Amy, Mrs. Agnes Fraser, Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. George Keith, Mrs. William Faulkner, Mrs. Margaret Craig, Mrs. Catherine Gordon, Miss Dorothy Barnett.

How to Get a Salary Raise

Once in the days when Sam Bennett was serving as acting city editor on a New York newspaper, there was delivered into his hands a dispatch stating that Charles Schwab had just been elected president of Carnegie Steel Co. at a salary of a million dollars a year. Bennett relegated the news to a single paragraph on page 10. When the publisher came across the buried item, he was fit to be tied.

"Good Lord," Bennett!" he shouted. "Why didn't you give this news a big play on the front page? Don't you know that a young man making a million dollars a year is a great story?"

"Boss," replied Bennett, slightly wearily, "after a salary gets over 40 dollars a week, I just don't know what to say about it." Bennett got a raise.

Woman 50 Years With B&M Railroad

Mrs. Mary S. Boudreau of 53 Essex st., has just been presented with a gold service pass, commemorating fifty years of service with the Boston and Maine railroad. Mrs. Boudreau is a ticket agent-operator on the Portland division of the road, and is now located at the Haverhill station.

In a letter of congratulations from E. S. French, president of the Boston and Maine, which accompanied the pass, French said: "Fifty years ago you became affiliated with the Boston and Maine railroad. Of such a mutually pleasant and profitable association as this has proven to be, we are as proud as you. A half century spent in the service of a single company is by no means an ordinary achievement. In token of appreciation of the loyalty on your part which has made possible the observance of your golden anniversary with us, I am most happy to say 'Congratulations' and to hand you, with our best wishes, the enclosed fifty years service gold pass. By means of this pass, may you find even more pleasurable the already gratifying task of maintaining the friendships you have made during your years on the Boston and Maine."

MARRIAGE RETURNS

The following marriage return has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Francis W. Botsch, 8 Dumbarton st., and Betty May Hainsworth, 15 Bradstreet rd., North Andover, married Dec. 27 by the Rev. Clinton W. Carvell, of the Trinitarian Congregational church, North Andover.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

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

Richard D. Quinn, 44 River st., and Muriel J. Cookson, 20 Birch st., Lawrence.

Funeral . . .

WALTER F. HATCH

The funeral of Walter F. Hatch, 73, of 11 Kenilworth st., Shawshen Village, who died Dec. 30 at the Lawrence General hospital, was held Jan. 1 from the late home with services by the Rev. Johnson N. Armistead, pastor of Central Methodist church. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

The bearers were: Dean K. Webster, Jr., Walter N. Webster, Charles D. McDuffie, and Charles Morgan.

Mr. Hatch is survived by two sisters, Miss Mattie M. Hatch and Mrs. Dean K. Webster, with whom he made his home; two nephews, Dean W. Webster, Jr. and Walter N. Webster; two cousins, the Misses Edith and Bertha Atkinson.

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OPTICAL ILLUSION.... THE INSIDE ANGLES OF THESE DRAWINGS ARE THE SAME, YET THE ONE IN THE FIGURE ON THE RIGHT SEEMS LARGER.

The Welling canal, connecting lakes Erie and Ontario, was completed in 1930. A large specimen of the Big Horn sheep of the Rocky mountains weighs about 375 pounds.

Installs Officers Of Woman's Union

Installation of the officers of the Free church Woman's union by the Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., was held recently.

The officers are as follows: Miss Grace Lake, president; Miss Ina Petrie, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Roger Whitcomb, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Allen Lelacheur, recording secretary; Mrs. William Burnham, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Thomas Gorrie, treasurer.

Miss Margaret Laurie, retiring president, was presented a corsage by her executive board.

Refreshments were served by the January circle.

Business Advisor To Address Club

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In making this announcement Walter E. Buxton, president of the club, stated that the speaker is expected to outline the seven issues considered by the national chamber as of basic importance to business in the new session of congress, and to suggest a practical program of action for obtaining better understanding of the business viewpoint on these issues.

Walbourne, whose home is in Natick, is the New England representative of the national chamber's department of governmental affairs.

LEGION MEETING

Andover post, 8, American Legion will meet in the post rooms tonight at 8 o'clock when reports of the Christmas party will be made and plans for the coming year discussed.

Board Discusses Civil Service Plan

The proposed plan to ask voters of the town to place employees of the board of public works under civil service was discussed Tuesday night at the board meeting.

While no official action was taken it was the opinion of the board that the proposed act would be of no benefit to the employees but would result in an increase to the taxpayers if adopted.

Holy Name Members To Attend Holy Hour

Plans are being made to have members of the Holy Name society of St. Augustine's church attend the Holy Hour service with their families Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in St. Augustine's church.

Augustine L. Delaney, president of the organization, reports that a large number of the members have signified their intention to attend the service.

Sunday will be Holy Communion day for the men of the society but as it is also the feast of the Holy Family the members will not attend Communion in a body but are asked to attend with their families.

Birth . . .

Gonye—A son, Stephen Floyd Dec. 20, at the Wentworth hospital, Dover, N.H., to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gonye. The mother is the former Ruth Napier of 150 Elm st.

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VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD

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