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Schools opened Wednesday and the cool September morning found a horde of smiling youngsters in best bibs and tuckers wending their way to the opening of their classes. Among the lads and lassies entering the lower grades our photographer caught, from left to right, Malcolm Sandberg, entering grade 1, Dorothy Easton, grade 1, Wendy Sandbery, grade 2, Susan Abbot, grade 3, Beverly Ann Domingue, grade 1, Mary Ann Viera, grade 1, and Beverly Reed, grade 2.

2106 Pupils In Record Enrollment Of Public And Parochial Schools

The public and parochial schools opened Wednesday morning with a combined record enrollment of 2106 pupils, an increase of 90 over last year.

The increase came in the public schools where 1721 pupils were in attendance at the opening session. Last year they had 1631. The big increase came in the elementary grades in the Central and Shawsheen schools. St. Augustine's had its capacity attendance of 385 the same as last year.

The attendance records in the public schools were:

	1950	1949
Punchard	310	318
Junior high	395	390
Central	520	451
Shawsheen	246	207
West	62	62
Bradlee	133	139
Indian Ridge	65	64

Total 1721 1631

In anticipation of the increased enrollment a new third grade was provided in the Stowe school. Every room in the building is now occupied together with four in the Jackson and four in the John Dove. At West Center the fourth grade has been removed to the Central schools.

Issues Permits For 101 Homes In 8 Months

Building activity in Andover continues unabated despite conditions caused by the war in Korea, and from records at the office of Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman the year should be a record one for new buildings.

The estimated cost of new buildings for which permits were granted during August was \$197,150, and for additions and alterations \$23,800, a total of \$220,950.

This makes the estimated cost of new buildings for the first eight months of the year \$1,270,350, almost twice the amount of the corresponding period in 1949 which was \$685,800.

During the spurt in building which started last year permits were issued for 77 new homes, which was considered high for the 12-month period. For the first eight months in 1950 permits have been issued for 101 new dwellings, a big increase over 1949.

One of the permits issued last month was for the construction of a large outdoor skating rink which is now being built close to the Case Memorial cage at Phillips academy. The list for the month follows:

New Buildings

For residence and garage: Kenneth and Edith Hudson, River rd., Harold and Catherine Cookson, River rd., Ernest and Ruth Stocks, Gould rd., Frank S. Palmisano, Williams st., Shirley L. Stevens, Virginia rd., Mary Barron, Lowell rd., Mrs. William A. Trow, Chandler rd., Frank and Doris Johnson, Chestnut st.

Residence: Alfred and Sophia Cartier, River rd.

Garage: Phillis academy, Main st., Emanuel Baduvakis, 112 N. Main st., Russel and Zella Lord, 67 Summer st., John and Rita Donahue, 114 Greenwood rd., Michael and Ethel Blinn, 253 Andover st., Accidy and Fichera, Sutherland st., John Drinkhall, Sutherland st.

Other: James Buss, Elm st., tear down building; Chester Farwell, River rd., cellar; Ray S. Youmans, Lovejoy rd., silo; Samuel Moody, 418 Andover st., woodshed; Urban Richard, 53A North st., henhouse;

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Brief Sketches Of Candidates

In order to have the voters of Andover become better acquainted with the candidates who are seeking nominations in the state primaries Tuesday, Sept. 19, The Townsman in cooperation with the League of Women Voters of Andover is publishing today brief sketches of aspirants for state senator from the Fourth Essex district, and for representatives from the Fifth Essex district.

This information is compiled from statements made by the candidates in reply to inquiries made by the local league.

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Memorial Circle To Honor Dead Of World War II

Name Officers For Precincts

Very few changes were made by the board of selectmen in the list of precinct officers who will be on duty at the polling places at the state primaries Sept. 19.

The list, compiled annually, shows the following will be in charge at the different precincts:

Precinct One

Rowland L. Luce, warden, 19 Summer st., Joseph W. McNally, clerk, 11 Summer st., Harold R. Barcroft, 34½ Summer st., Thomas A. Farragher, 65 Camel rd., Leonard Elliott, 34 Summer st., William J. Dolan, 99 Elm st., Paul M. Cheney, 83 Maple ave., Frank

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To Hold Forum For Candidates

All candidates for the Massachusetts general court in the state primaries will have an opportunity to discuss their qualifications at a forum to be held in the Memorial auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15.

The public is cordially invited to attend the forum which is sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Andover, a non-partisan organization that does not endorse any one candidate but attempts to inform the voters about all candidates impartially.

Mrs. Herbert Klein, chairman of the voters' service committee, will be in charge.

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Social Security Beneficiaries Get Increases

Here is what happened to old-age and survivors insurance in the Lawrence area when President Truman signed the 1950 amendments to the Social Security act.

All monthly insurance checks now being paid to the 5,414 social security beneficiaries in the part of Essex County administered by the Lawrence field office will be raised substantially, beginning with the September checks, according to Howard L. Leighton, manager of the local office. Mr. Leighton explained that these automatic increases, for September, are scheduled to reach local beneficiaries during the first week of October. Increases will range from about 50% to about 100%. For example, the average primary benefit of approximately \$26 per month for a retired worker will be increased to about \$46. A widow with two children who had been receiving \$55 a month will now receive about \$110 altogether.

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The admiral, former chief of naval operations, spoke at the kickoff rally for the Massachusetts Republican finance committee in Andover. He was introduced by Thomas D. Burns, recently appointed chairman for the local committee.

Former State Senator Philip K. Allen sounded the keynote of the rally when he said that "the importance of a successful fund drive here and in other communities will be the true indication of a Republican victory in November."

Fund workers from Lawrence and North Andover were present.

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Miss Katherine A. McNally and Joseph McNally of 11 Summer st., and Miss Gene Murray and Miss Ann Marie, 29 Bartlet st., have returned from a week's vacation in New York and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Gaunt and children, John and Helen, of 6 Beech circle are vacationing for three weeks at Bar Harbor, Me., with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benedict, Mrs. Gaunt's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coon of Morton st., are entertaining their daughter, Ann Elizabeth, of New York city.

Miss Harriet Carter of Bartlet st., is visiting her brother, Edward Carter in Lee.

Miss Eunice Stack of Summer st., has returned from a visit to the west coast, where she visited friends in San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson of Summer st., are spending a few weeks with relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton have returned from Durham, N. H., where they attended the session of the Northern New England School of Religious Education of which Mr. Eaton is a director.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. MacMillan have returned to their home in Iowa City, Iowa, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Hadley of Wolcott ave.

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Sketches of Candidates For State Legislature

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Candidates for senator from the Fourth Essex district are as follows:

DEMOCRAT

John W. Coddair, Jr., 45, of 33 Westland ter., Haverhill, lawyer; Holy Cross college, Boston University School of Law; member of state and federal bars; incorporator of Haverhill Savings bank; Massachusetts house of representatives 1935-40; senator 1948-50.

REPUBLICAN

Joseph Durso, 583 Main st., Haverhill, construction engineer; Haverhill high school; builder of U. S. marine hospital, Vineyard Haven, a New Hampshire state hospital and many other public and private works; industrial specialist U. S. army transportation corps; field representative Reconstruction Finance Corp., examiner war assets administration; alderman 1948-50.

Archibald M. Estabrook, 68, of 78 Winona ave., Haverhill, retired; representative for six years, member of Haverhill Republican city committee, chairman for seven years; member of Haverhill fire department 11 years; president of Merrimack Valley Regional Assn., four years; general court officer for 16 years.

Harold S. Klotzle, 41; of 54 Brookline ave., Haverhill, salesman; Haverhill high school, Boston university, Bentley School of Accounting and Finance; Haverhill Electric Co. for 17 years; chairman Haverhill planning board and member five years; clerk of board of appeals for two years; chairman of "Jimmy day" for two years; ration board three years; mayor's secretary two years; business agent Electrical Workers, AFL union, 11 years.

Milton C. McElroy, 53; 385 Main st., Haverhill; president of Haverhill municipal council; sales department of Twentieth Century Baking Co., Haverhill public schools, Weaver's preparatory school; veteran World War I; chairman of flood disaster committee in Haverhill in 1936; superintendent of highways in Haverhill 1940-43; trustee Hale hospital; present alderman.

Candidates for representative from the Fifth Essex district are:

DEMOCRAT

Herbert B. Bower, 52, of 12 Piedmont st., Methuen, dress room Arlington mills; Public schools; member of X-ray committee; member of school committee 1932-1947; town meeting member for 18 years.

Joseph A. Horan, 33, of 6 Avon st., Andover; investigator for state department veterans' service; work in the field of veterans' affairs for past five years; active in Democratic party for the past 14 years.

Richard A. McNeice, 61, of 4 Sargent st., Lawrence; contractor and carpenter; Lawrence public schools; employed by Pacific mills for 17 years; member AFL since 1915; past president, secretary and auditor, and now delegate-at-large of Carpenters' Local 111; president of Lawrence Central Labor union for 3 years; C Battery Veterans' organization.

REPUBLICAN

J. Everett Collins, 35 Summer st., Andover; insurance; Andover public schools, Punchard high school; representative since 1940; secretary Andover board of selectmen and assessors; veteran World War I; member Andover Service club; director of Andover Male choir, Calvary Baptist church choir; former member of school board.

Frank S. Giles Jr., 35, of 375 Lowell st., Methuen, theatre business; Methuen public schools, Searls high school; representative since 1946; executive board of community chest; chairman of Methuen drive for four years; chairman of infantile committee, Methuen board of trade; vice-chairman Essex County Republican organization; town meeting member 14 years; playground committee seven years; Methuen school committee six years, chairman five years.

William Longworth, 36, of 25 Stevens st., Methuen, legislator; Methuen public schools, Lowell Textile institute; representative since 1948; member of the corporation of the Children's hospital, Boston; employee of the tax collector and treasurer's office. Town of Methuen for five years.

BOTH PARTIES

Samuel W. Brainard, 44, of 56 Lowell st., Methuen; connected with Supreme Cleaners; Searls high school

Arthur E. McCabe, 41 Porter rd., private investigator; Lawrence public schools; state police officer 1931-42; chief of police Shirley; 1934-35; in 1942 assigned as agent U. S. secret service to protection of President of the U. S. at White House; conducted wholesale food business 1945-49; Fifth Congressional district supervisor of U. S. census 1950, counselor of United Commercial Travelers of America.

Walter Sliva, 35, of 10 Haverhill st., Lawrence; police officer; Lawrence public schools; veteran World War II; police officer five years.

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Declaring that reasons for absence ranged from prolonged illness to "sheer disinterest" the report pointed out that the legislators in addition to their salaries of \$3750 a year, are paid traveling allowances which range from \$14.50 to \$48 for every week of the session.

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Social Security Beneficiaries Get Increases

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Under the new law the amount of earnings which a beneficiary may make in a month, and still accept his insurance payment for that month, is raised from \$14.99 to \$50. This applies to beneficiaries under age 75, and for earnings in a job covered by social security. After attaining age 75, a beneficiary may have any amount of earnings and still accept his insurance checks.

Approximately 9,700,000 more people may have old-age and survivors insurance under the revised law. For most of the new groups, coverage will be mandatory after Jan. 1, 1951. However, employees of non-profit charitable, religious, and educational institutions will come under social security only if the employer chooses and if two-thirds of the employees express a wish to participate. Employees of state and local governments may have social security coverage on a monthly in insurance benefits to this area.

Mr. Leighton said that under the old terms of the social security law the 5,414 beneficiaries in this area would have received about \$109,638 for the month of September. Under the new increases, however, total payments for September are estimated to be about \$196,219, or an immediate increase of some \$86,581 on an optional basis but the state government must take the initiative if it chooses to participate. An estimated 2,050,000 workers are in the two groups subject to optional participation in the program.

Mr. Leighton estimated that the Lawrence area would have approximately the following numbers of newly covered workers under social security: 4200 self-employed non-farm workers, 200 farm workers, 800 household workers in private homes. Employees of nonprofit institutions in the area number about 250, while there are about 50 employees of the state and local governments in their counties who might be covered if the State chose.

A very important aspect of the new legislation is the more liberal qualifying conditions. Mr. Leighton pointed out that any individual now age 65 or more who has at least six "quarters of coverage" may be immediately eligible for monthly benefit payments. It has been estimated that about 750,000 old people in the United States may qualify for insurance payments under this clause. Many aged persons may now claim benefits even though they have not been employed long enough to qualify under the former requirements.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Merchant, 14 Canterbury st., recently had as guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Merchant of White Plains, N.Y., and their grandson Robert C. Merchant Jr.

Betsy Caswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, 5 Dunbarton st. returned to Andover Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison B. Caswell of Brockton, who spent the day visiting with Mrs. Walter Caswell, just released from the Clover Hill hospital.

Edward O'Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. O'Connor, 13 Carisbrooke st., and William Merchant, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Merchant, 14 Canterbury st., recently returned from an extensive training course at the naval air base, Pensacola, Fla. Edward is a student at Yale university and William attends Holy Cross college. Both are midshipmen in navy ROTC units.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Carpentier, 7 Dunbarton st., returned Sunday from their summer cottage at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H. Mrs. Carpentier and her children, Jim and Jane have spent the summer at Lake Shore Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moriarty and their two children Lynn and John, 22 Haverhill st., were at Lake Winnepesaukee over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. McKinnon and children, Paul, Judy and Donny, 6 Dunbarton st., spent the weekend at Peterboro, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Guild and children, Picky and Sally, 41 Lowell st., have returned from a ten day vacation spent at Sebago Lake, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan F. Dunlop and children, Peter, Joyce, and Carol have returned to the family home at 20 Arundel st. Mrs. Dunlop, Joyce and Carol have spent the summer with Mrs. Dunlop's mother at Providence, R. I., with the exception of Joyce's stay at the campfire girls camp at So. Hanson. Peter spent the summer as a junior counselor at a Wakefield, R. I., boys' camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Dearborn of West Lebanon, Me., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, 5 Dunbarton st. Mrs. Caswell lived with Mr. and Mrs. Dearborn while attending West Lebanon academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Innes and son of Canterbury st., have returned after spending the summer at Seabrook beach.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Mrs. James Faggiano and Mrs. Hiram Young visited Mrs. Thomas Sutton at Rye beach last week.

John C. Lowe, who has accepted a new position at Rochelle, Ill., visited the family home at 6 Sutherland st., for several days including the Labor day weekend. His work brings him to many western and southern states. The family plans to move to Illinois as soon as a new home can be located. Mrs. Lowe and the two children, John and Jeanne spent the month of July at Seabrook beach.

NEEDS USED CLOTHING FOR SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN

Andover chapter, American Red Cross, urgently needs good used clothing and shoes suitable for school-age children. Anyone having contributions is requested to bring them to the Red Cross office, 8 Elm st., or phone 1496.

Obituary...

MISS FLORENCE BREDBURY

Miss Florence Bredbury, 69, died Sept. 5, at her home 7 Lowell st., following a brief illness.

Born in England, a daughter of the late Joseph and Mary (Catlow) Bredbury, she had resided in this country for over 60 years. She and her sisters operated the Shawshen Home Bakery on Poor st., for many years.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Esther Bredbury, with whom she made her home, and Mrs. Maud Moulton of Kennebunk, Me.; a brother, Thomas Bredbury of Lake Worth, Fla. and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held in the Assemblies of God church on Coolidge st., Lawrence, Friday at 2.30 p. m. The Rev. William D. Wight, will officiate. Burial will be in Ridgewood cemetery.

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UNLICENSED DOGS

Owners of all dogs that are not licensed by Sept. 15, will face court, Chief George A. Dane warned today. Two notices have been sent to such owners and police will take action against those who do not comply with the law.

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who missed more than half of the roll calls. Senator Michael A. Flanagan of Lawrence, was the only senator who had a perfect record of attendance for both years. Nine representatives had a perfect record for 1949 and with 23 others had a perfect 1950 record.

On 209 roll calls in the senate for 1949 Sen. John W. Coddair of Haverhill is recorded with 12 absences, 5 absences paired, a total of 17. In 1950 on 209 roll calls 6 absences, 14 absences paired, a total of 20.

In the house there were 177 roll calls in 1949 and 182 in 1950. Representatives of this district were recorded absent as follows: Collins, 53 in 1949, and 8 in 1950; Giles, 37 in 1949, and 10 in 1950; Longworth, 26 in 1949, and 6 in 1950.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The first fall meeting of the Philathea class will be held at 7.45 p. m. Friday in the church parlor.

Sunday all departments of the Sunday school will resume classes.

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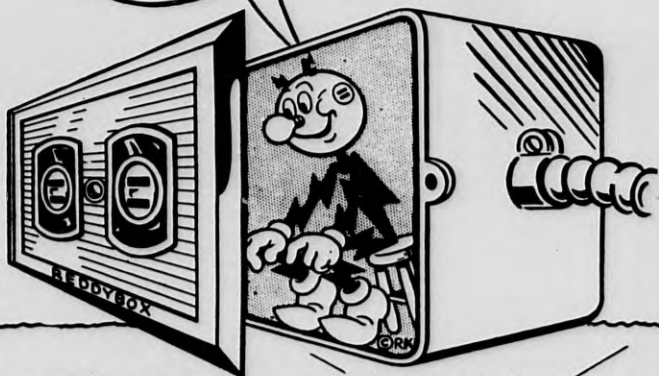
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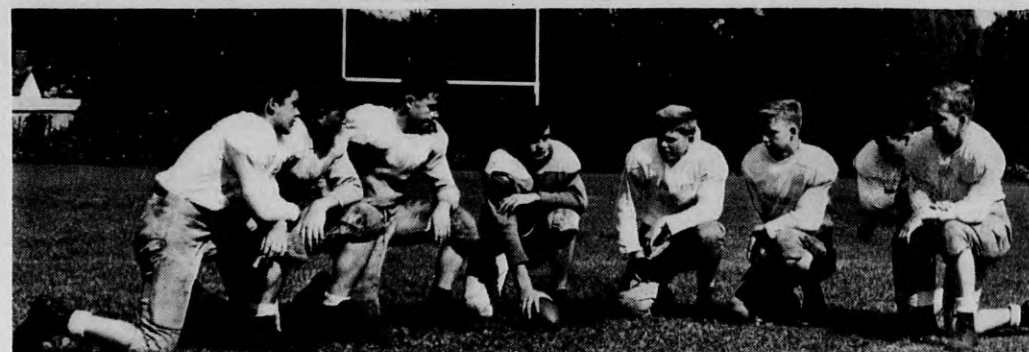
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Punchar High school's football candidates are getting daily workouts in preparation for the coming season. Top photo shows some of the line candidates, from left to right, James Brown, John Byrnes, David Brucato, Donald Valz, Paul Ostrowski, Sid Watson, Bart Steffani and John Ross; middle photo, some of the backfield candidates, left to right, Robert Fredrickson, Louis Fiedler, Thomas Wilkinson, Charles Dwyer, Louis Mirisola, Cliff Lawrence, Sam DeSalvo, Tony Sullivan and in front, Howard McGrath; lower photo, more line candidates, in the usual order, Robert Henry, Richard Hudgins, Leo Ruel, Donald Lavigne, Bruce Stewart, James Gemmel, James Dolan and Gil Effinger. (Look Photos)

At The Churches

St. Augustine's Church
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ROY E. NELSON, JR., Minister
Friday: 7.45 p. m. Philathea class in church parlor.
Sunday: "A Friendly Fellowship at the Meeting House in the Square." 9.30 a. m. Sunday school. Herbert H. Otis, superintendent. 10.45 a. m. Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson, Jr. Subject: "Seek Ye First." Music by adult choir. Mrs. Linda S. Kocher, organist. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the service.
Monday: 8 p. m. Merrimack River association of Baptist women program at First Baptist church, Methuen.
Tuesday: 7.30 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting at parsonage, 24 Central st. Message: "The Meaning of Prayer," by the pastor. Everyone welcomed.
Wednesday: 8 p. m. Meeting of the standing committee in church parlor.
Thursday: 8 p. m. Adult choir rehearsal, church parlor.

Christ Church
REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector
Sunday: 8 a. m. Holy Communion. 11 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon.

CRIST CHURCH NOTES
The Christ church morning service and prayer Sunday will be held at 11 a. m. instead of 10 a. m. The Sunday school will hold its first session at 9.30 a. m. Sept. 24.

St. Joseph's Church
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Free Church

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS, Minister

Sunday: 9.30 a. m. Standing committee meeting.

11 a. m. A nursery class will be provided for children whose parents wish to attend church.

11 a. m. Regular morning worship will be resumed in this church. This is communion Sunday, and Mr. Reynolds will preach and serve the Lord's Supper.

Tuesday: 7.30 p. m. The men's club will present the moving picture "Second Chance", and all the members of the parish are invited to attend.

Thursday: 3.45 p. m. Junior choir rehearsal.

7.30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Notes: The church school will hold its opening session on Sept. 24.

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Methodist Church

REV. ALLEN F. KERNS, Minister

Sunday: 9.45 a. m. Morning worship. Rev. Allen F. Kerns will preach on the subject, "What Is It Worth To You?"

Notes: Sunday, Sept. 17, the Sunday school will begin at 9.30 a. m. There will be classes for children of all ages. Starting the same date, morning worship will begin at 10.30 a. m.

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South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

Saturday: 7 p. m. Young Peoples' society hay ride.

Sunday: 10.45 a. m. Morning worship, sermon and Communion.

Monday: 6 p. m. Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters opening meeting.

Wednesday: 7.30 p. m. Church choir rehearsal.

Thursday: 10.30 a. m. All-day sewing meeting of the Women's Fellowship. Bring a box lunch. Coffee will be served.

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Union Congregational Church

REV. PAUL E. CALLAHAN, Minister

Friday: 6.30 p. m. Friendly Guild supper in vestry.

Sunday: 11 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon: "The Future of Christianity in China"

Notes: This Sunday marks the resumption of service at Union Congregational church.

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West Parish

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister

Sunday: 10.30 a. m. Morning service of worship. Soloist, Mrs. Lean B. Fudgins. Sermon by the pastor, "A Basic Thought for the Church Year."

Wednesday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal in the vestry. Miss Marion Abbott, organist; Mrs. Dean Fudgins, director.

Thursday: The Junior Woman's union covered dish supper in the vestry.

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GUILD MEETING

The first meeting of the Friendly Guild will be held at 6.30 p. m., Friday in the vestry. A surprise supper will be served. Mrs. James Fairweather, the new president, will preside. All former members and all who wish to become members are invited to the supper. A small fee will be charged.

Birth

A son, Evan Warren, Aug. 23, at Amherst to the Rev. and Mrs. Arnold Kenseth. The Rev. Mr. Kenseth was formerly pastor of the Union Congregational church. There are also a son, Geoffrey, and a daughter, Elaine, in the family.

Personals

Mrs. Charles Scobie and Mrs. Frank Green are members of the flower committee of the Congregational church during September.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mears and daughter have returned to their home on Andover street after a vacation spent at Cobbett's pond, N. H.

Mrs. George Forsythe and daughters have returned to their home on Chestnut street after spending the summer at the Dolly Copp camp in the White Mts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of

Marland st., visited relatives in Faverhill Sunday.

Randolph Perry and daughter, Peggy, were recent guests of Dino G. Valz on his boat at Ipswich bay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Townsend and family are occupying their new home on River street.

Mrs. Henry Myers and sons of Marland st., have returned after spending several weeks at the Dolly Copp camp in the White Mts.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ballou of Center st., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon Hood at their home in Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford and sons of Tewksbury st., have moved to Methuen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouleau of Andover st., spent the holiday weekend in Vermont.

Mrs. Anthony Lumenello and children of Andover st., have returned after spending the summer at the Dolly Copp camp in New Hampshire.

Mrs. Alex Ness, Mrs. James Nicoll, Miss Marilyn Ness and Miss Margaret Buckley were recent visitors at Pantasket beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scobie and children of Marland st., were recent visitors at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Philip Kelsey of Taunton.

Births...

Westbrook—A son, Aug. 30, at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Westbrook (Mildred Ellis) of 1 Cornell rd.

Hemsworth—A son, Sunday, Sept. 3, at the Clover Hill hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Victor W. Hemsworth (Edna Anderson) of 5 Shepley st.

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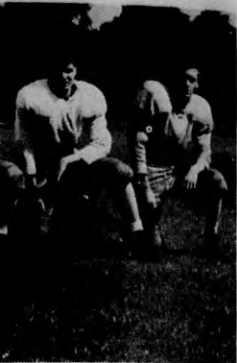
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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

RECREATION PROGRAMS SUCCESSFUL

Vacation days are over for the town's juvenile population, many of whom can now look back to the happy hours of fun and frolic they enjoyed during the summer months while participating in the activities sponsored by the recreation committee.

On five play centers and at Pomp's pond the committee had staffs of competent instructors on hand during the day and into the evening hours to supervise a series of programs that has special appeal to the young.

On the playgrounds the customary activities drew large attendances. There were numerous kinds of games and sports for youngsters of varying ages. Considerable attention was given to handicraft and some exceptionally fine work was produced, much of which went on exhibition in a downtown store window. The Twi baseball league offered entertainment to the spectators as well as the spirited competition among the teams that saw the regular schedule of games end in a triple tie.

Then there was the big midsummer outing when six busses conveyed 350 children and many mothers to Canobie lake and brought them all safely back again. Pet shows, doll carriage parades, field days and carnivals filled in many exciting hours.

At the municipal bathing beach another well trained staff looked after the safety and comfort of numerous bathers, and between times instructed classes in various phases of water safety.

Interspersed with this daily routine were the cookouts, campfires and story-telling hours that attracted both young and old. To climax a successful season the staff also staged the most elaborate aquacade in the history of the beach and presented a water carnival the next week which was as instructive as it was interesting to the hundreds of spectators who were attracted to the event.

In all, the recreation committee looked after the wants of the juvenile population in many ways this summer and had its efforts rewarded with the large attendance which speaks well for its program and its staff of instructors.

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50 Years Ago - September 1900

School street residents up in arms over proposal of Lawrence and Reading Street Ry. Co. to lay tracks from top of hill to square via School and Central streets. The direct route, we declare editorially, is down Main street over line now occupied by the L.L. & H. St. Ry. Co.

Many Andover people attend Lawrence Canoe club regatta on Merrimack river which a card of well-matched races made a grand success. In the evening guests and members enjoy an informal hop.

Miss Annie Prescott, Miss Lillian Prescott of Malden, and George P. Prescott left on their bicycles Wednesday for Exeter, N.H., where they will spend a week.

A correspondent from Washington writes: "Everybody is talking about McKinley's masterly diplomacy. People (in Washington) are perfectly aware that the difficult Chinese problem has been handled by the President in a most skillful manner."

L.L. & H. St. Ry. workmen busy evening up joints in the rails on Main street near Phillips academy.

Post 99, G.A.R. of Andover assigned to second division of the county parade at Salem, Sept. 15.

Many people of Andover attended the horse races at the Lawrence Riding park Labor day.

A party of young men from the town spent Sunday on a yachting trip in Boston harbor. The group included Clinton M. Pomeroy, Charles A. Hill, Harry E. Holt, Benjamin Smith Jr., Thomas Lunan, Walter M. Lamont, Henry A. Bodwell and Ernest Johnson of Lawrence.

A moonlight dance will be held by the Spicket Yacht club at Haggitt's pond tonight. A barge will leave the Mansion House stables in the square at 7 p.m.

George Lawson, night operator at the telephone exchange, suffers leg injury in fall on scythe, while riding on hay rack. Fred Collins is taking his place at the exchange.

James Ross, 37, machinist at Tyer Rubber Co., falls through trap door in new part of plant and is fatally injured.

O.P. Chase reelected secretary-treasurer of the Chase-Chase family association.

Miss Sarah Saunders returns from extended trip to England, Scotland and France.

Postmaster Arthur Bliss and family taking a few days outing at Stiles pond, Boxford.

John T. Chalk, formerly of the Andover Press, has arrived in San Francisco with his regiment from the Philippines.

25 Years Ago - September 1925

Tax rate of \$24.20 announced, a decrease of \$3.50 over the \$27.70 of last year.

Members of South church present gifts to Frederic G. Moore, organist, and Mrs. Moore who are to leave soon for their new home in Pittsfield. Presentation is made

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VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

STOCKHOLM—The Dutch people have made travel a simple affair. Transportation by boat along the canals is common. But most of them cycle. We don't believe many people were home when we were traveling through the country. And being sensible people who regard life as something to enjoy, they don't punish themselves by merely pedalling along the roads. Most of them attach a pocket-size motor to the bike and skim through the countryside with the greatest of ease. They are not a slim people.

As for a house, give us a Dutch one. The people love air and light and they believe in tremendous windows gaily decorated. And what windows. We traveled through dozens of villages and little towns and failed to find one window that wasn't clean and sparkling. Few countries can have villages of such character and charm. Let there be fifty identical houses in a row. They are still individual homes gay with flowers and little bridges across the always-present canals and water-filled ditches. Their little country inns never failed to beckon us in. And that is what an inn should do.

Across Belgium Fast

It doesn't take frontier guards to make one realize that a border has been crossed. The first town or village marks the difference. The change from Holland to Belgium was startling in contrast. From clean Dutch villages to drab and incredibly dreary north Belgian villages and small manufacturing towns where light seems to be shut out. Holland is an open country with friendly houses and cheerful farmers. But a Belgian farm village gives the feeling of secretiveness and inbreeding. The houses aren't homes, the streets are singularly unattractive. Scarcely a tree, no flowers, and certainly no pride in the village or town. Houses sit smack on the sidewalk, without gardens, shuttered and silent. The average north Belgian farm village smells of the cowbarn. Farm houses we saw were side by side, with each establishment a self-contained area where family, animals and the manure pile are living in close seclusion.

And Into France

The chief concern of the French authorities, represented by a lone official, seemed to be that we'd stop the car two or three feet from where he stood. A simple request for the car permit was our sole contact with officialdom. No passports, no request to show our currency, no bother about the customs. We felt that we were in the land of individuals. Not much to attract us in northern France, so on to Paris. And to Americans with their dollars. Tourism is a big business with the French, a very conscious one. Paris is perhaps an attitude with many people. They feel they should see it. And they should. It symbolizes a people and it certainly has an atmosphere that is peculiarly its own. It is no place to go to on the run. It must be lived in to be appreciated. And Paris in the summer is not Paris of the rest of the year. Tourists jam its streets in-

viting the Parisien to gather the harvest of cash. He can and does.

Even the spending of money in Paris has an air of recklessness. A hundred and fifty francs for a short taxi ride. A couple of thousand or so for a meal for two. It seems ridiculously lavish until one realizes that ten francs are worth about three cents. And that sets one to wondering about political stability. One hopes that politics aren't on the same inflated scale as the cash. Then the thoughts go back to the Germans and their efficiency and practicability. The two civilizations seem contradictory. Perhaps they are. But we'll take the French way of living, reckless though it may seem. At least it has a sense of humor and a decent respect for the other fellow. And we become increasingly convinced that the one can't exist without the other.

Back to Holland, this time to the bulb country and the dikes that keep out the North Sea from the low fields—a tribute to a people whose land is loved and cared for. Again the smiling faces, the swish of endless bicycles, and the pleasant aura that comes from a people who enjoy life. They are the ones to be with. The memory of that cheerful land went with us across Germany and into Denmark again. And so on the last leg to home. For Sweden has become a second home to us. Perhaps it was the remark of the Swedish customs official that pointed up the casual welcome to that kindly country. He asked our Swedish host whether he had bought any liquor or cigars outside the country. He had? Well, he'd better open up the baggage for checking. Then he caught sight of our green passports, and grinned. "Forget it," he said, "what's the use of examining your baggage? There aren't any restrictions on Americans."

Later as we talked over our trip we commented on the hundreds of young people from all over western Europe that we'd passed on the roads, hiking, cycling and motoring in every country. They were getting more than a vacation. They were learning to know other people. And perhaps learning to appreciate their own country. We certainly did.

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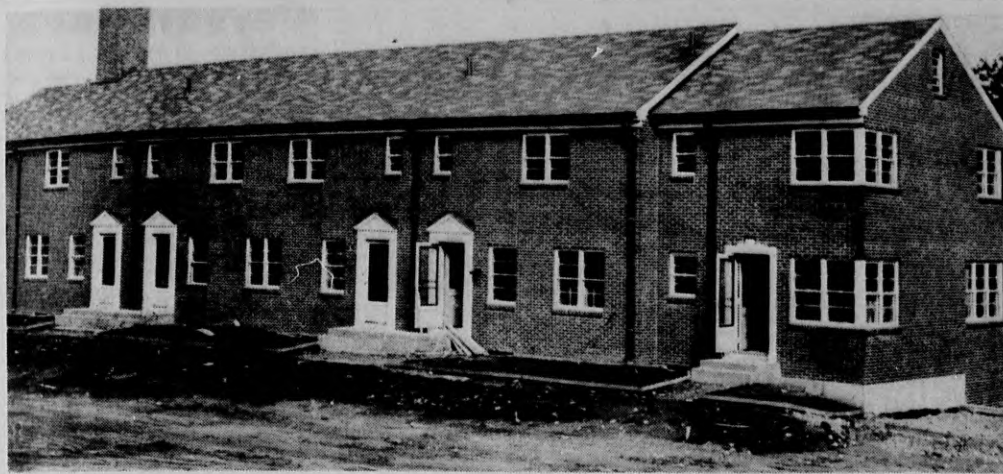
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One of the new buildings in the veterans' housing project off Morton street which are rapidly nearing completion and which are expected to be ready soon for the first occupants. This building has five apartments with kitchen and living room on the first floor and the bedrooms on the second. In all there are 12 buildings with 56 apartments, with full basements and central heating. (Look Photo)

**Down the Years
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(Continued from Editorial Page)

by Frank L. Brigham, in behalf of the choir.

Employees of Smith & Dove still on strike over wage scale.

Public schools to open next week with few changes in teaching force.

Memorial Hall library announces number of books issued during August was 3763; in Ballardvale 553.

F.M. Lundgren and family to move into west side of house they now occupy. Mr. and Mrs. David L. Coutts and family to move into part now occupied by Mr. Lundgren.

The Rev. P.J. Campbell, O.S.A., curate at St. Augustine's church, returns from Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. James Souter and family of Washington ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poland and son of Main st., have been spending the week at Plum Island.

Hardy & Ross nine loses 6-1 in opening game of series with Court Lincoln of North Andover for second half championship of Intermediate league. In second game of series Paul Dyer pitches no hit, no run game at Grogan's field as Hardy & Ross team wins 1-0.

Miss Sarah V. Hitchen of N. Main st. and William Colgan of Lawrence married at St. Augustine's church by the Rev. John A. Nugent, pastor. They will live in Shawsheen village.

Brush fire caused by careless blueberry pickers in state reservation gives firemen three-hour battle on land of Alice Gray estate off Salem street Sunday. Ground is so dry that fire burned deep into the earth and broke out again Tuesday after firefighters apparently had extinguished every trace of it.

Auto occupied by three Lawrence men runs wild on Tewksbury street and runs 75 feet along B&M tracks.

10 Years Ago - September 1940
Large group of war refugees swells enrollment at Phillips academy to near 750 students this year. Gene Lovely will call out Pynchard football candidates next Monday.

Junior high opens with 460 pupils, an increase of 25; Pynchard has 326, about the same as last year.

Junior high library named the Henry C. Sanborn library by school committee in honor of late superintendent.

Young Men's Republican club to hold pre-primary rally with G.O.P. candidates as speakers. John MacKenzie, president, will preside.

Steve Sorota to have P.A. Football candidates out Tuesday. Steve is faced with unexpected loss of Swede Anderson who has been accepted at Harvard.

Arthur L. Coleman, past commander, elected delegate to the national convention of the Legion.

Personals...

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dunbar and family of Phillips st., have returned from a trip to New York, Philadelphia, and Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benton of Salem st., recently enjoyed a trip to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Otis of Summer st., have returned from a short trip to York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. William Higgins of Middletown, Conn., visited recently at the home of her sister Mrs. Isabel Valentine, 53 Red Spring rd.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Maconachie of Detroit, Mich., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Auchterlonie, 65 Red Spring rd.

George Dantos, 123 Elm st., is recuperating at his home following a recent fall from a ladder, in which he broke both legs.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ward, Mrs. Ward Sr., and Mrs. Florence Herbert of 72 Park st., have returned from a recent automobile trip through parts of Virginia and Washington, D. C.

Everett R. Gorrie, 108 Summer st., is enjoying his annual vacation from the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co., office.

FAREWELL PARTY

Prior to his departure for Maryknoll Apostolic college, Clark Summit, Pa., where he will begin his studies for the priesthood, Arthur B. Traynor Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Traynor of 12B Ridge st., was tendered a farewell party recently in the VFW home by a large gathering of friends. The youth has three aunts who are nuns.

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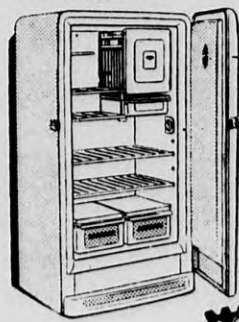


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Exchange Teacher Comes To Andover

M. Roger Bernard, a teacher from France, has arrived in Andover to begin a one-year assignment at Phillips academy under the teacher interchange program sponsored by the office of education, federal security agency, in cooperation with the department of state under the provisions of the Fullbright Act of the 79th congress. Monsieur Bernard is exchanging positions with Chester Cochran who is already in France.

Announcement of the exchange program in this area was made today by Lawrence J. Bresnahan, regional director of the federal security agency for this area with headquarters in Boston. Mr. Bresnahan said that in addition to Monsieur Bernard, four teachers are enroute to this state for one-year assignments.

Altogether, 115 British and French teachers arrived in the United States Aug. 13 under the teacher interchange program.

SERVICE CLUB

The program committee of the Andover Service club will meet at 4 p.m. Sunday at the home of Stanley F. Swanton, the president, on Summer st. Members of the committee are: Frank L. Brigham, chairman; Henry S. Hopper, Will G. Brown, Dr. Charles Black and John Cole.

MISS MARION L. ABBOTT

will resume pianoforte teaching on Sept. 11.

Miss Abbott, who received her teacher's diploma from the Sherwood School of Music in Chicago, is an active member of the American Matthey Association and organist at the West Parish Church. Her studio is at:

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CHURCH NOTES

The west church extends a most cordial welcome to all parishioners and friends to the fall opening service at 10.30 a. m. Sunday, Sept. 10. The soloist will be Mrs. Dean Fudgins. The pastor, the Rev. John Gaskill, will be in charge of the service. All are welcome at this service.

Junior Women's Union

The fall meeting of the Junior Women's union will be held at

7 p. m., Thursday, Sept. 14. A covered dish supper will be served by the following committee: Mrs. Helen Northey, Mrs. Elvira Bruner, Mrs. Peggy Wood, Mrs. Elsbeth Peterson and Mrs. Gertrude Stewart.

Smorgasbord Supper

The Junior women's union of the West church will serve a smorgasbord supper in the church vestry Saturday, Sept. 16. The committee is as follows: Mrs. Harriett Sparks, Mrs. Gladys Piper and Mrs. Dorothy Schirner.

Lafalot Club

The September meeting of the Lafalot club will be held at 8 p. m. Monday, Sept. 11, at the home of Mrs. Albion Johnson of High Plain rd.

Grange News

The first fall meeting of Friendship Porona grange will be held Saturday, Sept. 9, in Grange hall. The afternoon session will start at 4.30 p. m. with the master, Abraham Crowther, in charge. Supper will be served at 6 p. m. The evening session will start at 7.30 p. m. and the election of officers for 1951 will be part of the program.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton and son of Lowell st., have returned from a weekend at Long Sands, York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Broughton and children of Lincoln st., spent the holidays at Ocean Park, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Doull of Fulton, N. Y., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slate of Argilla rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thomas formerly of Lowell st., are spend-

ing some time with their daughter at her home in Holden.

Albert and Wilfred Johnson of High Plain rd., have returned from a short stay at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Johnson and Miss Ebba Peterson of High Plain rd., spent the holidays at Bass River on the south shore.

Mrs. John Rasmussen has returned to her home on Lowell st., after a short stay with friends in Quincy.

Mrs. Andrew Innes and children, Ruth and Robert have returned to their home on Haggett's Pond rd., after spending a week at Lake Willoughby, Westmore, Vt. They also visited in Snerbrooke, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter of Lowell st., recently spent a few days as guests of the former's brother and family The Rev. and Mrs. Richard Carter of Suffield, Conn.

Mrs. John Gaskill of Lowell st., and Mrs. Dean Fudgins of North st., have returned from a summer conference of choir directors which was held at Ocean Park, Me., during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis and daughter, Barbara, have returned to their home on Lowell st., after enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Smith at their summer cottage at York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Matthews of Richmond Hill, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edmunds of Chicago, Ill., enjoyed a short visit during the holidays with the Rev. and Mrs. Newman Matthews of High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Stevens of Virginia rd., spent the holidays with friends in Eaton, N. H. and Braintree, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart and family of High Plain rd., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Dow at their cottage at Rye beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd., are sojourning at Pittsburg, Pa. and the Smoky Mountains of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Fred Dodkins of Lowell st., is visiting her parents in Newbury, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sutton and family have returned to their home on Lovejoy rd., after an enjoyable stay at Campton, N. H.

Miss Goldie Ozonian has returned to her home on Osgood rd., after spending a week's vacation at Hampton beach.

William McKeown, Jr., is spending a few weeks with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William McKeown of Lowell st. He spent the summer months as counsellor at Camp Medomack, Washington, Me.

Miss Julie Brine has returned to her home on Lowell st., after spending a short vacation with Mrs. Charles Harris at her home in Dennis.

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George Lannan, Jr. of Washington ave., John Burke of N. Main st. and Jack White of Wolcott ave., spent a few days at Hampton beach recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Anderson and family of Andover st. have returned from a vacation spent at Wells beach, Me.

George Lannan of Washington ave. has returned from Ogunquit, Me., where he spent the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Scanlon and family have returned to their home on Summer st., after spending a month at Hampton beach.

Fire Chief and Mrs. C. Edward Fuchan have returned from their vacation spent at Newfound Lake, Bristol, N. H.

Mrs. Joseph Bell of Morton st., has returned from her summer vacation at the Equinox house, Manchester, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCarthy of Summer st., are spending two weeks in Salem, N. H.

Mrs. Fred F. Wiss and Miss Sarah Wiss of Abbot st., visited recently in Whitinsville.

Mrs. Dora Rossel and Miss Alice Butler of St. John's Newfoundland, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Butler at Williams Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Collins and grandsons, Paul and John Carey, 79 Summer st., and Mr. and Mrs. J. Aubrey Polgreen and sons, Fred and John of 36 Summer st., have returned from two weeks' vacation at Seabrook beach.

Janet Middleton of Essex st., has returned from Winthrop where she spent the summer vacation.

David and Sandy Gordon of Essex st., have returned from a summer vacation spent in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranfone and children of Essex st., have taken up residence at 25a Baldwin st., North Andover.

Mrs. Donald Laurie and Miss Margaret Brown of 59 Whittier st., have returned from vacationing at Prince Edward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. John Souter, 34 Elm st., spent the recent weekend at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and daughter, Barbara spent the recent holidays at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pearson and family have returned to their home, 12 Florence st., following their summer vacation at Little Neck, Ipswich.

The Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr., and son, Levering III, have returned to their home 61 Shawsheen rd., following a month's vacation in Antrim, N. H.

Mrs. Helen Mays and daughter, Judith of Miami, Fla., are spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sullivan, 61 Red Spring rd.

Miss Joan Hart, 52 Whittier st., will enter the first year class at the Fay school, Boston. She is a Pynchard high graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Noyes of Cheever circle have returned to their home after enjoying the past several days at York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Whitcomb, 3 Main st., terrace, enjoyed several days recently at York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Napier, 64 Maple ave., visited relatives recently in Newton.

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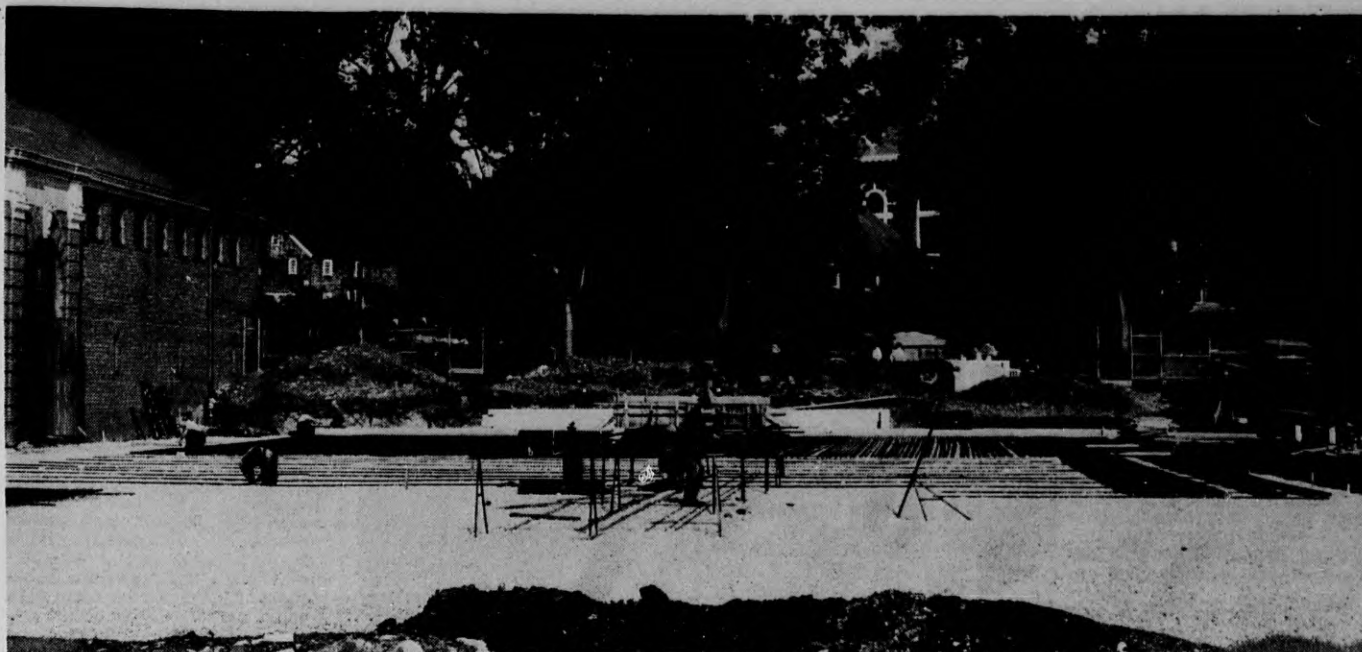
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Foundation of the new 186x86 outdoor skating rink being built at Phillips academy adjoining the Case Memorial cage. Photo shows workmen installing some of the nine miles of piping and the 256

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WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intention has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:
Arthur L. Priest, 96 Sexton ave., Westwood and Flora Ellis, 1 Cornell rd.
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WEDDINGS...

WHITE - MacLEISH

Jean N. MacLeish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacLeish of Shawsheen rd., became the bride of James White, son of Mr. and Mrs. James White of Quincy at a 4 o'clock ceremony, July 15 in Christ Episcopal church. The Rev. John S. Moses officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a mid-Victorian nylon marquisette gown, with Chantilly lace bodice and court train. Her finger tip veil of illusion was attached to a Juliette cap and she carried a cascade arrangement of white roses and stephanotis. The maid of honor, Margaret Cargill, wore a blue net over taffeta gown with a tiara of pink roses and blue delphinium and carried a matching cascade.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. MacLeish chose a peach afternoon dress with blue accessories and an orchid corsage; Mrs. White was gowned in cocoa brown with matching accessories and corsage.

Daniel White of Philadelphia was best man for his brother, and the ushers were Russell MacLeish, brother of the bride, and James White, nephew of the bridegroom.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride with guests present from Medford, Ludlow, Philadelphia, Quincy, Rowley, North Andover and Lawrence. Supper was served at Peabody House.

The couple took a wedding trip to Canada and are now residing at 55 High st.

BOWLEY-PECK

At the summer home of her parents in North Bridgton, Me., and in the presence of the immediate families, Miss Gladys Amelia Peck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Montville E. Peck, 1 Highland wayside, was married Saturday, Sept. 2, to Wilfred Lee Bowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bowley of Bridgton, Me. The 12 o'clock ceremony was performed by the Rev. Andrew Young of Harrison, Me. A reception followed at the Wyonegonic Inn, Bridgton.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a light gray suit with navy blue accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Henry D. Rockwell Jr., of Andover, was her sister's only attendant. She wore a medium blue suit and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Peck, the bride's mother, wore a navy blue dress with wine accessories and a corsage of mixed flowers. Mrs. Bowley wore blue with a mixed corsage. George Bowley of Quonset Point, R. I., was best man for his brother.

The bride was graduated from the Northfield School for Girls and Westbrook Junior college. Mr. Bowley graduated from Bridgton High school, served three years in the navy, and is employed by the Central Maine Power Co., in Brunswick, Me.

After a wedding trip to Bar Harbor the couple will reside at 2 Potter st., Brunswick, Me.



Mrs. George Lathrop Fessenden, the former Miss Maribeth Walsh, daughter of Mrs. George D. Walsh of 28 Essex st., and the late George D. Walsh, whose marriage to George L. Fessenden of Richmond, N. J., was performed in St. Augustine's church Sunday, Sept. 3, by the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A. (Look Photo)

MEUSE-CONDELL

At a 10 o'clock ceremony, Sept. 4, in St. Mary of the Annunciation church in Melrose, Miss Claire Elizabeth Condell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Condell of Melrose became the bride of Robert Joseph Meuse son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Meuse of Foster's Pond rd. The Rev. Joseph Bonner officiated. The altar was decorated with white gladioli and the soloists were James McGillvary of Hyde Park and William Daley of Salem college, classmates of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore ivory satin trimmed with lace from her mother's wedding gown. She wore a fingertip veil of illusion and carried a prayer book covered with flowers.

Her three sisters attended her. Ruth Condell as maid of honor wore forest green velvet, and Elaine and Nancy Condell were in gold velvet. All wore matching picture hats and carried yellow poms and fall flowers.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Condell chose a gold crepe gown and matching hat with a corsage of fall flowers. Mrs. Meuse wore ice blue satin with dusty pink hat and a corsage of pink roses.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. Following a wedding trip to Canada the couple will reside at 26 Park st., Wakefield.

The bride is a graduate of Melrose high and Emmanuel college, Kappa Gamma Pi. She is connected with the Mass. dept. of public health. The bridegroom is a graduate of Malden high and will be in the first graduating class of Merrimack college, '51.

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LAFOND-DUBOIS

At a 9 o'clock nuptial mass Sept. 4, in Sacred Heart church, Lawrence, Miss Corinne V. Dubois daughter of Mr. and Mrs. honore J. T. Dubois of Andover st., Lawrence, became the bride of Robert J. Lafond son of Mr. and Mrs. Hormidas Lafond of Shepley st. The Rev. Leo Ouellette, S. M., officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was gowned in dutchess satin with Queen Anne style collar, lapels and peplum of Viennese lace, bouffant skirt and full court train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a satin calot and she carried a cascade arrangement of bridal roses centered with a lilac orchid. Rita Dubois as her sister's maid of honor was gowned in lilac faille taffeta with portrait neckline, fitted bodice and hooped skirt. With her matching shirred taffeta headpiece she carried yellow roses and gladioli with ribbon streamers. Her bridesmaid, Elaine Lafond wore a similar gown in deep aqua with matching headpiece and carried pink roses and gladioli with pink satin streamers.

Donald Lafond was his brother's best man and the ushers were Albert A. Pare, Richard Gallant and Raymond Arsenault of Lawrence.

A reception followed the ceremony at the French-American club of Lawrence with guests present from Boston, Somerville, Salem, Suncook, N. H., Vermont and Washington, D. C.

Following a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Washington, D. C., the couple will reside in their new home at 8 Shepley st.

The bride is a graduate of Sacred Heart high and the McIntosh school of Lawrence. She is employed in the accounting department of the Lawrence General hospital. The bridegroom is an army veteran with almost 3 years of service in the Pacific.

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LAPOINTE-CHARLAND

Miss Rita Charland daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Charland of Topping rd., became the bride of Raymond Lapointe son of Mrs. Regina Lapointe of Lawrence, at a 9 o'clock nuptial mass, Sept. 2, in Sacred Heart church, Lawrence. The Rev. Lawrence Michaud officiated.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore white satin trimmed with imported Chantilly lace. Her finger tip veil of illusion was attached to a lace crown trimmed with seeded pearls. She carried a bridal book with a deep purple orchid and stephanotis. Her maid of honor Jeannette Charland of Andover wore Nile green taffeta with matching mitts. She wore a picture hat and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and stephanotis.

Raymond Lacroix of Lawrence served as best man and the ushers were Raymond Tessier of Lawrence and Roger Charland of Andover.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Lasalle club with guests present from New York, Canada, Woonsocket and Lewiston.

Following a wedding trip to the White mountains the couple will reside on Emmett st., Lawrence.



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Local Handtub Breaks Piston

After throwing a stream of 170 feet 5 1/2 inches on its first try at the firemen's muster in Gardner Saturday, the local handtub, H. Bradford Lewis, broke down and had to be withdrawn from competition.

Although the stream was the farthest the local handtub has thrown since presented to the local firemen during the summer, the distance was not sufficient to place it in the money class.

The broken piston will be repaired and the tub made ready for any further musters that may be held this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Muller and family, formerly of Lupine rd., have moved to 49 Whittier st.

300 CHICKS LOST IN WEST ANDOVER FIRE

Fire early Monday morning destroyed 300 week-old chicks and a chicken house on the property of Zene Belu on Blanchard st. Firemen who responded to the alarm from box 71 at 12:55 a.m. kept the flames from spreading to other nearby chicken houses. The relief was sounded at 1:55 a.m. An overheated stove that ignited sawdust and shavings on the floor is believed to have been the cause.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton and family of Lowell st., spent the Labor day weekend with friends in York beach.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Doyle and family of Foster circle have returned from their summer home in Seabrook, N. H.

Miss Gertrude Buchan of Main st., has returned from a visit with friends in Westmoreland Depot, N. H.

Miss Alice Moore of Elm st., recently entertained friends from her former home in Berkeley, Cal.

Mrs. John Angus and Miss Mary Angus of Main st., have returned from a vacation tour of Maine.

Miss Fannie Davis of Elm st., has returned from a stay in Damarscott, Me.

Dr. P. J. Look of Main st., has returned from a month's vacation spent at Silver Lake, N. H.

Porter Smith of Andover Inn is enjoying a vacation at the Ravine House in the White Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Elm st., have returned from a weekend spent in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allison Morse of Foster circle have returned home after conducting their summer business in the Sea Moss Gift Shop at Cape Porpoise, Me.

Mrs. H. Allison Morse attended a recent meeting of the Essex County Welcome Wagon hostesses in Marblehead, and was awarded a prize for the most attractive and interesting basket used by hostesses in calling on newcomers to each town.

Miss Madeline Fitzgerald, 30 Chestnut st., has returned to her duties at the Irma Beene shop following two weeks' vacation.

Local Exhibitors Win at Topsfield

Andover exhibitors were among the winners of prizes for exhibitors on the opening day of Essex county's 126th renewal of the Topsfield fair.

In the grange exhibits Andover grange was awarded first prize by the judge, Mrs. Charles Blanchard of Georgetown. Hamilton-Wenham was second and West Newbury third.

Two other Andover entrants, Joseph Basso and Norman Comeau, won first and second prizes, respectively, for having the most awards in the 4-H vegetable show.

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