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Following a trip to the museum of science at Boston a group of Punchard High school student constructed several atom displays similar to those of the uranium atom they saw on their trip. The atom display made by the students is now on exhibit in the science room of the school. Shown in the photo with some of their handiwork are, rear row, from left to right, Robert Wiss, Thelma Sparks, Catherine Duke, Robert Arnold, Ann Dolan and Roger Christie; seated, Robert villiams, Carolyn Murphy, George Durant, chairman; Thomas Richardson and Delight Wilson.

aster Egg Hunt To Be Held Apr. 12

The Andover Recreation comittee is making preparations to take the annual Easter egg hunt be biggest and most successful ent it has ever sponsored.

It has purchased 14,000 pieces of wrapped candy which will be udden in and around the play-tead where, beginning at 2 p.m. sturday, Apr. 12, the youngsters of the town will line up for the tramble to see who can find the ramble to see who can find the osst. Prizes will be awarded for ose picking up the lucky pieces. A separate hunt will be held on this school grounds for the ller tots.

nong the organizations who are operating with the recreation mmittee are: Andover Service b, Andover post, 8, American gion and auxiliary; the police artment, the fire department auxiliary police, wer Youth Center. and the



Plans Being Made To Divide

Women Voters

In the coming year the league will stress its voters service program which provides information on election procedures and on can-

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To Complete Quota

Andover's original quota for the Red Cross drive is still only a little over three-quarters completed and now the tornado disaster has increased the amount of money which will be the chapter's share in carrying on the work of the or-

in carrying on the work of the or-ganization.

The Red Cross is trying to do a tremendous job in the tormado-stricken area. It needs help. The work of feeding, clothing and sheltering the hundreds of people affected by the disaster is some-thing all can aid by sending a contribution to the Red Cross headquarters at 8 Elm st.

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Central PTA Into Two Units Division of the Central PTA in

Open Fund Drive

The campaign for funds to continue the work of the Andover League of Women Voters starts this week and will continue through April. The goal has been set at \$825. The league, a non-partisan organization, works to promote political responsibility by encouraging informed and active participation of citizens in government.

Red Cross Working

to two units beginning next Sep-tember is being considered by a committee appointed at a regular meeting last month. One unit would serve the Central elementary school and the other would serve Punchard and the Junior high school. Central is the largest PTA

the directors.

The committee appointed to work out a practical scheme for the division and which will report at the annual meeting of the body May 21, is as follows: Mrs. Philip A. Costello, chairman; Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, Mrs. Glenn H. Roundy, Cleveland Gilcreast, Mrs. d C. Goddard Jr., Mrs. Fran-Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast, Mrs.
Harold C. Goddard Jr., Mrs. Francis A. Barous, Miss Catherine
Barrett, Mrs. John P. S. Doherty,
Mrs. Walter E. Mondale, Harold
Howe 2nd., and Mrs. Ralph
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Tree Warden Wins Contest Honors

Tree Warden G. Richard Abbott tree identification contest at the University of Massachusetts last week.
The contest was held during a

conference of tree wardens, fores-ters and arborists at the univer-sity. It consisted of identifying 21 sity. It consisted of identifying 21 trees and 21 insects and diseases attacking shade trees. It was prepared by Prof. Gordon King head of the department of arborculture at the university.

Such identification would be re-

quired as part of a test for a per-son wishing to become a registered arborist as required by all of the New England states except Massachusetts. This state does not yet have a board of registration to protect its communities from unfit tree preservation workers.

Memorial Day Committee Makes Tentative Plans For Annual Observance

Junior League Nine Tentative plans for the proper observance of Memorial day were Being Formed Here

Formation of a Junior League baseball team in Andover is under

This league is for boys from 13 to 15 years old. The Little League takes lads from 9 to 12 after which they can step into the Junior League and play until ready for high school baseball.

The Junior League in this area is sponsored by the Lawrence Lions club which has organized six teams in Lawrence and one in

North Andover.
T. J. Scanlon of Summer st. is the Lions club representative of the league in Andover. It is expected that the local team will have the backing of a civic organization here, just as the Little Leaguers have the backing of the Boosters' club. Coach Walter Roberts of Punchard will handle the

The Junior Leaguers play on a regulation diamond. It is expected that registration blanks will be distributed through the schools to give all boys in this age group a chance to sign up.

Plan Communion Breakfast May II

school. Central is the largest PTA unit in Massachusetts.

The matter was first discussed by the directors who favored the idea and it was later presented to the Mar. 17 meeting when a poll showed general agreement with the directors.

The laymen's department of the Andover Council of Churches will hold a communion breakfast Sunday, May 11, with services at 8 a.m. in the Baptist church followed by breakfast at the Free Christian church concluding at 9:15 a.m.

The committee in charge, from whom tickets may be obtained, consists of: South church, Dr. William V. Emmons and David P. Car dinal; Buptist church, Samuel B. Dimlich and Herbert H. Otis; Free church, Alex P. Black and Fred P. church, Alex P. Black and Fred P. Fitzgerald; Christ church, Fay H. Elliott; West church, William Stewart; Cochran chapel, Alexander D. Gibson; Methodist church, Charles F. Allen and Calvin J. Seiferth; Union Congregational church, Percy W. Moody and Philip F. Wormwood. Thayter Faton is F. Wormwood. Thaxter Eaton is the department chairman.

Appointed Regular Police Officer

Edward P. Pettoruto was ap-pointed a regular police officer by the selectmen at their meeting Monday night. Officer Pettoruto, who has been

officer Pettoruto, who has been a reserve since Oct. 17, 1949, fills the vacancy caused by the resignation of Officer Joseph E. O'Brien, and has been doing regular duty since the former police officer started on his leave of ab-

The appointment of Officer Pettoruto is dated Mar. 31, and carries a starting salary of \$57. The new officer is married and with his wife and two children, Gayle 16 months, and Joyce five months, lives at 60 Magnolia ave.

discussed at the initial meeting of the 1952 Memorial day committee Monday night in the office of the Veterans' Affairs agent.

Present at the meeting were Cmdr. Albert Cole Jr., and Vice Comdr. Robert Volker of Post 8, American Legion; Past Cmdr. Thomas P. Eldred and Adjutant James Monan of Post 2128, Veter-ans of Foreign Wars; Comdr. Charles Lundergan and James Coleman of the Disabled Veterans of America; Cmdr. Louise Wolden-den and Vice Cmdr. Edith St. Jean of the All-Woman's post, American Legion, and Francis P. Markey, veterans' affairs agent, whom the selectmen have recently appointed permanent chairman of the commit-tee. Mrs. St. Jean was elected secretary.

In making their preparations for the observance of the day set aside for paying respect to those members of the armed services who have made the supreme sacrifice for their country, the committee is putting considerable thought into the plans but the success of their effort lies almost wholly in the willingness of all veterans and servicemen of the town to turn out and participate in the exercises.

At present there are about 2100 veterans in Andover exclusive of those who have taken part in the Korean conflict or who are serving in the armed forces.

All servicemen are invited to take part in the observance honor-ing their departed comrades in the

present conflict or past wars.

The committee will hold its next meeting Apr. 14.

Good Friday Union Service To Be Held

A union three-hour Good Friday service sponsored by the Andover council of churches will be held from noon until 3 p.m. next Friday in the Free Christian church.

In this service the seven local ministers will participate.

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Alden R. Walls Jr., son of Mr.
and Mrs. Alden R. Walls, 20 Canterbury st., a student at Moses
Brown school, Providence, is
spending the spring holidays at
his home.

AWARDED DEGREE

A master of education degree has been awarded Albert Louis Kerr Jr., 109 Central st., by Harvard college this month. Mr. Kerr holds an AB degree from Yale, 1939.

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WEDDINGS...

White gladioli and candelabra decorated the altar of Christ decorated the altar of Christ church for the 3 o'clock ceremony Saturday which united in marriage Miss Claudia Margaret Nicoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nicoll of Summer st., and Rodman Campbell Scheffer, son of Mrs. Lang Scheffer of New York City and A. A. Scheffer of Long Island, N. Y. The Rev. John S. Moses

SCHEFFER - NICOLL

officiated. Irvin Wilkinson was the organist.

The bride chose an ivory satin The bride chose an Ivory satin and Chantilly lace gown fashioned with a full cathedral train. Her fin-gertip veil of illusion was attached to a satin crown trimmed with pearls and orange blossoms, and

she carried a cascade arrangement of white roses and stephanotis. The maid of honor, Ruth Nicoll of Windsor, Conn., sister of the bride wore a gown of light blue marquisette, complimented by a short cape and juliet cap. She carried a cascade arrangement of red



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roses and stephanotis.

The mother of the bride chose a dusty pink silk shantung dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses and stepha-notis. The bridegroom's mother chose navy blue with matching accessories for her son's wedding. Stowe Shoemaker of Ridgewood,

N.J., was the best man and the ushers were Paul Hood of Andover and Michael Antone of Lexington.

A reception at the parish house followed the ceremony with many guests present.

The couple departed on a trip to East Hampton, Long Island, N.Y. The bride plans to reside with her family until her husband is re-leased from army service.

The bride is a graduate of Pun-chard high school, and Pembroke college and is a member of the American Bacteriologists society. She is employed at the Massachu-She is employed at the massachusers Biologics Laboratory, Jamacia Plain. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Mount Herman school, Brown University, and is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. He is a sergeant in the army recently returned from Korea.

DEA - SAWYER

At a 4 o'clock ceremony Saturday in the Park st., church, Boston, Miss Caroline Mary Sawyer, daughter of Mrs. Mary M. Sawyer, 337 Washington st., Brighton, became the bride of Robert Look Dea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dea, 38 Summer st. Dr. Harold John Ockenga of the Park st. church officiated. Pink and white gladioli decorated the altar and Dr. John Hermann Loud was the organist.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Peter J. Meulendyk, the bride chose a ballerina length gown of white lace over satin. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a pearl tiara and she carried a cascade arrangement of stephano-

Miss Audrey Kirby of Lewiston, Me., as maid of honor chose a gown of sea foam green net over taffeta with pink accessories and she carried a bouquet of pink

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Sawyer chose a gown of light blue lace with pink accessories and a corsage of pink camellias. Mrs. Dea wore a dress of navy crepe with white accessories and a corsage of white orchids.

Allen Dea of Andover served on

Allen Dea of Andover served as sest man and the ushers were Thomas P. Dea Jr. of Beverly and

A reception at the Hotel Shel-ton followed the ceremony with guests present from New York, Maine, Holden, Worcester, Ware, Andover and Pittsfield.

Following a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., to couple will reside at 63 Mount Vernon st., Boston.

The bride is a graduate of the

Massachusetts School of Art and is employed as an artist with the Court Square Press, Boston. The bridegroom is a graduate of Phil-lips academy and is a senior at Tufts college. He is connected with the Tufts college bookstore.

PRUE - JAGGER

PRUE - JAGGER

The altar of the South church was decorated with white lilies and snapdragons for the 3 o'clock ceremony Saturday, Mar. 29, in which M. Shirley Jagger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Jagger, 20 Hall ave., Ballardvale, became the bride of Frank Joseph Prue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Prue, 48 Mendon st., Hopedale. The Rev. 48 Mendon st., Hopedale. The Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor, perormed the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a three-quarter length, gown of white



Mr. and Mrs. Rodman C. Scheffer following their marriage Mar. 29 at Christ church. Mrs. Scheffer is the former Claudi M. Nicoll of Summer st. (Ruth Glennie Photo)

the maid of honor, was gowned in gray net over gray satin with yel-low accessories, and carried yelow roses.

Mrs. Jagger, mother of the bride. Mrs. Jagger, mother of the bride, wore navy blue with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Prue, mother of the bridegroom, wore a gown of gray satin with pale pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Only the immediate members of both families attended the ceremony.

Following a reception at the Red Tavem, Methuen, the couple left on a wedding trip to New York. They will be at home after Apr. 7 at Douglas Pike, Smithfield, R. I.

The bride graduated from Colby college, Waterville, Me., and be-fore her marriage was an assistant buyer at Filene's in Worcester. Mr. Prue attended Annapolis Prepara tory school and graduated from Northeastern. He is a salesman for Woonsocket Color & Chemical Co., Woonsocket, R. I.

lace over ice blue satin, and a headpiece with a short veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Meredith Prue of Hopedale, the maid of honor, was gowned in Philadelphia last week in connect ion with the nation-wide program observing the 200th anniversary of mutual insurance in this country.

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White Lines On Highways Are Guide To Safe Driving

ist should make it his business to know what highway markings mean," says a statement issued today by Police Chief George A. Dane and Registrar of Motor Vehicles Rudolph F. King.

Stating that the white lines painted on the highways of Massachusetts are of special importance in reducing highway accident frequency, they join in saying that the white lines have the following meaning:

BROKEN CENTER LINES: when used on 2 lane highways, nark the center of the roadway. Motorist must drive to the right ex-cept when passing a vehicle going in the same direction.

SOLID BARRIER LINE: marks reas where passing is prohibited. When used in combination with a broken center line, it is directional. If the solid line is immediately adjacent to the driver in the right hand lane, it should NOT be crossed; but, if it appears to the eft of the broken center line at he driver's left, it may be crossed it the driver's discretion.

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Hoogas Essoian of Bellevue rd. ied Saturday at the Lawrence eneral hospital after a short ill-

ess. A native of Armenia, he had

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"Every safety-conscious motorist should make it his business to know what highway markings to the left of the center of the

roadway. DOUBLE DOUBLE SOLID BARRIER LINES WITH BROKEN LINE IN CENTER: usually found on 2 lane highways. This combination of bar-rier and broken center line pave-ment marking serves the same purpose as an island. It is completely restrictive and means no

passing at any time,
DIAGONAL BARRIER LINES:
used on 3 lane highways in advance of "No Passing" zones to
regiment and prepare approaching
motorists while entering the res-

tricted areas.
TRANSITION BARRIER LINES: used at road width changes, from 4 to 3 lane, and from 3 to 2 lane, where opposing lines of traffic must give way to avoid head-on

collisions.
TRANSVERSE BROKEN LINES: used to mark pedestrians' cross-walks. These serve a dual pur-pose of influencing pedestrians to cross highways at designated lo-cations and to warn the motorists of crossing locations.

Punchard High By GLADYS THOMSON

Albert Cole Jr., civil defense director, is seeking volunteers, particularly girls, in Punchard, to take part in the civil defense program. If you are interested please get in touch with Mr. Howe.

Glee Club

Wednesday night the Punchard girls' Glee club entertained dis-trict six of Massachusetts at the P.T.A. conference by singing two numbers, the first being "You'll Never Walk Alone", with Marilyn Early soloist, and "The Halls of Ivy". Miss Eileen Skeirik also rendered two lovely selections.

Assembly

George Kerelitz of Haverhill, a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association addressed the student body in Monday's assembly on the obligations we assume as citizens of the United States. Mr. Kerelitz is one of the lawyers who are speaking in different high schools all over the state.

The senior class will hold a meeting Monday to discuss various

Graduation plans.
Congratulations to the junior class on their successful Bunny Hop Friday night. May we have

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Schwarzer et ux, Lincoln circle.

George A. Porter et ux to R. Milton Cole et ux, Pine st.

more such well planned activities.
A group of students are planning to attend the opera Carmen in Bos-

REGISTER FOR PRIMARY

A total of 120 voters were registered at the town house Friday, the last registration day be-fore the presidential primary, Apr. 29. The only precinct open that day will be at the Square & Compass club from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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ears, operating a farm here. He was a member of Holy Cross Ar-IVERSARY DINNER

henian Apostolic church.
He is survived by his widow,
Latoon (Loosigian) Essoian, two
cos, John A., and Ace, both of est Andover; five grandchildren, brother, Nishan, of Grenoble, france; and several nieces and

The funeral was held Wednesay from the David J. Burke Jr. meral home, Lawrence, with ser-ices at 2 p.m. in Holy Cross Armian Apostolic church, con-ucted by the Rev. Hemayag V. In-oyan, pastor. Burial was in West arish cemetery.

RS. ELWYN D. LANE

Mrs. Elwyn D. Lane, widow of Dr. Lane and a former resident of Andover, died unexpectedly at her home in Groveland Monday. While Andover Mrs. Lane was a promient member of the Eastern Star.
The funeral will be held at 1:30 m. Friday from the Dole & Childs

eral home, Haverhill. HOOL COMMITTEE

There will be a regular meeting the school committee at 7:30

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Grange Notes

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Andover grange, 183, will meet at 8 p.m., Tuesday, Apr. 8, when the first and second degrees will be exemplified. There are 12 candidates. The first degree will be worked by the regular officers while the second will be by a mixed team. mixed team.

On Apr. 22 Home and Community night will be observed. Various organizations of West Parish church will be the invited guests of the evening. Howard B. Rand, editor of Destiny magazine, will

be the guest speaker.
Friendship Pomona grange will meet with Bradford grange at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Apr. 5.

Miss Ruth Anne Chadwick left by plane Tuesday for Topeka, Kan., where she will interview publishers in regard to the year book
"Llamarada", of which she will be editor next year. She is a junior at Mt. Holyoke college. She plans to return home Thursday and spend the rest of the vacation at her

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Mrs. Walter Simon of Arundel st. poured at a tea and shower held last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Clynn of Wake-field, honoring Miss Jean Clark. MUSGROVE BLDG. TEL. 260

Miss Clark's engagement to Robert Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simon, was recently announced.

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Children's Day

At a recent meeting of the Sunday school teachers and officers of the West Parish church held at home of Mr. and Mrs. William Du-Bocq plans were discussed for the annual Children's day to be held in June.

New Members

At the Maundy Thursday candle lighting communion service new members will be received and anyone wishing to unite with the West church at this time should contact the Rev. John G. Gaskill, pastor, at an early date.

Communion Breakfast
Over 60 men of the West Parish church attended the communion breakfast Sunday morning which was served by a group of ladies from the Junior Women's union. Austin Anderson, a layman from the Maple Street church, Danvers, gave an inspiring talk following the service.

Parish Officers

A meeting of all church and parish officers of the West Parish parish officers of the West Parish church will be held Tuesday evening, Apr. 22. Miss Ione Catton, resource expert of the denomination will speak. This meeting will be held in conjunction with the Trinitarian church of North Andover and the Riverside church of Lawrence. church of Lawrence.

Family Party
A family get-together was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens of Virginia rd. A turkey dinner was served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Fred Thresher of Braintree, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thresher of Malden, Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter of Melrose Highlands and Mr. er of Melrose Highlands and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hancock of Green-

Personals

Robert Scobie is somewhat im-proved following an illness that has confined him to his home on Lowell st.
Mrs. Harvey Weidman of Wake-

field recently enjoyed a visit with her friend, Mrs. Walter Simon of Arundel st.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd., entertained as guests during the weekend Miss Alice Hinkley of Springfield, Miss Anitra Small of Rochester, N.H., and their daughter, Margaret

Longmeadow.
Karl Haartz and daughter, Karla of High Plain rd., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Haartz of Scituate.

Mrs. Joseph Carruthers of Haggett's Pond rd. has returned from St. John's hospital, Lowell, where she has been a patient for the

past two weeks.
Mrs. John G. Gaskill of Lowell
st. attended the Greater Lawrence minister's wives meeting held last Friday at the home of Mrs. C. B. Bowser of Lawrence. Dessert was served prior to the business meet-

ing.
Fred Doyle Jr., a student at
Yale Medical school, is spending
a few days with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Fred Doyle of Chandler

St. Augustine's Five Loses In Tourney

St. Augustine's Div. B team, winners of the Central Catholic Grammar league title in its class, was eliminated in the New England, C.Y.O. championships at Somerville High school Saturday when, defeated by the St. Pius five of Providence, R.I. It was the local team's first loss of the season.

Personals...

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter S. Andrews of Johnson rd. have returned from a Florida visit to their citrus groves at Sorrento. They also vis-ited friends in Ft. Lauderdale, Pompous Beach, Ft. Myers and took in several baseball games at Bradenton.

Bradenton.

Mr. and Mrs, Robert Maynard and daughter, Christine of Phillips academy are spending the spring vacation at Baltimore, Md., and Williamsburg, Va.

PFC Roger P. Dea flew from Fort Bragg, N. C. to Boston Saturday to attend the wedding of his win brather. Behart Lock Dea.

twin brother, Robert Look Dea. A cousin, David Dea of Sampson, N. Y., who is in the air corps, also flew to Boston to attend the cere-

Miss Ann Higgins of Wellesley college is spending the spring va-cation at the home of her parents, and Mrs. Frederick A. Higgins of Central st.

of Central st.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Drummond of Westwind rd., have returned from a winter spent in Florida.
Miss Eleanor Goodyear of Gould

Farm, Great Barrington, is a guest of Miss Harriet W. Carter of Bart-

let st. Benjamin Stafford of the USS L. S. T. 980 was a weekend guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. Susie Stafford of Florence st.

Mrs. Edward Robinson and her wo little children of Lockway rd. have been confined to their home because of illness.

Miss Geraldine Pelletier of Al-

len ct., has recovered from her reten ct., has recovered from her re-cent illness, which confined her to her home for a month. Miss Barbara Jane French of Main st., is spending a few days

with relatives in Waterville, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cahill Jr., of 13 Summer st., have moved to their new home on Enmore st.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herve Foreman Locke st. spent last weekend will friends in Holyoke.

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Florida.

Mrs. Clark Bartlett of Madison N. J., was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Whit-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Whit-temore of Chestnut st. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kempson and family of Elm st., have re-turned from a visit with relatives in New Jersey.

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Auction Plans Progressing
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Congregational church auction and rummage sale is receiving calls from residents who have started spring cleaning and have used furniture and clothing to dispose of for the sale Saturday, Apr. 26, on the playground. Harold Bailey, Methuen, well known auctioneer Methuen, well known auctioneer will officiate. In case of bad weather the auction will be held

Saturday May 10.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langdell
of Clark rd. have donated the use of their barn for storing materials and articles until the sale. Mrs. Frank Froburg will be in charge of

the refreshments.
Baby clothes and dishes are especially wanted for the rummage sale along with any article of clothing. The rummage sale will be held the Saturday following the auction. Mrs. Ralph Sharpe will have charge of this event.

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The committee; the Rev. and Mrs. Paul E. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Froburg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. and Mrs. Itussell Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Serio, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brouck, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langdell, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Smalley.

W.S. of C.S. Meeting

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met last Thursday night at the home of the president, Mrs. John Duke of River st. Mrs. Edwin W. Brown had charge of devotions. The fourth quarterly conference and turkey supper will be held Apr. 15, with Mrs. Edwin Brown in charge. The baked bean and ham supper has been postponed until the later part of May. Mrs. John Wilson gave a report

of the entertainment to be given

of the entertainment to be given in connection with the spring fair.

A bakery sale was held, Apr. 2, at the home of Mrs. John Duke. Another will be held at a later date. Mrs. John Duke and Mrs. George Davison are co-chairmen.

An all day sewing meeting was held today at the home of Mrs.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Duke, Thursday Apr. 10. Mrs. George Davison and Mrs. Frank Davis will be cohostesses. Members are asked to bring grabs to Mrs. Virginia Or-

lando at this neeting.
Refreshments were served by
Mrs. Charles Allen and Mrs. E. W.

Brown.
Those present were; Mrs. Edna
Laffin, Mrs. Alice Romig, Mrs.
Charles Allen, Mrs. John Wilson,
Mrs. James Enright, Mrs. George
Davison, Mrs. Edwin Brown, Mrs.
Robert McCune, Mrs. Calvin Seiferth, Mrs. Virginia Orlando, Mrs.
Andrew Townsend and Mrs. John

Western Koundup.

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The main attraction of the entertainment at the spring fair to be held by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church in the community room Saturday evening May 3 is the "Western Roundup". The rules of the contest are: This contest is onen to all how and girls of Balopen to all boys and girls of Bal-lardvale 10 years of age and under; all entries must be dressed in western style clothes. A sheriff and deputy-sheriff will be chosen, and deputy-sheriff will be chosen, and they will be given special awards. Each entry will receive a free ticket to the Saturday morning movie at the Andover Playhouse. Also a variety entertainment is being planned by the committee, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Frank Davis and Mrs. Virginia Orlando, Tickets will go on sale Orlando, Tickets will go on sale

Birthday Party

Miss Barbara Harrington cele-brated her ninth birthday at her home Sunday with a family party. She received many gifts. Refresh-ment of a prettilly decorated birth-day cake, ice cream, candy and punch were served by her mother, Mrs. Helen Maiocchi.

Mrs. Helen Maiocchi.
Guests present were: Mrs. Roland Joy, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins and son Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peatman, Joan Jedrey, Donald White, Mrs. Helen Stevens and daughter, Betty of Newbury, Mrs. Anthony Maiocchi, Ann, Loraine, Alice and Anthony Jr., Miss Jean Pearsons and Mrs. Joseph Callahan all of Woburn. han all of Woburn.

Open House

A large gathering attended open house at the Ballardvale library Sunday evening. Miss Louise Sherman talked on her experiences in Japan. She taught in the American school for a year and showed some beautiful slides which she took over there. After her talk a colored film "Grandma Moses" was shown. A social time was enwas shown. A social time was en-joyed and light refreshments were served by Mrs. Joseph Bouleau and Mrs. Alvin J. Zink.

With the chorus members dressed in their scout uniforms the min-strel show, "The Spirit Of 76" strel show, "The Spirit Of 76" sponsored by boy scout troop 76 Friday and Saturday nights was a marked success.

From start to finish the endmen kept the large audience in laughter with their jokes and end songs. with their jokes and end songs. Other features were songs and dances by Miss Beverly Arthur; solo by Ralph Buschmann, and instrumental numbers by Donald Milligan and Carl Buschmann. Saturday night Miss Arthur was unable to attend and Mrs. Butler. unable to attend and Mrs. Butler

rendered two songs.

All that took part deserve credit for their work in the pro-

gram. Saturday night's performance was followed by dancing.

Following Saturday's performance Arnold Schofield presented Mrs. Butler with a beautiful bouquet of flowers from the scouts, thanked her for all the time and effort that she as pianist gave

show a success.
Scoutmaster James Butler directed the show. George Crant was in charge of tickets. Mrs. Ralph Sharpe and Miss Youlando Fiorentino were in charge of make-up. The Rev. Paul E. Callahan, in-

terlocutor, extended greetings to

The cast; interlocutor, the Rev. Paul E. Callahan; end men, Bob Colpitts, Danny McIntyre, Freddy Lawrence, Bill Davis, Warren Russell and David Robinson; Chorus; Jimmy Butler, Richard Lumenello, Paul MacFarlin, Bill Davison, Ray Youmans, Bill Lawrie, Freddy Hall, William Davis, Teddy Sut-ton, Frank Froburg, Jimmy Evans, Carl Buschmann, Ralph Busch-Carl Buschmann, Ralph Buschmann, Jeffrey Hall, Arnold Schofield, Eddie Quinlan, George Reed, Russell Robinson, Donald Milligan and Cub scouts Bobby Haggerty and Bruce Myers.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ballardvale PTA will be held tonight in the Bradlee school. Joseph Serio, trustee of the Memorial Library will introduce the speaker, Miss Miriam Putnam who will speak on "Are you getting \$2.97 worth out of your library". The delegates to the recent dis-

The delegates to the recent district meeting will give reports.

At this meeting Mr. and Mrs.
Bart Smalley will be host and hostess. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Fraser Colpitts, Mrs.
Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Randolph Perry and Mrs. Frank Green.

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Personals

Mrs. O. E. Romig has returned Mrs. U. E. Homig has returned to her home in Pittsburg Pa., after spending a few days at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. McCune. Miss Yolando Fiorentino of Mal-den spent the weekend with

den spent the weekend with Mand Mrs. James Schofield of Tewksbury st.

the weekend at their homes.

and Miss Janet Kittredge of Haver-

and Miss Janet Kittredge of naver-hill were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of Marland rd. Miss Harriet Schofield of Tewksbury st., has returned to her studies at Perry Kindergarden normal school after enjoying the spring recess at her hom

Mrs. Martha Brady of Malden visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers, of Clark rd., Sunday.

IN SEMI-FINALS

The Youth Center team in the Greater Lawrence Junior Basketball league won its way into the semi-finals by winning 60 - 26 from the Salem Eagles at the Law

rence YMCA Monday night,
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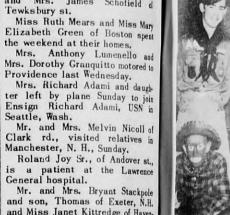


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The funeral was held Mar. 27 in Great Barrington.



Some of the principals who put on the highly successful minstrel show sponsored by the boy scouts of Ballardvale in the community room last week. Standing, left to right, James Buller, Arnold Schofield, the Rev. Paul E. Callahan, Edward Quinlan, Carl Euschmann, Donald Milligan; front row, Bill Davis, Bobby Colpitts, Warren Russell, Freddy Lawrence, David Robinson and Donny McIntyre. (Andover Art Studio)

OBITUARIES

WILLIAM HENDRY Jr.
William Hendry Jr., 54 Saunders
st., Lawrence, died unexpectedly Saturday in Andover. A registered pharmacist, he was manager of the Liggett drug store in Lawrence for 40 years. He was recently em-ployed in Hartigan's drug store on Main st. A native of Lawrence, he always resided there and attended

Always resided there and attended Grace Episcopal church. He is survived by one son, Donald S. of North Andover; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Best of Andover and Mrs. Dorothy Jones of Fall River; six grandchildren; one brother, Robert Hendry of Ho-lyoke, and three sisters, Mrs. Ralph Gilman, Mrs. Fred Youney and Miss Bessie Hendry, all of

The funeral was held Tuesday from the Frederick E. Allen chapel with services at 2 p.m. conducted by the Rev. W. Harold Deacon, tector of Grace Episcopal church. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery.

CARL H. CASSIDY

Carl H. Cassidy, a native of An-over, died Monday at the family me 139 East Haverhill st., Law-

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Julia T. (Donovan) Cassidy; three daughters, Miss Julia L. Cassidy, Eugenia, wife of Timothy F. Calla-an and Grace E., wife of J. Joph Muldowney; one son, Joseph Cassidy; three grandchildren ad one niece, all of Lawrence.

The funeral was held from the ate home Thursday morning with a colemn high Mass of requiem at 10 m. in St. Laurence's church. Burial was in Immaculate Conception cemetery. cemetery.

CHRISTOPHER M. WILSON
Christopher M. Wilson, ninemonths-old son of P. Leroy and
Marjorie (Weeks) Wilson Jr., former
residents of Andover, died Mar. 26
this home. 23 Church et Greet his home, 23 Church st., Great

arrington. Besides his parents he leaves his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weeks, and his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Leroy Wilson Sr., all of Andove.

Drama Festival Here Saturday

The state finals of the Massa-chusetts High School Drama Fes-tival will be held at the Memorial auditorium Saturday, Apr. 5. The all-day program will commence at 9:30 a.m. and will consist of nine one-act plays to be presented by competing schools which include Revere, Easthampton, Durfee of Fall River, Beverly, Wellesley, Lynn, Wells of Southbridge, Newton and Cambridge High and Latin.

Afternoon and evening sessions will commence at 2:15 and 7:15 p.m. Lunch and dinner will be served in the school cafeteria. A variety program will be held in the evening while the judges are in consultation. Admission to all three sessions will be 75 cents. for any one session 50 cents. The public is cordially invited to any and all sessions.

Mervin E. Stevens of the high school faculty is general chairman for the festival.

FOOD SALE

The Central PTA will sponsor an Easter food sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday, Apr. 12, at the Lawrence Gas & Electric Co. store. There will be plenty of home-cooked food. All parents of children in the central schools will be solicited will be solicited. Complete Service

Couple Observe. Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Huggins of Maple ave. celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, Mar. 31. Sunday an anniversary dinner was served by their only daughter, Mrs. Grant Silva, with whom they reside. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Huggins of Durham, N. H. also attended the dinner. the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Huggins were mar-ried in Cornish, N. H., and have made their home in Andover most of their lives. Last week they re-turned from Edgewater, Fla., where they spent the winter.

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Musical Service At Baptist Church

Miss Alice Farnsworth, soprano soloist of Tremont temple, Boston, will be featured at the religious musical service to be held at the Baptist church at 8 p.m., Friday, Apr. 18. The Rev. Archibald L. MacMillan, pastor of the Scotch Presbyterian church, Boston, will be the guest preacher.

The song leader and trumpet soloist at the service will be the Rev. William D. Turkington, well known Irish evangelist; the pianist, Ruth Anna Bowler, organist of the South Congregational church, Pea-body; and organist, Marshall S. Wilkins, director of music at the Wilkins, director of music at the First church, Congregational, Mil-

The public is invited.

IN PACIFIC FLEET

Thomas P. Middleton, aviation electronics technician, third class, USN, recently participated in the largest Pacific fleet training exercises held since the Korean out-break. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Middleton of 70 Essex st.

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(The report of Harold Howe 2nd, the seventh and eighth grades the headmaster of Punchard High and arrangement of students by divi-the Junior High schools, and which sions has been made to coincide contained in the annual report the school committee now the subject of controversy among some of our readers, is as follows:)

Mr. Kenneth L. Sherman

Dear Sir:

This statement is presented as my second annual report as headmaster of the Punchard High school

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with their arrangement by home rooms. This has made possible form two divisions. In the ninth grade a required social studies course in geography and current events has been added to replace

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more homeroom activity of all kinds. There are fewer study kinds. There are fewer study periods for the seventh and eighth grades this year and more time in supervised class work. This has been made possible by the addi-tional teacher provided for the Ju-nior High school, and it is a major improvement in making the transi-tion from sixth grade to Junior High less sudden. Another programming change which is directed toward improving this transition is that of giving each seventh grader the same teacher in both English and social studies in consecutive periods. This gives less pupils to each teacher and less teachers to each teacher and less teachers to each pupil in the seventh grade. I hope that this change can be ex-tended to grade eight next year. All seventh and eighth graders have work in either shop or homemaking this year, another change which has been made possible by added teacher time. The grouping of pu-pils in grade seven remains the pils in grade seven remains the same as last year with one group of the four selected for outstanding ability. There has been some change in eighth grade grouping. The class was divided in half on ability basis and each half

grade ten a year ago. Ancient his-tory has been dropped from the curriculum. The language require-ments have been changed to dements have been changed to de-mand three years of one foreign language from each student start-ing the classical curriculum in the ninth grade. Additional time has been assigned to Junior High stu-dents in physical education by reducing slightly the time for this in

In Punchard there have been number of curriculum changes. All students are required to take Red Cross first aid courses. Time for this is taken from physical educa-tion classes. The speech program has been reorganized and concentrated in the sophomore year, each sophomore being required to take speech as an extra course twice a week. New courses in music appreciation and in harmony and the theory of music have been added as electives. A beginning has been made on the introduction of rememade on the introduction of reme-dial reading work for high school students, and there are plans for further development of this. The elective courses in dramatics and health and hygiene have been dropped from the curriculum. In both Punchard and the Junior

High school there has been an increased amount of extra-curricular creased amount of extra-curricular toward the importance of performactivity. A sailing club, a current ing day to day responsibilities events club, a Junior High school newspaper, and a bazaar which last spring raised over \$1,000 for student activities are some of the additions to the extra-curricular program. There has been a revised and active Junior Red Cross. The ment the resignation of Mrs. Foomers, the resignation of the English department of the resignation of Mrs. Foomers, and the importance of performance of performa and active Junior Red Cross. The student councils in both Punchard and the Junior High are increasing in vigor and prestige. The new in vigor and prestige. The new arrangement for having all student activities handle their financial Lost, An Education...?

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Lies lowercost Savings Bank Lies work either the same and the Junior High has opened up new extra-curricular possibilities as well as making the libraries as well as making the libraries. more effective in helping our classroom work. The generous support of the Punchard trustees has made it possible to maintain an excel-lent library for Punchard. We shall have to depend on the school de-partment to rebuild the rather poor collection in the Junior High school. In addition to their support of the library, the trustees have contributed several major items of equipment to the school this year— an electric calculating machine, an electric typewriter, and a combina-tion tachistoscope, micro-projector and slide projector.

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The varsity athletic teams in both Punchard and the Junior High school had a successful and active year. Junior High football had a large squad and unusual enthusiasm. It became apparent during the year that we would no longer he able to finance our varsity athletic. able to finance our varsity athletic program from gate receipts, and an appropriation for this purpose has been included in the 1952 school department budget. Because it has been necessary

to house two kindergarten rooms, we have been pressed for class-room space, as well as for space room space, as well as for space for student activities, since school opened in September. With the ex-pansion of the activities of the music department we are seriously in need of additional space for group rehearsals as well as for individual practice on instruments. strongly recommend that space made available in the Jackson school for this purpose next year.

Other problems which face us upon which I can only touch are:

1. The need for additional teacher time and additional space for practical arts work as a result of growing enrollment in these courses, particularly among the

A better arrangement for Comsr. Long Talks scheduling student activities so that they will not interfere with each other and with curricular work, and so that a larger propor-

class periods and therewith a lon-ger school day during which most, if not all, homework will be accomplished:

more closely geared to the inerests and abilities of the students in that curriculum;

6. A positive program for keeping our teachers well informed on the best work being done in their fields in terms of both subject matter and methods: (membership in the New England School De-velopment council would be a sound ove in this direction.)

7. The need for an increased awareness among the students generally of the significance of local and national economic and political developments and their ackground. 8. The development among the

students of an improved attitude toward the importance of perform-

ment. The resignation of Mrs. Econ made way for the appointment of Miss Janetos as home economics instructor. Mr. Hart returned this fall as science teacher in Punchard and Mr. Danforth, who had been substituting for him, moved to the Junior high school where he is teaching elementary science. In addition to this, Mr. Danforth has been appointed as teacher in charge of all audio-visual aids in Punchard and the Junior High school. Mr. Congdon replaced Miss Bolton as a teacher of English in the Junior High school. Mr. Normandy is substituting in physical education for Mr. Dunn, who is on leave of absence for military service. In September Miss Loux came to the Junior High school from the Bradlee school to fill the vacancy left by Miss Hird and which was filled by Mrs. Douglass as a substitute last year. Mrs. Wilson is a new instructor in music. Mr. Wormwood has served since September

as a substitute teacher in English.

This report is too short to mention in detail the conscientious work which has been the daily contribution of all the members of the teaching staff in both Punchard and the Junior High school. Ando-ver is fortunate indeed to have as teachers a group of people who are as generous with their time and effort and who are as genuinely in-terested in the welfare of the pupils as are the members of Punchard and Junior High school faculty. It is a privilage to work with then

I would like to extend to you and to the school committee my sin-cere thanks for the backing I have

Speaking at a meet Andover Service club l work, and so that a larger proportion of students can take part in them;

3. The desirability of longer class periods and therewith a longer school day during which most, ger school day during which most, would be available to any legis lator desirous of using it.

The state official was introduced

4. The strengthening of our intramural sports program;
5. The development of our general course instruction so that it is characteristics of the local board of the l assessors.

He discussed state tax problems and said that he favored raising the assessed real estate valuation an attempt to level off tax rates,

He felt that revenue should no be earmarked for any specific pur-pose as is presently the case with the gasoline tax, as he felt there are times when the money could be put to better use.

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At the dinner the invocation was given by the Rev. Robert J. McCune of the Ballardvale Methodist church. Two new members, Malcolm and Donald Lundgren, were voted into the organization. It was voted to give \$10 to the Easter egg hunt and \$25 to the Red Cross disaster fund.

At the next meeting, Apr. 10, Gen. George Harmon of Norwich university will be the speaker.

Estate Of \$18,500 Left By Woman

In the will of Mrs. Caroline Whitehill late of Porter rd., provisions are contained for the disposal of an estate of \$18,500.Two daughters, Gladys Whitehill Boll-man of Gloucester and Ruth M. Whitehill of Andover are named

executrixes.

The will stipulates that a granddaughter, Annette Victoria Boll-man, is to receive \$1000, after which the remainder of the estate is left in trust for the benefit of the two daughters in equal shares.

Another provision allows Ruth M. Whitehill to occupy the family home on Porter road if she so desires.

received in this my first full year as headmaster.

Sincerely, Harold Howe, II

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I would not presume to burden you with another communication if you had not already shown that you believe educational policies are a proper subject for public discussion.

My purpose in pursuing this subject further is that I believe good citizenship demands that 1) the people show a lively interest in school affairs and 2) the school ommittee must take the leadership in presenting facts to the people.
Does this sound like heresy? If o I am in very heretical company because the first part is taken from Mr. Lewis' recent letter and the second part is taken verbatim from the school committee's statement on which Mr. Lewis lavished so much praise.

Since we are all agreed in principle, why all the fuss and feathers? This criticism is directed squarely at the discrepancy be-tween pious statement of purpose on the one hand, and less than satisfactory performance on the other. Either the school committee is setting a fine example of democratic responsibility toward its public or it isn't. Mr. Lewis thinks is, and I don't; the issue is as simple as that. To help arrive at he truth suppose we examine the vailable records.

Because the word "report" has een used both in connection with he pamphlet as a whole and with material on page 6, I shall, to avoid confusion, use that word to mean the complete pamphlet and shall call that part signed by the secretary a statement.

The very first sentence in the secretary's statement makes it crystal clear that the school comnittee is issuing no report of its "report" as they do all the others. The Townsman added such an dentification to conform to journa-listic practice. Why Mr. Lewis won't take the committee's word for this I wouldn't know. Here's a claration that comes straight om the horse's mouth.

The school committee doesn't reveal its duties but it seems to that the position of the school mmittee, like that of a board of ectors, is midway between the ools and its public. Although function is to direct the ools, it is elected by the peoto perform a public service, so is under obligation to give people an impartial and dependent of educational statement of educational is, problems, methods, costs is results. Operating in the blic interest, its report should

bjective and judicial. Yet, by its own admission, it stitutes its chief administra-'s report for its own. In so en to the charge that it evades be own clearly stated aim and its clear moral responsibility to the public which elected it and footed the bills.

But far more damaging to the public interest is the fact that in using the superintendent as its mouthpiece, the committee is passing off on the public a subjective statement instead of an objective appraisal. The superintendent is not an elected official, is not accountable to the public, and quite properly has his personal interest to protect. As the self-satisfied report of an administrator, his views are understandable but as a report of the representatives of the public's welfare it is indefensible. Where the superintendant's

statement is glib, the committee's is glum. This confusion of function makes it look as if the tail is

wagging the dog.

The poor public caught in the middle, is left with no reliable appraisal of what is going on in our schools, and why and how. I don't believe the public is so gullible as to accept a starstudded substitution at face value. The public is entitled to fair information; what it gets is indoctrination.

Under the circumstances part of the public becomes apathetic, thinking the situation is hopeless, some people become belligerent, a few are content to look upon the school committee as a sacred cow, while still others, perhaps naive, are hopeful that the situation can be straightened out. But in every case the people are not being given the truth about educational policies and practices by our school officials.

Suppose now we search further for reliable data. Mr. Lewis tells us that our capable finance committee and taxpayers committee have gone over the budget for us. Is he suggesting that the people should have such implicit faith in them that the people should surrender their own rights and obligations? The finance committee itself reveals no smug "papa knows best" attitude.

If he will reread this commit-tee's report he will find advice on the need for rigid control of ex-penses, and a statement of the penses, and a statement of the committee's duty to recommend each departmental appropriation "in detail." But I can't find any evidence that they have applied either of these things to the school budget. Certainly, the finance committee members are capable individuals but I wonder just how proud they are of their contribution to public understanding of this problem. this problem.

Let's turn next to the taxpayer's report. They too accept the com-mittee's original figure but add

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At whom are both groups direct-ing their urgent appeals for rigid control? I see no evidence that control? I see no evidence that they take their own advice. If this budget seems to baffle the experts, is it fair to blame the average citizen for being bewildered? He certainly gets no help from these committees, and the fact that they have gone over the school budget seems to me to the school budget seems to me to prove exactly nothing. Either town meeting is the proper place for the public discussion of public business or it isn't. And you can't discuss a complicated budget in-telligently without lots of facts. There is a fifth potential source

of information. One of the primary benefits of national elections is the educational job done by bring-ing issues before the people. In our town elections it is not considered dignified to raise any issues. This constitutes another wall of silence and helps to put the citizens neatly over a barrel.

For all its capabilities, how can for all its capabilities, how can the finance committee, or anyone else for that matter, possibly evaluate a price tag intelligently without understanding what we are buying? Transcending school costs, yet forming the only sound basis for evaluating costs, are school policies, methods and results. Without a full and frank description of these things, not even an Einstein can evaluate our school budget. Is it no one's job in this town to provide these facts to the public freely, without being needled?

Mr. Lewis is very happy when people show a private lively in-terest in school affairs but he too opposes telling them very much publicly. He is happy only when they have to come and get it. I think you can't discharge a public responsibility by clamming up in

In short, I believe the school p.m.

committee has the primary obligation not only to educate our children, but to educate the public as well. Their job is bigger than they think, but if they can live up to it, they will not only grow in stature, but also in public esteem to which their many hours of important and their many hours of important and unpaid service should entitle them.

P.S. On second thought I withdraw my suggestion that we let our young hopefuls into town meeting. Let us feed them democratic platitudes but shield them from wit-nissing public frustration. They nissing public frustration. They are too innocent to be disillusioned so soon.

Leaves Property Valued At \$8000

Property valued at about \$8000 was disposed of by the will of Elias Nicholas, otherwise known as Elias Nichols, late of Chandler rd., in his will recorded last week at the registry of probate in Salem.

Mr. Nicholas who died Feb. 2, named Atty. Thomas J. Lane of I.awrence as executor.

He left \$1 to each of his daughters, Mrs. Mabel N. Surprenant, Mrs. Julia N. Silva, and Mrs. Alice N. Clegg, all of Andover, and awarded the residue of the estate to a son, Naiah Lames Nicholas and to a Najab James Nicholas, and to a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Nicholas both of Andover.

W. Andover Camp Destroyed By Fire

A summer camp on Laurel lane in West Andover was completely destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. Firemen were notified of the blaze by a Methuen resident who could see the flames from across the Merrimack river.

Box 76 was sounded at 4.03 p.m., shortly after the first alarm. The camp, owned by John Asoian of Haggett's Pond rd., was a mass of flames when firemen arrived. The relief was sounded at 5:50





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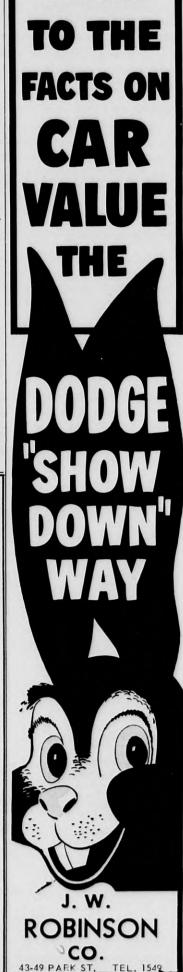
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One common safety measure for the reduction of accidents on the highways is the system of painted white lines that mark all well-traveled roads today.

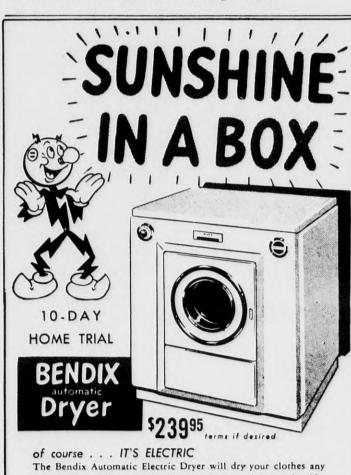
"Painted lines on Massachusetts highways," says a statement just issued by Police Chief George A. Dane and Rudolph F. King, registrar of motor vehicles, "are life-lines for motorists and pedes-

This system of road markings, they advise us, is in accord with established uniform standards. They can be easily interpreted by motorists and, if obeyed, are of primary importance in cutting down accidents.

But how often in the course of ordinary travel does one see them disregarded by the "smart" driver or the speeder who crosses the solid barrier at a curve or in a "No Passing" zone!

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50 Years Ago - April 1902

John Hutchenson has purchased a new fish wagon. Hen house owned by Fred M. Temple on Andover hill entered ast Tuesday night and several hens stolen.

Dana Clark has been elected secretary of the Whittier tennis club. The tennis court on Whittier street will be repaired this sea-

Work is expected to start soon on the Elm street end of the Haverhill - Andover car line.

The Townsman through the co-operation of Cong. Knox is passing out packages of seeds fur-nished by the government. Andover lodge, 230, I.O.O.F.,

holds gala night program with over 200 guests from out-of-town taking part in the big parade. First de-gree worked, followed by banquet. Big electric on Lawrence -

Reading line jumped the rails near Falls bridge in Lawrence Saturday night causing injury to several

assengers. Baseball prospects bright at Punchard where under Capt. James Soutar a first-class team seems to be in the making. The boys are being coached by academy ball

players.

New maple syrup and sugar being advertised by stores.

25 Years Ago - April 1927

Andover to have a new post of-fice building eventually if good site can be found and purchased easonably.

Selectmen make annual appointments of town officers, the only new one being Archibald Mac-Laren as special police officer. Mr. MacLaren is janitor at the li-

The Village Improvement so-ciety suggests to householders that it is high time sidewalks had their spring sweeping. Ice and snow have been gone for several weeks.

The dedicatory recital on the Martha Cochran Memorial organ in the George Washington auditorium at Phillips academy will be played by M. Louis Vierne, first organist of Notre Dame, Paris, on April 11.

The season for grass fires has begun, the fire department having been called out three times yesterday for such fires.

Mrs. Catherine F. Tobin, life-

long resident of the town, dies at home of her daughter in Ballardvale at the age of 72.

Big Parade" with John Gilbert, Karl Dane and Renee Adore. It is a war picture filled with stark realism. Coming to Lawrence soon, ig Parade" with John G

10 Years Ago - April 1942

Town's second wartime blackout to be held next Thursday. Exact hour not to be announced since the purpose is to see how quickly the various corps of workers can be organized.

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Large audience sees old-time minstrel show staged by the Margaret Slattery class of the Free church. Chris Murphy's dancing is the highlight of the evening.

Patrick English, one of last blacksmith's to follow that trade in this vicinity until his retirement 10 years ago, dies at his home 39 High st., aged 72.

Red Cross making appeal for nurses' aids who are now being accepted for free training at the

accepted for free training at the Lawrence General hospital.

Never mind the business outlook be on the lookout for business.

At The Memorial Hall Library

COMING EVENTS

Apr. 7, 12. Recorded music. Apr. 7, 7:45 p.m. Film festival. Apr. 8, 7:30 p.m. Great books dis-

Apr. 9, 10 a.m. Littlest Listeners-Bluebirds.

Apr. 10, 1 p.m. Rug class. Apr. 10 - 12.Rugs on exhibit. Apr. 4 - 20. Easter egg tree Apr. 4 - exhibit.

NEW BOOKS

Pattern Of Responsibility, Bundy. This statement of our foreign policy is built on Dean Acheson's speeches, press conferences and reports to the president. Edited by McGeorge Bundy, instructor in government at Harvard, this makes a consecutive and authoritative consecutive and authoritative of U.S. foreign policy during the cold war.

Why The Private School? Heely. The headmaster of Lawrence-ville school in New Jersey, one of the outstanding secondary schools in the country, provides a thoughtful statement on the place private schools in American education.

Achievement In American Poetry: 1900 - 1950, Bogan.

Louise Bogan, poetry critic for the New Yorker for over 20 years, gives brief sketches of 30 or more individual poets.

Book Of Table Arrangements, Roberts.
Use of flowers, fruits, vegeta-

bles and other decorative elements, including china, glassware, etc. This delightful book has 120 pages of photographs.

Adventure In Two Worlds, Cronin. In his early years, A. J. Cronin was a physician in Scotland, Wales and London. Later he gave up his practice and became world famous with his novels.

How To Beautify Your Home With

Color, Hartley.

If you are beginning to buy for a home, or are about to tackle your decoration problems in a serious way, this is the book for you.

Scalpel Of Scotland Yard, Brown. A fascinating story of some of the greatest of modern murder trials as the reader follows the adventures of Sir Bernard Spilsbury, whose name became legendary in the annals of Scotland Yard.

Facts Of Life From Birth To

This interesting question and answer book is the result of re-search performed by the statis-

tical staff of the Metropolitan Like Insurance Co. in answer to hedreds of thousands of inquiries.

Pleasures Of Music, Barze, A reader's choice of grat writings about music and music cians from Cellini to George Ber. nard Shaw. It criticism, music and drama.

Dance To The Piper, De Mille, The inside story of ballet as told by Agnes De Mille, the creator of the ballet "Rodeo" and chore-grapher of "Oklahoma", "Caronsel", etc.

Town Government Plan Available

The League of Women Voters will make available to newly registered voters and also to anyone else who is interested a plan of the Andover town government. This folder is unique in that it is the first time that a comprehensive plan of our local town government has been made available to the public.

The league wishes to express it appreciation to Roy E. Hardy an George H. Winslow for their hel and time.

The committee consisted of Mrs. Robert Saltonstall, Mrs. Samue Rogers and Mrs. Harold Howe 2nd.

Elected Vice Pres. Of Law. G. & E. Co.

George W. Culver, 36 Central st., was elected vice president of the Lawrence Gas & Electric Co., at a meeting of the directors last week.

Mr. Culver has been superinter dent of the gas department of the local company since August, 1934. He will now be in charge of all gas perations of the company

POLL TAX BILLS OUT

Tax Collector James P. Christie has sent out 3800 poll tax bills in the current year. They Apr. 1 and are due May 1.

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TUESDAY: 7:15 a.m. Morning

WEDNESDAY: 7:15 a.m. Morning

THURSDAY: 7:15 a.m. Morning devotions. 7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday communion service with reception of new members. FRIDAY: Good Friday the union three-hour service will be held in the Free Christian church, with

seven local ministers participating.

Andover Baptist Church

FRIDAY: 7:45 p.m. Philathea class installation. SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Youth choir re-

7:30 p.m. Story and song program. Theme: "The Last Week." Adult

choir singing.

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THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Maundy
Thursday service. Observance of
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West Parish Church

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Square dance class sponsored by Brotherhood. SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. The

Family Hour of Worship. Children's church service with Rosemary

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Ozoonan and Daniel Hogan assisting the pastor, and Hartwell Abbot and John Lowe ushers. Adult Bible class. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship. Music by the augmented choir. Sermon theme, "Who is This?" 7 p.m. Young Peoples' Pilgrim Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 3:30 p.m. Children's choir rehearsal. 6:45 p.m. Eager Beavers 4-H club. WEDNESDAY: 2:15 p.m. Chris-

tian Adventurers meeting. 7 p.m. Augmented choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 7:45 p.m. Maundy Thursday candle lighting service

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South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Postor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, boy scouts. SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church

school. 9:30 a.m. Pastor's confirmation class. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship and sermon. 10:45 a.m.

Church nursery school. 11:15 a.m. Educational motion pictures. 7

p.m. Young People's society.

MONDAY: 1:15 p.m. Week-day

school of religious education.
TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Ping Pong

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Volunteer choir for Easter music. 8 p.m. Double quartette.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. All-day sewing by the Friendly Service committee of the Women's Fellow-chin 2.30 p.m. Lunior choir 7.30

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Union Congregational Church PAUL E. CALLAHAN, Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship. sermon topic: "What It Means To Be A Christian." 7 p.m. Pilgrim

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday service with communion. Choir practice will follow the wor-

Cochran Chapel REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister

SUNDAY: 11 a.m. Service of vorship. Speaker, Dr. Frank Ash-um, headmaster of Brooks school,

orth Andover. St. Joseph's Church

FRIDAY: First Friday: Mass at

SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions heard before Mass. Palms will be distributed after Mass. — Sunday school after Mass.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Lenten

NOTES: Holy week services all be conducted in St. Augustine's.

The North Parish Church

(Unitarian) - North Andover REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Dance for children of 5th to 8th grades. SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Church school.

10 a.m. Kindergarten. 11 a.m. Morning service. 4:30 p.m. Allen family concert. 7:30 p.m. Union service at Methodist church.

MONDAY: 7 p.m. Alliance exe-

cutive board.

THURSDAY: 2 p.m. Women's alliance. 3 p.m. Junior choir re-

Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

PALM SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Nursery class. 11 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon. 6 p.m. Young People's Fellowship. MONDAY: 5 p.m. Evening prayer. 7:30 p.m. Friendly guild.

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MAUNDY THURSDAY: 7 and 10 a.m. Holy Communion. 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7:45 p.m. Memorial of the Last Supper. (Holy

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Youth choir rehearsal. 9:30 a.m. Church school. 10:45 a.m., Palm Sunday service of worship and observance of the Lord's Supper. Sermon: 'I saw Jesus Die,' by the pastor, the Rev. Roy E. Nelson. Anthems by two choirs. Everyone invited to attend. Nursery for small children. 7:30 p.m. Story and song program. Communion).

NOTES: Good Friday, Apr. 11.
12-3 Three-hour service. 7:45 p.m. Evening service.

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The Memorial Hall library is calling attention to a new series of broadcasts of interest to book FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy scout troop

lovers. WLAW is scheduling the ra-dio talks of Gilbert Highet on books and literary subjects for Sunday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock under the title "Sunday Review."

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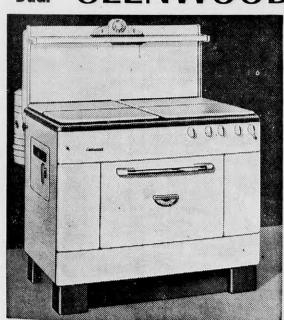
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The Shawsheen Village Woman's The Shawsheen Village Woman's club will entertain presidents of the clubs of the 10th district when it meets at the school hall at 8 p.m. Monday Apr. 7. Mrs. Robert E. Fowle, second vice-president of the Massachusetts Federation and Mrs. Anthony Ippolito, 10th district director will be guests of the evening. Mrs. Frank McArdle, the music chairman will present a mu-

sical program and Mrs. William Thompson, program chairman, is enthusiastic about the "modern dance" program which she has obtained for this meeting. Miss Barbara Mettler, an exponent of modern creative dancing, will be accompanied by three other dancers, in her demonstration of modern dance. Hostess chairmen for the evening will be Mrs. Alan Dunlop and Mrs. James Batterbury.

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Literature Department

The literature department of the club will meet at the Shawsheen Manor at 10 a.m. Wednesday. Apr. 9. This will be the last in the current series of book reviews by Mrs. Lewis Putnam season, many of the members the will remain after the meeting and enjoy luncheon at the Manor.

Preservation of Antiques

The pilgrimage to Mrs. Jack Gardener's palace by the Antique department of the club, has been postponed from Apr. 10 to Friday April 17, because of Holy Week.

RESTAURANTS

Board Meeting

The board of directors of the club met at the home of Mrs. Ral. lace Fiedler on York st. on Wed. nesday afternoon. Dessert and op-fee were served by the hostess at final plans were made for Pres-dents' night to be held on Monlay evening.

Shawsheen P T A

The April meeting of the Shawsheen PTA has been postposed until 7:30 p.m. Apr. 23. This will be the annual children's night when the teachers and pupils present the entertainment in the school hall. It was considered school hall. It was consider necessary to postpone the meetin because of the current wave of ill ness among the school children.

Camp Fire Girls

The Siguan group of camp fir rls have been rehearsing for several weeks on a one-act play "Is My Face Red", which will be presented on Thursday afternoo at the Shawsheen school hall. The other camp fire groups and blue bird groups have been invited to be present to view the performance.

Personals

Miss Nancy Shulze, a student Simmons college, has been en joying a vacation with her parent Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Shulze Carisbrooke st.

Miss Barbara Fowler, daughte of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler York st., left for New York Cit last week. She was formerly em

ployed by Dr. Frank Himmer.
Alice Jo Mooney, daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mooney improving from a long illness at her home on Sutherland st. Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbar-

Argyle st., president and vice president of the Shawsheen Villar Woman's club, attended President day at the Methuen Woman's cha last Tuesday.

Mrs. Gerard Pelletier has bes ill with pneumonia at her home : Argyle.st.

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Mrs. William Thompson of William st., Mrs. Walter Caswell Dumbarton st., and Mrs. Norma Miller of Lowell st., attended to preview of the Marsh program by reau in Boston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith has moved into their home on Sterli st., which they recently purchase Smith is the former Don Rutter.

Rutter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bary at daughter, Betsy, have moved for their home on Princeton rd., I South Duxbury. They made the home here for several years while Mr. Barry was executive secretar of the chamber of commerce is Lawrence.

K. of C. DEGREE

The first degree was coler on a large class of candidal Sunday afternoon at a meeting Andover council, 1078, K of C St. Augustine's school hall. Rev. P. J. Campbell, O.S.A., Ftor, and District Deputy Jac Gallant of Danvers, who contest the degree, spoke to the gathers

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PROBATE COURT

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praying that she or some other suitable person be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate WILBUR E. ROWELL, the executor named in said will having de-

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem be-fore ten o'clock in the forencon on the

twenty-first day of April 1952, the re-turn day of this citation. Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirty-

first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the

trust estate under the will of WALTER
M. LAMONT late of Andover in said
County, deceased, for the benefit of
FRANCES L. LAMONT and others.
The trustee of said estate has presen-

ed to said Court for allowance its

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written ap-pearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the

twenty-first day of April 1952, the re-turn day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V.PHELAN, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March in the year one

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATECOURT

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To all persons interested in the state of CAROLINE MANNING WHITEHILL, otherwise known as CAROLINE WHITEHILL, CAROLINE T. WHITEHILL, and CAROLINE M. WHITEHILL and CAROLINE M. WHITEHILL to of Andover in said teachers and pupils presented to the centertainment in the stall. It was consider by to postpone the meeting of the current wave of illed th

both in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bonds. If you desire a object thereto, you are your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forencon on the twenty-first day of A pril 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register from the office of:

om the office of albert W. Dow, Atty., 11-412 Bay State Bldg. awrence, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

No. 114,163

PROBATE COURT

jest, ss.
To all persons interested in the st estate under the will of ER NEST.
PITMAN late of ANDOVER in id County, CONTRACTOR, demased, for the benefit of JOHN W.
TMAN AND OTHERS.
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To all persons interested in the estate of CAROLINE A. ABBOT late of Docket No. 237,184

Andover in said County deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that HARRIETT L

ABBOT of Beverly in said County be To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH FLORENCE SWIFT, otherwise known as ELIZA-BETH F. SWIFT late of Andover in appointed administratrix of said estat Said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of certain in-

appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forencon on the seventh day of April 1952, the return day of this citation. will and a codicil and memorandum of said deceased by FRANCES E. ROOKS of Methuen in said County, and

Witness, JOHN V.PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seven-teenth day of March in the year one JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
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Lawrence, Mass.

Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Ando-ver will hold a public hearing Friday, April 4, 1952 at 8:00 P.M., at the Town Hall, on petition of CARL H. STEVENS for the approval of a plan of land lo-cated east of Virginia Road and dated revised as of March 1952, for the pur-pose of subdivision and opening for public use a private way as shown

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St. Augustine's Church
REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor
FRIDAY: First Friday: Masses
at 6:15, 7 and 7:45 a.m. — Stations
of the Cross followed by Benediction at 3:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY: Devotions in honor of Our Lady of Fatima after the 7:45 Mass. — Confessions at 4 to

6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m.
Palm Sunday Palms will be blessed at 6:30 Mass and will be distributed at all Masses, 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. – Sunday school after 8:30 Mass. Benediction after 11:30 Mass. - 3 p.m. Baptisms.

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TUESDAY: Benediction at 2:30
p.m. followed by meeting of the
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THURSDAY: Maundy Thursday —

Mass at 8 a.m. followed by solemn

procession of the Blessed Sacrament. Holy Communion will be dis-tributed at 6:45 and 7:30 a.m. The Blessed Sacrament will remain in the Repository on the Good Coun-sel altar all day Thursday and through the night until the Mass of the Presanctified on Good Friday

NOTES: Masses on Monday. Tuesday and Wednesday of Holy Week will be at 7 and 7:45 a.m.

Sacred Concert By College Group

The Merrimack College Choral society of 40 mixed voices will present a Holy Week concert in the Memorial auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Monday.

The program will include sacred music from the works of Cerubini, Haydn, Mozart and Scarlatti as well as other modern composers. Frank Scannell tenor, of Lexington will be the soloist. The Rev. William Wynne is director of the cho-

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It will be a members meeting.

Mrs. Myron Clark will give a program entitled "American Music in Song and Story. Assisting Mrs. gram entitled American Music in Song and Story. Assisting Mrs. Stewart during the tea hour will be Mrs. Vasco Nunez, Mrs. Charles McDuffie, Mrs. Michael O'Brien and Mrs. Roland Weeks.

WOMEN VOTERS OPEN FUND DRIVE

(Continued from Page One) didates for state and national offices. In the fall this program will include a voters booth in front of the town house, the publishing of replies to questionnaires sent to candidates, a candidates meeting, information about questions on the ballot, and a campaign to register

new voters.
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Births...

CARBERRY - A daughter, Donna Ruth, Mar. 17 at Sharon hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carberry of Sharon, Conn. The mother is the former Elizabeth Whitney, R.N. of

DEYERMOND — A son, Mar. 28 at the Lawrence General hospital to Police Officer and Mrs. Calvin Deyermond (Theresa Cellini) of 53 Memorial circle.

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Scouts To Canvass For Blood Donors PLAN TO DIVIDE CENTRAL PTA

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Sharpe.

The original suggestion that the Central PTA divide into two groups was made by the state PTA organization, which pointed out that the Andover Central was the largest in Massachusetts and that experience had shown smaller organizations to be more effective.

One of the problems of the Central PTA has been that programs directed toward Junior high and high school parents and teachers would not necessarily interest those of the elementary schools and vice versa. The proposed arrangement would do away with this difficulty.

At 10 a.m. Sautuday, Api. 3, the boy scouts will meet in the Memorial Hall library to see a movie entitled "Blood and Bullets". This will mark the beginning of their canvass of the town to get blood donors for the visit of the blood-mobile, May 2, at the South church. The success of this project depends on the people of Andover, as 210 people must be registered in order to get the quota of 150 usable pints.

TO VISIT EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gilcreast of Bartlet st., will leave Apr. 9 for a three months' trip to Europe during which time they will visit their this difficulty.

Vesper Service At West Church

At 8 p.m. Sunday in the West Parish church there will be a vesper service under the auspices of the Junior Women's union. Karl Zeise will be guest cellist. He will be accompanied by Miss Marion Abbot. Maxwell Thompson will be tenor soloist accompanied by Miss Sylvia Vartanian, church organist. All are welcome.

The following members of the Women's Union will usher: Mrs. Helen C. Dooley, Mrs. Herman Seinwerth, Mrs. Richard K. Gordon, Mrs. Irving O. Piper.

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At a meeting of the North District Community Improvement
Assn. in the North school, Mar. 27,
Miss Barbara L. Loomer spoke in
behalf of the Red Cross and
showed two films. One was a film
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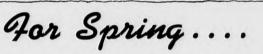
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