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Roller skating is one of the most popular activities at the Youth Center with several afternoon and evening classes operating with a large number of entrants. Enjoying the sport in the photo are, from left to right, Pat Smith, Mary Anne Derbyshire, Sally Townsend, Joan Minor, Susan Townsend, Elaine Lanni and Shirley Auchterlonie. (Look Photo)

Revise Study Program For Punchard Students

A revision of the studies program offered Punchard high school students, grades 9 through 12, was adopted by the school committee at a regular meeting Tuesday night.

The principal feature of the new proposal is the abolition of course names, e.g. Classical, Technical, General, and Commercial. Instead certain basic work will be required of all students in each year. Each student's program will then be completed by adding to it courses which he may select, under proper guidance, which satisfy his abilities and needs.

The main objective of this is to permit a student who has interests and abilities, for example, in science or mathematics to pursue those subjects without an accompanying array of subjects which are unsuitable, too difficult, or of no interest to him.

The result should be better achievement on the part of the non-academic pupil. A student planning to enroll in a liberal arts college would be guided to the subjects required for admission, (which themselves are rapidly becoming more

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FIRE ALARM CARDS NOW AVAILABLE

The Townsman fire alarm cards for 1954 containing all of the regular and phantom boxes on the fire department schedule together with a calendar for the present year are now available and may be obtained at this office or at either the central fire station or the Ballardvale fire station.

Feels Housing Shortage Ended

Lack of business has caused the local rent control board to issue a call for a public hearing to be held at 8 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 14 in the Central elementary school auditorium to see if any substantial housing shortage exists here.

Since it was organized after the special town meeting Aug. 24 the board has had only about two dozen questions to decide, and has had none in the past two months.

If there is no evidence of a shortage presented at the hearing the board may decide to decontrol rents, but at the same time it would remain in existence to act

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More Candidates For Town Offices

Several more candidates have taken out nomination papers for town elective offices during the past week, as follows:

For selectman and assessor: Joseph A. Horan, 6 Avon st., and Atty. Richard K. Gordon, Lowell st.

For board of public works: Francis P. Reilly, 79 Haverhill st.

For planning board: Joseph Allen, Stinson rd., and Atty. Thomas V. Sullivan, 49 Balmoral st.

March Of Dimes Campaign Opens

Committees are being organized here for the annual March of Dimes which is being held this month in the annual drive against polio.

Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan is chairman and with him is Co-chairman J. Woodrow Crowley, who is secretary and treasurer of the drive. Headquarters are at the central fire station.

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University Of Life Opens Annual Series January 31

The Andover Council of Churches will present its seventh annual "University of Life" program beginning Jan. 31 and lasting through Feb. 28. The general topic for this series of five Sunday eve-

nings of meetings is "The Church and the Community."

Among the outstanding speakers and leaders who will take part in this program are the following:

Dr. Howard Thurman, dean of Marsh Memorial chapel at Boston university, and until recently minister of The Church For The Fellowship Of All People in San Francisco.

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The town finance committee has approved the transfer of \$15,000 from the reserve fund to the school department in order to allow the latter to meet December bills and also recommended that the school committee increase its 1953 budget by \$6500.

This announcement was made by Chairman Gordon L. Colquhoun at Tuesday night's meeting when all members were present except Mrs. Dorothy T. Partridge who is detained at her home because of illness.

The committee, on motion of Miss Anna M. Greeley seconded by Charles C. Kimball voted to adopt the 1954 budget in the amount of

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Dunn Returns To School Post

Cmdr. Donald D. Dunn, USNR, has completed his service with the U.S. navy and has returned to his position as director of physical education at Punchard high school from which he was on a military leave of absence.

During his 30 months' in the service he was stationed in New Orleans, La., and in French Morocco, North Africa. He was accompanied at his posts by his wife and two daughters, Dawn and Dorothy.

The family has returned to the former home in Shawsheen Village.

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PTA

The Shawsheen PTA will meet in the school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 13. Parents may visit the classrooms from 7 to 7:30 o'clock. James Wilson is the program chairman, and the cub scouts of Pack 71 and the camp fire girl and the bluebird units, will entertain with a series of original skits. Preceding the meeting, the cubs will have a table of

home-baked foods which they will offer for sale. Both cub and camp fire units are sponsored by the PTA, and many of the boys and girls of the school belong to these organizations. After the program, refreshments will be served by the first grade mothers with Mrs. Francis Reardon, Mrs. David Petrie, Mrs. Hollis Fowler, and Mrs. Joseph Gibbons as co-chairmen.

Holiday Tea

Mrs. Francis McCabe of Argyle st., entertained a group of friends at a tea at her home during the recent holidays. Those present included Mrs. Thomas Sutton, Mrs. Hollis Fowler, Mrs. Robert Prout, Mrs. Weston Eastman, Mrs. Douglas Howe, Mrs. Vida Margerison, Mrs. James J. Faggiano, Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Norman Miller and Mrs. John Wholley.

Sing Carols

The girls of the sixth grade of the Shawsheen school, entertained

the patients at the Randolph Nursing home, Christmas week, with a program of carol singing.

Camp Reunion

Teddy Andrew, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. T. Edwin Andrew Jr., of Riverina rd., attended a reunion of Camp O-At-Ka in Boston last week.

Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cairns of Cornell rd., celebrated their silver wedding anniversary recently at a reception at their home. Many relatives and friends were present to enjoy a buffet lunch and dancing.

Mrs. Cairns is the former Cecilia Topping. They have three children, Shirley, wife of H. George Clarke of Somerville; Barbara, secretary for the Admiral Box Co., and Janice, a student at Andover Junior high school, and two grandchildren.

Woman's Club

The Shawsheen Village Woman's club will meet at 8 p.m., Monday, Jan. 11. "Adventures Afoot in Mexico", will be the subject of an illustrated lecture by William Stockdale. Mr. Stockdale will bring his boxer dog, Taj Mahal, with him, when he tells of the difficulties they encountered and how they overcame them. Mrs. Harold Gens and Mrs. Harry Clough will be hostess chairmen in charge of the social hour following the meeting.

Returns to Sea Duty

Cadet-midshipman Peter R. Caswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, 5 Dumbarton st., reported for additional engineer training aboard the S.S. Pioneer Bay, U.S. Lines, after spending Christmas at home. A third classman at the Merchant Marine academy, Kings Point, N.Y., Peter had recently returned from a voyage of nearly 3½ months to Africa and Asia as engine cadet on the S.S. Exchequer. Ports to be visited include China and Japan. If the opportunity presents itself Peter hopes to see his brother, Ensign John H. Caswell, USNR, of the USS Andromeda and his cousin Capt. Gordon L. Caswell, USN, chief of staff, Seventh Fleet, while in Japan.

Personals

Miss Gail MacAllister has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dunlop of Arundel st., prior to departing Sunday to resume her studies at the University of New Hampshire.

Miss Connie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Scott of Oxford, formerly of this town, visited with her aunt, Mrs. Arthur Redfern of York st., over the New Year's weekend.

Scott Gerrish, a junior at Dartmouth college, has returned to his studies after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Gerrish of Enmore st.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schwartz have moved into the Emmons home on York st. Mr. Schwartz is the scout executive of the North Essex council. B.S.A.

Miss Helen Andrew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Andrew Jr., of Riverina rd., returned by plane to the University of Alabama after enjoying the Christmas vacation at her home.

Joseph Byrne has completed his Christmas vacation and returned to Cornell university. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Byrne of Canterbury st.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis and their two children, formerly of Lowell st., have moved into their home on Arundel st., which they recently purchased.

Peter Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller of Lowell st., spent the New Years weekend visiting on Long Island, N.Y.

A group of ninth grade girls attended the Ice Capades in Bos-

AT THE LIBRARY

NEW BOOKS

The Arab World,

Dr. Izzeddin, woman scholar in original Arab tradition, tells of the past, present and possible future of her 70 million people. Here is the development of her country through the coming of the Prophet, the spread of its culture through the Middle Ages, its slow decline and reduction to colonial status in the 18th and 19th centuries with the revolt of the 20th century. She discusses the place of women, the Arab attitude toward Palestine, etc.

One Year Of Life,

Cecil Roberts, after 35 years, now tells something of himself and covers all types of places and countries in the telling. Here are the friendships he has made, the places he has seen, the pictures he has discovered, etc.

Caves Of Adventure,

Thrilling account of a French expedition which discovered and explored a network of caves 2000 feet underground in the Pyrenees. This intimate story of the men who were in the party, — their humor, danger, tragedy and courage, is told with vigor and sympathy. Unusually fine writing about "mountains in reverse."

Until Victory,

The author of "The Peabody Sisters of Salem" tells the story of Horace Mann and of two of these sisters, Mary, to whom he was "the radiant Mr. Mann" and Elizabeth, who considered him a challenge and a fascinating person. Nicely done.

Seven Steeples,

After the death of her husband, Margaret Henrichsen wrote to her former pastor about the little country churches in her neighborhood which were falling into ruins, unused and unwanted. His answer inspired her to study for her own ordination and while studying to open one after another of the churches

ton on Saturday. Among them were Joyce Dunlop, Margie Ortstein, Sandra Dulong and Sandra Ritchie.

Thomas and David Wilkinson have returned to West Point and Bates college respectively, after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson of York st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harper of Windsor st., have returned from a vacation spent in Canada.

Cmdr. Donald Dunn, USNR, and family have returned from abroad to the family home at 9 Sutherland st.

Peter Dunlop of Arundel st., left by plane Dec. 26 for Buffalo, N.Y., for a visit of several days. He has since returned to the University of New Hampshire where he is a student.

in the sparsely settled Maine region. At present she manages seven congregations a week.

Homes For Living,

A giant book of house plans, — ranch types, contemporary designs, Cape Cod, split level and Colonials, this offers much to those house hunters with incomes running from three to seven thousand a year.

Secret Conversations, 1941-1944,

Hitler. In 1941, Hitler's deputy, Martin Bormann, persuaded Hitler to allow these off-the-record, informal conversations to be taken down by a discreet team of short-hand writers as source material for a book Hitler planned one day to write. They cover every possible subject, from his boyhood days, his future plans, his patronage of art and his ideas for crushing opposition and for colonizing the conquered world.

Other new books: Motor's Auto Wiring Diagrams for Passenger Cars; Radio Trouble-shooter's Handbook, Ghirardi; 20th Century Typewriting, Lessenberry; Sexual Behavior In The Human Female, Kinsey; Radio Amateur's Handbook for 1953; UN: Today and Tomorrow, Roosevelt; The New Barbarian (poems), Palmer.

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SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Senior classes in the church school. 10 a.m. Junior classes in the church school, and the nursery class for younger children. 10 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor and choral music by the three choirs of the church. 11 a.m. January meeting of the board of trustees. 6:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship meeting.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Men's club meeting. All men of the parish are invited to attend.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing circle of the Woman's Union. 3:25 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 6 p.m. Choir of Youth rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Andover Baptist Church

REV. ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister
FRIDAY: 8 p.m. Monthly meeting of the Philathea class.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school with Christ centered lessons taught in carefully graded classes. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes. Accept their invitation to attend church. 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., on the subject: "Essential But Not Enough." All are welcome to worship at the friendly Baptist church. Nursery for the small children. 7 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship meeting. Shirley Brown, leader. All young people are invited.

MONDAY: 8 p.m. Monthly meeting of the Friendly Circle.
THURSDAY: 2 p.m. Woman's Union meeting. 7:30 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal.

South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor
FRIDAY: 3:30 p.m. Children's music group. 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, boy scouts.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school for fourth grade and up. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. 10:45 a.m. Kindergarten, nursery school, grades 1, 2 and 3. 7 p.m. Young People's society.

MONDAY: 6 p.m. Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters. Dinner meeting. Devotions in charge of Mrs. Brigham. Moving pictures will be shown.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Ping Pong club.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. South church choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. All day sewing meeting of the Women's Fellowship. 3:30 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Committee meeting for the cub scouts.

Methodist Church

REV. ANTHONY PERRINO, Pastor.

FRIDAY: 3:30 p.m. Youth choir rehearsal.

SATURDAY: 8 p.m. Men's club meeting.
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship service. Sermon: "A Heart Strangely Warmed". On the origin of the Methodist in the heart of John Wesley. 4:30 p.m. Junior M.Y.F. 6 p.m. Senior M.Y.F.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. The Ballardvale Sports club meeting in the vestry.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. W.S.C.S. meeting.

West Parish Church

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Family hour of worship. Children's church service. Nursery-Kindergarten department, and classes for high and junior high school young people. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship with guest preacher. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 3 p.m. Children's choir rehearsal.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. All Girls' choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Junior Woman's Union.

Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector
SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon. 11 a.m. Nursery class. 7:30 p.m. Service of Lights.

MONDAY: 12:30 p.m. Weekday religious education.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Vestry meeting.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion. 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor
SATURDAY: Confessions 4 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10 and 11:30 a.m. Benediction after 11:30 Mass. Baptisms at 3 p.m.

The North Parish Church

(Unitarian) — North Andover
REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister
FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy scouts.
SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Church school. 9:45 a.m. Kindergarten. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship. 11 a.m. Church hour nursery. 3 p.m. Essex conference directors.

MONDAY: 3 p.m. Girl scouts.
TUESDAY: 2 p.m. Women's Alliance.

THURSDAY: 3 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal.

St. Joseph's Church

(Ballardvale)
SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions are heard before Mass.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers recorded at the registry of deeds last week included the following from Andover: Chester F. Whitney Sr. et ux to Chester F. Whitney Jr. et ux, River rd.

Paul C. Gibbons et ux to Loretta R. Cairns, Lincoln st.
Josephine E. (Lumsden) Davies to J. S. W. Construction Co., Inc., Robandy rd.

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Esther Ward Smith et ux to Richard C. Simmers et ux, near Shaw-shen rd.

George V. West et ux to Barbara M. McAllister, Morton st.

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Vincent Bonner (Tax Taking) to Town of Andover, Center and tewksbury sts.

Ellen Brown (Tax Taking) to Town of Andover, Park ave. and River st.

Florence Bruschette (Tax Taking) to Town of Andover, Hemlock st.

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PTA Notes

The regular monthly the West Andover PTA omitted in January place two hobby shows presented both starting p.m. Wednesday, Jan. The first show will dergarten and first graders, the second older pupils. A food held at each show, chairmanship of Mrs. Thompson. The public attend.

Church Notes

At the regular meeting Pilgrim Fellowship church the following elected for 1954: Ed president; Robert president; Betty Hei and Lester Dixon Jr.,

The flowers on the West church last Su were given by the Ju union. At the comm last Sunday morning church the following to membership: Jane Elizabeth Heinz, Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Thelma Shepard Arthur Sevigny and Sevigny.

The church comm was held Monday eve home of Deacon Heri Lowell st.

At Engagement Part Mr. and Mrs. Herb of Lowell st., and Karl Haartz and far Plain rd., attended ment party last Sun Mr. and Mrs. Leonard lain of Needham an engagement of their d Betty Frances, to J ter Jr., son of Mr. an R. Carter of Boston.

berlain is a graduate erine Gibbs school. M graduate of Phillips is now attending P versity.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roy returned to their h Braintree after visi Mrs. Stephen Kennis rd.

Miss Norma Jean recuperating at her rd., following an o formed recently at S pital, Lowell.

Ronald Pariseau le for Miami, Fla., afte few days with his pa Mrs. Alvin Pariseau rd.

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The regular monthly meeting of the West Andover PTA will be omitted in January and in its place two hobby shows will be presented both starting at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 13 and 20. The first show will be for the kindergarten and first and second graders, the second show for the older pupils. A food sale will be held at each show, one under the chairmanship of Mrs. Harold Lemon and the other by Mrs. Lester Thompson. The public is invited to attend.

Church Notes

At the regular meeting of the Pilgrim Fellowship of the West church the following officers were elected for 1954: Edith Williams, president; Robert Nicoll, vice-president; Betty Heinz, secretary; and Lester Dixon Jr., treasurer.

The flowers on the altar of the West church last Sunday morning were given by the Junior Womans' union. At the communion service last Sunday morning in the West church the following were admitted to membership: Jane DesRoches, Elizabeth Heinz, Mrs. James Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lynch, Mrs. Thelma Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sevigny and Miss Patricia Sevigny.

The church committee meeting was held Monday evening in the home of Deacon Herbert Carter of Lowell st.

At Engagement Party

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. Carter of Lowell st., and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz and family of High Plain rd., attended the engagement party last Sunday at which Mr. and Mrs. Leonard P. Chamberlain of Needham announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Frances, to James R. Carter Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Carter of Boston. Miss Chamberlain is a graduate of the Katherine Gibbs school. Mr. Carter is a graduate of Phillips academy and is now attending Princeton university.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pollard have returned to their home in New Braintree after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kennis of High Plain rd.

Miss Norma Jean Peatman is recuperating at her home on Cutler rd., following an operation performed recently at St. John's hospital, Lowell.

Ronald Pariseau left Wednesday for Miami, Fla., after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pariseau of Chandler rd.

Mrs. Patricia Hogan and her two children, formerly of Raleigh, N.C., have taken up their residence on

Shirley ave.

Pfc. Russell Doyle has returned to Fort Dix, N.J., after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Doyle of Chandler rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lambert of Holden, and Mrs. Beth Lambert of Lewiston, Me., were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pariseau of Chandler rd.

Anthony Sullivan has resumed his studies at the University of Massachusetts after enjoying the holidays with his parents, Atty. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan of Virginia rd.

Joseph Lovejoy of Manchester, Conn., and his son, Joseph Jr., of Washington, D.C., spent a few days recently with Mrs. Kenneth Hilton of Lowell st.

Mrs. Isabelle Batchelder of Argilla rd., is spending the winter months with her son, Albert, and his family in Ganesvoort, N.Y.

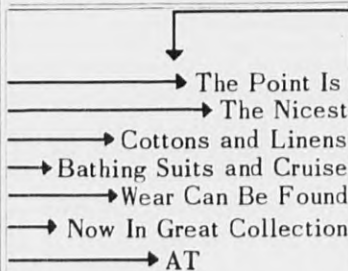
Mrs. Henry Plumstead of Lowell st., was one of the judges in the contest for Christmas decorated doorways sponsored by the Georgetown Country Gardeners club.

Lt. James Calder, USMC, left Sunday for Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Calder of Chandler rd.

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard Carter and family of Suffield, Conn., were guests during the holiday season in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Boyce and family of Shore Acre, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLaughlin have returned to their home in Manchester, N.H., after enjoying a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sanborn of North st.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Cutler of Shawsheen rd., attended the wedding of the former's niece, Miss Patricia High, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley High of Darien, Conn., to Frederick Painton, last Saturday in Connecticut.



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Bowling

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P.T.A. Guest Speaker

Lieut. Col. James K. Healy of Newburyport will show a film and speak on "Operation Blue Jay" at tonight's meeting of the Ballardvale PTA in the Bradlee school.

Annual Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Union Congregational church will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 13, in the church vestry.

The following members of the Friendly Guild will serve refreshments: Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs.

Curtis Schultz, Mrs. Richard Sherry, Mrs. Joseph Gill, Mrs. Roland Joy, Mrs. Joseph Serio and Mrs. James Letters.

W.S. of C.S. Meeting

The Methodist church Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Thursday evening, Jan. 14 in the vestry with Mrs. Anthony Perrino and Mrs. Frank Orlando as hostesses.

Friendly Guild

The Friendly Guild will meet at 8 p.m., Jan. 21, in the church vestry. Mrs. Robert Mitchell will have charge of devotions and Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Harry Batchelder and Mrs. William Batchelder will serve refreshments.

New Members

The following were received into the membership of the Union Congregational church last Sunday: Ralph Sharpe Sr., Joseph Barlow, Paul Beaulieu, James C. Green, Clifford Sharpe, Daniel McIntyre, Warren Russell, Paul McFarlane, Gail Goodwin, Patricia Smalley, Cynthia and Dorothy Lawrence and Thelma Sparks.

Personals

Ralph Sharpe of Andover st., David McFarlane of Marland st., Kenneth Sparks of River st., Frank Davis of Tewksbury and John Robinson of Andover st., have returned after a motor trip to Canada. Enroute they enjoyed skiing.

Miss Evelyn MacConnell spent Sunday, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Mucci of Center st. Miss MacConnell was guest soloist at the Union Congregational church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre LaVallee of North Brookfield were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaVallee of Hall ave.

The Misses Patricia and Priscilla Lawrie of Boston were recent visitors of John Lawrie Sr. and John Lawrie USAF of Tewksbury st.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brown and daughter, Ann of Bedford were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown of Andover st.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Green of Boston spent the weekend at her home on Andover st.



John Jay, famous skiing lecturer, photographer and author, who will present his newest all-color sound movie "Cavalcade on Skis" at George Washington hall, Saturday night, in which he shows a galaxy of international snow stars together with shots from all parts of the world. The only advance sale of tickets will be held Saturday morning.

Historical Society To Meet Jan. 16

The January meeting of the Andover Historical society will be held at 8 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 16 in Peabody House. The speaker will be F. Tyler Carlton, president of the society, who will also show slides of Death Valley. Refreshments will be served. All those interested are invited to attend.

Other Historical society meetings to remember are: Feb. 22, open house at the Amos Blanchard House. Miss Bessie Goldsmith will speak on "Andover streets and how they got their names". Donald Amy will provide music.

Dr. Charles Currier will be the speaker on Mar. 19 and he has chosen for his subject, "Navigation on the Merrimack".

The annual meeting will be held on Apr. 29. Prof. Franklin Roberts of Boston university will be the speaker. He will discuss his summer course, "New England Heritage".

UNIVERSITY OF LIFE OPENS JAN. 31

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Theology, Dr. Edwin T. Booth, will also give one of the major addresses. Dr. Booth at present is professor of historical theology at the university and is a well known clergyman, author and lecturer.

Dr. Miriam Van Waters, superintendent of the state Reformatory for Women, Framingham, is also on the list of speakers. Dr. Van Waters has been an outstanding leader in the field of rehabilitation of delinquents and people in trouble.

The speaker at the final session of the University of Life series will be the Rev. Bruce George Beale of St. Paul's church, Mont Carlo. Dr. Beale was awarded the title "Commander of the British Empire" for outstanding service rendered as senior chaplain of combined operations under Lord Mountbatten.

The University of Life is one of the activities carried on by the Andover Council of Churches. On the five evenings on which the various meetings are held the people of Andover are given an opportunity to explore and discuss the relevance of the Christian gospel as it is presented by thoughtful and experienced leaders and speakers.

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Fine Arts Group In Concert Tonight

The second in the current series of Fine Arts String orchestra concerts conducted by Arthur Howes will be presented at 8:30 o'clock tonight in George Washington hall. The program will include compositions of Vivaldi, Bach, Mozart, Dvorak, Bizet and John Ireland.

George Dreyfus, first violinist, recently resigned from the Fine Arts orchestra to take a position in the Philadelphia orchestra. Previously, another violinist went from this orchestra to the Boston Symphony. On the other hand, several present members of the Fine Arts orchestra were formerly members of other major orchestras such as the Minneapolis Symphony, the Boyd Neel orchestra and the Boston Symphony.

The Fine Arts society will present a lecture on Anne Bradstreet, first American poet and a resident of North Andover from 1645 to 1672, at 8:30 p.m., Feb. 26 in the Kirtledge school, North Andover. Membership in the society, which is open to all by paying \$5 dues to Robert S. Rockwell, treasurer, brings admission without further charge to this lecture as well as the orchestra concerts.

MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN OPENS

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Several activities are being planned in the campaign now getting under way with the hope of reaching or surpassing the sum of \$7090.65 raised in the 1953 drive.

There will be a paper and scrap drive some time during the last week of the month; there will be a Snow ball with arrangements to be announced later; there will be the important Mothers' march Thursday, Jan. 28 which has been so successful in other years; and there will be programs through the schools.

James Deyermond and Raymond LaRosa are co-chairmen of the scrap and paper drive which will be held in a few weeks.

Clubs and other organizations will be solicited and numerous coin boxes will be placed in many local stores as has been the custom in the past.



In keeping with its policy of providing the latest and best equipment for publishing a newspaper with clear and distinctive type The Townsman has obtained a new Vari-Typer machine shown in the photo with Miss Aurore M. Picard, the Townsman operator. This modern composing machine is one of the newest developments in type composition. (Look Photo)

In all, the arrangements being made are expected to cover every source that will raise funds to aid the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in its fight against polio.

Last year the sums raised in Andover through various sources were as follows; Appeal letter, \$861.50; clubs, \$204.41; coin boxes, \$131.31; labor, \$450.40; Mothers' march, \$3373.39; schools, \$245.30; scrolls, \$433.34; special events, \$1391; total \$7090.65.

LITTEST LISTENERS

The Robins group will meet at the library at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 13, and the Ballardvale Littlest Listeners will have their program at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 14. Mothers of children who have passed a third birthday may enter the child in one of the groups which meet every other week at the library and at the branch library in Ballardvale. Newcomers are welcome, and may have further information by calling the library And. 314.

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Our Growing Pains

Voters of the town will find much food for thought in the statements on town affairs made last week by the heads of the town's three major departments and published in The Townsman.

The town has been growing steadily for years and its growth is bringing up problems, financial and otherwise, that must be met with orderly and constructive planning.

As the town grows, town business grows along with it. This points up a subject which Chairman Roy A. Hardy of the board of selectmen and assessors, now brings into the open: —namely, the construction of a new town office building with modern quarters for officials to conduct the increasing volume of town business.

This project has been talked about in the past but never got beyond the discussion stage.

The reorganization of the assessing department is recommended by Mr. Hardy as being essential to a strong financial government. All recognize Mr. Hardy's qualifications to speak with authority on this matter.

The town's growth also presents the school committee with its annual problem of increased school enrollment. This is so far ahead of the estimate made in 1947 before the two new elementary schools were built that Chairman Gordon L. Colquhoun says the survey is no longer of any practical value to the school committee.

In the report made at that time the projected school enrollment for 1954 was placed at 1903 pupils in the entire school system. Today it is 2320.

A school housing committee is making a study of this situation and formulating long-range plans for the system which are expected to be ready for the next town meeting.

New home construction has been high here for the past six or eight years. New homes call for new streets, sewer and water extensions, sidewalks, edgings, added maintenance costs and similar work which Sidney P. White, chairman of the board of public works, reports has been done in various sections of the town.

The big project which this board has to consider for the coming year is the Ballardvale sewerage disposal. The board hopes to get enough funds next March to have this work re-bid and completed in 1954.

Meeting these problems calls for considerable study and planning with regard to the improvement needed and the pocketbook of the taxpayer.

Mr. Hardy notes that the town is in a very good position financially and hopes that his recommendations may start some constructive thinking and positive action at the next town meeting.

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A series of tests, conducted by Dr. Edmund Jacobson of the University of Chicago, showed that the mind can make muscles work through thoughts alone. By connecting electrical instruments to the muscles of patients who were lying down with their eyes closed, he was able to measure the activity. If told to imagine they were lifting a weight, the muscles of the patient became tense with effort. In the same manner, hate, worry and other thoughts cause activity, and spoil relaxation.

Tense people generally do more work than they have to. They are exhausted at the end of a day, not by their regular chores, but by the energy used in wasted actions.

Actually the key to relaxation is economy: don't waste power, movement or thoughts.

Local Seal Sale Reaches \$2998

Returns of the Christmas seal sales for Andover to date have totalled \$2,998.14 according to information released from the Essex County Health association office in Beverly. The county returns up to today are \$54,021.

The sale has reached its 31st selling day and while the goal of \$65,000 has not been reached the people of the county have been responding in a generous fashion. One third of the towns served by the association are still lagging and it is the hope of the association that those who have forgotten to make their returns will do so at their earliest convenience.

WIN HARVARD AWARDS

Two Andover boys were among the 169 members of Harvard college fall sports teams who received athletic awards of letters and numerals last week. Samuel F. Quararone, 83 Salem st., a sophomore who prepared at Phillips academy, was awarded a minor letter in junior varsity football, and Leo F. Daley Jr., 40 Morton st., a freshman who prepared at Phillips academy, received a major numeral in freshman football.

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Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago — January 1904

Ice dealers report an unusually fine crop this year, all of it being very clear and thick.

The Andover roller polo team has been compelled to cancel its games for the present as the league team in Lawrence has been sold and no more games will be played in the city hall.

A horse owned and driven by a Lawrence man dropped dead on the hill near Phillips street Monday.

While coasting last Saturday evening Cornelius Hart, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hart of Cuba st., suffered a bad cut on his forehead by colliding with a hydrant.

The firm of Reid & Hughes, long and favorably known to the people of Greater Lawrence, has passed out of existence.

Ex-Congressman Knox will be the principal speaker at the formal opening of the new court house in Lawrence tomorrow evening.

Plumbers have been kept very busy recently on account of the many cases where water pipes have been frozen due to the continued cold snap.

A steel reflector, carelessly left out of place by a stage hand, is known to be the direct responsible human agency for the loss of 589 lives Dec. 30 at Chicago in the new Iriquois theatre fire. The misplaced reflector held up the asbestos curtain so that the flames, started by a spluttering arc light, swept out from the stage to the auditorium.

Frye Village, said to be the coldest spot in Essex county, is again holding its own in the cold snap as thermometers have registered more degrees of frost than many other neighboring communities report. The cold wave that appeared last Saturday with the heavy snow storm has kept temperatures low everywhere. Monday a Frye Village thermometer registered 18 below and Tuesday old Jack Frost placed the mercury at 35 below in Frye Village and 32 below at Abbott's bridge.

At the annual meeting of the Andover Savings bank Jan. 4, the resignation of M. T. Stevens, who has been an efficient president for a great many years, was accepted. John H. Flint was elected to fill the vacancy. The resignation of the treasurer, John F. Kimball was also accepted and Frederic S. Boutwell elected to the office.

25 Years Ago — January 1929

New construction in Andover during 1928 has been varied, ranging from a library to a swan house. The most conspicuous building projects have been undertaken by Phillips academy, including the Oliver Wendell Holmes library, the

Paul Revere dormitory, and a new dining hall. A total of 24 dwellings have been constructed, five more than the year before. There have been 25 new garages.

Police Chief Frank M. Smith is warning local tradesmen against a man passing bad checks in this vicinity. He offers a large check for a small order of goods and pockets the change.

Harry Sellars was elected president of the Square & Compass club at the annual meeting last night. Other officers elected were: Fred H. Morrison, Frank A. Buttrick, Walter P. E. Friewald, and directors Roy E. Hardy, E. E. Hammond, J. Everett Collins and I. R. Kimball.

Fire apparatus has moved back into the central fire station after having been kept for about two weeks at the Academy garage while the new cement floors were being laid.

Have you paid your first gasoline tax yet, we ask editorially.

10 Years Ago — January 1944

Patrolman Arthur W. Jowett is commended by the police department for his prompt action in diving into the Shawsheen river near York street to rescue a young skater, William Dunlavy, 8, of Arundel st., from drowning. Officer Jowett was on duty in Shawsheen square about 3:35 p.m., when summoned to the scene by Harold Witworth of York st., who had noticed the plight of the boy who had broken through the thin ice.

Several local men form a committee to help returning soldiers get jobs after the war.

Second waste paper collection will be taken up Sunday morning. There is need for all that can be obtained.

Staff Sgt. Franklin E. Northey, P.H.S. graduate and a former resident of Lowell st., reported missing in action after compiling an outstanding record in air raids over Germany.

The board of public works is prepared for the first snow storm which seems to be late in coming this winter.

WEST POINT CANDIDATE

A principal and three alternates for the U. S. military academy at West Point have been designated by Cong. Edith Nourse Rogers as the result of competitive examinations held July 13. Robert E. Regal of Arlington, the principal, graduated from the Arlington high school and then entered M.I.T. Two of the alternates are from Arlington and one from Winchester. They were designated in the order of the rank received in the examinations.

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OBITUARY

JAMES J. FAGGIANO
James J. Faggiano, Elm st., assistant vice of the Old Colony Trust Co., died unexpectedly of a heart attack in Boston way to board a train for

Born in Naples, Italy, came to this country as an infant and lived in Methuen, where he graduated from Methuen high school in 1925, which he served as a student; Harvard university; and the Rutgers School of Business Administration in New York. He went to work for a brokerage house of E. J. Co., in Boston, and later associated with Barrical Weekly and the General Corp. of Boston. He was a member of the Old Colony Trust Co., a securities analyst and a member of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for five years later.

He was a member of the Country club, St. Paul's church and Lawrence B.P.O.E., and was vice president of the Harvard club of Andover.

Surviving are his wife, (Comparone) Faggiano; Mary Anne, student at Andover; two brothers, Arthur and Frank, both in the U.S. Army; two sisters, Jennie and Catherine, wife of F. E. Green of Methuen.

The funeral was held from the M. A. Burke Memorial home under the direction of the Pitocchelli Brothers with high Mass of requiem at St. Augustine's church, in the Immaculate cemetery.

Ushers at the church were J. O'Connor, Joseph and George F. Weldon.

The bearers were: Matthew DeLuca, Joseph Lupo, Esq., F. J. Leonard, A. A. Comparone, Esq., and Best.

Louis E. Finger and Newcomb represented the Savings bank.

Delegations were from the Essex Savings Bank, Community Savings Bank, Andover Trust company, First Bank of Boston, Andover Shawsheen Women's club and Andover Catholic Men's club.

MRS. FRANKLIN W. HOBBS
Mrs. Jane Hallett Hobbs, wife of Franklin W. Hobbs, 192 Commonwealth ave, died of a heart attack at her home in the Arlington mill building on Monday. She was chairman of the board of the Andover Senior Citizens' club and Brookline most active in several organizations.

Surviving besides her son, Marland C. Hobbs, a daughter, Rebekah Hobbs; a sister, Robertson Duff, of Westchester, N.Y.; a brother, William White, of Boston and Simsbury, Conn.; grandchildren and 18 children.

The funeral was held with services at 2 p.m. at the church, Boston. Burial was in the Auburn cemetery, Cambridge.

MRS. HENRIETTA BASTIEN
Mrs. Henrietta (Voigt) Bastien, widow of Ernest Bastien, died Sunday morning at her family home after a short illness. She had resided in Andover for four months.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. George L. Schuover; a son, William K. Bastien, N.J., and three grandchildren.

The funeral was held at 7:45 p.m. Burial was in the Hill cemetery, North

OBITUARIES

JAMES J. FAGGIANO

James J. Faggiano, 46, of 83 Elm st., assistant vice president of the Old Colony Trust Co., Boston, died unexpectedly Dec. 31 at the Massachusetts General hospital. He was fatally stricken with a heart attack in Boston while on his way to board a train for home.

Born in Naples, Italy, Mr. Faggiano came to this country as an infant and lived in his youth in Methuen. He was graduated from Methuen high school, class of 1925, which he served as president; Harvard university in 1929, and the Rutgers School of Banking, New York. He went to work for the brokerage house of Esterbrook & Co., in Boston, and later became associated with Barron's Financial Weekly and the General Capital Corp. of Boston. He joined the Old Colony Trust Co., in 1940 as a securities analyst and was promoted to assistant vice president five years later.

He was a member of the Andover Country club, St. Augustine's church and Lawrence lodge, 65, B.P.O.E., and was vice-president of the Harvard club of Andover.

Surviving are his widow, Mary (Comparone) Faggiano; a daughter, Mary Anne, student at Abbot academy; two brothers, Alphonse of Andover and Frank of Stratford, Conn.; two sisters, Jennie, wife of John Feroce of Greenwood, R.I., and Catherine, wife of Franklin Emerson of Methuen.

The funeral was held Monday from the M. A. Burke Memorial funeral home under the direction of Pitocchelli Brothers with a solemn high Mass of requiem at 10 a.m. in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery.

Ushers at the church were: Jay J. O'Connor, Joseph A. Mulvey, and George F. Weldon.

The bearers were: Paul Wren, Matthew DeLuca, Joseph F. Bacigalupo, Esq., F. J. Leone, Raphael A. A. Comparone, Esq., and Edgar Best.

Louis E. Finger and Winthrop Newcomb represented the Andover Savings bank.

Delegations were also present from the Essex Savings bank, Community Savings bank, Old Colony Trust company, First National Bank of Boston, Abbot academy, Shawsheen Women's club and the Andover Catholic Men's club.

MRS. FRANKLIN W. HOBBS

Mrs. Jane Hallett (Whitman) Hobbs, wife of Franklin W. Hobbs, 192 Commonwealth ave., Boston, a native of Andover, died Jan. 1. Her husband was the former president of the Arlington mills and later chairman of the board of directors.

Mrs. Hobbs had resided in Boston and Brookline most of her life and was active in several organizations.

Surviving besides her husband are a son, Marland C. Hobbs of Chestnut Hill; a daughter, Miss Rebekah Hobbs; a sister, Mrs. J. Robertson Duff, of Westwood; a brother, William Whitman Jr., of Boston and Simsbury, Conn.; 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held Monday with services at 2 p.m. in Trinity church, Boston. Burial was in Mt. Auburn cemetery, Cambridge.

MRS. HENRIETTA BASTIAN

Mrs. Henrietta (Voight) Bastian, widow of Ernest Bastian, 3 Forbes lane, died Sunday morning in the family home after a short illness.

A native of Hoboken, N.J., she had resided in Andover for the past four months.

She leaves a daughter, Lydia, wife of George L. Schmidt of Andover; a son, William Kemp of West Orange, N.J., and four grandchildren.

The funeral was held Wednesday in Jersey City, N.J., with services at 7:45 p.m. Burial was in Flower Hill cemetery, North Bergen, N.J.

MRS. LEO F. DALEY

Mrs. Dorothy (Bailey) Daley, wife of Leo F. Daley, 40 Morton st., died Dec. 31 in the Lawrence General hospital where she had been a patient since Dec. 26. She was a native of Lawrence. Mrs. Daley worked as a volunteer for Andover chapter, American Red Cross and the Lawrence General hospital.

Besides her husband, Leo F. Daley, partner in the firm of Harris Upham & Co., Boston, she leaves two sons, Leo Hayden, 17, a freshman at Harvard college, and Daniel, 15, a student at Middlesex school, Concord; a daughter, Agnes, a student at Andover Junior high school, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank E. Leneane of Cambridge and Mrs. Donald Appleton of Greenwich, Conn.

The funeral was held Saturday morning with a high Mass of requiem

at 10 o'clock in St. Augustine's church. The Very Rev. Patrick J. Campbell, O.S.A., pastor, was the celebrant and seated within the sanctuary during Mass were the Very Rev. Vincent A. McQuade, O.S.A., president of Merrimack college, the Rev. Francis J. Boland, C.S.C., president of Stonehill college, North Easton, the Rev. Henry B. Syvinski, O.S.A., and the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A.

The choir chanted the Gregorian Mass, James E. Sheard and Frank Frank G. McCarthy Jr. were soloists. Miss Mary F. Lanigan was organist. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery, where Father Campbell conducted committal services, assisted by Father Smith and Father Boland.

The bearers were: Thomas B. Barraclough of Andover, Edmund J. Blake of Medford, William M. Hickey of New York City, John J. Cronin of Lawrence, Allan F.

Bruen of Braintree and John J. O'Brien of Amesbury.

Ushers at the church were William M. Paine of Boston, George J. McCarthy of Andover, Arnold Brundage of New York and Judge John J. Burns of Boston.

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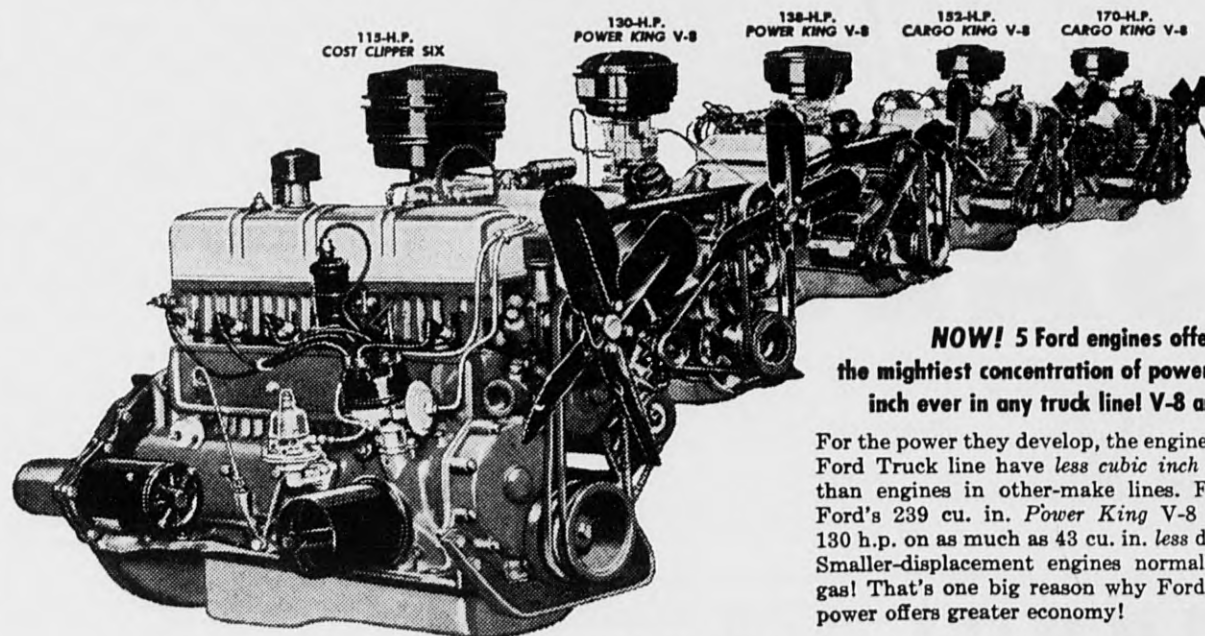
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OBITUARIES

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MRS. ESTHER BARTLETT

Mrs. Esther (Pitkin) Bartlett, of Ballardvale rd., died Friday in the family home after a short illness. A native of Chicago, Ill., she had resided in Andover for many years and was a member of the Park Street church, Boston.

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She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Richard Wheeler, with whom she resided, two grandsons, Gordon Wheeler of Connecticut and Robert Wheeler of Florida.

The funeral was held Sunday from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2:30 p.m., by the Rev. Harold J. Ockenga, pastor of the Park Street church. Burial was in Cedar Hill cemetery, Hartford, Conn.

ALVIN J. ZINK
Alvin J. Zink, 35 Chester st., Ballardvale, who last year retired from the U.S. postal service, died

Jan. 1 at the family home following a long illness.

A former superintendent of the City Hall sub-post office, Lawrence, and a native of that city he had lived in Andover for 30 years.

He was a member and deacon of the South Congregational church, superintendent of the Sunday school and served as scoutmaster of the parish troop for many years. He was a member of Grecian lodge, A. F. & A. M. and the Lawrence branch, National Association of Postal Supervisors.

Surviving are his widow, Mary E. (Eno) Zink; three sons, Alvin Jr., of Andover, George E., of Groton, and Foster D., of Kansas City, Mo.; a brother, Arthur C., of Lawrence; a sister, Mrs. Ella Thornhill of Ashland, N.H., and six grandchildren.

The funeral was held Monday with services in the South Congregational church at 2 p.m., by the Rev. Frederick B. Noss. Cremation took place in Harmony Grove, Salem.

The ushers were: Peter Whittemore, Ralph Draper, Charles Bennett and William Emmons, D.M.D.

Delegations from the Lawrence post office and the retired postal workers attended the funeral.

JAMES W. ROBINSON

James W. Robinson, 728 West Roxbury parkway, West Roxbury, died Dec. 30. An Andover native, he was a member of the Boston police department attached to the special service squad.

Surviving are his widow, Margaret M. (Doyle) Robinson; a brother, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph A. Robinson, pastor of St. Mary of the Assumption church, Brookline, three sons and four daughters.

The funeral was held Saturday with a solemn high Mass of requiem at 11 a.m. in Holy Name church, West Roxbury. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

ALEXANDER J. RYLEY

Alexander J. Ryley, 16 Gregg st., Beverly, a former Andover resident, died Friday in the Beverly hospital, after a short illness.

Born in Scotland, he made his home in Andover before moving to Beverly 30 years ago.

Surviving are his widow, Helen S. (Low) Ryley; a daughter, Mrs. Clark W. Shattuck Jr., of Beverly; a son, Alexander J. L. Ryley of Beverly; a brother, Thomas Ryley of Andover; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Sunday in Beverly, with services at 2:30 p.m., by the Rev. Robert Rasche, D.D., pastor of the North Beverly Congregational church. Burial was North Beverly cemetery.

It isn't a rooster's early rising that makes him unpopular - it's his continual crowing about it.

Wedding...

PAINTON - HIGH

Miss Patricia High, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley High of Nearwater Lane, Noroton, Conn., was married Saturday in the chapel of the Noroton Presbyterian church to Frederick C. Painton, son of Mrs. Raymond J. Brown, of Kettle Creek rd., Weston, and Sarasota, Fla., and the late Frederick C. Painton. The Rev. Laurence McCall Horton performed the ceremony assisted by the Rev. Walter Van Kirk. A reception followed.

The bride is the daughter of the former Dorothy Cutler of Andover and the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Cutler also of Andover.

She is a graduate of the Thomas school, Rowayton, Conn., attended St. Andrews university in Scotland and was graduated from Mount Holyoke college in 1951. She is a member of the editorial staff of Fortune magazine. Mr. Painton is a graduate of the Hotchkiss school, Lakeville, Conn., and Yale university, class of 1949. He served with army intelligence in Europe during World War II. For the past two years he has been a correspondent for the United Press in Korea, Formosa and Japan.

The couple will live in Paris, where Mr. Painton is a member of the European staff of International News Service.

Engagement

Sangermano - Furnari

A February wedding is planned by Miss Connie Furnari whose engagement to Joseph C. Sangermano, son of Mrs. Anna Sangermano, 26 Bromfield st., Lawrence, is announced by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Furnari of River rd.

Miss Furnari is employed in the Wood mill and Mr. Sangermano an army veteran, is employed as a machinist by the Mears Heel company, Lawrence.

Births...

BENDROTH - A son, Norman Bowen, Dec. 30 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bendroth (Carolyn Bowen) of 131 N. Main st.

TISBERT - A son, Dec. 29 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tisbert (Bertha Auger) of Greenwood rd.

CAMIRE - A daughter, Dec. 29 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Camire (Barbara Cobb) 65 Shawsheen rd.

Building Permits

For December

Permits for eight residences with garages were among the permits issued for December by Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman. The estimated value of the new building for the month was \$122,000, and for additions and alterations \$15,300.

Permits for a residence and garage were granted as follows; Jerome C. Dube, McKinney circle; Mrs. Fred Butler, Summer st.; Agnes M. Rauh, two on Highland rd., Frank Cairns, two on Lucerne rd., J.S.W. Const. Co., Robandy rd., John Phillip Enterprises, Inc., Alden rd. Permit for a two-stall garage was granted to Selby B. Groff, Cutler rd.

Permits for additions and alterations: Edward and Mary Ellis, 52 Morton st., small alterations; Richard Anderson, Appletree lane, add two rooms and bath; Agnes Davidson, 125 Main st., add one room; Richard Simmers, off Shawsheen rd., relocate and remodel; Katherine and Edward Moss, 357 N. Main st., interior alterations.

Enjoyable Holiday At Town Infirmary

A very pleasant and enjoyable Christmas season was experienced at the Andover Town infirmary with various groups bringing Christmas cheer at different times during the holiday season.

The Christmas parties began Sunday, Dec. 13 when a group of girls from the Abbot Christian association of Abbot academy brought baskets of fruit and spent some time visiting with the folks there.

Later on the Salvation Army brought its Sunshine baskets which were distributed, and on the Wednesday before Christmas members of the November club put on an elaborate program that included Christmas carols, instrumental music and story telling. They also brought ice cream and cake and gave each a gift during the evening.

Three groups of carollers paid visits to the home and entertained with the traditional songs of the season. One group was from Christ church, another was the boys' choir of St. Augustine's church, and the third was a group of boys and girls from the West Parish church.

Members of the Garden club also remembered the folks at the home by presenting each with a flowering bulb in a vase. A group from the King's Daughters brought gifts of money; cub scouts under the direction of Mrs. Mary Skinner sang carols, and a group of girl scouts remembered the folks with Christmas baskets. Miss Evelyn E. Bills, R.N., brought baskets of fruit, nuts and candy which were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Weeks had the home decorated with holiday greens and a Christmas tree and served a bounteous Christmas dinner to all.

MOVIES FOR YOUNGSTERS

Two movie programs are to be presented for the young people, one at 4 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 14 in the Ballardvale branch library and the other Friday, Jan. 15 at 3:35 p.m., in the Memorial Hall library. All boys and girls are cordially invited.

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REVISE PUNCHED STUDY PROGRAM

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The revised program after Lindsay J. Mar and Bernard J. Kill of guidance appeal board to discuss it was prepared by Mr. the request of Head

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Mr. Kellmurray felt plan will tend to correction without re-creation problem - a haphazard related studies.

Students will have next June to decide they will take for year. This will be assistance of the board. The board decision course is decided to have to abide by it in year as no change allowed the following when schools reopen.

With the new procedure following general re Every student will take English each year in order to be prepared for graduate.

Each student will be required to complete the course in history, usually in the first year.

Each student will pursue at least one course in English for three years. Each student will take at least two full courses in Social Studies, mathematics, and one in science.

One course in Mathematics is required of all students in ninth grade. All ninth grade students are required to take civics.

A student planning to keep will be required to take training in grade 10. One period a week normally be required and seniors.

Only one foreign language is to be started in the sophomore year.

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REVISE PUNCHARD STUDY PROGRAM

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liberalized). Also, a student who would now be enrolled in the general course would not be barred from taking some of the subjects not now available to him because of course enrollment.

The revised program was adopted after Lindsay J. March, headmaster, and Bernard J. Kellmurray, director of guidance appeared before the board to discuss the plan which was prepared by Mr. Kellmurray at the request of Headmaster March.

The guidance director noted in his report that he had made a fairly extensive study of current practices in curriculum building among high schools in the New England region and also made some investigations in this field over the national area with relation to present day college entrance standards and commercial and industrial aims.

At first glance, his report states, this proposal seems a considerable departure from the existing program. In actual fact, however, the principal change represents a move toward greater flexibility, with relatively few actual changes in individual subjects.

When the program of studies was last revised in 1950, the report went on to say, the chief need was to bring some order out of a condition which had deteriorated steadily in the immediate preceding years. To do so at that time necessitated a stringency which, while desirable at the time, ultimately created an undesirable degree of rigidity in the choices which a student might make within his high school course.

Mr. Kellmurray felt that the new plan will tend to correct this situation without re-creating the original problem — a haphazard array of unrelated studies.

Students will have from now until next June to decide which courses they will take for the following year. This will be done with the assistance of the guidance director. The board decided that once a course is decided the student will have to abide by it for the following year as no changes will be allowed the following September when schools reopen.

With the new program are the following general requirements:

Every student will be required to take English each year and to pass it in order to be promoted and to graduate.

Each student will take the prescribed courses in physical education unless excused as provided by law.

Each student will be required to complete the course in United history, usually in the junior year.

Each student will be required to pursue at least one other subject beside English for a minimum of three years.

Each student will be required to take at least two full-year courses in Social Studies, two in Mathematics, and one in science.

One course in Mathematics will be required of all students in the ninth grade.

All ninth grade students will be required to take civics.

A student planning to take Book-keeping will be required to take the course in Junior Business training in grade 10.

One period a week in Speech will normally be required of all juniors and seniors.

Only one foreign language may be started in the same year.



Here's what shapely vacationers at Southern resorts are wearing this season while they soak in their Vitamin D supply from winter sunshine.

The Cargegie unit is to be adopted to replace the outmoded point system. In general it will mean that a full-year prepared subject carried one unit of credit instead of five points, while an unprepared one carried one-half unit. A student will have to complete four units for promotion from Grade 9 to Grade 10, eight units for promotion to Grade 11, twelve units for promotion to Grade 12, and sixteen units to graduate.

Conditional promotion will be made in accordance with existing procedure if there is a deficiency of one unit at the end of the ninth, tenth, or eleventh grades.

Pupils who have failed to carry the equivalent of four units of work successfully for a given year are not expected to carry more than four "full-credit" subjects in the following year.

Each pupil will normally be expected to carry four full-credit subjects.

In order that time may be allowed for proper organization and the ordering of necessary books and supplies, pupils are not expected to ask for any change in programs after June 1.

Selections of classes in Art and Music are to be made with the regular subjects.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

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David Carter, 7, of 14 Essex st., contusion on the upper lip and gum.

Winston Blake, 5 Stratford rd., incomplete fracture of the left ankle.

Treated Saturday was:

William Dobbie, 10 Flint circle, injury to right knee.

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driver's license and examined it carefully before proceeding on their way.

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From time to time this mild winter Jack Frost has cooperated with local ice skaters by putting an icy surface on some of the ponds and here is a group at Hussey's pond getting ready to try out the glazed surface. From left to right they are: Peggy Lacey, Carol Caliri, Susan Miller and Lois Mirisola.
(Look Photo)

Information For Veterans

Q—When I re-entered military service, I surrendered my permanent National Service Life Insurance policy for cash, and thereby became covered by the free indemnity. Will the beneficiaries I named in my NSLI policy carry over for the indemnity coverage?

A—No. You must make new designations of beneficiaries for the indemnity. They may include only persons in the following classes: wife, children, parents, brothers or sisters.

Q—I want to get a GI business loan to buy equipment for a gas station. How many years can I take to pay it back.

A—Under the law, GI non-real-estate business loans may be made for up to ten years, but your lender has the right to ask for repayment before that time.

Q—My wife and I are both World War II veterans. Is it possible for us to combine our GI loan benefits to buy a house?

A—Yes. However, the total amount that VA will guaranty is 60% of the loan. Also, the maximum guaranty may not exceed \$15,000 — the combined maximum guarantees you and your wife would be entitled to, individually.

Q—As a World War II veteran, I bought a home with a GI loan, then had to sell it when I was recalled to active duty after Korea. Now that I've been discharged again, am I entitled to another GI loan for another house?

A—It is possible for you to get new and full loan guarantee rights under the new Korean GI bill. You should apply to your VA regional office for a new certificate of entitlement.

Q—Can a waiver of premium due to total disability be granted on insurance available for disabled veterans?

A—Yes, in fact the existence of total disability will not bar the granting of insurance by VA.

Q—I want to buy a house with a GI loan. Can you tell me why it's necessary to have the house appraised by VA?

A—The law requires that the purchase price of your house must not be more than the reasonable value, as determined by proper appraisal made by an appraiser designated by VA.

Gaskills Leave For New Parish

The Rev. and Mrs. John G. Gaskill left Wednesday to assume their new duties at the First Congregational church of Hanover Center.

Last Sunday morning they were presented with a beautiful table lamp by members of the All Girls' choir and in the evening they were the recipients of a pair of handsome book ends given by the Pilgrim Fellowship.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gaskill have the best wishes of the community as they take up their duties in a new parish.

DEFER FILING DATE

The new state tax commission has set Feb. 15 to Apr. 15, 1954 inclusive as the dates for filing returns in 1954 on income received in 1953 and the usual stenciled forms will be mailed out just prior of Feb. 15.

The filing date has always been from Jan. 1 and this notice has been sent from the state tax commission office to let the public know that the date for filing has been deferred.

A representative from the state office will be at the local town house Feb. 17 from 9 to 1 and from 2 to 4 p.m.



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American Woolen Wants To Close 11 N. E. Mills

In the plans which the American Woolen Company recently announced for the closing of many of its plants in New England the names of the Shawsheen mills and the Hardy Brush plant in Andover are not included.

The company's decision to dispose of 11 of its New England mills was contained in a proxy statement mailed the closing days of the old year to its 17,000 stockholders who have been asked to attend a special meeting in Boston Jan. 27 to give approval of the plans.

The Wood and Ayer mills in Lawrence would be sold under the plan of reorganizing. Several directors headed by

Frederic C. Dumaine of Boston have announced their intention to fight the proposal.

Personals...

Mrs. Jessie Dunwoody is recuperating at her home on Park st., after being a patient in the Bon Secours hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hird and children of Topping rd., visited relatives in Taunton last Sunday.

Mrs. Felix Picard and family of Topping rd., visited relatives in Manchester, N.H., last weekend.

Miss Barbara Folley of Essex st., attended a performance of the Ice Capades in Boston last week.

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- Enriched unbleached white flour... plus
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FEELS HOUSING SHORTAGE ENDED

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as a check rein on any situation that might develop if conditions change.

It is understood that landlords have many vacancies.

The rent control board was organized after the special town meeting voted 218 to 92 to adopt an article that "a substantial shortage of rental housing accommodations exists in Andover and that the control of rents therein is necessary in the public interest."

November Club To Meet Monday

The next meeting of the November club will be held at 3 p.m., Monday, Jan. 11, at the club house.

The president, Mrs. Donald L. Amy, will preside and introduce Eleanor Arnet Nash, noted New York fashion authority and author who will bring up-to-the-minute news about clothes and what women will be wearing in the coming season.

Refreshments will be served by the tea committee.

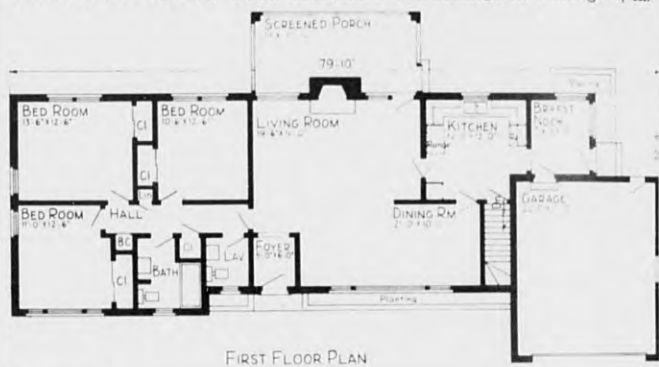
Comfort, Convenience of Small Homes Guide Cover House Has Been Proved



Proof that it offers comfort and convenience caused this home planned by Architect Arnold Schaffner to be chosen as the house featured on the front cover of the current edition of Small Homes Guide.

An earlier version of the plan appeared in the magazine two years ago. One house was built from the plan by builders Eichholz & Eichholz of Sedalia, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Joy and their daughter live in it—happily, for they find its room arrangement very pleasant, particularly the huge living-dining room and the U-shaped kitchen. They like the simple, but striking lines of the rambling exterior, too, and the extensive planting areas.

The total area of the three-bedroom home is 1,558 sq. ft. Information on blueprints and their cost may be obtained by writing to Small Homes Guide, Dept. 1201, 82 W. Washington, Chicago 2, Ill.



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Three Injured In Auto Crash

Three Andover residents suffered injuries in a triple-car crash in Derry, N.H., Dec. 31.

Mrs. King MacRury, 119 Lowell st., was treated at the Sacred Heart hospital, Manchester, N.H., for a fractured left wrist and severe lacerations of the face. Mr. MacRury was treated for a lacerated nose, and was released Sunday.

Their son, Colin, was treated for cuts on the chin at the Alexander-Eastman hospital, Derry, N.H. Police said that the MacRury car and one driven by Mrs. Marie A. Morin of Methuen collided, and that a third car driven by a resident of Beverly, who tried to avoid the collision, was sideswiped. Seven were treated for injuries.

Miss Jeanette Bean of Amesbury spent the weekend with friends in Shawsheen Village.

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Do You Know Massachusetts?

New business incorporations in Massachusetts in September numbered 255, a gain of 20.9% over August and 12.8% over September 1952.

Dedham will have one of the largest greeting card manufacturers in the United States with the building of Rust Craft's new \$3,000,000 plant in the Fairbanks Park area.

Massachusetts' importance in the field of scientific research is attested by the fact that during each of the past two years its institutions have received more than \$40,000,000 in grants from the federal government for research work needed. The four states, Massachusetts, New York, Illinois and California, received two-thirds of the total funds granted, as reported by the National Science Foundation.

A camera capable of taking photographs in one millionth of a second has been developed by a Boston firm. It permits photographing every stage of the fastest explosive action.

General Electric Co., Pittsfield, has announced a \$1.1 million expansion plan, which will include four additions to present buildings, one new building and several smaller construction projects in that city.

The Draper Corp., of Hopedale is the world's largest manufacturer of single-shuttle, high-speed automatic looms and Compton Knowles of Worcester is the world's largest manufacturer of multiple-shuttle looms for fancy weaves.

The smallest suspension bridge in the world is the scaled-down replica of Brooklyn Bridge which spans the lagoon in Boston Public Gardens.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
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PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of FOSTER C. BARN, Andover in said County de executrix of the will of said deceased her first, second and counts.

If you desire to object to your attorney should file a appearance in said Court at ten o'clock in the fore eighteenth day of January next day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELPS, First Judge of said Court, eighth day of December in thousand nine hundred and JOHN J. COSTELLO, Tomlinson & Hatch 301 Essex Street Lawrence, Mass.

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Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of RALPH B. WILKIN, Andover in said County, de

A petition has been presented to the said Court for probate of a instrument purporting to be that of said deceased by PHELE WILKINSON of Andover in praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a bond.

If you desire to object to your attorney should file a appearance in said Court at ten o'clock in the fore eleventh day of January next day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELPS, First Judge of said Court, first day of December in thousand nine hundred and JOHN J. COSTELLO, Eaton and Chandler, Attys. Bay State Building, Lawrence, Mass.

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Files Bill To Put Tree Dep't In B.P.W.

Acting on a vote of the last town meeting which accepted an article to make the tree and moth departments divisions of the board of public works, to be consolidated into that department, the selectmen through Rep. J. Everett Collins have filed a bill in the legislature asking authority for the merger.

The article adopted at the town meeting also contained the provision to instruct the selectmen to take the necessary steps for that consolidation so that final action may be taken at the 1954 annual town meeting.

A hearing on the bill will be held shortly so that the selectmen may be able to report on the proposed merger next March.

SCHOOL BUDGET NOW \$553,909

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\$553,909, which includes the additional \$6500 recommended by the finance committee. This sum, the latter suggested, would make \$2000 additional available for fuel, \$500 more for power and light, and \$4000 more for general repairs.

Minutes of the Dec. 17 meeting were read by the secretary, William A. Doherty, and approved.

On motion of Mr. Doherty seconded by Mr. Kimball the board approved the final warrant for 1953 in the amount of \$4072.25.

After Supt. Edward I. Erickson read a communication from Mrs. Patricia M. Keyes, a teacher in the Bradlee school, requesting a leave of absence it was voted on motion of Mr. Doherty seconded by Miss Greeley to grant the leave from Feb. 19 through June.

Supt. Erickson reported that some minor changes at the Shawsheen school would cost \$95 and it was decided to have the work done.

On motion of Miss Greeley seconded by Mr. Kimball the board appointed Mrs. Jenny Domingue of High st., a substitute teacher at the Shawsheen school for the balance of the year.

The board adjourned at 11.01 p.m.

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Need \$4000 More For Traffic Tower

The selectmen are considering placing a special article in the town warrant for next March asking for an appropriation of approximately \$4000 for the care and construction of a traffic control tower in Andover square.

This matter was discussed at the regular meeting of the board at which Police Chief David L. Nicoll was present Monday night to discuss the 1954 budget of the police department, a proposed revision in the traffic rules and orders, and other department business.

At the town meeting last March an appropriation of \$4000 was voted for a traffic tower in the square. At this time the cost had not been determined. The state de-

partment of public works, which must approve the proposed improvement, made a survey of the traffic passing through the various intersections in the square and prepared plans to regulate its control. Cost of the proposed installation, it has been learned, will be in the vicinity of \$8000.

The proposed special article will bring the 1953 appropriation up to the amount needed to construct the tower.

Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan also met with the board during the evening to discuss the 1954 budget of the fire department.

Joint pole locations were granted the N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., and the Lawrence Electric Co., one on

Moraine street being a relocation to replace a pole that is to be removed, and the second on Dufton road, northerly from Enmore street.

The building inspector reported for December that the estimated costs of permits issued for new building was \$122,000, for additions and alterations \$15,300, and \$160 collected in fees.

Drilling for oil entails heavy financial risks. Eight out of every nine wildcat wells, for example, turn out to be dry holes, in which

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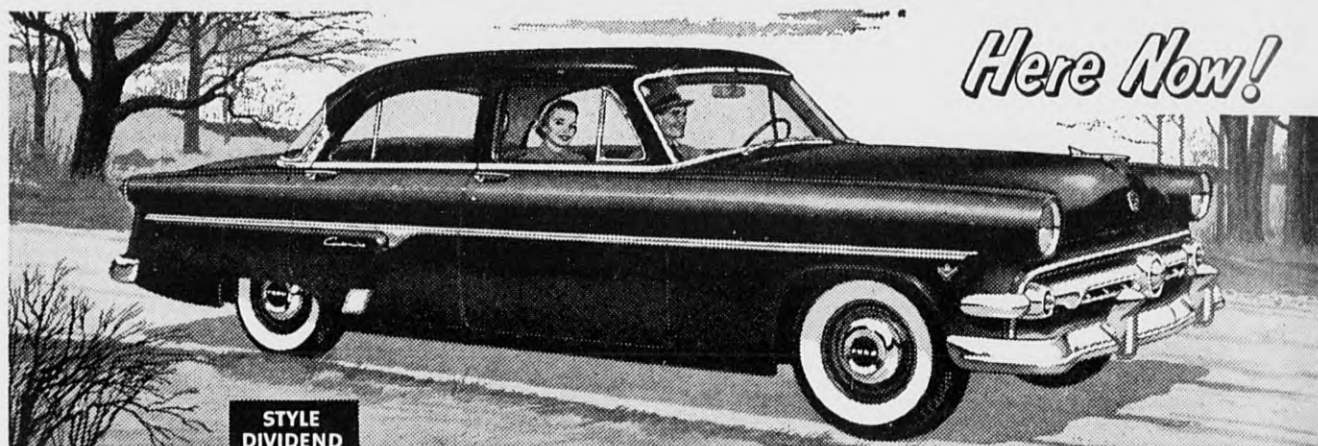


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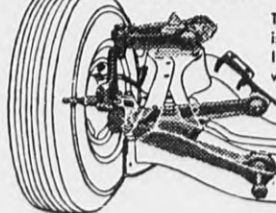
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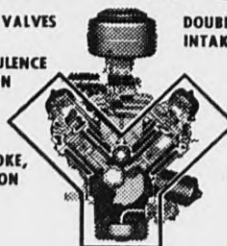
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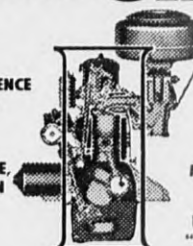
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Joseph L. Potvin, Lawrence, was early morning trap set area off Route 133 at Georgetown town line.

Potvin is being held in Charles Street jail, Boston, on \$11,000 bail for a

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