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What is a snowstorm for if youngsters can't get out and have some fun in it? Here are three warmly clad children thoroughly enjoying the coasting near Memorial circle where they live. From left to right they are: Eleanor McCarthy, Lynda Coon and Arthur Coon Jr. (Look Photo)

## New Building Record For One-Family Homes

### Board Of Trade Has Good Start On Year's Plans

In lining up projects for the Andover Board of Trade for the ensuing year, President Donald B. Look reports that the bill for the Christmas street lighting has been paid in full and the board has about \$200 on hand to apply to next season's Yule decorations.

Pres. Look will call a meeting of the board of directors shortly to make plans for the year. Soon afterward a meeting of the full board will be held at which time colored movies of the Santa Claus parade will be shown.

Plans are also in the making for presenting a Nativity scene next Christmas in connection with the street lighting. Several ideas for full-life figures have been suggested and the board is expected to get this project started soon so that everything will be in readiness for incorporating this Christmas scene into the holiday decorations.

A new record in Andover's continued building boom was established last year in the number of single-family dwellings for which permits were issued, a total of 152 such dwellings costing \$1,884,000 having been recorded by Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman.

The estimated cost of all new construction for which permits were issued in 1953 was placed at \$2,018,095 and the cost of additions and alterations at \$197,975, a total of \$2,216,070.

During the construction boom that started about six years ago the town has added 709 new buildings plus 56 apartments in the veterans' housing project.

The number of new buildings, their estimated cost and that for additions and alterations over this period is as follows:

1948 - 100; cost \$1,224,109; add., \$147,600; total \$1,371,709.

1949 - 80 and 56 apartments; \$1,431,350; add., \$106,335; total \$1,537,685.

1950 - 130; \$2,533,500; add., \$143,150; total \$2,676,650.

1951 - 127; \$2,805,801; add., \$176,475; total \$2,982,276.

1952 - 120; \$1,908,650; add., \$172,600; total \$2,081,250.

1953 - 152, \$2,018,095; add., \$197,975; total \$2,216,070.

In comparison with these figures it may be noted that in 1947 the total number of new building units was 70 with an estimated cost of \$689,000., with additions and alterations of \$100,150, a total of \$789,150.

### School Housing Needs Discussed

The housing needs of Andover's growing school population were discussed last Saturday morning at a joint session of the school housing planning committee and the school committee with Architect Howard Rich of Boston.

Mr. Rich was the architect on the two new elementary schools and is familiar with the local situation.

The problem which these committees face is a two-fold one; first to give relief to the grade schools in the immediate future, and second, to give relief ultimately to the grades in the junior and high schools.

Members of the school housing committee are: Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman; Anna M. Greeley, Edward I. Erickson, Louis E. Gleason, Vasco E. Nunez and Howell M. Stillman.

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### Want Chief Clerk For Assessors' Div.

Following the recommendation of the reorganization of the assessor's department made by Chairman Roy E. Hardy in his New Year's statement published in The Townsman, the selectmen will include the sum of \$4000 in their 1954 budget to provide for a chief assessor's clerk.

In his statement to the people of Andover, Mr. Hardy, who is to retire at the end of his present term as selectman and assessor, said that good assessing work in this division of town affairs is the basis of a strong financial government.

He advocated having one full-time assessor or a chief clerk for the assessors' department who had some knowledge of building and engineering.

The matter will be taken up with the finance commission.

### Few Days Left For Filing Papers

Only a few days more remain for candidates seeking election to town office next March to file their nomination papers with the town clerk.

The closing time is 4:30 p.m., Friday, Jan. 22 which is also the closing time for filing special articles for the town warrant.

Nomination papers are in circulation for John F. O'Connell, 1 Punchard ave., as candidate for selectman and assessor.

**TO SPEAK AT ABBOT**  
Vera Michaels Dean, magazine editor who has recently returned from India, will discuss the foreign policy program of the United States at 8:15 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 16 at Abbot academy. The public is invited.

## Punchard's Study Program Includes Many Revisions

### 3 Storms Bring 12-In. Snow Cover

Three snow storms beginning last Saturday left a snow cover of 11 or 12 inches here in four days. The storms were general all over the eastern states with the heavier precipitation in southeastern New England.

The first storm Saturday left about 3 inches of snow and brought out snow plows for the first time this season.

The second storm started Monday and brought about 4 inches more. This was accompanied by strong northeast winds which piled up the light snow in high drifts. Temperatures were about 6 above during the day.

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### Hold Lawrence Man In Extortion Plot

A 27-year-old Lawrence man was arrested by agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation last Saturday morning on a charge of attempting to extort \$20,000 from Alexander M. Wilson, 26 Cheever circle, and \$10,000 from Lucien DeBruyckere, 40 Kenneth st., Lawrence.

Joseph L. Potvin of Brookfield st., Lawrence, was seized in an early morning trap set in a wooded area off Route 133 at the Boxford-Georgetown town line.

Potvin is being held in the Charles Street jail, Boston, in lieu of \$11,000 bail for a hearing Jan.

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Tony Martin  
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**VICKI**  
Jeanne Crain - Elliot Reid  
1:45 4:40 7:35

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday  
Jan. 17th - 18th - 19th  
**TORCH SONG**  
Joan Crawford - Michael Wilding  
2:05 5:30 9:00  
**SANGAREE**  
Fernando Lamas - Arlene Dahl  
3:35 7:00

Wednesday thru Saturday  
Jan. 20th thru 23rd  
**CALAWTY JANE**  
Doris Day - Howard Keel  
2:10 5:30 8:50  
**TARZAN AND THE SHE-DEVIL**  
Lex Barker - Joyce Mackenzie  
3:50 7:10

## BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Ruth Green, Correspondent, Telephone 2634-M

**Bowling League**  
Team standings fifth week:

	W.	L.	P'fall
Rockets	18	2	4634
Atoms	12	8	4449
Bombadiers	11	9	4603
Flying Saucers	10	10	4605
Jets	6	14	4197
Migs	3	17	3851

High singles, Norma Perry 105 and Gertrude Hutchins 105; high triple, Norma Perry 291; high team, Rockets, 4634. Friday's games are: Jets vs. Migs; Atoms vs. Bom-

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**Attends Retreat**  
Mrs. Anthony Perrino, wife of the Rev. Anthony Perrino, minister of the Methodist church attended the "Minister's Wives Retreat" at Rolling Ridge, North Andover last Monday and Tuesday.

**W. S. OF C. S.**  
The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the vestry.

**Pop Concert**  
Boy Scout troop 76 will sponsor a pop concert in the Community room at 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 5.

**Golden Age Circle**  
The Golden age circle of the Methodist church met last Monday afternoon in the vestry. Mrs. Harry Nason, president, presided. Reports were given and a social time enjoyed. Dr. Carrie Bacon was hostess for the afternoon.

Members present were: Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. Anna Hess, Mrs. Harry Nason, Mrs. Myra Ward, Mrs. Emma Moss, Mrs. Ernest Rollins, Mrs. Frances Bentley and Dr. Carrie Bacon.

**P.T.A. Meeting**  
The regular meeting of the Ballardvale PTA was held in the Bradlee school last Thursday evening with the president, Albert Warner, presiding. The Rev. Raymond Wilbur led in devotions. Mrs. Dorothy Minzner was pianist. Mr. Warner introduced the guest speaker, Lt. Col. James K. Healy of Newburyport, who gave an interesting talk on "Operations Blue Jay" which concerned the Thule air base in Greenland. He also showed a war department film.

Following the talk a business meeting was held. The membership committee reported 139 members. Mrs. William McIntyre, chairman of the room mothers reported on the Bradlee school Christmas party and said that candy and fruit was donated to the Andover Home for the Aged. It was voted to send a sum of money to the Andover PTA Council to be used to purchase eye glasses for children who could not afford them. It was voted to give \$30 for the purchase of a flag for Explorer Troop 76, which the PTA sponsors. Scoutmaster James Butler thanked the organization for the gift. Mrs. Patricia Keyes' room won the attendance banner.

Refreshments were served by the following: Mrs. Robert Auchterlonie, Mrs. Henry Wrigley, Mrs. Emery Ackerman, Mrs. Bart Smalley and Mrs. Harry Fisher.

**Toboggan Party**  
The Pilgrim Fellowship group of the Union Congregational church enjoyed a toboggan party Sunday night, after which they all returned to the vestry and enjoyed ping pong and other games. Hot cocoa and cookies were served.

Those enjoying the event were: Margaret and Paul Bouleau, Richard Nolin, Thelma and Beverly Sparks, Paul McFarlane, Clifford Sharpe, Warren Russell, Alan Smeltzer, Richard Doucette and the Rev. Raymond B. Wilbur.

**Men's Club**  
The Methodist church Men's club meeting was postponed from last Saturday until Saturday Jan. 23. After the business meeting members plan to attend the hockey game in Boston.

**University of Life**  
Mrs. P. W. Moody has charge of the registration for the University of Life from the Union Congregational church and Mrs. Henry

Myers from the Methodist church.

**Personals**  
Mrs. O. T. Collins has returned to her home in Center Harbor, N.H., after spending several days as the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks of River st.

Joseph Derrah of Attleboro has been visiting his sister, Mrs. William Clemons of Andover st.

Miss Joanne Myers of Clark rd., Robert Henderson of Tewksbury st., and the Rev. Anthony Perrino of Tewksbury st., have resumed their studies at Boston university after enjoying the Christmas and New Year's vacation.

David McFarlane of Marland rd. has returned to his studies at the University of Massachusetts after enjoying the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson.

Frank White of Taunton, formerly of the Vale, was a recent guest of the Rev. and Mrs. Anthony Perrino of Tewksbury st.

Kenneth Sparks of River st., and George Fleming of Lawrence enjoyed skiing at North Conway, Sunday.

Edward Ricker of Claremont, N.H. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of Andover st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks of River st., and their guest, Mrs. O. T. Collins visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Locke of Lancaster, Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Greenwood Sr., of Tewksbury st., and Mrs. Lionel Buckley of Chester st., attended a performance of the Ice Capades last Saturday.

**MINARD TO SHOW PHOTOS OF FLOWERS**  
Kenneth S. Minard of Phillips academy faculty, who has taught all phases of photography, will be the speaker at the meeting of the New England Rose society to be held at 2 p.m., Jan. 16 in Horticultural hall, Boston. His subject will be "Color Photography of Flowers," and he will have colored pictures to show.

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## Engagement

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Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Grieco, 50 William st., announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna to Thomas Jay Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Thomas of Melvin Village, N.H.

Miss Grieco is a graduate of Abbot academy, and is now attending Jackson college. Mr. Thomas is a graduate of Brewster academy and attended Piedmont college. He is at present serving with the air force at Lackland Airforce base in San Antonio, Tex.

**SACRED HEART SODALITY**  
The annual banquet of the Sacred Heart sodality of St. Augustine's church will be held Sunday Jan. 31. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Loretta R. Lannan at Barnard st. Reservations must be made by Jan. 27.

**WOMEN VOTERS**  
A board meeting of the League of Women Voters will be held Monday night, Jan. 18 at the home of Mrs. Hart D. Leavitt, 195 Main st.

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Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

**ASSETS**

- Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection . . . \$2,517,013.73
- United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed . . . 4,335,553.59
- Obligations of States and political subdivisions . . . 107,999.90
- Other bonds, notes, and debentures . . . 75,000.00
- Corporate stocks (including \$15,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) . . . 15,000.00
- Loans and discounts (including \$1,372.02 overdrafts) . . . 3,402,746.92
- Bank premises owned \$123,471.30, furniture and fixtures \$54,040.79 . . . 177,512.09
- Other assets . . . 59,656.94
- TOTAL ASSETS . . . 10,690,483.17

**LIABILITIES**

- Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . 6,489,392.51
- Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . 1,582,685.70
- Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) . . . 466,838.01
- Deposits of States and political subdivisions . . . 684,449.33
- Deposits of banks . . . 283,471.21
- Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) . . . 368,604.84
- TOTAL DEPOSITS . . . \$9,875,441.60
- Other liabilities . . . 100,109.16
- TOTAL LIABILITIES . . . 9,975,550.76

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

- Capital Stock:  
(c) Common stock, total par \$200,000.00 . . . 200,000.00
- Surplus . . . 300,000.00
- Undivided profits . . . 157,612.25
- Reserves . . . 57,320.16
- TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS . . . 714,932.41
- TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 10,690,483.17

**MEMORANDA**

- Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes . . . 1,377,593.71
- (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of . . . 82,124.43

I, C. W. Holland, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier.

State of Massachusetts, County of Essex, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1954, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Katherine A. Berry, Notary Public.  
My commission expires May 2, 1958.  
(Seal)

Correct - Attest  
L. S. Finger  
Burton S. Flagg  
W. E. Brimer  
Directors.

## Savings Bank Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Andover Savings bank was held at which time one Roger B. Merriman, incorporator, Edward

Other officers of the President, Burton S. Flagg, president and treasurer; Roger B. Merriman, incorporator, Edward

Board of investment Abbot, Burton S. Flagg, Stevens; auditing committee E. Brimer, Charles E. Brimer, Chapman, William V. Erickson, Lo

Edmond E. Hammond, John M. Kemper, Kimball, William D. Merriman, Winthrop, Edward C. Nichols, Arthur W. Reynolds, George F. Stevens, Gardner S. Tomlinson.

## Punchard

By JOYCE M. W.

**Council Trip**  
Several members of the council recently attended the Framingham High school, the first in a series of which methods of the own council will be represented by William Vickers, Charles Gail Thompson and J.

**Goldsmith Contest**  
On Jan. 18, 1954 Goldsmith speaking contest conducted. Contest topics will be: "Valer Open Window" by Robert Jordan, "F Malcolm Hoffmann; "Shago", by James Spinney, "A Horseman by Ambrose Bierce; "The Hack Driver Lewis; Robert He Dark," by Neil Bell

The judges of the Miss Mabel E. Mars nior high faculty; Raymond Wilbur, pastor of Andover Congregational Francis J. O'Brien,

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**Savings Bank Elects Officers**

The annual meeting of the Andover Savings bank was held Monday at which time one new trustee, Roger B. Merriman, and one new incorporator, Edward I. Erickson, were elected.

Other officers of the bank are: President, Burton S. Flagg; vice president and treasurer, Louis S. Finger; assistant treasurer, Winthrop Newcomb; clerk, Charles C. Kimball; trustees, (terms expire 1955) Burton S. Flagg, Charles C. Kimball, Roger B. Merriman; (terms expire 1956) J. Radford Abbot, Wallace E. Brimer, George F. Sawyer, Abbot Stevens; (terms expire 1957) E. Barton Chapin, Philip F. Ripley, Louis S. Finger and William D. McIntyre.

Board of investment, J. Radford Abbot, Burton S. Flagg and Abbot Stevens; auditing committee, Wallace E. Brimer, Charles C. Kimball and George F. Sawyer; incorporators, J. Radford Abbot, Wallace E. Brimer, Hugh Bullock, E. Barton Chapin, William V. Emmons, Edward I. Erickson, Louis S. Finger, Burton S. Flagg, Claude N. Fuess, Edmond E. Hammond, Roy E. Hardy, John M. Kemper, Charles C. Kimball, William D. McIntyre, Roger B. Merriman, Winthrop Newcomb, Edward C. Nichols, Frank L. Purdon, Arthur W. Reynolds, Philip F. Ripley, George F. Sawyer, Abbot Stevens, Gardner Sutton and Walter C. Tomlinson.

**Punchard High**

By JOYCE M. WILLIAMS

**Council Trip**

Several members of the student council recently attended an assembly and student council meeting at Framingham High school. This is the first in a series of visits from which methods of improving our own council will be secured. Students representing Punchard were: William Vickers, Charles Giovinco, Gail Thompson and Judith Colmer.

**Goldsmith Contest**

On Jan. 18, 1954, the annual Goldsmith speaking contest will be conducted. Contestants and their topics will be: Valerie Shaw, "The Open Window" by H. W. Munro; Robert Jordan, "Fraternity", by Malcolm Hoffmann; Bonita Hajjar, "Shago", by James Pooler; Philip Spinney, "A Horseman in the Sky," by Ambrose Bierce; Joan Hathaway, "The Hack Driver" by Sinclair Lewis; Robert Hesse, "In The Dark," by Neil Bell.

The judges of the contest will be Miss Mabel E. Marshall of the Junior high faculty; The Rev. Raymond Wilbur, pastor of the Ballardvale Congregational church and Francis J. O'Brien, superintendent

of Schools in North Andover.

While the judges are convening the Senior Choraliers of Punchard under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Wilson will entertain the assembly.

The whole program is under the direction of Miss Beatrice L. Stevens, head of the English department.

All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend the program.

**Red Cross Notes**

Agnes Daley, Gail Barton, and Joyce Dunlop were chosen as representatives from the Junior high school to the Punchard Red Cross council.

At a recent meeting of the Red Cross council, plans were discussed for making a correspondence album to send to Greece in exchange for one which Andover has been privileged to receive. This album will contain information about the town, its schools and their activities. All material entered in the album will be the work of students in all the schools of Andover. The project is expected to last for several months and it will be part of the school work. The project will take much time and planning but the finished product will satisfy all efforts spent.

**Junior High Assembly**

On Friday, Jan. 8, the Junior high assembly consisted of an open student council meeting with the student body participating. The main subject for discussion was "Improvements on the Hand Book", A book giving rules, regulations, events and a calendar for the school.

**Notes**

Gail Thompson and Betsy Sparks have been chosen to co-edit the senior class year book.

Mid-year examinations will begin Wednesday, Jan. 20 and will last three days. A revised schedule is being planned so that all exams of one subject will fall on the same day for all courses. The regular school schedule is disregarded on exam days.

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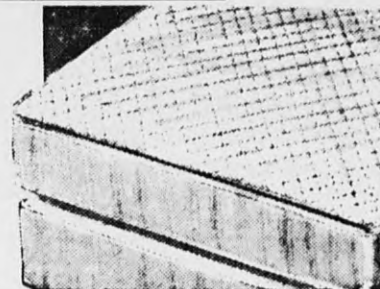
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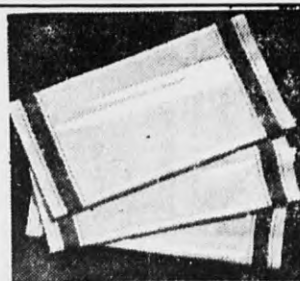


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Crosse & Blackwell Tomato Juice - - 18 Oz tin- 2 for 29¢  
BULK PEARL TAPIOCA - (give yourself a treat) Lb 29¢  
Dromedary Fruit Cake Mix - - make your own - - - tin 69¢  
National Biscuit English Style Biscuit - 12 Oz pkg 41¢  
Sweetheart Soap - reg size cake - 1¢ sale - 4 bars - - 37¢

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## WEST PARISH

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### Church Meeting

The annual church meeting of the West Parish church was held last Thursday evening in the vestry. More than 75 were present at the

supper which preceded the meeting. Mrs. Charles Sparks was chairman of the supper committee and Mrs. Albion Johnson was in charge of the decorations.

The Rev. John G. Gaskill acted as moderator for the meeting which opened at 7:30 p.m., with prayer. Herbert P. Carter, clerk of the church, read his 33rd annual report and Mrs. Novak reported for the collector of finance.

Mr. Carter was elected to serve as clerk for another year and Mrs. Norman Morgan was elected collector in place of Mrs. Novak who has resigned. Winthrop Boutwell resigned as deacon and was made deacon emeritus.

Others elected were: Richard Williams, auditor; William DuBocq, deacon for five years; Philip Thomes, deacon for two years to fill the unexpired term of Deacon Boutwell; Mrs. Emil DesRoches, deaconess for two years to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Herman Seinworth who has moved away; Mrs. William Trow, historian.

Resolutions were read by Mrs. William Trow on the death of Robert Scobie. The resolutions committee comprised Mrs. Trow and Mrs. Herbert Carter.

Warren Lewis spoke at length on the work of the Sunday school and the church ratified the election of Mr. Lewis as Sunday school superintendent and George Harper as assistant superintendent. Carl Schulze was appointed secretary of the Sunday school and Mrs. Halbert Dow was elected chairman of the house committee.

### Local Girl Performs

The following West Andover people attended a recent performance of the Ice Capades in Boston in which Miss Irene Harnden,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everel Harnden of Haggett's Pond rd., is one of the talented skaters: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Innes, Ruth and Robert Innes, Mr. and Mrs. Albert White, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Henderson and Nancy Henderson, Beatrice Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall, Hazel Randall, Mrs. Carrie Johnson, Mrs. Erma Dufton, Wilma and Althea Dufton, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Randall, Mrs. Grace Holt, Dorothy Farnham and Mrs. Beatrice Hunter. Miss Harnden is a graduate of Punchard high school with the class of 1951 and attended the Chamberlain school in Boston.

### Church News

The Rev. Basil Hall, a member of the staff of the Harvard Divinity school library, preached the sermon last Sunday in the West church. The Rev. Horace Robson, who is in charge of the ministerial supply at 14 Beacon st., Boston, will fill the pulpit of the West church next Sunday morning.

### Registrar

Karl Haartz is registrar of the West church for the University of Life program which begins Sunday, Jan. 31. Give him your registration as early as possible.

### Parish Meeting

The annual meeting of the West parish will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 21, in the vestry of the church. All are invited to attend this very important meeting in the life of the church.

### In Hospital

Mrs. King MacRury of Lowell st., is still a patient in the Sacred Heart hospital, Manchester, N.H., following the accident in which her family was involved New Year's weekend. Mrs. Clayton Northey and Mrs. Elmer Peterson visited her last Sunday.

### Personals

Pvt. Ronald Mulich has returned to Fort Devens after enjoying a furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mulich of Cutler rd. He will leave Friday for Fort Benning, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Moulton have returned to their home in Wayland after spending the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Holden of High Plain rd.

Mrs. Margaret Muller of High Plain rd., left by plane Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her son, Major Emil Muller of the Salvation Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fitzgerald and family formerly of Haggett's Pond rd., have moved into the Henderson house on Pleasant st.

Mrs. Allen Munroe and children left recently by plane for Fairbanks, Alaska, where they will join Staff Sgt. Munroe. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Munroe of Lowell st., and is with the airforce.

Mrs. John Corrie of High Plain rd., is the fund collector for the Lawrence General Hospital Aid Association for 1954.

Lathrop Merrick of Durham, N.H., spent the weekend in the family home on Shawsheen rd.

### NOVEMBER CLUB NOTES

The third meeting of the Drama department of the November club will be held at 2 p.m., Friday, Jan. 15 at which time Mrs. Frank L. Brigham will give her interesting talk on shawls and show her noted collection. Each member is requested to bring a guest.

Members are asked to contact Mrs. Frederick Hulme, telephone 975, if they cannot be present, or if they intend to be present but are not going to bring a guest.

A meeting of the Art department of the club will be held at 3 p.m., Monday, Jan. 18 at the home of Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers, 89 Main st.

## Births...

LALLY— A son, Court Barnard, Jan. 6 to Lt. and Mrs. Richard W. Lally, 72 Phillips st., Alexandria, Va. The mother is the former Patricia P. Barnard, daughter of Mrs. W. Shirley Barnard and the late W. Shirley Barnard of Central st. Lt. Lally U.S.A.F., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Lally of Whittier st.

JANSSON— Twin girls, Jan. 3 in Quincy City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Bertil G. Jansson of Hingham. The mother is the former Felice Whitcomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald M. Whitcomb of Squantum, former Andover residents. The great-grandmother is Mrs. Montie Z. Whitcomb of 3 Main street terr.

SMELTZER — A daughter, Jan. 11 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Smeltzer (Gladys Curtis) of Woburn st., Ballardvale.

HAIJ— A son, Jan. 11 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hajj (Dorothy Duff) 1 Essex place.

## To Hold Installation And Dinner Dance

The Andover Catholic club will hold its annual installation dinner dance at the Andover Country club Saturday evening. The new officers will be installed by the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., and dancing will follow.

## P. H. S. SPORT

### Punchard 49, N'port 39

In a game that was well contested throughout every period of play Punchard took a 49-39 decision from Newburyport on the latter's court Friday night.

Capt. Billy Stack with 19, Paul Whitley with 12 and Eddie Dwyer with 10 points were high scorers for the Blue and Gold while Canepa right forward for the losers, hit the strings for 16.

### Girls' Basketball

The girl's basketball team at Punchard entertained their John high rivals of North Andover last Friday and came out on the short end of a 37-25 score in four eight-minute periods.

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**PUNCHARD'S STUDY PROGRAM REVISED**

(Continued from Page One)

one-half year course in review of College Preparatory Mathematics is to be offered in the twelfth grade.

**Foreign Languages**

Every student preparing for a liberal arts college will be strongly urged to pursue a minimum of three years of one language. Some, however, will be able to meet their needs with the absolute minimum of two years, while others may wish to study two languages to advanced levels.

**Social Studies**

The course in Civics is being re-established in the ninth grade program at which level it is far more generally offered. Several new courses are being introduced into the upper three years to modernize the offering and to make it of more practical value. For example, a course in Sociology available to the tenth grade will embody the principles of health and social living. Consumer Education in the eleventh grade will be the Social Studies complement to the course in Consumer Mathematics — both for practical application. In the senior year, a course entitled Problems of Modern Living will include the features now present in courses in Problems of Democracy, Marriage, and Family Living together with some of the material now offered in General Psychology.

Contemporary Geography, elective in the junior year, will cover the material now included in Economic Geography, and Geography and Current Events. In addition to the above, United States History will be required of all students, usually in the junior year, while European History will remain a senior elective.

**Science**

The offering will remain much the same except that there will be separate divisions of Physics and Chemistry for non-college preparatory students requiring less background in mathematics, and offering more of practical usage.

**Commercial Subjects**

The course in Bookkeeping II is

being eliminated as unnecessary, in accordance with conferences with the Head of the Commercial Department and a study of prevailing practices in other schools. The course in Economic Geography will be embodied in the course in Contemporary Geography in the junior year.

**Shop and Homemaking**

The present plan is to offer these subjects in two double periods per week, and to make them available to all students who wish to take them and into whose schedules they can be fitted.

**Art and Music**

There will probably be relatively little change in these subjects. The nature of the offerings will be decided by the Headmaster in consultation with the Supervisors of Art and Music.

**Subject Matter**

In the general requirements that went with the new program it is noted that the Carnegie unit is to be adopted to replace the outmoded point system.

In general it will mean that a full-year prepared subject carries one unit of credit instead of five points, while an unprepared one carries 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 16 units to graduate.

The table contained in the report shows the required and elective studies for each of the four grades and the unit credits for each.

They are as follows:

**Grade 9**

Required—English I (1); Physical Education (.2); Civics (1).

Elective — Science (1); Applied Math I (1); Elementary Algebra (1); Shop I (.4); Homemaking I (.4); French I (1); Latin I (1); Occupations (.4); Music, Art.

**Grade 10**

Required — English II (1); Physical Education (.2).

Elective — Biology (1); Applied Math II (1); Algebra II (1) Jr. Business Training (1); Typing I (.5); Sociology (1); French II (1); Latin

II (1); Shop II (.4); Homemaking II (.4); Mechanical Drawing I (1); Music, Art.

**Grade 11**

Required — English III (1); U. S. History (1); Physical Education (.2); Speech (.2);

Elective — Chemistry (1); Plane Geometry (1); Consumer Math (1); Contemp. Geography (1); Consumer Education (1); Mechanical Draw. II (1); Latin III (1); French III (1); Bookkeeping (1); Typing II (.5); Shorthand I (1); Shop III (.4); Homemaking III (.4); Music, Art.

**Grade 12**

Required — English IV (1); Physical Education (.2); Speech (2).

Elective — Physics (1); Trigonometry & Solid Geometry (1); Rev. College Math. (.5); European History (1); Problems of Modern Living (1); Office Practice (1); Shorthand II (1); French IV (1); Latin

IV (1); Shop IV (.4); Homemaking IV (.4); Music, Art.

**HOME NURSING COURSE**

The Andover Red Cross is offering another course in home nursing. The first session will be held at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 19 at Red Cross headquarters. Mrs. Douglas R. Crockett will be the instructor. Registration for the course has not been closed.

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The revised program of studies at Punchard which the school committee adopted last week is intended to be of definite advantage to students of the upper grades.

Elimination of the former conventional courses,— classical, technical, general and commercial — puts an end to rigid study program which had been in effect and replaces it with one of more flexibility which is expected to better suit the ability of the individual student.

Recommendation for the change came after an extensive study by Bernard L. Kellmurray, director of guidance, and with the approval of Headmaster Lindsay J. March. In the survey consideration was given to the curriculum-building practices among other high schools in regard to collage entrance standards and commercial and industrial aims.

Under the general scheme of the new program a student will be required to do certain basic work each year and to fill out his schedule by adding subjects of his own choice, under proper guidance, which satisfy his ability and needs.

In this way some of the studies not open to him under the former system may become available to him under the new plan.

The changes are not a great departure from the former system but offer a plan designed to give each student a schedule better fitted for his talents.

The revised program, the committee and its sponsors expect, will result in higher achievement on the part of a great number of pupils.

## Education And Good Fun

It is reported that many hundreds of "investment clubs" are now in operation throughout the country. The usual method of operation is for the members to contribute a certain sum of money each month to a fund, which is then used to buy stocks. Some have been most successful. One club, which began in 1940, has had a total of \$17,000 in contributions. Ten thousand has been withdrawn from the fund — and \$44,000 remains.

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### THOSE SCHOOL COSTS

Editor of The Townsman:

Here we go again.

Your lead story in last week's (Dec. 31) Townsman is a prepared statement, under the by-line of the chairman of our school committee, which perpetuates the same old misleading information about our annual school costs.

The only thing that can be said in favor of such figures is that it is an old Spanish custom to pass out incomplete costs in this way. But are you gullible enough, Mr. Editor, to believe that our current school cost is \$238 per pupil? Well, neither are some of your readers.

In the interests of accuracy, is it impossible to get from official sources in this town an honest (i.e. complete) story of what it will cost for our schools this year? What do you omit from the picture when you prepare a budget for your own business? Your recent explanation about the necessity of paying for our school buildings approaches but does not yet get to the truth of the matter.

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**Concerto in D, op. 77 for violin and orchestra,** Brahms.

Yehudi Menuhin, violin, Lucerne Festival orchestra, Wilhelm Furtwangler, conductor.

**The Three-Cornered Hat, Falla.** Ernest Ansermet, conducting l'Orchestre de la Suisse Romande, Suzanna Danco, soprano.

**Symphony in D, minor, Symphonic Variations,** Franck.  
**Porgy And Bess,** Gershwin, and Gould.

Spirituals for string choir and orchestra.  
**The Mikado,**

Gilbert and Sullivan.  
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## Down the Years with The Townsman

### 50 Years Ago — January 1904

Many local firemen attended the dance of the Lawrence fire laddies last evening.

The reflection of the store fire in Lowell Tuesday night was plainly visible in Andover.

Supt. of Streets Lovejoy had a large force of men clearing snow from the square early this week.

A North Andover youth has admitted setting the fires which have occurred recently in the cards in the card room at the Smith & Dove Co. He threw matches into the machine while it was in motion.

About 25 young ladies of the Vale enjoyed a sleigh ride to Lowell last Thursday and had a fine supper in the St. Charles hotel.

The B & M tool house in the Vale was broken into about 2 a.m., Tuesday. It is thought that the thieves are the same who broke into the Tewksbury station a few hours later.

Hope for peace between Japan and Russia fades. Russia refuses to recognize Japanese predominance in Korea or its influence in Manchuria.

Town Clerk Abraham Marland fell on the ice yesterday breaking his right wrist. The accident occurred near the rubber shop.

The present membership at Punchard is 123. The average daily attendance for December 109. There were 135 cases of tardiness for the past month due to the lateness of trains from Ballardvale.

Candidates for the battery positions on next spring's Phillips academy baseball team reported to the gym last Saturday.

The merchant tailors of Lawrence and vicinity at a meeting Friday night elected P. J. Hannon of this town president and W. J. Burns as a member of the investigating committee.

The Concord, N.H., baseball team in the New England league has been transferred to Lynn.

The frozen condition of the inner harbor of Gloucester shows that it has been in the grip of the Ice King.

A waiting station has been erected at Wilson's corner for the

Symphony and National Symphony.  
**Die Erste Walpurgisnacht, Mendelssohn-Bartholdy,** with songs on side 2.  
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Issay Dobrowen, conductor.  
**Symphony No. 5 in B flat major, Prokofieff.**

Danish state radio symphony orchestra, Eric Tuxen, conductor.

accommodation of Andover passengers who change there to or from the Salem line. The station will be heated.

### 25 Years Ago — January 1929

The four-act mystery comedy "And Billy Disappeared" entertained a large audience at the town hall recently when presented by St. Augustine's Dramatic club.

Through the kindness of John H. Campion an electric heater has been placed in the traffic shanty in the square.

Chief Emerson has purchased 500 feet of 2½-inch hose for the fire department.

A large truck from Chelsea struck and broke a utility pole on Main street near Chestnut street Thursday.

The fish and game clubs of Andover and Ballardvale have each received 800 seven-inch brook trout which they have distributed in local streams.

The board of public works will open Haggett's pond for fishing Jan. 14 to Feb. 11. Only citizens of Andover will be permitted to fish in the pond.

A chimney fire early Monday evening at the home of Miss Sarah MacKeown on Main st., abridged plans for the meeting of The King's Daughters which was to have been held there. The fire damage was slight.

### 10 Years Ago — January 1944

About 60 percent of the men sent for induction by the local draft board last Friday were accepted for the armed services. Many fathers were in the group.

After waiting all week the BPW started last Thursday to sand streets in the center of the town. The cold spell earlier in the week, BPW officials said, made sanding impracticable.

Over 45 tons of paper were picked up by the salvage committee in the paper drive last Sunday afternoon. High and junior high school boys assisted.

Mr. and Mrs. John Godin, 171 Lowell st., beloved older residents of West Andover for decades, died within 6½ hours of each other. Mrs. Godin, 86, an invalid for several years, died about 8 a.m., at the family home. Mr. Godin, who was confined to a sick bed since the previous Sunday, was taken to the Lawrence General hospital where he died half an hour after admittance.

A fall on Main street Monday afternoon caused by icy streets led to the death of Arthur Comeau, 3 Punchard ave., who suffered a fractured skull in the fall.

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## OBITUARIES

### MRS. THOMAS A. THOMPSON

Mrs. Nellie E. (Chaples) Thompson, wife of Thomas A. Thompson of Gould rd., died Monday morning in the Lawrence General hospital after a short illness. A native of Port Clyde, Me., she was a resident of Andover for many years and a member of the Andover Baptist church.

Surviving, besides her husband are five sons, Arnold E. of Melrose, Charles F. of Saugus, and Joseph W., Kenneth H. and Nelson A. Thompson all of Andover; three daughters, Miss Helen E. Thompson, Edna, wife of Richard Lounsbury and Ruth V., wife of Ernest Stocks, all of Andover; a sister, Mrs. Melissa Caller of South Weymouth; 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held today from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2 p.m., conducted by the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., pastor of the Andover Baptist church. Burial will be in Woodlawn cemetery, Everett.

### MRS. CAROLINE BILLS

Mrs. Caroline (Ogilvie) Bills, 51 Walnut ave., died Jan. 7 in her home after a long illness. A native of Lawrence, she resided there until coming to Andover three years ago. She was a member of the Lawrence Street Congregational church and the King's Daughters of that church.

Surviving are a daughter, Miss Evelyn E. Bills, R.N., of Andover; two nephews, Guy C. Robinson of Methuen and Louis W. Bills of Lexington; a niece, Mrs. Seth Lambert of North Hollywood, Cal.

The funeral was held Monday from Charles F. Dewhirst funeral home, Broadway, Methuen, with services at 2 p.m. The Rev. H. Gardner Andersen, pastor of the Walpole Congregational church and former pastor of the Lawrence Street Congregational church and the Rev. Frederick B. Noss officiated. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery.

### SAMUEL H. SCHOLTZ

Samuel Hayes Scholtz of Ballardvale rd. died Tuesday in the family home after a long illness. A native of London, England, he had resided in Andover for the past 20 years and was a member of the Union Congregational church.

Surviving are his widow, Clara (Robinson) Scholtz; two sons, Curtis of Andover and Clarence of Philadelphia, Pa., a sister, Mrs. Nellie Holden of Medford; a granddaughter, Miss Sandra Scholtz of Philadelphia.

The funeral will be held today from the late home with services at 1:30 p.m., conducted by the Rev. Raymond Wilbur, pastor of the Union Congregational church. Burial will be in Canton Corner cemetery, Canton.

### JOHN HILL

John Hill, 110 Lowell st., died Jan. 8 in the family home after a long illness. A native of Boston he had resided in Andover for 45 years and was employed in the Tyer Rubber company previous to his retirement.

He leaves two daughters, the Misses Charlotte M. and Isabel G. Hill; two sons, John K. and Edmund B. Hill, all of Andover; three grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

The funeral was held Sunday from the Lundgren Funeral home with services at 2:30 p.m. conducted by the Rev. John S. Moses, rector of Christ Episcopal church. Cremation took place in Harmony Grove, Salem.

### WILLIAM O'LEARY

William O'Leary, 37 High st., died Monday in the home of his sister, Mrs. James Greene, with whom he resided, after a long illness. A native and lifelong resident of Andover, he was employed as a clerk in the local mills previous to his retirement. He was a member of the Reading Circle for the Blind and of St. Augustine's parish.

Surviving besides his sister are several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held this morning from the M. A. Burke funeral home with a high Mass of requiem at 9:30 a.m. in St. Augustine's church. Burial will be in St. Augustine's cemetery.

### MRS. JAMES MCINTOSH

Mrs. Verona (Smith) McIntosh, died Jan. 7 in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter E. Winn Jr., 45 Highland rd., where she had resided for the past four years.

Born in Forfarshire, Scotland, she made her home in Lawrence before coming to Andover. She attended the First United Presbyterian church, Lawrence, and was a member of the Women's Federation.

Surviving are two sons, George

and Frank, both of Lawrence; three daughters, Agnes of Lawrence, Janet, wife of Howard Butler Jr., and Margaret, wife of Walter E. Winn Jr., both of Andover; several grandchildren and nieces and nephews in Scotland.

The funeral was held Saturday from the Douglas & Dewhirst funeral home, Methuen, with services at 2 p.m., conducted by the Rev. James M. Russell, D.D., pastor of the First United Presbyterian church. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery.

### NEW CITIZENS

Local residents admitted as citizens of the United States at a session of Naturalization court

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### Home Department

The American Home and Antique Study group of the Shawsheen Village Womens Club met at the Andover Historical House last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Helen Snow Wilson of Nahant, showed beautiful pictures of her home and garden, showing flower arrangements and

decorations suitable for every month of the year. Several of the club members have taken flower arrangement classes with Mrs. Wilson and have enjoyed visits to her open house programs at her home. The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Edwin Bramley. Hostess chairmen for the tea, which followed the meeting, were Mrs. Michael Lane and Mrs. Victor Mill, assisted by Mrs. Harold Gens, Mrs. Otto Eschholz, Mrs. John Mulcahy, Mrs. G. Edgar Best and Mrs. John Batal, who presided at the tea table.

### Board Meeting

The board of directors of the club met at the home of Mrs. Joseph Byrne on Canterbury st., Friday afternoon. After completing their regular duties, the board attended the Antique Study group meeting.

### Dramatic Department

The Dramatic department of the club will meet at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 15, at the Andover Inn. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Hartley Bailey and Mrs. Richard Himmer will be chairman of hostesses. Members of the cast of the one-act play, "Florence Unlimited", which was presented at the December club meeting, are brushing up on their parts in rehearsal again. They will present the play for the Tuesday Sorosis Club of Lawrence, Tuesday, Jan. 19, at the Lawrence YWCA.

### Meeting Postponed

The regular monthly meeting of the Shawsheen Village Womens Club, which was scheduled for Monday evening, was cancelled because of the storm. The program, William Stockdale and his dog, Taj Mahal, will be heard at the American Home day meeting in March, so members need not be disappointed in missing this fine program. The next meeting will be held on the regular date in February.

There will be no meeting of the Literature department of the club this month.

### Visit Parents

The twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steinert, Jean and June Steinert, who are now living in New York City, visited with their parents at their home on Union st., during the recent holidays. On their return trip they happened to meet Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bramley Jr., and Robert Godfrey in New York. The young men, who are in training in the army, were returning to Fort Dix, N.J., after spending a Christmas leave at their family homes in Andover.

### Enjoying Cruise

Dick Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster of Dumbarton st., left Wednesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis of Waltham, on a Caribbean cruise. He will be gone for two weeks and will visit Haiti; Colombia, South America; Republic of Panama; Cristobal, Canal Zone; and Jamaica.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Locke and daughter, Sheryl, of Windsor st., enjoyed a performance of the Ice Capades in Boston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughter, Dorothy, of Lowell st., spent the weekend in Washington, D.C. where they attended the wedding of Mr. Byrnes' nephew.

Chester Kopatch of Dumbarton st., spent a few days in New York City this week on a business trip. He made the trip by plane.

## Federal Tax Aid Given At Lawrence

Federal taxpayers are reminded that continuous service may be obtained at the Lawrence post office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Feb. 1 to Mar. 15. The office will also be open the same hours on Saturday, Mar. 13.

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CTC Richard Steinert, USN, left recently for Guam where he will be stationed on naval duty. His wife, and daughter, Judith, will join him there as soon as arrangements can be made. Chief Steinert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steinert, 1 Union st.

Richard Guild, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guild, of Chandler circle, is a patient at the Childrens hospital, Boston, where he is undergoing a series of tests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe and children, John and Jean, of Sutherland st., attended a performance of the Ice Capades in Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbarton st., attended the Club Institute and executive board meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Womens clubs in Boston last Thursday.

Thomas Tighe, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tighe of Canterbury st., has recovered from a recent operation at St. Joseph hospital, Lowell, and has returned to his studies at the Junior high school.

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## Personals...

BM/3 William D. Eldred, 22 Washington ave., has returned to his ship, the USS New Jersey at Norfolk, Va., after spending a 15-day leave at home.

Seaman 2/c Richard J. Eldred, Washington ave., recently enjoyed a 15-day leave at home and has returned to fire control school at Bainbridge, Md., to complete his course. He is on temporary leave from the USS Missouri.

Serving aboard the snorkel type submarine USS Tiru in the Pacific is Gilbert W. Guertin, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Guertin, 5 Carisbrooke st.

Arthur B. McCabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. McCabe of Rocky Hill rd., has been accepted into membership of the Delta Tau Alpha, honorary fraternity, at Lincoln Chiropractic college, Indianapolis, Ind., where he is a student. He graduated from Pynchard in 1947 and prior to entering Lincoln served four years in the marine corps.

Cadet Brooke Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Philbrick Roberts of Abbot st., has returned to the Carlisle Military school at Bamberg, S.C., after spending the Christmas furlough at his home. Brooke is a senior and is playing basketball on the varsity team.

Pvt. Robert Godfrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Godfrey, 49 Cheever circle, has returned to Fort Dix, N.J., after spending the New Year's weekend at his home. He is taking his basic training at Fort Dix and is attached to the 60th Inf. Reg., 9th Div., Co. B.



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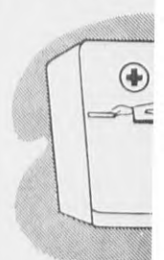
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## Cochran Chapel

REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister  
**SUNDAY:** 5:15 p.m. Vesper service of worship. The Rev. Gerald O'Grady of Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., will be the speaker.

## Christian Science Society

(6 Locke Street)  
**SUNDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Sunlay school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Life".

## Free Church

Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th. D. Pastor  
**FRIDAY:** 7 p.m. Boy scout troop 72, and Explorer post 72.

**SUNDAY:** 9:15 a.m. Senior classes in the church school. 10 a.m. Junior classes in the church school, and a nursery class for younger children. 10 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 4 p.m. A special event is being planned for the members of the Pilgrim Fellowship.

**TUESDAY:** 7:30 p.m. Men's club meeting in the lower parish hall.

**WEDNESDAY:** 6:30 p.m. Annual supper, to be followed at 7:30 p.m. by the annual meeting of the church. At this meeting the mimeographed reports will be acted upon and new officers for the coming year will be elected. Those who wish to attend the supper are asked to notify Mrs. Ann Rennie.

**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.

NOTES: University of Life tickets may be obtained from Roberts, son of Mr. Philbrick Roberts, has returned to Military school at after spending the night at his home. Junior and is playing varsity team.

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## Andover Baptist Church

REV. ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister  
**SUNDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Church school with all departments in session. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes. Accept their invitation to attend church. 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship. Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., pastor, will preach on the subject: "The Unavoidable God." Music by the adult choir. All are welcome. Nursery for the small children. 7 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship at the home of Jacquelyn Smith, Rattlesnake Hill rd. Eleanor Lawson, leader. Carol Stocks will lead the devotions. All young people cordially invited.

**THURSDAY:** 7:30 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal.

NOTES: Registrations are being taken for the University of Life which begins Sunday, Jan. 31. Robert L. Hesse is the registrar for the Baptist church.

## 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.

**TUESDAY:** 7 p.m. Cub monthly pack meeting. 7:30 p.m. Prudential committee meeting. 8 p.m. Ping Pong club.

**WEDNESDAY:** 6:30 p.m. Annual church meeting and catered supper. Members and friends invited.

**THURSDAY:** 3:30 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 8 p.m. A.P.C. business meeting and auction.

## 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. 7:30 p.m. Boy scout Parents' night.

**SUNDAY:** 9:45 a.m. Church school. 9:45 a.m. Kindergarten. 11 a.m. Morning service. 11 a.m. Church hour nursery class. 7 p.m. Unity club.

**MONDAY:** 5:30 p.m. Church school teachers. 3 p.m. Girl scouts.

**WEDNESDAY:** 7:30 p.m. Evening Alliance.

**THURSDAY:** 3 p.m. Junior choir.

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## Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector  
**SUNDAY:** 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Litany, Ante-Communion and sermon. 4 p.m. Confirmation class (adults). 6 p.m. Young People's Fellowship.

**MONDAY:** 12:30 p.m. Weekday religious education. 6:30 p.m. Parish supper. 7:45 p.m. Annual parish meeting.

**TUESDAY:** 2:30 p.m. Confirmation class.

**THURSDAY:** 10 a.m. Holy Communion. 10:30 a.m. Women's Auxiliary sewing meeting. 12:30 p.m. Luncheon. 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

## West Parish Church

**SUNDAY:** 10:30 a.m. Family hour of worship. Children's church service. Nursery-Kindergarten dept. and classes for high and junior high school young people. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship with sermon by the Rev. Horace Robson. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

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

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

**THURSDAY:** 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the parish in the vestry.

## Union Congregational Church

REV. RAYMOND B. WILBUR, Minister  
**SUNDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Church school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. 5:00 p.m. Philoseabean meeting.

7:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship meeting.

**THURSDAY:** 8 p.m. Friendly Guild meeting in vestry.

## Methodist Church

REV. ANTHONY PERRINO, Pastor  
**SUNDAY:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon, "Methodism has a Message." 1-2 p.m. Official board meeting. 4:30 p.m. Junior M. Y. F. meeting. 6:00 p.m. Senior M. Y. F. meeting.

**MONDAY:** 2 p.m. Golden Age circle meeting.

**TUESDAY:** 7:30 p.m. Sports

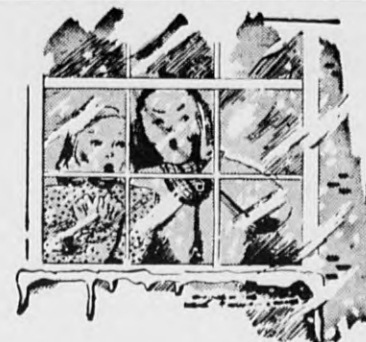
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An FBI agent said the man was arrested for sending threatening letters to the two businessmen. Andover police reported the letters contained "veiled threats" of harm to the children of both men and were worded as though they had been copied from a detective story.

Potvin was employed as an erect-  
or for the Andrew Wilson company

in Lawrence, of which Alexander M. Wilson is assistant treasurer. His home is across the street from Luke's market, 39 Brookfield st., Lawrence, of which Lucien DeBryckere is the proprietor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, whose son, John, aged 4, was allegedly threatened, received two letters, one sent Dec. 9 and the other Dec. 19. Mentioned in three letters sent to the DeBryckere family were two of their four children, Elaine, 10, and Jacqueline 7.

When the first letter was received by the latter family it was turned over to the Lawrence police. They called in the FBI who had already been working on the case involving the Wilsons.

After the Lawrence man received his last letter he was told by the FBI to follow instructions about leaving the money in \$100 bills in a hole under a stone near the Boxford-Georgetown line on Route 133. He did as directed using paper in a dummy package. The FBI agents were waiting and Potvin was seized as he removed the rock which marked the hole.

Taken to Boston he pleaded innocent to a charge that he knowingly and with intent to extort, used the mails to threaten to commit bodily harm to persons.

Potvin is a veteran of World War II and is unmarried. He worked mornings on a truck covering a bread route and from 3:30 p.m. to midnight, worked for the Wilson company. He earned \$100 a week, according to his father, Alphonse. Occasionally, said the father, the boy did not feel well. He contracted malaria while serving with the army in the Pacific area.

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**Legal Notices**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

No. 241881

PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To EFFIE I. DUVAL, of Andover, in  
said County and COMPTON WILSON  
DOOLITTLE, of Minneapolis, Minne-  
sota;

A petition has been presented to  
said Court by JAMES H. EATON, of  
Andover in said County, as executor  
and trustee under the will of ADELE H.  
DUVAL, late of Andover in said Coun-  
ty, praying for instructions as to his  
duties as such executor and trustee  
under the fifth paragraph of the will of  
said deceased and for such other and  
further relief as to the court may seem  
proper.

If you desire to be heard thereon you  
or your attorney should file a written  
appearance in said Court at Salem  
within twenty-one days from the first  
day of February, 1954, the return day  
of this citation and also file an  
answer or other pleading within twenty-  
one days thereafter.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Es-  
quire, First Judge of said Court, this  
eighth day of January in the year one  
thousand nine hundred and fifty-four.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
Eaton and Chandler, Attys.,  
Bay State Building  
Lawrence, Mass. 14-21-54

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 201,104

PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To MAUDE E. LANE of Andover in  
said County of Essex and to her heirs  
apparent or presumptive and to the  
MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF  
MENTAL HEALTH.

A petition has been presented to  
said Court alleging that said MAUDE  
E. LANE is an insane person and  
praying that ESTHER M. YOUNG, of  
Pleasantville, in the County of West-  
chester and State of New York or some  
other suitable person be appointed her  
guardian. DORIS YOUNG the former  
guardian having deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you  
or your attorney should file a written  
appearance in said Court at Newburp-  
port before ten o'clock in the forenoon  
on the twenty-fifth day of January,  
1954, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire,  
First Judge of said Court, this thir-  
tieth day of December in the year one  
thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
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## LEGAL NOTICES

**The Andover National Bank**  
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Andover National Bank will be held at its Banking House, 23 Main Street, Andover, Mass., Tuesday, the nineteenth day of January, 1954, at ten o'clock a.m., for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.  
**CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier.**  
December 17, 1953 17-24-31-7-14

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 228,671  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of FOSTER C. BARNARD late of Andover in said County deceased. The executrix of the will of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance her first, second and final accounts.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of January 1954, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
Tomlinson & Hatch  
301 Essex Street  
Lawrence, Mass. 31-7-14

### Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by PAUL R. GOLDMAN, and SYLVIA K. GOLDMAN, husband and wife, both of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts to the SUFFOLK FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BOSTON, a United States corporation doing business in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts dated March 24, 1949 recorded in Essex North District Deeds on March 25, 1949 in Book 721, Page 552, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of the said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at public auction at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth of January, A.D., 1954, on the premises hereinafter described in said mortgage, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

"The land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

NORTHEASTERLY by North Main Street, ninety (90) feet;

SOUTHEASTERLY by Lot 1, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, one hundred fifteen (115) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 5 and Lot 4, as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet;

NORTHWESTERLY by Lot 3, as shown on said plan, one hundred fifteen (115) feet; containing 10,350 square feet and being Lot 2 on a plan entitled "Amended Subdivision Plan Joyce Terrace and Castle Heights Road" dated July 1948, by CLINTON F. GOODWIN, Engineer, recorded in Essex North District Deeds on August 2, 1948, as Plan No. 1912.

The above described parcel of land is conveyed subject to an easement for drainage fifteen (15) feet wide, as shown on said plan; also subject to an easement granted to the Lawrence Gas & Electric Company et al as set forth in an instrument recorded with said Deeds as Instrument No. 177 of February 10, 1949.

For title see deed from FRANK MARSHALL, deputy Sheriff, to SYLVIA K. GOLDMAN, dated October 27, 1944, recorded with said Deeds in Book 668, Page 506; and see confirmatory deed from the Boston Federal Savings and Loan Association to Noyes Whittier Corporation, dated August 9, 1948, recorded with said Deeds in Book 714, Page 209."

"Including as a part of the realty all portable or sectional buildings, heating apparatus, plumbing, mantels, storm doors and windows, oil burners, gas and oil and electric fixtures, screens, screen doors, awnings, air conditioning apparatus, and other fixtures of whatever kind and nature, on said premises, or hereafter placed thereon prior to the full payment and discharge of this mortgage, insofar as the same are, or can be agreement of the parties, be made a part of the realty."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles, tax liens of record if any, and municipal liens or assessments, if any. Five hundred dollars (\$500) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale when the other terms of sale will be made known.

SUFFOLK FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BOSTON, present holder of said mortgage

By ERNEST A. HALE, PRESIDENT  
Earle C. Parks, Esq.  
30 State Street  
Boston, Massachusetts  
Attorney for the mortgagee

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 239,037  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the estate of ADELE H. DUVAL of Andover in said County, — under conservatorship.

The conservator of the property of said person has presented to said Court, his first and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fifth day of January 1954, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
Eaton and Chandler, Attys.,  
Bay State Building,  
Lawrence, Mass. 7-14-21



### Notice of Hearing

A public hearing will be held on Thursday, January 21, 1954, at 8 P.M. o'clock at the Memorial Hall Library, Andover, relative to a proposed amendment of Paragraph 1 of Section IX of the Zoning By-Law to provide for lot frontages of not less than 125 feet and for lot areas of not less than 15,000 square feet within a one-mile radius of the Town House and for lot frontages of not less than 150 feet and for lot areas of not less than 25,000 square feet beyond a one-mile radius of the Town House.

### PLANNING BOARD

By WALTER C. TOMLINSON, Chairman  
Jan. 14, 1954

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Clerk

January 14, 1954

### ISSUES PROCLAMATION ON MARCH OF DIMES

Chairman Roy E. Hardy of the board of selectmen has issued a proclamation calling upon every citizen's enlightened generosity during January, "March of Dimes Month", so that the great fight against the dread polio may be continued and a thrilling victory over the disease hastened.

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### Polio Committees Plan Activities

Local committees for the March of Dimes are making arrangements for several activities to be held later in the month to aid the 1954 campaign.

The Snow Ball committee will meet tomorrow night to plan for the annual ball which this year will be held Friday, Jan. 22 at the Andover Country club.

Thursday, Jan. 28 will see the annual March of Mothers, the house to house canvass in all sections of the town.

The scrap committee is making big plans for the paper and rag collection to be held Sunday, Jan. 31. Trucks will cover the town on that date to pick up bundles left on the sidewalks. Residents of the town are asked to save their paper and rags for this collection.

A number of volunteers are wanted to help man the trucks which will be in operation beginning at 1 p.m. and lasting until about 5 p.m.

### Designate Streets For Coasting

Several changes in the streets on which coasting will be permitted were made by the board of selectmen at Monday night's meeting.

In the changes Upland road was added together with Princeton avenue from Dartmouth to Corbett streets.

Streets on which coasting has been discontinued are: Phillips, Sherbourne and Morton, the latter because of the increased traffic caused by the housing project.

Other streets on which coasting will be permitted are: Bartlet, from Morton to Punchard avenue and Marland from its southerly end to Tewksbury street.

Also, Cheever circle from the top of the hill to Elm street; Binney street, Union street to end; Liberty street from end to Sterling street.

A one-day beer permit was granted to the Armenian General Benevolent union at the Crystal Ballroom on Feb. 22.

An order was placed with the Andrew Wilson Co. for a five-drawer filing cabinet on its bid of \$108.

### Ministers To Lead Bible Seminars

One of the features of the University of Life program which opens Sunday, Jan. 31, will be the Bible seminars conducted by four of Andover's outstanding clergymen.

Scott Paradise of Phillips academy will be chairman of the series which will include consideration and discussion of three books of the Old Testament and one from

### 3 STORMS BRING 12-IN. SNOW COVER

(Continued from Page One)

The third storm started Tuesday morning shortly after midnight and left 4 or 5 inches more. Northwest winds and temperatures in the low 20's accompanied this storm.

The board of public works had plows working during the four days and kept roads open at all times. Schools were closed part of the time.

Wednesday morning BPW crews started snow removal operations. Temperatures Wednesday morning were about 6 above. Zero temperatures were reported in some parts of the town early Monday morning.

### Baseball Topic For Service Club

It will be National League night at the meeting of the Andover Service club to be held at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 21 at the Andover Inn.

Artie Gore, National League umpire and John Antonelli, pitcher of the Milwaukee Braves, both residents of Lexington, will be the guests of the evening. They will be introduced by Jeff Jones of Strathmore rd., scout for the Braves and a member of the local club. Mr. Gore will be the principal speaker and there will be an opportunity to ask the three National League representatives questions about the game and players.

A large gathering is expected. Members are asked to return cards promptly.

the New Testament.

The series will be as follows: Jan. 31, Leader, the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., "The Book of Jonah;" Feb. 7, Leader, the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, "Jeremiah;" Feb. 21, Leader, the Rev. John S. Moses, "Job;" Feb. 28, Leader, the Rev. Roy E. Nelson, "The Book of Acts."

A special seminar for young people with the Rev. Anthony R. Perrino, chairman, will include a series of discussions led by four graduate students on the work of the Christian church in the countries and communities in which they lived.

### SEEK NAVY CONTRACT FOR QUINCY SHIPYARD

Roy E. Hardy, chairman of the of the board of selectmen, has received replies to a recent communication sent Sen. Leverett Saltonstall, Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers and Rep. Richard B. Wigglesworth regarding a contract for the building of a new navy carrier at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

In his reply Sen. Saltonstall said: "Many thanks for your good letter urging my support for the award of the new Forrestal class carrier to the Fore River shipyard at Quincy. As your United States senator I assure you I will continue

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A reply of similar nature was received from Rep. Wigglesworth.

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National Bank Elects Office

Few changes were made at the annual meeting of the Andover National Bank Tuesday morning.

Chester W. Hollan vice president but is the duties as cashier. Haselton has been cashier and trust off

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