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## Seek Blood Donors For Red Cross

Volunteer Red Cross workers are calling upon local residents this week asking them to sign up to donate blood when the Red Cross bloodmobile is here Apr. 5 and 6 from 1 to 7 p.m., at the South church.

The volunteer workers include the following:

Precinct 1 — Mrs. Arnold Orde, Mrs. James McKee, Mrs. Frank Sherman, Mrs. Frederick Hulme, Mrs. Charles Dalton, Mrs. Charles Porter, Mrs. Maine Smith, Mrs. John Grecoe, Mrs. Kenneth McKiniry, Mrs. Raymond Lally, Mrs. Winthrop Newcomb, Mrs. Robert Jordan, Mrs. Franklyn Johnson, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Leo Raf-

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## Easter Egg Hunt To Be Held April 17

Plans for the Easter egg hunt to be held Saturday, Apr. 17 at the park are being made by the Andover Recreation committee.

This annual scramble in which hundreds of children participate each year will be conducted as before. The children of the elementary grades will hold their hunt on the section of the park near the corner of Bartlet and Chestnut streets. The younger tots will have their scramble near the high school auditorium.

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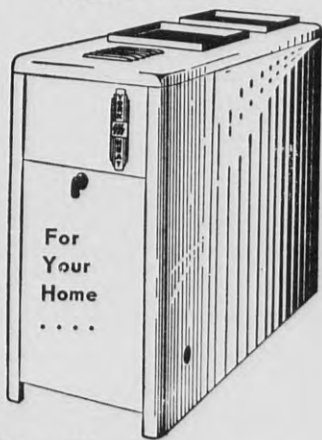
## Water Bills Put On Yearly Basis

Andover property owners will not receive water bills in April nor will there be any water meter readings this month.

This new policy was adopted at a recent meeting of the board of public works which decided that instead of sending out semi-annual accounts the bills for water will be issued only once a year.

Following this new policy the water bills hereafter will be sent out only in October.

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## Vale Men Discuss Church Merger

The Men's club of the Ballardvale Methodist church sponsored a meeting attended by men of the Congregational church last Friday night at which the merger of the two churches was discussed.

About 24 attended, including members of the committees of both churches which are negotiating the proposed plans for the merger. Douglas Dunbar, instructor at Phillips academy and president of the Andover Council of Churches was moderator.

The purpose of the meeting was two fold: 1, to inform the committees regarding the sentiment of the men of both churches; and 2, to clear up all questions of misunderstanding as to what is being planned and why.

Speaking in favor of the pro-  
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## Robb High Man In Pistol Matches

Patrolman Alfred M. Robb of the Andover Police department won the highest individual honors in the New England Police Revolver League postal matches held during the past winter months, and the local teams in the league won high places in their classes.

Each team shot three series of four matches each during the league competition in which Patrolman Robb scores 1151 out of a possible 1200. He was awarded a gold medal for scoring this high honor.

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## Favor New West Site For Rt. 28

The majority of townspeople present at the Central elementary school Monday night favored the re-location of Route 28 through the westerly part of the town, a short distance further west of the tentative route proposed by the state department of public works.

This would bring it west of Lovejoy and Chandler roads instead of a few hundred feet easterly, and for the most part would pass through undeveloped land and dislocate fewer buildings than the former.

The public hearing on the subject, attended by large groups from West Andover, Ballardvale and Tewksbury, brought an estimated crowd of 225 to the school auditorium which seats 263.

Chairman J. Everett Collins of the board of selectmen opened the meeting and turned it over to Kirk R. Batcheller, chairman of the Planning board, who presided during the evening. Selectmen Sidney P. White and Stafford A. Lindsay were present together with Fred E. Cheever and Eugene A. Bernardin Jr., members of the Planning board, and Warren O. Peterson, clerk and town engineer.

Chairman Batcheller introduced John T. Blackwell of Boston, professional planning advisor, who was retained by the town to study the proposals. Mr. Blackwell earlier had been retained by the City of Lawrence to study the routes from the standpoint of its advantages.

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**ENJOYING VACATIONS**

Miss Anna Stefani and Miss Barbara Nichols, seniors at Bradford Junior college, are enjoying the spring recess from their studies. Miss Stefani is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loris Stefani, 244 S. Main st., and Miss Nichols is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Nichols, 31 Wolcott st.

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**Sports Club Banquet**

The Ballardvale Sports club banquet which was held last Saturday night was well attended. A baked ham supper was served. A short program as follows was presented: Solo, Miss Libby Sanborn of Wilmington; impersonations, Eugene Pimpare; solo, Donald Lawrence; trio, Alan Smeltzer, William Davis and Eugene Pimpare. Community singing was enjoyed. Anthony Perrino then showed a group of films. Waitresses were: Joan Wilson, Ann Froburg, Prudence Pimpare and Margaret Bouleau. Mrs. Leo Pimpare was in charge of the dining room. Mothers in charge of the supper: Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Hazel Lawrence, Mrs. Anthony

Lumenello, Mrs. Joseph Smeltzer, Mrs. Frank Watson and Mrs. Frank Green. Clifford Sharpe was chairman of the banquet and the following boys assisted: Russell Robinson, Paul McFarlane, William Davis, David Robinson, Eugene Pimpare, Laurence Riley, Jacky MacMillian, Richard and Donald Lawrence, Alan Smeltzer, Paul Bouleau and Richard Lumenello.

**Minstrel Show**

Following is the program which will be presented by boy scout troop 76 in the community room, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. Opening chorus, entire cast; endmen's overture; end song, Bill Davis; saxophone solo, Donald Milligan; end song, Donald Lawrence; song, quartet, Cynthia Lawrence, Patricia Smalley, Joan Wilson and Thelma Sparks; song and dance, Beverly Sparks; end song, Richard Smalley; trumpet solo, Carl Buschmann; end song, David Babine; trombone solo, Bruce Meyers; piano solo, Ralph Buschmann; end song, Robert Haggerty; solo, Patricia Butler; end song, Roy Sharpe; closing chorus, entire company. Interlocutor, James Butler Jr., director, Scoutmaster James Butler; pianist, Mrs. James Butler.

**Bowling Results**

Friday's bowling results were: Atoms 3, Bombardiers 1; Rockets 4, Flying Saucers 0; Jets 3, Migs 1. High single, Aileen LaVallee 100; high triple, Florence Letters, 271; high pinfall, Atoms, 995. Friday night's games: Flying Saucers vs. Bombardiers; Atoms vs. Migs; Jets vs. Rockets.

**W.S.C.S. Meeting**

A meeting of the Methodist church Women's Society of Christian Service was held last Thursday evening in the church vestry with the president, Mrs. Henry Meyers presiding. Plans were made to hold the fourth quarterly conference supper Apr. 9. This supper will be catered. A social meeting will be held Apr. 22 at the home of Mrs. Andrew Townsend, Memorial circle. It will be in the form of a birthday party and those attending are to bring a gift and

also a penny for each birthday.

The next meeting will be held Apr. 8 and hostesses are Mrs. Anna Hess and Mrs. John Mason.

Following the business meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. John Duke and Mrs. George Davison.

**Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. William Gillis of Marland st., were pleasantly surprised Sunday afternoon when a party in observance of their 30 years of married life was tendered them by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillis. They received a purse of money as well as other gifts and cards. The center of attraction was a beautiful wedding cake. A buffet lunch was served. Guests were present from Haverhill, Lincoln, N.H., Wilmington, Westboro, Chatham and Lawrence.

**First Birthday**

Karen Louise Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bruce Jr., of Boston celebrated her first birthday at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Lawrence of Clark rd. The feature attraction was a birthday cake with one candle. Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawrence and family of Portsmouth, N.H.; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lawrence and family of Methuen; Miss Jessie Dees of Methuen; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lawrence and family of South Lawrence; Mrs. Harry Bruce Sr., and family of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bruce Jr., Mrs. Hazel Lawrence, Richard, Dolly, Cynthia, Emily, Fred and Donald Lawrence.

**Couples Club**

The newly formed Methodist church Couples club will meet Saturday night in the church vestry. Mrs. Tina Rehe and Mrs. Samuel Moore will be hostesses.

**P.T.A.**

The Ballardvale PTA will meet tonight in the Bradlee school with the president, Albert Warner presiding. Delegates to the PTA district conference in Methuen, Apr. 7, will be appointed. The speaker for this evening will be Malcolm O. Bennert and his subject will be "Photography as a Hobby".

**In Japan**

Mrs. Hazel Lawrence of Clark rd., received a telephone call from her son A. T./3 Clifford Lawrence, USN, on Mar. 23, that he was leaving Alameda, Cal., where he was stationed and flying to Japan.

**At Naval School**

Kenneth Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks of River st., is studying at the naval air base,

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Wednesday thru Saturday  
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IT CAME FROM OUTER SPACE  
Richard Carlson — Barbara Rush  
3:50 7:15

Willow Grove, Pa. where he is taking a course in electronics. He is in the naval reserves.

**Rummage Sale**

The Friendly Guild of the Union Congregational church is holding a rummage sale in the former precinct room today and tomorrow.

**Paper Drive**

The men of the Union Congregational church held a successful paper drive last Saturday. Men working were: Frank Froburg, Albert Warner, James Letters and Joseph Serio.

**Christening Held**

Karen Louise Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bruce Jr., of Boston was christened at the morning service in the Union Congregational church last Sunday.

**Personals**

Pvt. Clark Mitchell, USA, is now stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C. He was formerly stationed at Fort Devens.

Mrs. Leo Pimpare of River st. attended a performance of Oklahoma in Boston last Thursday.

Mrs. James Schofield of Brookline, formerly of the Vale, visited friends here last Tuesday.

David McFarlane spent the spring vacation from the University of Massachusetts at the family home on Marland st.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoyer (Doris Nicoll) have returned from their wedding trip and are now residing on Abbott ave., Brookline.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gillis of Westboro spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Gillis of Marland st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown Sr. of Andover st. are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown Jr. of Wilmington, N.C.

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John Scherner et al to Evelyn F. Simpson, Vine st.

Frank Cairns et ux to Helen M. Bauer, near Pine st.

Fredric H. Giddings et ux to J. Donovan Emery et ux, William and Kenilworth sts.

Frederick H. Smith to William L. Gray, Highland rd.

Harold F. Evans et ux to Charles J. Madden et ux, Dale st.

Wilfred Croteau et ux to Wilfred Pelletier et ux, Beacon st.

Dorothy L. Stevens et alii to George J. Pelletier et ux, High st.

Dorothy L. Stevens et alii to Vincent Moran, High st.

Dorothy L. Stevens et alii to Anna M. Greeley, High st.

Anna M. Greeley to Ralph B. Stevens, High st.

William V. Heard to Arline B. Greenlaw, Brookfield and Rock Ridge rds.

**NEW RECORDS**

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### Governor Boy Scout

Gov. Christian visit to the exposition presented by of Greater Lawrence Memorial cage a very last Saturday evening. It is estimated over 4000 persons

During the governor's visit he made the Eagle award the highest honor, to

member of Troop 1, Lutheran church, L. Governor's Court

Thomson of North brief remarks. The also included Lt. Porter of Boston. All of the Andover were represented. They maintained at which some of was displayed an

the local units took minute demonstration of the program and evening.

The aquatic were held in the ming pool.

Edwin E. Leidy chairman of the event.

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Here are some of the members of Troop 73 of the South church and their display at the boy scout exposition and aquatic show held last Saturday at the Case Memorial cage, Phillips academy. In the group are: Martin Todt, Daniel Grecoe, Richard Grant, George Clark, Randy Richmond, John Birdsall, John Ingenthron, Charles Porter, James Holden, Herbert Kempton, Brian Allen, Kenneth Poirier, Bob Ledbetter and Ralph Harrison. (Look Photo)

### Boy, 8, Injured In Auto Accident

George Killorin, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl C. Killorin, 77 Main st., was treated at the Lawrence General hospital for hip bruises and later discharged Monday morning after he had been struck by a car on Bartlet street while going to school.

The accident occurred about 8:50 a.m., near the intersection of Punchard avenue. The boy is a third grade pupil in the Central elementary school.

According to police the operator of the car was Mrs. Ursula M. G. Rockwell of North Andover, who reported that she was travelling south on Bartlet street when the youngster darted out in front of her car.

Everyone has the gift of leadership, but only a very few learn how to apply it.

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- FANCY CUT GREEN BEANS 16 oz. Reg. 29c each ..... **4 for 95c**
- TOMATO JUICE 18 oz. Reg. 19c each ..... **3 for 50c**
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### Governor Visits Boy Scout Show

Gov. Christian A. Herter paid a visit to the exposition and aquatic show presented by the boy scouts of Greater Lawrence at the Case Memorial cage at Phillips academy last Saturday afternoon and evening. It is estimated that well over 4000 persons attended the event.

During the governor's afternoon visit he made the presentation of the Eagle award, the Scout's highest honor, to Richard Lange, a member of Troop 2 of Christ Presbyterian church, Lawrence.

Governor's Councillor Arthur A. Thomson of North Andover made brief remarks. The governor's party also included Lt. Col. William A. Porter of Boston.

All of the Andover scout units were represented at the affair. They maintained numerous booths at which some of their scout work was displayed and almost all of the local units took part in the 10-minute demonstrations which featured the program both afternoon and evening.

The aquatic demonstrations were held in the academy swimming pool.

Edwin E. Leidich was general chairman of the event.

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### Births...

THOMPSON - A daughter, Karen Rae, Mar. 26, in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Minert N. Thompson Jr., (Crete Woodard) 41 Enmore st.

WETMORE - A son, Winston Bradford, Mar. 26, in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wetmore (Patricia Churchill) 61 Highland rd.

COOPER - A son, Mar. 25 in the Maine General hospital, Portland, Me., to Dr. and Mrs. Llewellyn W. Cooper of Portland. They are two other boys in the family. The mother is the former Pauline MacMackin of Carisbrooke st.

CREGG - A son, Mar. 24 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cregg (Margaret Hart) 22 Lincoln circle.

WALKER - A daughter, JoAnne, Mar. 24 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker (Eleanor Whalen) 11 Moraine st.

DARBY - A son, Ernest Merwyn, Mar. 29 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn Darby (Evelyn Hall) 149 Clark rd., Ballardvale.

### POPULATION 4,888,000

The U. S. Census Bureau estimates that Massachusetts population in July 1953 was 4,888,000, an increase of 4.2% over the census report of 4,690,514 in April 1950.

### Personals...

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elander of Elm st. spent the month of March at Delray Beach, Fla.

Anthony Perrino, student minister in charge of the Ballardvale Methodist church, has been selected to represent the seminary student body at B. U. as a delegate to the Interseminary Movement meeting to be held this summer in conjunction with the World Council of Churches conference at Evanston, Ill., Aug. 9 to 14.

Mrs. Florence McGrath, manager of the central elementary cafeteria, Mrs. Morris Williams and Mrs. Alex Meek visited the Alcott elementary school in Concord recently on an inspection tour.

### FRIENDLY GUILD

A business and sewing meeting of the Friendly Guild of Christ church will be held at 7:45 p.m., Monday, in the parish house. The committee in charge: Miss Gertrude Taylor, Mrs. Homer Wadman and Mrs. David Anderson.

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### Church Notes

The Rev. Hugh Burrill Penney of Chicago, Ill., was guest preacher at the West church last Sunday morning. He preached on the subject, "A Recipe for Peace."

### Senior Woman's Union

The April meeting of the Senior Woman's union will be held at 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, Apr. 7 in the West church vestry. All members are asked to bring their Second Mile boxes at this time. A Second Mile program will be in charge of Mrs. Richard Williams, chairman of the committee.

### Church-Parish Meeting

There will be a meeting of the members of the West Parish church in the vestry at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Apr. 5. A meeting of the parish has been called by the assessors for 8 o'clock the same evening. Business of importance will be transacted at both meetings.

### Lafalot Club

The April meeting of the Lafalot club will be held Tuesday, Apr. 6 at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lewis, 183 Lowell st.

### N.D.I.A. Party

A very successful square dancing party was held by the N.D.I.A. at the North school house last Thursday evening following the monthly business meeting. The program was in charge of Mrs. Frank Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donahue. Mrs. John Tacy Jr., Mrs. Amedee Toussaint, Mrs. Frank Manning Jr., and Mrs. Mary Gaudette had charge of refreshments.

The annual spring flower show will be held under the auspices of the N.D.I.A. tonight in the North school. Mrs. Raymond Cooper and Mrs. Paul Fortuna are co-chairmen. Many unusual flowers will be on display and awards will be made by a competent committee of judges.

### P.T.A.

The West Elementary PTA will meet Wednesday, Apr. 7 in the school auditorium. The program after the business meeting will be "An Evening of Music" put on by members of the senior and junior high schools under the direction of Mrs. Percy Wilson. The program has been arranged by Mrs. Miriam S. McArdle, music supervisor. There will be both vocal and instrumental numbers.

Reports on the "Bugs Bunny" fair to be held Apr. 21 will be made at this time.

### Signs of Spring

Signs of spring are noted on the Elmer Peterson farm on Greenwood rd. There are 13 little lambs gamboling about in the fields.

### 4-H Dairy Club

A meeting of the newly formed 4-H dairy club will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Apr. 3 at Harold Carson's farm on Lowell st. The project for each member is to bring in a written paper on the particular type of cattle they are raising.

### Men's Brotherhood.

The Men's Brotherhood of the West church will sponsor a square dance in the vestry at 8 p.m., tomorrow evening.

### Personals

Mrs. Ernest Dick has returned to her home on High Plain rd., after enjoying the winter months in Wichita Falls, Kan., and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Lt. James Calder Jr., U.S.M.C. is now located in Porto Rico. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Calder of Chandler rd., have just received this information.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dubocq and family of High Plain rd., have returned home after spending several days with relatives in Hollis, Long Island, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell st., visited with relatives in Salem, N.H., Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Cooper has returned to her home on River rd., after visiting for several weeks with her husband, the Rev. Raymond Cooper of Bristol, Tenn.

Miss Judith Marland, a student at the University of Massachusetts, has resumed her studies after

spending a week at the family home on George st.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bryant of Somerville spent Monday with Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd.

Mrs. Roland Davis and daughter, Patricia, of Virginia rd., visited with relatives in Durham, N.H., Monday.

David Haartz has returned to his home on High Plain rd., after spending several days this week with his cousin, Theodore Rose, of Syracuse, N.Y.

Frank Brenta of Rio de Janeiro, South America, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Huggins of North st. He was the guest of Norman Huggins of Schenectady, N.Y., who was also at home for the weekend. Both young men are test men in the General Electric company in Schenectady. Norman will soon resume his studies in Northeastern university.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Putnam of Lowell st., visited in Providence, R.I., Sunday.

Miss Janice Holden, a student at Skidmore college, is enjoying the spring recess from her studies at the family home on High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. William Turner and family have moved into their newly built home on High Plain rd.

Charles Schulze is enjoying the spring recess from Yale university and is at his home on Shirley ave.

Mrs. William Titcomb and daughter, Gail of Chandler circle, spent the weekend with relatives in Augusta, Me.

Fred Doyle and Albert Bourdela of Chandler rd., and Arthur Peatman of Cutler rd., spent Sunday with the former's brother in Saxtons River, Vt.

Harold Lermond has returned to his home on High Plain rd., after spending a few days the first of the week in Chicago, Ill.

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

### NOVEMBER CLUB NOTES

The Art department will hold its annual meeting at 3 p.m., Monday, Apr. 5 in the home of Mrs. Ernest S. Merrill, 59 Central st.

Reports will be heard and a committee appointed for the coming year.

Miss Miriam Carpenter will speak on "The Cape Ann Festival". This will be followed by an appropriate surprise entertainment.

The Drama department will hold its final meeting at 2 p.m., Friday, Apr. 2 in the home of Mrs. Charles Poore, 199 Chestnut st.

Since this will be the last meeting of the season it is hoped everyone will be present.

The annual meeting of the Literature department will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Apr. 7 in the home of Mrs. Harold Smith, 54 Chestnut st. The subject will be "Voices of Spring."

### HOSPITAL NOTE

James McGravey, four, 21 Enmore st., was treated Mar. 24, in the Lawrence General hospital for an injury to his right shoulder suffered when he fell out of bed.

## Garden Club Plans Busy Program

A busy program has been planned for the next meeting of the Andover Garden club, which will be held Tuesday, Apr. 6. In the morning there will be a class in flower arranging in the form of a work shop. This will be held at Peabody House, and will be open to any member of the club who wishes to bring a container and flowers. This is a fine chance to gain actual experience in flower arranging with constructive criticism available.

The afternoon meeting will be at 2 p.m. in the Central Elementary school auditorium, with Mrs. Anston Howe Smith, the speaker. Her subject will be "Making the Most of Familiar Material." Tea will be served after the meeting with Mrs. Clifton Harrison, Mrs. William Bride, Mrs. Kenrick Butler and Mrs. Edwin Bramley pouring. The members of the Junior Garden club will assist with serving. Senior members may bring guests.

Mrs. Charles Hollis won first place in the Boston flower show with her arrangement "The Old Weaver's Shop." She used as background a Paisley shawl with a spinning wheel and shuttle. Her flowers were orange freezia, blue delphinium and croton leaves in an old wooden chalice.

### WILL APPROVED

The will of Ida E. Hofmann of Andover st., Ballardvale, who died Jan. 15 has been approved in the Probate court at Salem. Charles H. Murnane of High st., Ballardvale was named executor. The estimated value of the estate is \$17,000.

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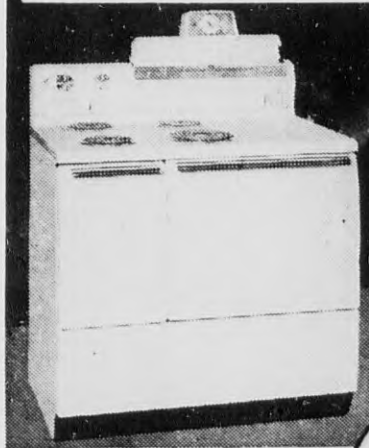


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**FAVOR NEW WEST SITE FOR ROUTE 28**

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Mr. Blackwell, in view of recent hearings in Lawrence and North Andover where the westerly route was favored, gave most of his attention to the plan for the westerly location. He discussed it from four viewpoints; 1, that which would be more servicable to Andover; 2, the population growth; 3, the present and future land use; and 4, the present and future traffic flow.

He noted that the area covered by Precincts 1, 2 and 3 were almost fully developed, much of the new building in the past few years was in Precinct 6, and Precincts 4, 5 and 6 had the most room for future growth.

Among those who participated in the discussions from the floor were: Mitchell Johnson, Elmer O. Peterson, Emanuel DesRoche, Atty. Thomas D. Burns, Mrs. Irngard Hird, Chairman Joseph Whalen of the Tewksbury board of selectmen; Arthur Lewis, Austin Basso, Stanley Chmielecki, Mrs. Helen Robinson, Charles Whiteside, Alexander Henderson, Thomas Colgan, Harold Kent, William Perry, Mrs. Irene Greenwood and John Moran.

Chairman Whalen of the Tewksbury selectmen said his town favored a route that would take the new road through a portion of Tewksbury and follow through Andover along the abandoned right of way of the old B & M track, west of Haggett's pond.

At the close of the meeting a vote was taken on four proposals with the following results: 1, the easterly route, 34; 2, the westerly route shown on the state map, 30; 3, the westerly route proposed by the local selectmen and the Planning board a short distance west of the state's proposal, 11; and 4, the Tewksbury suggestion west of Haggett's, 25.

Chairman Batcheller noted that some persons had voted on more than one of the proposals.

The selectmen and Planning board held a short session afterward and prepared a statement to be sent to Commissioner John A. Volpe describing the route favored.

**100 YEARS OF SERVICE**

The Boston Public Library, which this year celebrates its 100th anniversary and which was the first free public library in any American city, has issued a valuable booklet telling of the library's history, its service and plans for its \$1,500,000 addition.

**Choirs To Present Lenten Program**

A special musical program will be presented at 7:30 p.m., Sunday at the Free church by the three choirs under the direction of Donald L. Amy. Everyone is invited to attend. Margaret Campbell will be soloist for the Choir of Youth when they sing "Gallia" by Gounod; the Junior choir will sing "The Lord's Prayer" and "Ave Verum," while the senior choir will present "The Seven Last Words" by Dubois. Soloists will be Mrs. Shirley Brennan, David Reynolds, Frederick Fitzgerald, John Craven and John Leacock.

**PLAN BASEBALL PROGRAM IN VALE**

A group of Ballardvale men interested in the activities of youngsters will meet Monday night to plan a summer baseball program for the boys. Meeting with Anthony Perrino will be, Al Warner, Bart Smalley, Bud Townsend, Henry Meyers, Frank Orlando and George Grant. Others interested in this plan are invited to attend. The ball field on Woburn street is to be fixed up and games will be played there.

Of the 100,000 orphans in the U. S. today, 26,000 of them lost at least one parent to cancer, the American Cancer Society says.

**BOOSTERS TO MEET**

There will be an important meeting of the Boosters club at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Apr. 5 in the town house to discuss plans for the coming Little League program and for the All-Sports banquet. A large attendance is desired.

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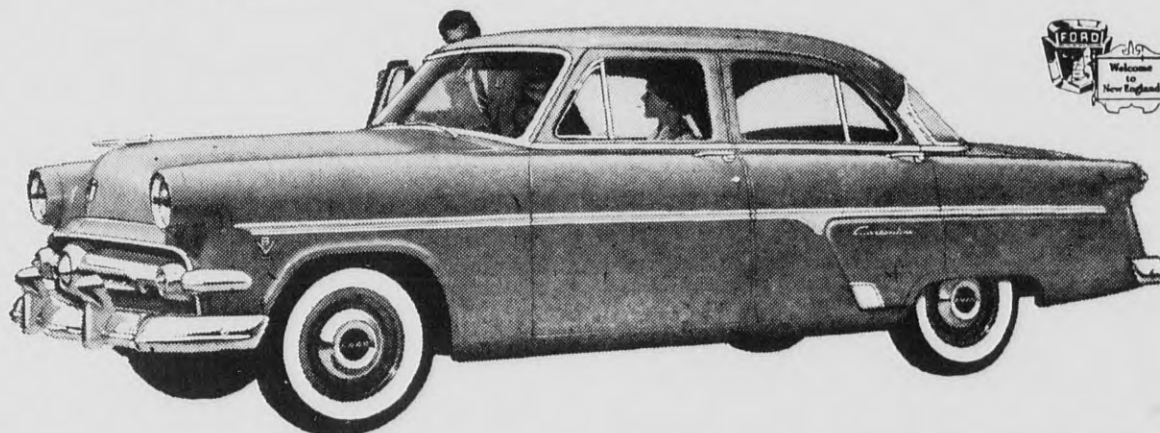
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FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal.  
SATURDAY: 8 p.m. Couples club will meet in the vestry.  
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship service—sermon: "The Holy City"; 12 Noon. There will be an official board meeting immediately following the service. 5 p.m. The Junior M.Y.F. will meet in the vestry. 6 p.m. The Senior M.Y.F. will meet in the parsonage and leave for Boston where they will visit the Mother-Church of Christian Science.  
MONDAY: 8 p.m. Ballardvale Little League Baseball committee in the parsonage.  
WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Bible study group.

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### South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, Boy Scouts.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school for fourth through twelfth grades. 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: 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. Bloodmobile at the South church.

TUESDAY: 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. Bloodmobile at the South church.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Pastor's confirmation class at parsonage. 7:15 p.m. South church choir rehearsal. 8 p.m. Cantata choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. All day sewing meeting of the Women's Fellowship. 3:30 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 8 p.m. Business meeting of the A.P.C. The speaker will be Miss Irene Cook, who will give a book report.

### 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 church school classes. 10 a.m. Junior church school classes. 10 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 11:15 a.m. Special meeting of the church, to consider an amendment to the by-laws. 7:30 p.m. Special musical service of the church, with Lenten music by all three choirs. The senior choir will sing the Seven Last Words of Christ by Dubois and the Choir of Youth will sing the cantata, Gallia, by Gounod. Everyone is invited to attend.

WEDNESDAY: 4 p.m. Pastor's class.

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 a.m. Junior high choir rehearsal. 9:30 a.m. Church school with all departments in session. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes. 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship and the observance of the Lord's Supper. Lenten theme: "Eyes Lifted Toward Calvary." The pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson, Jr., will preach on the subject: "Lift Your Eyes Toward Calvary." Anthem by the adult choir. Nursery for the little folks. 7 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship meeting at the home of Robert L. Hesse, 118 Lowell st. Mr. Nelson will show a film on boy-girl relations. All the young people are invited.

MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Membership committee meeting in the church parlor.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Lenten Fire-side Fellowship at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacLachlan, 26 Pasho st. Theme: "Jesus, the Man of Prayer." Hymnsing, devotions, Fellowship. Message by pastor: "The Garden Prayer." Everyone invited.

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

FRIDAY: 11:30 to 2 p.m. Public fish chowder luncheon to be served by the ladies of the Woman's Union. Tickets will be available at the door. 7:30 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship bowling party.

### Union Congregational Church REV. RAYMOND B. WILBUR, Minister

FRIDAY: 9:30 a.m. Rummage sale at the Community building.  
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship.  
THURSDAY: 3:30 p.m. Junior choir. 7 p.m. Fellowship choir. 8 p.m. Adult choir.

### Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon. 11 a.m. Nursery class. 6 p.m. Young People's Fellowship.

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

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion, followed by study class. Subject: The Ecumenical Movement.

THURSDAY: 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7:45 p.m. Evening service and address. Preacher: the Rev. Alfred J. Chafe.

### West Parish Church

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Children's church service. Classes for nursery and young people of high school. Sermon by Ralph Moorhouse. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship with sermon by the Rev. Paul Callahan. Nursery school classes continued until 12 noon. 7 p.m. High school group meets with Mr. Moorhouse.

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

WEDNESDAY: 2:30 p.m. Meeting of the Senior Woman's Union in the vestry. 7 p.m. All Girls choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Augmented choir.

### St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

FRIDAY: 2:30 p.m. Altar and Rosary sodality. New hour for Lent. 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross.

SATURDAY: 4 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions.

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

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Sermon and Benediction. Sermons for Lent by the Rev. James Hannan, O.S.A., of Merrimack college.

NOTES: Daily Masses: 7 and 7:45 a.m.

### The North Parish Church

(Unitarian) — North Andover

REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scouts.  
SATURDAY: 10 a.m. Alliance chuck wagon.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Church school and kindergarten. 11 a.m. Morning service. 3 p.m. Junior choir service at Nashua. 5 p.m. Youth Fellowship.

MONDAY: 3 p.m. Girl Scouts. 7:45 p.m. Parent-Teachers of church school.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Discussion group.

THURSDAY: 3 p.m. Junior choir.

### EASTER EGG TREE DAY

All boys and girls are invited to share in the fun of preparing Easter eggs for the egg tree, which will have a place of honor in the Young People's room this year, as it did last year. Any person may enter one egg in the contest, designed and prepared by himself. Two prizes will be awarded for each age group for the best egg and for the most original. Eggs may be brought to the library at any time from Apr. 10 through Apr. 17. Judging will be Apr. 20. Winners will be announced and prizes awarded on "Egg Tree day," Apr. 20, the Tuesday after Easter, at 3:35 p.m. There will be a movie and stories at the same program. For details, call the library, Andover 314.

## Rainbow Girls Plan For Bakery Sale

Lawrence assembly 15, Order of Rainbow, which includes many Andover girls, will sponsor a bakery sale to be held from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday in Livingston's flower shop.

Shirley Murray is chairman of the sale, assisted by Marjorie Stewart and Gail Marland. Carol Emerick is chairman of the publicity and Joan Hathaway of posters.

### FIRE RECORD

Mar. 24 — 10:40 a.m. Grass fire on land of Fred Davideit on S. Main st.

Mar. 25 — 11:17 a.m. Box 48. Grass fire on land of Russell Lord, 17 Summer st.

Mar. 25 — 1:27 p.m. Grass fire, Pearson farm, S. Main st.

Mar. 25 — 5:12 p.m. Grass fire on land of Esther Smith, 59 Shaw-shen rd.

Mar. 25 — 6:25 p.m. Grass fire on land of Winthrop White on Andover st.

Mar. 26 — 1:17 p.m. Still for brush fire on Lowell street at Tewksbury line.

Mar. 26 — 1:50 p.m. Still for grass fire on land of Homer Judge, Highland rd.

Mar. 27 — 9:55 a.m. Still for grass fire on Juniper rd.

Mar. 27 — 10:15 a.m. Box 4 for grass and brush fire on land of Jennie Kean of Ballardvale rd.

Mar. 27 — 10:40 a.m. Still for grass fire on land of Mary Ganley, Warwood dr.

Mar. 27 — 11:20 a.m. Still for grass and brush fire at old filter beds off Filter Bed rd.

Mar. 27 — 1 p.m. Still for grass fire on land of John Murray, Summer st.

Mar. 27 — 1:38 p.m. Still for grass fire on land of Mary O'Connell, 95 Chestnut st.

Mar. 27 — 1:40 p.m. Still for fire in leaves on Castle Heights rd.

Mar. 27 — 1:50 p.m. Jeep sent to Filter Bed rd., to extinguish fire in tree stump.

Mar. 27 — 2:50 p.m. Still to investigate smoke in woods on Prospect Hill. Extinguished grass fire.

Mar. 27 — 4:15 p.m. Still to wet down public dump off Chandler rd.

Mar. 27 — 5:28 p.m. Still for chimney fire at home of Frank Olando, Center st.

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Patrolman Robert Deyermond, pistol instructor of the police department (left) presenting Patrolman Alfred M. Robb with the gold medal the latter was awarded for winning the highest individual honors in the New England Police Revolver League postal matches during the past winter. (Look Photo)

**ROBB HIGH MAN  
IN PISTOL MATCHES**

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Robb was a member of Team 1 which took third place in Class 4. Other members of this team were Patrolman Robert Deyermond, Calvin Deyermond, William Tammany and James M. Corrie.  
Team 3 of the department won second place honors in Class 8 and each of the following members of the team received medals: Frederick K. Welch, George A. Porter, Duncan Cairnie, Jacob Jacobson and Russell H. Berthel.  
Medals were also awarded to Team 4 of the Auxiliary Police

who took second place in Class 9. Members of the team were: Daniel Naylor, Charles Partridge, Alex Rennie, Joseph Auchterlonie and Raymond J. Dobbin. Russell Seaman was alternate.

**TO DISCUSS TEACHING  
ELEMENTARY FRENCH**  
The question of teaching a second language (French) in the elementary schools will be discussed at a meeting to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Memorial Hall library. Sponsors of the meeting represent various opinions on the subject and several questions in connection with the plan will be presented.

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Louis I. Boucher, 30 Shawsheen rd., died Mar. 26, in the family home after a long illness. A native of Canada, he had resided in Andover for the past 39 years and was employed in the Tyer Rubber company previous to his retirement. He attended St. Augustine's church.

Surviving are his widow, Eme-  
rentienne (Vaillancourt) Boucher;  
five daughters, Mrs. Bertha Mercu-  
re of Springfield, Mrs. Antonia  
Levasseur of Cambridge, Mrs. Ora  
Melenson of Flint, Mich., Mrs.  
Blanche Henault of Springfield  
and Mrs. Clarina Denoncourt of  
Andover; five sons, F. Henry and  
Wilfred J. of Andover, Alfred of  
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cher of Lawrence; two sisters,  
Mrs. Olive Demers of Magog,  
Canada, and Clarice of Suncook,  
N.H., also 39 grandchildren, 14  
great grandchildren and several  
nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Tuesday  
from the Lundgren funeral home  
with a high Mass of requiem at  
9:30 a.m. in St. Augustine's church.

The Rev. Henry B. Syvinski,  
O.S.A., was the celebrant. James  
E. Sheard was the soloist and  
James J. Sayers was organist.  
Burial was in St. Augustine's  
cemetery, where Fr. Syvinski con-  
ducted committal services.

The bearers, all grandsons of  
the deceased were: Leo Boucher  
Jr., Andrew, Edward, and George  
Mercure Jr., and Frank and Roger  
Boucher.

**ROY EVERETT SPENCER**  
Roy Everett Spencer, a former  
Andover resident and member of  
the faculty of Phillips academy,  
died Feb. 22, in Marin, Switzer-  
land.

While at Phillips academy he  
taught English and retired in 1944.  
After his retirement he resided in  
Boston for three years before going  
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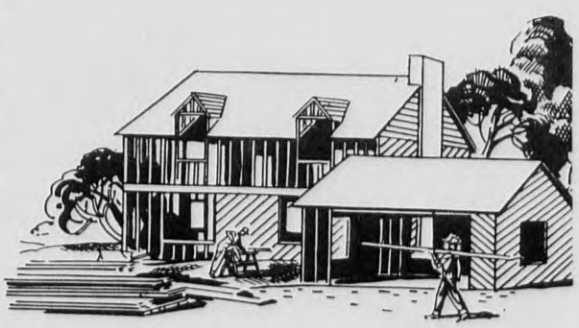
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### Pupils Of St. Augustine's Receive Honors In Music

Ann White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. White, 15 Wolcott ave., and Carol Reidy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Reidy, 36 Elm st., members of the seventh grade at St. Augustine's school, recently received honors in music from the school after playing success-fully works of Heller, Mozart, Bee-thoven and Bach, as well as mod-ern composers.

They were examined at the Holy Rosary convent by Sister Magdalen Joseph, supervisor of the Sisters of Notre Dame and chairman of the music committee of the Arch-diocese of Boston.

The award of a bronze pin will be presented at the school's gra-duation exercises.

### Cancer Crusade Support Urged

The selectmen have issued a proclamation calling upon the citizens of Andover to support the cancer crusade through contribu-tions during the month of April, which has been designated by congress as Cancer month.

The American Cancer Society through its Massachusetts division has set a goal of \$710,000 to be collected this month in its fight against this great killer.

At Monday night's brief meeting of the board Ernest N. Hall of Ballardvale appeared to discuss proposed renovations of the Com-munity room. No action was taken, the board adjourning at 8 o'clock to attend the hearing at the Cen-tral elementary school on the pro-posed relocation of Route 28.

### Woman Observes 85th Birthday

Mrs. Herbert Kent of 182 And- over st., Ballardvale, celebrated her 85th birthday at a small family supper at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Folley of Essex st., last Monday evening. She received many pretty cards of greeting from her many friends throughout Essex county.

Mrs. Kent, a charter member and a past president of the ladies aux- iliary to the VFW was pleasantly surprised recently by the members of the auxiliary with a party at the home of the president, Mrs. Charles Spinney of Chestnut st. A prettily decorated birthday cake and many gifts and cards were presented to the guest of honor. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Charles Spinney.

Among those present were: Mrs. Herbert Kent, Mrs. Louise Simeone, Mrs. Agnes Brucato, Mrs. Mary Snyder, Mrs. Peter Quinn, Mrs. Margaret MacCord, Mrs. Thomas Eldred, Mrs. Fred Yancy, Mrs. Charles Spinney and Mrs. Herbert Folley.

### HOME FOR VACATION

Miss Jane Emery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Donovan Emery, 117 Lowell st., has returned home for a two-weeks vacation from Col- by Junior college, New London, N.H. During her vacation she will visit Miss Jane Cole of East Orange, N.J., a Colby friend, and also spend a few days at Prince- ton university. At Colby she is active in the Outing club and was on the dean's list in February.



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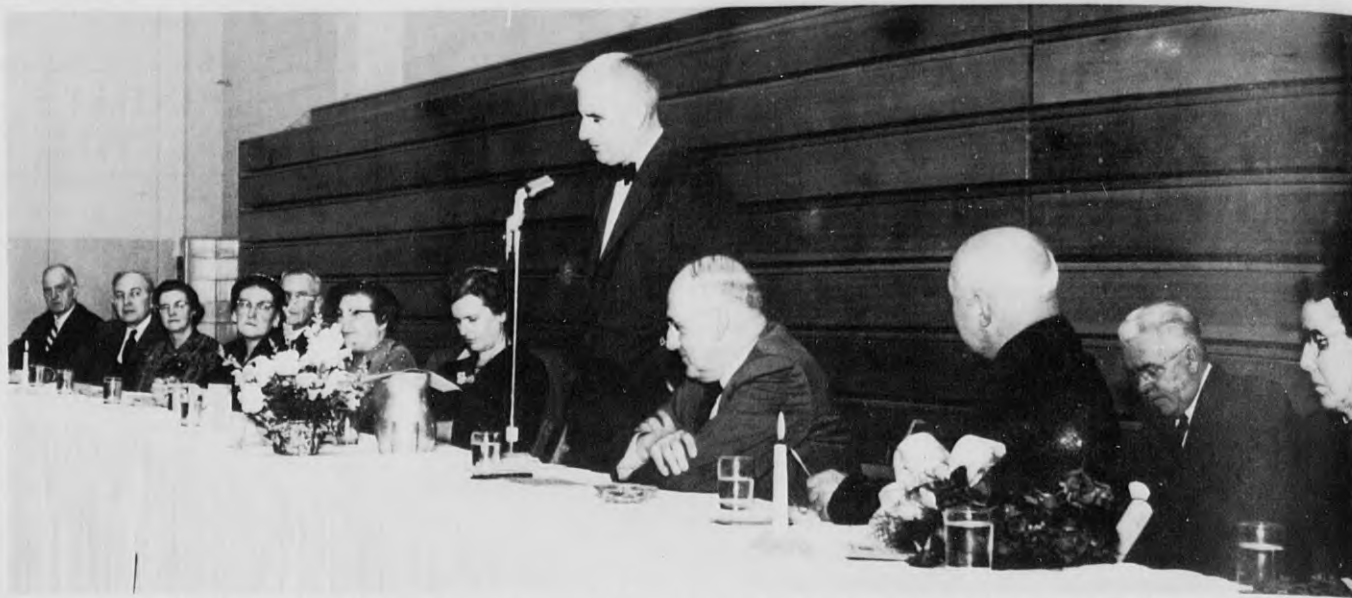
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Scene at the head table during the post parandial program at the Hardy testimonial dinner at Phillips academy March 24. From left to right: Edward Wilson, state deputy commissioner of taxation; the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Mrs. Noss, Miss Anna M. Greeley, the Rev. P. J. Campbell, O.S.A., Mrs. James R. Mosher, Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, the Rev. A. Graham Galdwin, guest speaker; Roy E. Hardy, Claude M. Fuess, headmaster-emeritus of Phillips academy; Selectman J. Everett Collins, who was toastmaster, and Mrs. Hardy.

### Over 500 Attend Testimonial Dinner

The testimonial dinner tendered Roy A. Hardy at the P. A. gym last week under sponsorship of the Andover Board of Trade was attended by more than 500 persons, many of whom were from Lawrence and other nearby communities.

Seated at the head table were: Selectman J. Everett Collins, who

was master of ceremonies, and Mrs. Collins; Mr. and Mrs. Hardy; Donald B. Look, president of the board of trade, and Mrs. Look; the Rev. and Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin; James R. Mosher, executive secretary of the board of trade, and Mrs. Mosher; Claude M. Fuess, headmaster-emeritus of Phillips academy; the Rev. and Mrs. Frederick B. Noss; Miss Anna M. Greeley, treasurer of the board of trade; the Rev. P. J. Campbell, O.S.A., of St. Augustine's church; Henry F. Long, retired state commissioner of corporations and taxation, and Edward Wilson, deputy commissioner of taxation.

The Rev. Mr. Noss gave the invocation and Fr. Campbell the benediction. The speakers included Mr. Wilson, Mr. Long, Dr. Fuess, the Rev. Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Hardy.

One of the features of the evening was a group of Punchard high school girls who under the direction of Miss Agnes V. Dugan, served as ushers and took part in the program.

Anne Marie Walsh presented the bouquet to Mrs. Hardy, the sterling silver tray with the seal of Andover was presented to Mr. Hardy by Beverly Donahue, the guest book signed by all present was presented by Judith Colmer, and the gift from the usherettes was presented by Ann Sughrie.

On behalf of the Kiwanis club of Lawrence, in which the guest of honor is serving his 26th year, Dr. Milton J. Meyer, club president, presented a brief case.

Music during the evening was furnished by the Andover Symphonette.

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### LOCAL RESIDENT PASSES BAR EXAM

Alfred W. Fuller, 46 Salem st., was one of the 93 persons of a field of 371 who recently passed the state bar examination.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Fuller of Ipswich he has lived here since last fall with his wife, the former Shirley Barker of Worcester, and their two children, Timothy, 3, and Sarah, 18 months. He has been associated with a Boston law firm since last June.

### ATTEND MEETING OF COUNTY VFW

Mrs. Charles Spinney, president of the local VFW auxiliary, Mrs. Fred Yancy and Mrs. Herbert Folley attended a meeting of the Essex county council of the VFW held in Cliftondale last Sunday. The next meeting will be held in Lawrence on May 16 at which time memorial services and nomination and election of officers will take place.

### STICKER INSPECTION ALL DURING APRIL

The first periodic inspection of motor vehicles for 1954 will take place during April and every motor vehicle must have the sticker by May 1. The sticker is to be placed in the lower right-hand corner of the windshield. All other stickers (other than the 1954 plate validating sticker and the official Civilian Defense sticker) baby shoes and other gadgets that might be attached to the inside of the windshield to interfere with the operator's vision, must be removed.

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The April meeting of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club was held in the p.m., Monday. The Gentleman's Club may bring their invited guests. The quartet, John Bo... Doug Storrie... with Harvey D... mist and director... by the program... Wallace Fiedler... ment for the... ments will be... social hour, by... and Mrs. Francis... committee of hos...

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## Woman's Club

The April meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will be held in the school hall at 8 p.m., Monday, Apr. 5. This will be Gentleman's night, when members may bring their husbands or other invited guests. The Minute Men quartet, John Boeing, Don Pearson, Doug Storrie and Dave Ashton, with Harvey Davies as accompanist and director, will be presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Wallace Fiedler, as the entertainment for the evening. Refreshments will be served, during the social hour, by Mrs. John Wholey and Mrs. Francis McCabe and their committee of hostesses.

## Special Meeting

There will be a special meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club at 2:30 p.m., Friday, Apr. 2, when Mrs. Claire Richards will present a program of flower arrangements. Members may bring guests by making arrangements with the hostess chairmen, Mrs. Harold Gens and Mrs. Harry Clough. This meeting is a substitute for the one which was cancelled in January.

## Board Meeting

The board of directors of the club met at the home of the president, Mrs. G. Edgar Best of Argyle st., Tuesday evening. The guests enjoyed a buffet supper, served by the hostess, after which the regular monthly meeting was held.

## Camp Fire Girls

The I-Yo-Pta group of camp fire girls went on a nature hike through Den Rock Park, with their leader, Mrs. Thayer Warsaw, last week. They observed rock formations, birds and the budding trees and shrubs. They are now checking their record books in preparation for the examining committee. About half the members have earned the required honors for advancement to Wood-gatherers rank, which will be awarded at the close of the season. The girls are planning a father-daughter trip to the Museum of Science in Boston for Saturday, Apr. 24.

New officers were elected for the balance of the year as follows: president, Alice-Jo Mooney; vice president, Charlene Benedetti; secretary, Anne Walsh; treasurer, Carol Reilly.

## Attend Prevue

Several members of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club attended a program prevue at the New England Mutual hall in Boston on Monday to pick out programs for the next club year. Those attending were Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Walter Caswell and Mrs. Norman Miller.

## Birthday Party

Jean Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe of Sutherland st., celebrated her fifth birthday Monday afternoon, with a party at her home for her small playmates. The little guests enjoyed games and ice cream and cake. They were Paula Woodworth, Rebecca and Douglas Bailey, Linda Kopatch, Donald McKinnon, Steven Foster and Jean Lowe.

## Fashion Commentator

Mrs. Albert Carpentier of Dumbarton st., served as fashion commentator at a bridge party and hat fashion show, which was sponsored by the Sing-Mar Young Womans club, at the St. Claire House in Lawrence, Monday evening. The party was a money-raising event for the Sing-Mar club, of which Mrs. Carpentier is a past president.

## Personals

Miss Charlotte Payne and Mrs. Andrew Greene of Westerly, R.I., spent the weekend with their niece and her family, Mr. and Mrs.

Albert Carpentier of Dumbarton st.

John Guild, of Chandler circle, is a medical patient at the New England Deaconess hospital in Boston.

David Wilkinson, a freshman at Bates college, is spending the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson of York st.

Mrs. Edward P. Dean of Robandy rd., is spending a week visiting her mother in Philadelphia, Pa.

James Baillie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baillie of Carlisle st., spent the weekend at the family home. He is a student at Bowdoin college.

## NEW K. OF C. COUNCIL

A delegation from Andover council, K. of C., will attend the institutional meeting of the newly-organized North Andover council, 3189, K. of C., at St. Michael's hall at 1:30 p.m. Sunday.

## Engagement

### Marquis - Lavigne

An Apr. 24 wedding at a 9 o'clock nuptial Mass in Sacred Heart church is planned by Miss Rita Lavigne, whose engagement to Joseph R. Marquis, son of Mrs. Marie-Anne Marquis, 3A Washington st., Lawrence, has been announced by her father J. Donat Lavigne, 73 North st., West Andover.

Miss Lavigne is a graduate of St. Patrick's high school, Lawrence, and is employed by the Town of Stoneham. Mr. Marquis attended Central Catholic high school and is employed by the Boston Woven and Hose company, Cambridge. He is a navy veteran of World War II.

### LOCAL BOYS PLAYED WITH BROOKS SCHOOL

James and John Bride, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bride, 27 Johnson rd., were members of

the Brooks school basketball squad which has just concluded its present season.

Both are sophomores at the North Andover school, James playing a forward position on the team, and John a guard. Coach Paul Lanni, who started this season with one senior, three juniors and eight sophomores, looks forward to seeing both boys give a good account of themselves on next year's team.

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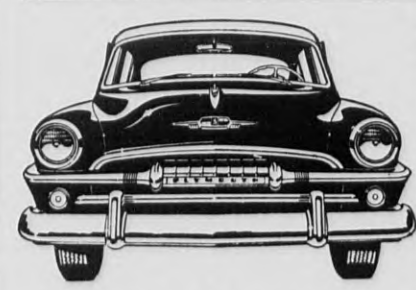
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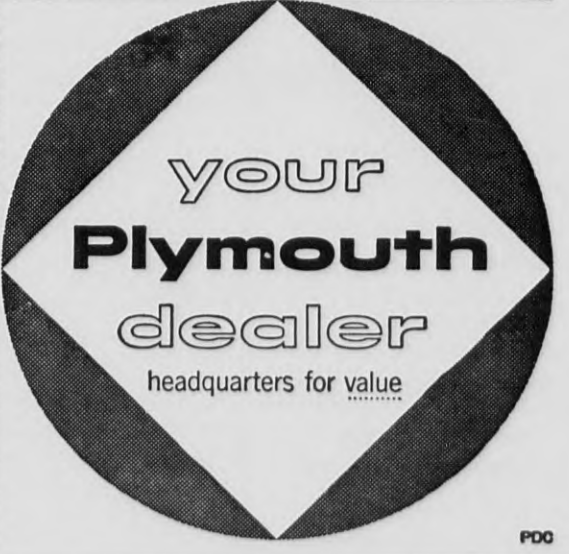
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A social hour followed at which time refreshments were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Donald Laing, chairman; Mrs. Denis Hole, Mrs. Thomas McSherry, Mrs. R. M. Cole and Mrs. John Cooke.

Announcement was made of the April meeting to be held Apr. 12 at the home of Mrs. Denis Hole on Sunset Rock rd. The speaker will be Mrs. Follansbee of Haverhill who will present a book chat on new books of the season.

## PUNCHARD HIGH

By JOYCE M. WILLIAMS

### Graduation Hop

The senior class will sponsor a semi-annual dance, Saturday, Apr. 3. Music will be provided by a local disc-jockey. Posters have been distributed in neighboring schools. This will be the last dance held by the senior class and a large crowd is expected. Students in charge are: Raymond Yancy, chairman; James Floyd, Ann Sughrue,

Ann Smith, Charles Giovinco, Dorcas Johnston, George Adams, Robert Hesse, James Sparks, Judith Cooke, Marilyn Decker, Joyce Williams, Gladys Thomson, Barbara Wright, and Maureen Darby.

### Cheering Squad Tryouts

A tryout for the Punchard cheering squad was held recently and many candidates were present. The girls chosen will be members of next year's squad but all will be required to compete again in the fall for the regular positions. The girls selected were: Betty Fitzgerald, Beverly Becotte, Bonita Hajjar, Linda Cooke, Joan Hamilton, Jane McKiniry, Sandra McKiniry, AnnLefebvre, Fay Thornton, Agnes St. Jean, Nancy Sunderland, Josephine Furnari, Marilyn Carver, Sheila Collins and Katherine Duke. The selections were made by Captain-elect Lorraine DesRoches, senior members of the present squad, and Miss Frances Collins, cheering squad advisor.

### Student Council Convention

The annual spring convention of student councils will be held Saturday, Apr. 3, at Tenney High school, Methuen. Punchard will send several delegates to get instruction in the proper methods of running a council. The program will include several discussion groups, an entertainment, a speaker, a buffet lunch, dancing, and movies. Students from Punchard planning to attend the convention are: Charles Giovinco, Marcia Tangney, Carl Buschmann, and Ruth Santuccio. These representatives are expected to gather much valuable information concerning the proper methods of running a student council.

### Gymnastic Exhibition

The student council is sponsoring a gymnastic exhibition by the Wellesley high school gym teams on Friday Apr. 9. The team consists of approximately 40 girls and boys who have performed quite regularly at various group gatherings. They will put on an exhibition of dancing, drilling and tumbling, among other things. The program will be concluded by a tableau of statuesque arrangements which will be conducted with special lighting effects. The gym team is under the direction of Theodore Steeves of Wellesley high school. The Senior Choraleers and a group of senior boys will sing during intermission under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Wilson. The proceeds from the exhibition will be divided equally among the three class treasuries. The public is very cordially in-

vited to attend.

### Attend Convention

The physical education teachers of Punchard attended the Massachusetts Association of Physical Education, Health, and Recreation Convention at Wellesley high school recently. There was a short business meeting and election of officers. Discussion groups were held and there was a demonstration by the Wellesley high school gym team. Representatives from Punchard included, Joseph M. Normandy, Donald D. Dunn, Miss Frances Collins and Miss Jean Rizzo, all of the physical education department.

### P. H. S. SPORT

#### Baseball Candidates Out

A total of 55 candidates for Punchard's 1954 baseball squad reported to Coach Bob Collier who is grooming his charges for the April 20th opening at Tewksbury.

The first week the battery candidates worked out in the Case Memorial cage at Phillips academy. Last week they were joined by infield and outfield candidates.

With Joe Normandy, the new assistant varsity coach assisting, much attention was given the first few days to batting practice and a little time was also devoted to infield practice.

Pitchers and catchers are still working up into form so that they will be able to show some of their stuff in the few practice games which Coach Collier is arranging for the next couple of weeks.

Among the candidates are: Capt. Paul Ostrowski, George Adams, Tommy Pearl, Nick Mulick, Bill Mooney, Paul Whitley, Dick Lumenello, Bob Leete, Steve O'Connor, Phil Spinney, John Murray, Bill Fisher, Tom Andrews, Alec Thompson, Jack Davis, Jack Twigg, Bob Grudzinski, Cliff Sharp, Dick Nolin, Sumner Davis, Art Walsh, Peter Anderson, Larry Lynch, Bill Vickers, George Durant, Timmy Floyd, Jack Carver, Bob Lefebvre, Dick Lawrence, Frank Quint, Ralph Anderson, Dennis Barous, Tom Callahan, Francis Leone, Bert Damon, Charles Dalton, Gus Walsh, Carl Swenson, Bob Smith, Charles Bowman, Jack Reilly, Dave Best, Fred Polgreen, Fred Dwyer, Dave Belka, Reginald Wood and Bill McCollom.

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To all persons interested in the estate of HAROLD T. GODFREY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by RUTH M. GODFREY of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond, OSCAR M. GODFREY, the other executor named in said will having deceased.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
Lloyd S. Sherman, Attys.  
316 Essex Street  
Lawrence, Mass. 25-1-8

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 244104  
PROBATE COURT  
Essex, ss.

To TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY of Andover in said County of Essex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health, and to the Veterans' Administration.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY is an insane person and praying that TIMOTHY A. MCCARTHY of Andover in said County or some other suitable person be appointed his guardian.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
From the office of  
Anna M. Greeley, Atty  
21 Main St., Andover, Mass. 1-8-15

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 244013  
PROBATE COURT  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY E. CALLAHAN late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by JOHN A. MCLAUGHLIN otherwise known as JOHN MCLAUGHLIN of Lawrence in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
From the office of  
Anna M. Greeley, Atty  
21 Main St., Andover, Mass. 1-8-15

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 244051  
PROBATE COURT  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of LUCY C. STEWART late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that ALEXANDER STEWART of South Dartmouth in the County of Bristol be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

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

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

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JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
John P. Mulholland, Esq.  
Bay State Building  
Lawrence, Massachusetts 18-25-1

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JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
From the office of  
Anna M. Greeley, Attorney-at-Law  
21 Main St., Andover, Mass. 18-25-1

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
Docket No. 244,144  
PROBATE COURT  
Essex, ss.

To STEWART A. FRASER of Andover in said County, and to MARY JANE BIGBEE, formerly of Lowell in the County of Middlesex and now of unknown residence.

A petition has been presented to said Court by CAROL A. FRASER of said Andover, praying for a declaratory judgment as to the status of the parties and the validity of the marriage between the petitioner and said STEWART A. FRASER, as set forth in said petition.

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 twentieth day of April, 1954, the return day of this citation and also file an answer or other pleading within twenty-one days thereafter.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
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**Public Hearing**  
A public hearing will be held at the Town House at 6:45 p.m., Friday, April 9th, to act upon the petition of ANNITA MARINO for permission to erect a two family house on Lot J, Riverina Road, near the corner of Kenilworth St.



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### VALE MEN DISCUSS CHURCH MERGER

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posed merger were: Henry Meyers, Frank Watson, Albert Warner, Lewis Nason, Gerry Worthen, P. W. Moody, Randolph Perry and Frank Froburg. Also in attendance were: Andrew Townsend, Ray O'Donnell, John Wilson, Wendell Hopkins, George Grant, Douglas Dunbar, Steven Byington, Robert Mitchell, Charles Walent, Frank Green, Frank Serio and the Rev. Raymond B. Wilbur.

For the purpose of discussion the question was posed at the beginning of the meeting, "Should the two churches in Ballardvale unite?"

As the discussion proceeded no one in the group voiced any opposition to the merger, and the topic soon shifted over to some of the practical problems involved in the merger plans with the question of which type of merger would be the most feasible.

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Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lawrence of Clark rd., and a senior at Pynchard. He is also president of the Ballardvale Sports club which was holding its banquet while he was on the radio, and the entire group paused during their program to listen to him win the contest.

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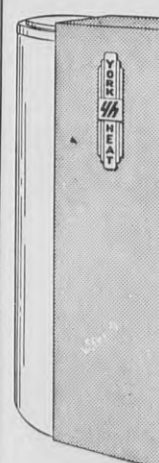


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