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Roller skating is one of the biggest attractions at the Youth Center where the several classes have a large number of entrants enjoying themselves on the rollers. In this group, from left to right, are: Jimmy Pigeon, Glenn Damon, Wendy Williams, Joyce Fisher, Sandy Auchterlonie, Sally Townsend, Geraldine Guerin, Nancy Whitworth, Jack Wright, Teddy Walton and Larry Vosti. (Look Photo)

West Andover Group Asks School Board To Change Bus Route

CLOSING DATE JAN. 20 FOR FILING PAPERS

Candidates for town office and those interested in filing special articles for the town warrant with the town clerk are reminded that the closing time for filing nomination papers and special articles is 4:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 20. On nomination papers at least 69 signatures are needed.

A group of West Andover parents from the vicinity of Chandler road and Brundrett avenue appeared before the school committee Tuesday night seeking a change in the school bus route to accommodate children on Chandler road, the furthest of whom live about four-tenths of a mile from where the bus now runs.

Atty. Richard K. Gordon represented the group which included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Horan, Mrs. John Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peteroff, Mrs. Charles Garabedian and Mrs. Michael Konjoian.

The bus that travels over River road now turns off at Chandler road to Brundrett avenue, a distance of about three-tenths of a mile, and runs over Brundrett avenue back to River road. This jog in the route picks up children on Chandler road, the furthest of whom lives about seven-tenths of a mile from River road. Those living on River road between Chandler road and Brundrett avenue, and whose homes the bus formerly passed, now walk to the corner of River road and Brundrett avenue.

The furthest distance a child on Chandler road now has to walk is about four-tenths of a mile to Brundrett avenue.

In the discussion Mr. Horan said that he would take the children to the bus in the morning but desired to have the bus go up to the Garabedian home, about one-tenth of a mile from the Horan home, on the return trip.

The matter was discussed at some length but there was no change voted in the route.

Chairman C. Carleton Kimball presided with all members present.

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New Candidates For Town Offices

The activity injected into town politics the past few days gives promise of several lively and interesting contests for offices at the town election next March.

The number of major projects facing the town in the coming year are expected to be brought into the various campaigns by the time when the final date for filing nomination papers arrives.

As of the moment four new candidates have appeared to challenge those who will be seeking re-election to the various offices.

Nomination papers are now out for the following:

Albert Cole Jr., deputy fire chief, 28 Washington ave., for the school committee.

Allan Flye, civil engineer, 89 Lowell st., for the board of Public works.

William L. McDonald, manager of a detective agency, 6 Wolcott ave., for selectman and assessor.

Atty. Thomas V. Sullivan, 49 Balmoral st., for the planning board, three year term.

A whole new planning board will have to be elected this year as the result of action taken at last town meeting.

At that time Article 10 was adopted, which read: To see if the town will establish a planning board under the provisions of General Laws Chapter 41, Section 81-A with the provision that members of the planning board now in office shall serve as members of the new board as provided by said Chapter. This provides that members of the planning board then in office shall serve as members of the board under this section until the next annual town meeting.

To date only two members of the present board have filed nomination papers. They are Kirk R. Batcheller, 161 Lowell st., 5

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Over \$38,000 Given Here In First United Fund Drive

Prof. Grew Cited Friend Of France

Professor James H. Grew, head of the French department at Phillips academy, was one of the five New Englanders decorated as friends of France by the French consul general, Francois Charles-Roux, at the New Year's day reception given annually at the French consulate in Boston.

Prof. Grew was decorated as Chevalier of the Legion of Honor. The citation awarded him declared: "You have created classes in French for the children of the schools of Andover, thus giving impetus to the development of the teaching of French and setting an example which has made a considerable impression on the press and on public opinion."

Andover has done exceptionally well in the first United Fund drive which closed a few weeks ago.

Selectman Stafford A. Lindsay, chairman of the Andover division of the fund, announced today that from all sources Andover raised the sum of \$38,272.49 in this campaign.

The collections were divided as follows: Special gifts, \$16,190; corporations, bank employees, \$10,753.39; municipal employees, \$551; small stores, \$1,492; school, \$5,675.50; residential, \$3,533.10; clubs, \$77.50.

Chairman Lindsay extends his thanks to all of the workers and to those who donated so generously to make this first United Fund drive a success.

He notes that there are still a few prospective givers still absent from town and as the committee expects to receive their donations some time this month he is confident that the drive will exceed \$38,500.

Discuss Plans For New Route

The board of selectmen held an informal discussion Monday afternoon with engineers from the state department of public works relative to the prospects and developments of the new Route 28 plans in the western part of the town.

Representatives from Methuen were also present at the session to go over plans for the new express highway which will also pass through the western section

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Local Hospital Fund Group To Organize

An Andover organization meeting of area chairmen, district leaders, and captains of the general appeal for the \$600,000 Lawrence General hospital development fund will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, Jan. 10, at the November club, according to an announcement today by Mrs. Ernest L. Wilkinson and Mrs. Donald L. Amy, co-chairmen for Andover.

The speaker will be Dr. Ashton Smith, director of Lawrence General hospital, who will discuss the critical needs of Lawrence General hospital and the proposed

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SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS

The West church last Sunday morning the following were received into membership: Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Battles, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLeish, Mr. and Mrs. Ormiston Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitterman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Kerr Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stokinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilde.

Church Notes

The officers and teachers of the West Parish church Sunday school held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the church vestry. Miss Mary Lavery, director of teacher training with the Child Evangelism Fellowship, was the guest speaker.

Tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whiteside on Shawsheen rd., there will be a meeting of the social action committee.

A square dancing party will be held at 8:15 p.m., Friday in the church vestry.

The flowers on the altar of the West church Sunday morning were given in loving memory of the

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Grange

Andover Grange, 183 will meet at 8 p.m., next Tuesday in Grange hall. The educational aid committee will be in charge of the program which will follow the business meeting. Ernest Fieldhouse is chairman.

Womans' Evening Group

The January meeting of the Womans' Evening group will be held at 8 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 13 in the West church vestry. A missionary meeting will be held and Miss Edith Grant, state chairman of the friendly service committee, will talk on a "Southern Sojourn." All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

Pilgrim Fellowship

The Senior high Pilgrim Fellowship met Sunday afternoon and elected the following officers to serve for the year: Judith Hall, president; Lester Dixon, vice president; Myrtle Belle Jaques, secretary; Jeffrey Hall, treasurer; committee chairmen: Deanna Hudgins and Hartwell Abbott, worship committee; David Haartz and Jane Hall, recreation committee; Marjorie Stewart and Fred Hall, refreshment committee; Judith Hall and Lester Dixon, delegates to Andover Youth Council.

Received Degree

Friends of the Rev. Leslie Adkins will be pleased to learn that he has recently received his Ph.D. degree in psychiatry and is now practicing in New York City. The Rev. Mr. Adkins was formerly pastor of the West Parish church.

Birth

In Reseda, Cal., Thursday, Dec. 30, a daughter, Berry-Anne to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Broadbent. Mrs. Broadbent was the former Janet Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter of Lowell st. Mrs. Samuel Berry of High st., is the maternal great-grandmother.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marland of George st., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Merrick of Durham, N.H., on New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mulick and sons of Cutler rd., spent the holidays with relatives in Nutley, N.J.

Corp. Ronald Mulick returned to his duties Monday, at Camp Gordon, Georgia, after enjoying a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mulick of Cutler rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dobbyn and family have returned to their home on High Plain rd., after a holiday visit with relatives in Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Milnes and son have returned to their home in Franklin, N.H., after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zwicker of Greenwood rd. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ozonian of Osgood rd., are enjoying a visit with relatives in Larchmont, N.Y.

Naval aviation cadet Richard Sullivan Jr., has returned to his duties at Pensacola, Fla., after spending several weeks with his parents, Atty. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan of Virginia rd. Pvt. Anthony Sullivan, U.S.A., who is stationed at Fort Dix, N.J., spent several days recently at the home of his parents.

Mrs. Fred Threscher of Greenwood is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Stevens of Lowell st.

Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd., is enjoying a few days' visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Itay Pollard of New Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis of Lowell st., visited with friends

in Hampstead, N.H., Sunday.

Mrs. William Trow has returned to her home on Chandler cir., after spending several weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Young of West Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davenport of Mountain Side, N.J., were recent guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Douglas Stevens of Lowell st.

Mrs. Beth Lambert of Lewiston, Me., and her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lambert of Bridgton, Me., were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pariseau of Chandler rd.

David Haartz has returned to his home on High Plain rd., after visiting with his uncle and family, the Rev. and Mrs. Richard Carter of Suffield, Conn.

Hans Marum of High Plain rd., has returned from a business trip to Germany.

Pvt. Russell Doyle has returned to Fort Dix, N.J., after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doyle of Chandler rd.

Mrs. Cleveland Milnes is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Zwicker of Greenwood rd., after a stay at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd of Peterboro, N.H., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ritchie of Shawsheen rd., left recently for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Barbara Plumstead, formerly of Lowell st., is now residing in her new home 20 Park lane, Groveland.

Among the pupils of the West elementary school who took part in the Christmas program and whose names were not included in the list published last week are the following pupils of the sixth grade:

Thomas Auchterlonie, Stephen Austin, John Ball, Donna Boucher, Joanne Clegg, Charles Durgarian, James Earley, Mildred Earley, Diana Gibbons, Claudia Gordon, Jane Henderson, Gayle Hutchings, Elaine Jesuit, Arthur Johnson, Elaine Lanni, Marie Levesque, Annabelle Lowe, Sharon Morgan, Robert Murphy, James Nicholas, Lawrence Paolino, Irving Stowers, Ronald Roderick, Pamela Thomas, Maria Todd, Robert Trott, George Ward, James White, Catherine Wojtkun, and Richard Stokinger.

FACTORY WAGES UP

Weekly earnings per wage worker in Massachusetts factories during October averaged \$65.13, an increase of \$.45 over the average a year ago, as reported by the Dept. of Labor and Industries. Industrial centers reporting weekly averages of \$70. or more in factory wages were: Pittsfield \$83.48, Lynn, \$82.81, Everett \$82.26, Norwood \$81.75, West Springfield \$79.16, Framingham \$76.91, Peabody \$72.84, Chicopee \$73.59, Worcester \$72.82, Somerville \$72.28, Springfield \$72.25, Beverly \$71.89 and Watertown \$70.26.

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NEW CANDIDATES FOR TOWN OFFICES

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years; and Eugene A. Bernardin Jr., Reservation rd., 4 years.

Frederick E. Cheever, whose term expires this year, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

Besides these new candidates in the field there are reports of several others who are preparing to take out papers. From most reports chief interest seems to center in the school committee where the names of at least three other well known citizens are mentioned as aspiring for this office.

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Club To Hold Dinner Dance

The annual installation dinner dance of the Andover Catholic club will be held Saturday evening, Jan. 15 at the Andover Country club. At this meeting the new officers, including President Raymond A. Lavin will be installed.

Assisting the officers in arrangements for the affair are Robert A. Walsh, committee chairman, William P. Busby, Louis E. Gleason, Dr. Joseph P. McEaney, Garrett J. Burke and Leo F. Walsh.

Tickets may be obtained from the officers and committee members. No reservations will be accepted after Jan. 13.

Animal Trainer To Give Address

Elias Ward - the world's largest animal trainer - will speak on "Jungle Adventure" at the annual guest night meeting of the November club at 8:15 p.m. Monday, Jan. 10 at the clubhouse. The lecture will be illustrated with color slides.

At the close of the meeting refreshments will be served by the tea committee, Mrs. Frederick R. Hulme, chairman.

STATE INCOME TAX

A deputy from the state income tax office will be at the town house Wednesday, Feb. 16 to receive state income tax returns and to assist taxpayers in preparing returns. His hours will be from 9 to 1 and from 2 to 4 o'clock.

MARRIAGE INTENTION

The following marriage intention has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Craig E. Waller, Ellsworth, Wis., and Zita A. Surette, 4 Locke st.

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Miss Ruth G. Hadley, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Hadley of Cambridge and the late Thomas Hadley, whose engagement to Dr. Douglas Malcolm Dunbar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Dunbar of Hidden Field, was recently announced.

LOCAL HOSPITAL FUND GROUP TO ORGANIZE

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plans for the construction of a four-story unit and the remodeling of existing units to meet these needs. The group will discuss plans for completing their organization and program for the kick-off meeting for the general appeal on Jan. 17.

The co-chairmen, stressing the importance of this project to Andover residents, said "With 909 in-patients using the hospital from our community in 1954, and with the number increasing each year, we know that everyone will want to give their full support to the development fund program in the general appeal, to create adequate health protection for many years to come."

Mrs. Dean K. Webster, Jr. had a meeting Wednesday afternoon at her home on Sunset Rock rd., of her group who are working for the \$600,000 Lawrence General hospital Development fund.

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Ski Photographer To Show Color Film

John Jay, one of the best known skiing photographers and commentators, will appear at George Washington hall Saturday, Jan. 8, to present his new show "From Ski to Sea." Jay's show of color film coupled with a humor-packed, personal running commentary includes skiing actions in the Alps, Sicily, Africa and Lake Placid. For the first time Jay has included non-skiing scenes in the form of underwater filming of hunting for sharks, barracuda and other Caribbean game fish.

A limited number of seats are available to the public. Tickets may be obtained now at George Washington Hall.

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Miss Folley Joins B. U. Honor Group

Miss Barbara Folley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Folley of Essex st., a junior year student at the College of Practical Arts and Letters division of Boston university, was recently honored by being initiated into Pi Omega Pi, Beta Xi chapter of Boston university.

The Boston university chapter was established during the academic year 1945-46. It is an inter-departmental organization made up of those eligible students from the College of Practical Arts and Letters and School of Education.

Miss Folley, who is a member of the Kappa Omega sorority, also participated in a stunt night production which was put on for the public last month by the various sororities and fraternities of P.A.L.

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PTA Meeting

The January meeting of the Ballardvale PTA will be held in the Bradlee school, tonight at 8 o'clock. George Grant will speak on "School Housing Problems"

WSCS Meeting

The Women's Society of Chris-

tian Service of the Methodist church will meet at 7:30 p.m. next Thursday in the vestry. A coffee hour will be held the same morning at 10 o'clock.

Bowling Results

Results of last Wednesdays bowling of the Val-E-Roll were: Migs 2, Comets 2; Atoms 4, Meteors 0; Rockets 4, Jets 0; Flying Saucers 3, Bombardiers 1. High single, Barbara Demers 106; high triple, Gertrude Hutchins 270; high pinfall, Atoms 1216.

Next Wednesday night's games are: Flying Saucers vs. Rockets; Jets vs. Bombardiers; Atoms vs. Migs; Meteors vs. Comets.

Roller Skating

A few of the members of the Senior Youth group enjoyed roller skating in Lowell last Wednesday night. They were: Leith Henderson, Joan Wilson, Joyce Lee Nason, Fred Lawrence, Richard Holmes and William Davison.

Enjoy Trip

The cubs of Den 10 enjoyed a trip to the Museum of Science in Boston last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dustin and Richard Sheaff drove the following boys; Charles Walent, William Butler, Harry Dustin, Harland Moore, Daniel Dunn, Richard Sheaff and William Batchelder.

Births

A son, Arthur Gerry Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gerry Worthen Sr., of Lowell Junction, Dec. 29 at Lowell General hospital. There are four girls in the family.

A son Dec. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence of Boston. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lawrence of Clark rd.

Personals

Donald Wrigley of Oak st., on the last day of the hunting season shot a six point buck weighing about 160 pounds in Dunstable.

Fredrick Walsh of North Carolina was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Froburg of Marland st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wrigley and family of Oak st., spent the weekend in Sharon.

Mrs. Mabel Griffin of New York City has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hebert of Dascomb rd.

The Rev. and Mrs. Anthony Perrino of Tewksbury st., and Richard Lawrence of Clark rd., spent last Thursday and Friday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson and family of Gilman, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Clark rd., received word that their daughter, Shirley of the Waves spent Christmas in Japan.

Miss Virginia Neunzer of Woburn st., has returned after spending the school vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chipman of Auburn, Me.

Frank Hebert, USMC, stationed in Tennessee, is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hebert of Dascomb rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warner of High st., attended a performance of the Ice Capades at the Boston Garden last week.

Miss Marjorie Carroll of Newton, N.H., has been visiting Miss Roberta MacCausland of Woburn st.

Cpl. Clark Mitchell, USA, is spending a furlough at his home on Tewksbury st.

Seaman Carl Brown, USN, spent the holiday weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown of Andover st.

Mrs. Nora Barry and son, Bruce, and Mrs. Norman Fenley and son, Norman of Saugus were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Marruzzi and family of Hall ave.

Mrs. Paul Komos of Worcester has returned home after spending

the past week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walent of Marland st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Mills have returned to their home in St. John, New Brunswick after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Grant of Woburn st.

Alonzo Young of Wenham has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Marruzzi and daughters of Hall ave.

Author To Speak At LWV Meeting

Louis M. Lyons, news analyst and author will discuss "Individual Liberties" at the League of Women Voters' annual winter box lunch meeting to be held at 12:45 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 11 in Christ church vestry. The speaker is curator of the Naiman Foundation of Journalism at Harvard university.

After hearing Mr. Lyons the local members will discuss "Individual Liberties" at small unit meetings held later in the year.

Officers of the local league are: Mrs. John B. Edmonds, president; Mrs. Simeon Hyde and Mrs. Richard Hornidge, vice presidents; Mrs. Turner Bridges, secretary; Mrs. R. M. Cole, treasurer, and Mrs. William R. Bennett, assistant treasurer.

RETAIL SALES

Sales in Massachusetts department stores in October held even with those in the same month last year; over the first ten months they exceeded sales of a year ago by 1%, as reported by the Federal Reserve bank. Since prices in general are about the same as last year, this means that the physical volume of goods bought by consumers is well sustained.

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President Edgar Haselton requests that all members make an effort to be present at this meeting. Refreshments will be served and a color film, "Ticket to Jasper" will be shown.

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Weddings

KING - SWALLOW

Miss Carolyn Elizabeth Swallow, daughter of Mrs. Jean Swallow of 9 Lee st., Cambridge and the late Herman L. Swallow, became the bride of Thomas Edward King, son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. King of Jenkins rd., at a 4 o'clock ceremony, Jan. 2, in Saint Paul's church, Cambridge. Father Collins, pastor of the Saint Paul's church, officiated before an altar decorated with long stemmed red roses.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her mother, wore a ballerina length gown of white velvet, princess styled with unpressed pleats and a peter pan collar, white velvet hat with finger-tip veil and carried a cascade of white and pink roses.

Mrs. Paul Pelletier of Cambridge was the matron of honor, Mrs. David King of Concord was the bridesmaid and Miss Phyllis Swallow of Cambridge, sister of the bride, was the junior bridesmaid. They all wore similar gowns of graduated shades of blue-green, princess styled, ballerina length with matching hats and shoes. The matron of honor and bridesmaid carried cascades of red white and pink roses and the junior bridesmaid had a colonial bouquet of red, white and pink roses.

The bride's mother wore a champagne colored faille gown with matching hat, brown accessories and a corsage of yellow baby roses with gold ribbon.

The bridegroom's mother wore a gown of light blue lace and nylon taffeta with pink satin hat and corsage of pink baby roses with silver ribbon.

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Airman 3/c Charles A. Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, 1 Essex pl., who has returned to duty at Scott Airforce base, Illinois, after spending the Christmas holidays at home. Prior to his enlistment he was a junior at Merrimack college. During his stay here friends and relatives tendered him a party Dec. 27 in honor of his 21st birthday.

P. H. S. SPORT

PUNCHARD 55, ALUMNI 50

It took an overtime period for Punchard's hoop team to outscore the Alumni 55 to 50 in a game Dec. 29, that saw quite a few of the P.H.S. "old timers" in action.

The Blue and Gold pulled away to a comfortable lead by the end of the third period but the Alumni came back to tie it up 48-all at the end of the fourth to send it into overtime.

The summary:

Punchard 55				Alumni 50			
G	F	P		G	F	P	
Dwyer rf	9	2	20	Watson rf	2	0	4
O'Connor				Doyle	1	0	2
Lefebvre lf	3	4	10	Dwyer lf	4	1	9
Thompson				Ronan	3	0	6
Dyer c	2	4	8	Stack c	4	2	10
Smith	0	1	1	McCullom	3	1	7
Vickers rg	2	2	6	J. Watson rg	1	2	4
Wadman	0	0	0	J. Stack	2	0	4
Gallant	0	0	0	J. Dolan lg	0	0	0
Fisher lg	4	2	10	Gerrish	2	0	4
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Damon	0	0	0				
Totals	20	13	55	Totals	22	6	50

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Birthday Party

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birthday with a party at his home during the Christmas vacation. His young friends who joined with him in a program of games and party refreshments, were Billy Leone, Jimmy O'Reilly, David Bell, Peter Beaven, Clifford and Douglas Howe, Tommy Wholey, Jeff Davis and Robert Sullivan.

PTA

The Shawsheen PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 12,

at the school hall. James Wilson will be program chairman for the evenings entertainment, which will be a special program put on by the cub scouts of Pack 71 and the camp fire girl groups. The cubs will sponsor a bakery sale before the meeting. The time of the meeting has been advanced to 7:30 instead of the regular 8 o'clock meeting time to enable the children to get home early. Refreshments will be in charge of the first grade mothers with Mrs. Luther Leighton, Mrs. Sherman Locke, Mrs. Philip Winters and Mrs. Webster Woodworth as chairmen.

Woman's Club

The January meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will be held at 2:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 10 at the Andover Country club. Members are requested to take note of the change of time and place, as this is the first time in several years that the winter meetings have been held in the afternoon. Mrs. William Thompson will preside at the business session and the speaker, Mrs. Max Robert Ulin, will take as her subject, "Today's Woman - Never Too Old or Too Young". Mrs. Ulin is familiar to club women, not only as a lecturer, but also as chairman of club institute of the federation, which meets on the first Thursday of each month in Boston.

Music will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Frank McArdle, and hostess chairmen for the social hour will be Mrs. Ralph Schaake and Mrs. Richard Locke.

Board Meeting

The executive board of the club will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Sherman Locke on Windsor st., at 2 p.m., Friday, Jan. 7.

Personals

David Best spent the holiday weekend skiing at North Conway, N.H. Robert Best returned by plane Sunday to Ithaca, N.Y., to resume his studies at Cornell university. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. Edgar Best of Argyle st.

Paul McKinnon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKinnon of Dumbarton st., spent several days last week with John Woodcock, son of Dr. and Mrs. Alan Woodcock of Wayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Donnelly have returned to their home in Columbus, Ohio, after spending the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson Jr., of Riverina rd. They were accompanied by their daughter, Jo.

The Misses Jean and June Steinert, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steinert of Union st., have returned to New York City after spending the holidays with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Bailey of Carlisle st., spent the New Year's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baillie of Portland, Me.

Airman 2-c Calvin Hatch Jr., who is stationed at Dow Airforce base in Bangor, Me., spent the holiday weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hatch of Sargent st.

Lt. and Mrs. Louis Fiedler, who spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fiedler of Chandler circle, left last week for Tampa, Fla., where they will make their home while Lt. Fiedler is stationed with the airforce there.

Cadet-Lt. Thomas Wilkinson has returned to the US Military academy at West Point, N.Y., and David Wilkinson has returned to Bates college, Lewiston, Me., after spending the holidays with

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson of York st.

Cadet-midshipman Peter Caswell has returned to the US Merchant Marine academy, Kings Point, L.I., N.Y., after enjoying a two weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbarton st.

Derry Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis of Sherbourne st., has returned to his studies at Norwich university, Northfield, Vt., after the Christmas vacation.

Miss Helen Andrew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Andrew Jr., of Riverina rd., left Friday by plane for New Orleans, La., where she attended the Navy - Mississippi game in the Sugar Bowl, before returning to her studies at the University of Alabama.

Edward P. Dean Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Dean of Robandy rd., visited for several days last week with Miss Sally Seinwerth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Seinwerth of Chicago.

Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbarton st., attended a Christmas reunion of the Alpha Phi sorority of Boston university in Boston last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbarton st., entertained Mr. Caswell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison B. Caswell of Brockton, over the holidays.

Abbot Academy

Abbot academy boarding students returned to the campus Jan. 4, after their Christmas vacation. Day scholars reported back to school Jan. 5 in time for the first morning chapel of 1955 which was conducted by Miss Marguerite Hearsey, principal, after which regular classes were held.

Abbot's calendar for this term shows a variety of interesting events. Among the lecturers and artists who will present programs are Hanson Baldwin, military analyst and editor of the New York Times, Gwendolyn Bell, contralto, Elias Ward, who will give an illustrated lecture on his adventures in the jungle, Dorothy Minty, who will give a violin recital, accompanied by Miss Kate Friskin, and Dorothy Crawford, well-known monologist. Student activities will include two concerts which the Fidelio Society will give with the glee clubs of Exeter and St. Mark's school, respectively.

This Sunday the Vesper service will center around the Northfield Student Conference, and girls who participated in it last summer will speak of their experiences and impressions.

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Boyce - Lobley

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Miss Lobley was graduated from Bangor high school and will receive a BS degree from the University of Maine in June. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta national fraternity for Women and Sigma Mu Sigma.

Mr. Boyce attended Phillips academy and Brown university. He was graduated from the University of Maine in 1954 and is employed as a civil engineer for the Maine State Highway commission. He is a member of Zeta Psi national fraternity.

"Additives" Help Bring Oil From Earth's Hiding Places

Oil men are taking a lesson from the housewife, who knows that when you want to clean clothes or dishes, water alone won't do. It takes a detergent to release dirt, grime, grease or food particles. Basically, the same problem, complicated by many other factors, exists in getting crude oil from the earth. Oil varies in characteristics, and so do the formations in which it is found. "Additives," many of them resembling detergents, are combined with a process called "water flooding" to bring the oil within reach of oil men. Some 200 of these additives have been screened by a group of scientists to determine their usefulness under varying conditions. Chasing oil from its hiding places in the earth is a complicated and exacting job, yet oil men succeed in finding and producing more of it in this country every year.

PRODUCTION IMPORTANT

Although Massachusetts is not generally regarded as a furniture state, its output of household furniture last year amounted to \$105,096,000 and \$100,017,000 in 1952.

Woman's Estate

Valued At \$27,300

The will of Mrs. Anna C. Fitzgerald, late of 209 Shawsheen rd., filed last week in the registry of probate at Salem, showed the estimated value of her estate to be \$27,300. Atty. Charles A. Donahue of Andover was nominated as executor.

Mrs. Fitzgerald bequeathed \$100 to her cousin, Sister Thomasita of the Sacred Heart convent, Lowell. If the nun is deceased, the testament set forth, the gift is to be awarded to the convent in her memory.

She left \$200 to the pastor of St. Augustine's church for Masses for her late husband, Michael

Fitzgerald. A set of Lenox china and a silver candelabra were given to a friend, Grace Cheyne of Andover.

The residue of the property was devised to a cousin, Mrs. Kate Donahue of Lowell. If she is deceased, the will stated, the residue is to go to another cousin, Elizabeth Fossett of Lowell.

Mrs. Fitzgerald wrote that she was intentionally omitting provisions for all of her heirs-at-law and other individuals not specifically mentioned in the will.

The probate petition listed the heirs-at-law as three nephews, Owen Gill of Watertown and Peter Gill and Richard Gill, both of Lowell, and a niece Marie Gill of Lowell.

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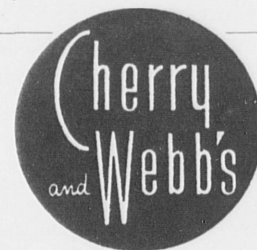
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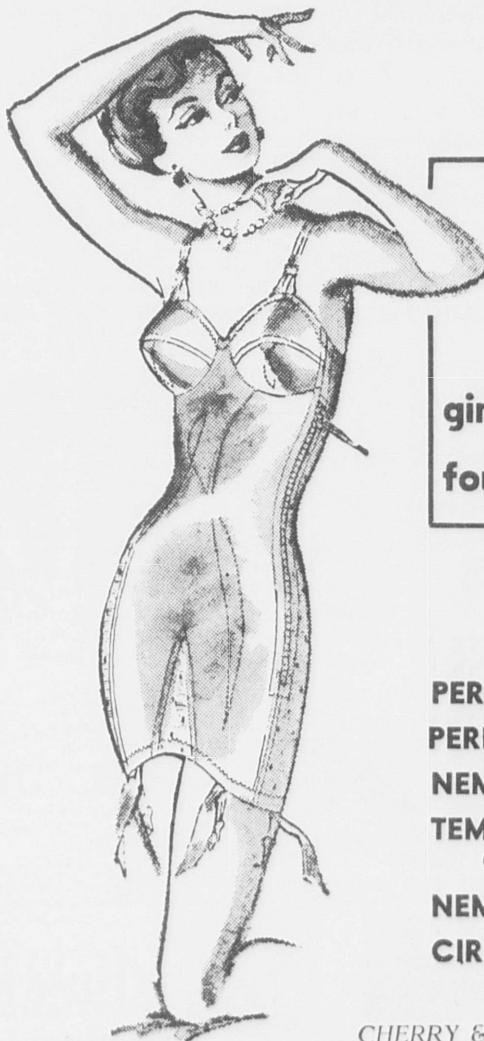
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In its first eight months of operation, the plan attracted 23,000 new investors, representing all 48 states. These people, as of a recent date, had bought \$6,700,000 worth of stocks through plans that, if completed, will contain \$56,700,000 of original investments.

This is only a beginning. The United States needs an unparalleled amount of private investment if President Eisenhower's recently announced goal of a \$500,000,000-000-a-year economy by 1965 is to be achieved. As the president of the New York Stock Exchange put the matter, "Mass investment must be added to mass production and mass distribution as the sturdy tripod on which the American economy rests." And that, he added, requires educating millions more Americans "to the importance of a steady flow of savings into common stock investment and to the risks and rewards of such investment to them as individuals."

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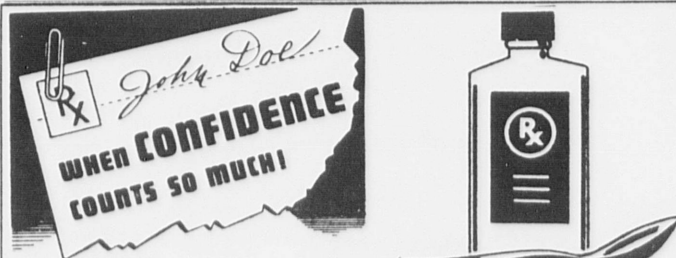
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Coming Events

Jan.

- 6 A.P.C. Sorority of South church meeting and yard party, 8 p.m.
- 11 League of Women Voters meeting at Christ church, 12:45 p.m.
- 11 Andover Sportsman's club, Inc., annual meeting and election, club house, 8 p.m.
- 12 Ladies VFW auxiliary meeting in Post rooms, Musgrave building.
- 14 Stunt Nite at Punchard high.
- 15 Installation dinner dance by Andover Catholic club at Andover Country club.
- 19 Annual meeting of Free church.
- 26 Boosters' club get-together in American Legion hall, 8 p.m.

West Andover Boy Wins 4-H Award

Work carried on in his 4-H Forestry project has brought state honors to Joseph Basso, 19, of North st. In the project, he learned and demonstrated to others better practices in growing, protecting and utilizing farm timber.

For his efforts, Joseph will receive a certificate of honor from the American Forest Products Industries, Inc.

He has learned to identify trees and cut them into logs. He and his brother have cleared a two-acre plot and made a hayfield. He has taught adults how to identify, cut and debark trees. He sells maples to a paper company. Joseph has been secretary and president of the club led by his father.

Fire Damages Abbott Dairy

Fire in the milk room and garage of the Hartwell B. Abbott home, 3 Andover st., last Thursday caused damage to partitions and machinery estimated at \$450.

Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan said the blaze started in a pile of wood stacked near a wood-burning stove and spread to the partitions. The blaze was discovered by Mrs. Abbott who happened to look from the house and saw smoke coming from a window of the milk room.

Box 25 was sounded at 10:45 a.m., and when firemen arrived the flames were spreading over the partitions. The relief was sounded at 11:50 a.m.

FINE ARTS ORCHESTRA OPENS SEASON TONIGHT

For its first concert of the present season the Fine Arts String orchestra in its program to be given at 8:30 o'clock tonight in the North Andover high school will play selections from the works of Mozart, Bach, Avensky, Borodine, Greig and Grainger.

In this program Adolph Teichert of New York, harpsichordist, will be soloist. Arthur Howes will conduct the program.

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Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago — January 1905

On account of the big storm there was no school Wednesday. The superintendent of schools has instructed all principals to institute fire drills in their respective schools.

Ira Buxton has moved from Barnard street to the shop on Park street lately occupied by Buchan & Francis, furniture dealers. The latter have removed to the Howell block which has been remodeled since the fire at A. Kaiser's ware rooms.

MacCorry & Burns have sold for Evelyn Ashley Clark 20 house lots on Porter street containing an average of 9000 square feet, valued at 10 cents per square foot, to the estate of J. J. Pearson. The tract lies within sight of the academy and adjacent to the campus.

The battery candidates for the P.A. baseball team will start practice tomorrow in the gym.

The storm of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday struck Andover with full force. It started Monday with rain but during the night turned to snow. The storm increased in violence and the strong northeast wind drifted the snow and made walking hard. Tuesday the storm continued and the temperature dropped to near zero. By Wednesday afternoon the storm abated although the air was still very cold. During the entire storm 10 inches of snow fell on the level. Town plows were out with two horses on each to break the drifts.

W. F. Draper, now in his 86th year, has established a permanent fund for Punchard scholarships and prizes.

At the special town meeting Monday evening there were about 150 present. It was voted hereafter to elect town officers by ballot, and \$1000 was appropriated to carry on work of brown tail moth extermination until next March.

25 Years Ago — January 1930

Several serious highway accidents marked the first week of the new year. Six people are in the hospital as the result of accidents on North Main street, Main street and one near Wilson's corner.

Harry Sellers was re-elected president of the Square & Compass club at the annual meeting.

The West church held its annual supper and business meeting Wednesday evening. The Rev. Newman Matthews presided and Herbert P. Carter was re-elected clerk.

The Washington post office mentions a falling off in the number of greeting cards handled during the past Christmas week. It has been suggested that the stock market smash of a short time ago may have had something to do with it.

Editorially we say, in part: "When the public schools are able to turn out students who can spell correctly, read intelligently and show a real understanding of

the principles and methods of mathematics there will be less argument than there is today against so-called "practical art courses," which have become such a fad in modern education.

"Until that day comes, however, we should call a halt on the movement to introduce more and more of the frills of education which are taking up the time that should be devoted to the fundamentals.

"The voters of Andover (at the next town meeting) should bear in mind . . . that we have already gone too far astray in the field of fads and that now is the time to check the tendency to draw away from the essentials of grade school and secondary school education.

"Many of the courses called "practical" are proving most impractical and "of small value in helping toward earning a living," as one commissioner has reported after a survey"

10 Years Ago — January 1945

The annual meeting and supper of the West church was held Wednesday evening. The session opened with prayer by the Rev. Newman Matthews and Herbert P. Carter was re-elected clerk for the 24th time.

First Lieutenant Frederic A. Stott of the marine corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic W. Stott of William Hall, was wounded during the invasion of Saipan and has been awarded a Purple Heart. Lt. Stott's tank suffered a direct hit by Japanese shell fire and although injured he continued to direct the attack.

On New Year's eve Police Officer and Mrs. David D. Gillespie observed their silver wedding anniversary.

Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan has authorized the passing out of "No Smoking" signs to be posted in local stores where there are quantities of inflammable material.

Police Chief George A. Dane again requests parents to follow up the warnings already given by supervising the times when their children may be allowed to go skating as the ice is treacherous everywhere at this time.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Gov. Christian A. Herter has re-appointed Joseph A. Horan of Chandler rd., as a notary public for seven years. Horan is a Bataan veteran, past state vice-commander of the DAV, and is presently serving as secretary of the local Selective Service board.

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The funeral was held Wednesday from the M.A. Burke Memorial funeral home with a high Mass of requiem at 9:30 a.m., in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

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She leaves a son, Charles E. Shattuck; a brother, Ralph of Haverhill; one grandson, Charles A. Shattuck, and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Friday from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2 p.m., by the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., of the Baptist church. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

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Surviving are a son, Benjamin Babb of Andover; a daughter, Mrs. Ada Perkins of Freeport, Me., six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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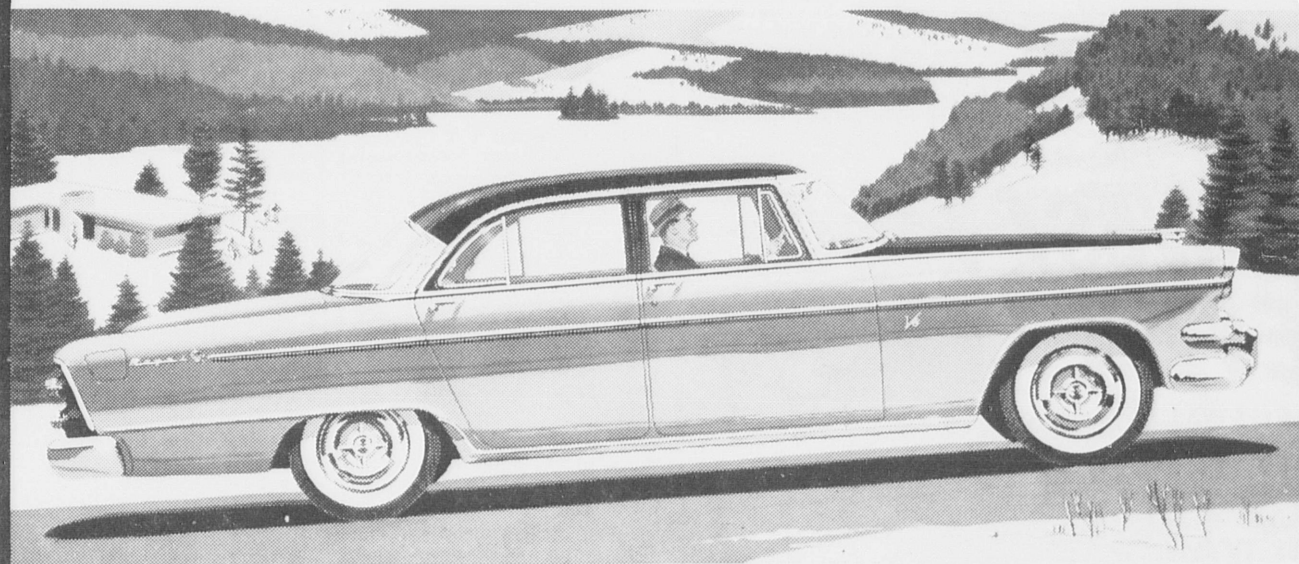
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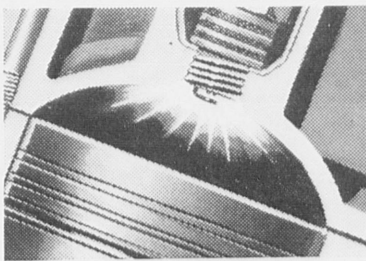
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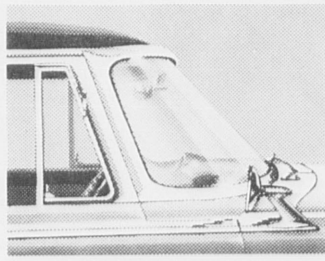
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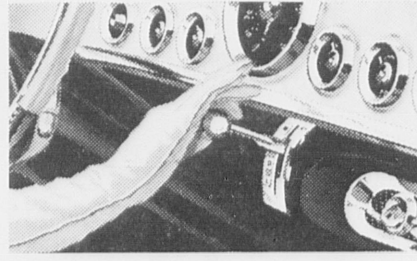
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In his report filed with the local police Wright stated that he had stopped near his home to discharge passengers when the accident happened. Officer Richard Caldwell also filed an accident report stating that it was the Wright car, stopped to allow passengers to alight, that was struck. The rear end of the Wright car was badly damaged.

LEAVES PROPERTY TO HIS WIDOW

Under the terms of the will of Frederic W. H. Stott, late of 26 Salem st., all of his property was bequeathed to his widow, Mrs. Ruth B. Stott it was learned when the will was filed at the registry of probate in Salem last week. Mr. Stott, who died Nov. 23, nominated his son, Frederic A. Stott as executor. Value of the estate is estimated at \$2000. Listed as next-of-kin in the petition are the widow, the son and two daughters, Miss Helen Binkerd Stott of Northampton and Mrs. Ruth S. Peters of Houston, Tex.

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COMING EVENTS

- Jan. 10, 7:30 p.m. First evening of discussion group for Dante's "Divine Comedy".
- Jan. 10, 4 p.m. Movies and stories, all grades. Ballardvale
- Jan. 11, 3:35 p.m. Movies and stories, all grades.
- Jan. 11, 7:45 p.m. Great Books Discussion group.
- Jan. 12, 10 a.m. Littlest Listeners, Bluebirds.
- Jan. 13, 10 a.m. Littlest Listeners, Ballardvale.

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Manhattan And Me

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The wife of the drama critic, Brooks Atkinson, takes the city apart piece by piece, with delightful humor.

In The Cause Of Peace

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Tryve Lie looks back over his years of association with the United Nations and reviews the problems which it has faced, such as the Iranian crisis, Gromyko's walkout, Palestine, the Berlin blockade, the Communist victory in China and Korea. Here is first hand reporting and evaluating of those years. A must book.

My Name Is Tom Connally

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West Parish Church

REV. HUGH B. PENNEY, Pastor
 FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Square dance in the vestry.

SATURDAY: 9:30 a.m. Basketball practice for juniors. 10:45 a.m. Basketball practice for intermediates.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Junior and All-Girl choir rehearsals. 9:45 a.m. Intermediate and Senior high classes. 10:30 a.m. Classes for nursery, kindergarten, primary and juniors. Sermon topic - "Rivers In The Desert." 6:30 p.m. Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship. 7 p.m. Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship. Forum and discussion on "Dating."

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. All-Girl choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Woman's Federation missionary meeting. All women of the parish invited.

NOTES: Sunday, Jan. 16, there will be a cradle roll for children three months to three years in the vestry during the church service.

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. Kindergarten, Nursery school, grades 1, 2 and 3. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. 4 p.m. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Ping Pong club.

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

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. All day sewing meeting of the Friendly Service group of the Women's Fellowship. 7:30 p.m. Committee meeting for the Cub Scouts.

The North Parish Church

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

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7 p.m. Parent's night, Boy Scout Troop 84. 4:25 p.m. Mr. Brown speaks on WCCM.

SATURDAY: 4:25 p.m. Mr. Brown speaks on WCCM.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Church school and kindergarten. 10:50 a.m. Organ meditation. 11 a.m. Morning service. 11 a.m. Church hour nursery. 6 p.m. Youth Fellowship.

MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Parish committee. 7:45 p.m. United Churchmen's Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 2 p.m. Women's Alliance.

St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

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

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10:15 and 11:30 a.m. Benediction after last Mass.

Cochran Chapel

REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister
 SUNDAY: 5 p.m. Vesper service of worship. Speaker, the Rev. Shelton Hale Bishop of St. Philip's P. E. church, New York.

Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon. 11 a.m. Nursery class. 3:30 p.m. Junior Young People. 7:30 p.m. Service of Lights.

MONDAY: 1 p.m. Weekday religious education. 7:30 p.m. Friendly Guild.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Vestry meeting.

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

Union Congregational Church

ROLAND D. SEGER, Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship service. Sermon "Mansions and Vineyards". 3:30 p.m. Junior Youth group meeting in Methodist church. 6:30 p.m. Senior Youth group meeting in Congregational church.

TUESDAY: 3:15 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 7:15 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Annual

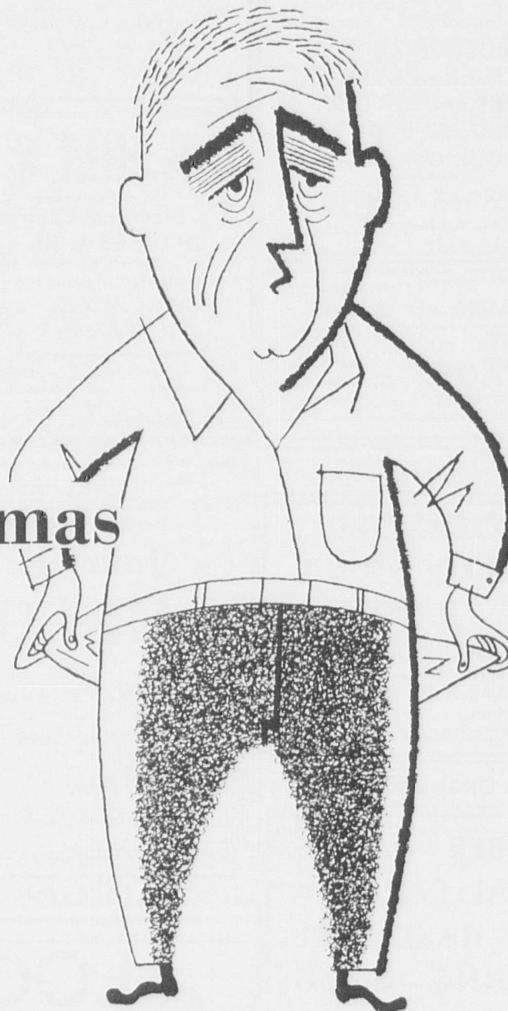
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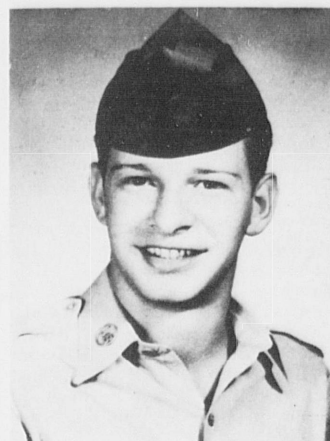
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Information may be obtained from Owen Hinckley, tel. 1789J, or by applying at the class.

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At The Churches

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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Sacrament".
Reading room 66 Main street open 12:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Methodist Church
REV. ANTHONY FERRINO, Pastor
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship service, sermon by the pastor. 2 p.m. Official board meeting in the vestry. 3:30 p.m. Junior youth group meeting in Methodist church vestry. 6:30 p.m. Senior youth group meeting in Congregational church vestry.
THURSDAY: 10 - 11:30 a.m. Coffee hour sponsored by the WSCS. 7:30 p.m. WSCS meeting in the vestry.

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

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

Q—I lost my GI insurance policy. If something happens to me, will my beneficiary still be able to get the proceeds of the policy?

A—Yes. The policy itself, which has been issued to you, is for informational purposes only. It is not necessary to produce the policy as evidence that the insurance is in effect; proceeds will be paid anyhow, so long as VA records show your policy to be in force.

Q—I have GI insurance. I've named beneficiaries, but have not told VA how I want the money paid out. If something were to happen to me, what would VA do with the money?

A—If you fail to select a payment method, the insurance money will be paid to your beneficiary in 36 equal monthly installments. The beneficiary, however, would have the right to choose some other settlement, provided it is not a lump-sum payment.

Q—I am thinking about paying the additional premium on my GI insurance policy, so that if I become totally disabled for six months or more I will receive a monthly payment from VA. If I should become disabled, would these payments I receive be deducted from the face amount of the policy?

A—No. Monthly payments for total disability, for which you are paying extra premiums, do not decrease the face amount of your GI insurance policy.

Q—I have a 30-percent service-connected disability, which I incurred in Korea. Would that alone be enough to entitle me to Public Law 16 training?

A—No. A service-connected disability alone is not sufficient to entitle you to Public Law 16 training. You also must be in need of training to overcome the handicap of your disability. Need would have to be established at a session with a VA counselor.

Q—Through an oversight, I paid my GI insurance premium just before the 31-day grace period expired, but I'm afraid the premium won't reach VA until after the grace period ends. Will my insurance lapse?

A—The postmark date on the envelope is considered the date on which the premium was paid. As long as the postmark date is within the grace period, you will be protected.

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**Andover Savings Bank
Andover, Mass.**

January 6, 1955
The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the Andover Savings Bank will be held on Monday, January 10, 1955, at 4:00 o'clock P.M. for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

At this meeting approval of the Corporation will be asked of the action of the Trustees in amending the by-laws by striking out Article XIV thereof relating to Amendments and substituting therefore the following:

Article XIV: These by-laws may be amended at any meeting of the Corporation, provided that notice of the substance or effect of the proposed amendment shall have been given in the mailed notice of the meeting, and such amendments shall be equally binding on all depositors as those by them subscribed.

CHARLES C. KIMBALL
Clerk

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 246,656
PROBATE COURT**

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of FREDERIC W. H. STOTT, otherwise known as F. W. H. STOTT 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 FREDERIC A. STOTT of Andover 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 writ of appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Regt
6-13-20

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 246,51
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A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by MARY TOMBE ELLI of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a writ of appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
6-13-20

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,583 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN TRAPANI, otherwise known as GIOVANNI TRAPANI and GIOVANNI TRAPANI 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 MARY TOMBAR-ELLI of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
S. J. Basile
Attorney at Law
629-630 Bay State Bldg.
Lawrence, Mass.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,597 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of BLANCHE E. CLARK 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 MILDRED B. McKEEN of Billerica in the County of Middlesex, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
6-13-20

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,646 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of RALPH N. C. BARNES 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 ANNA M. GREENLEY of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of January 1955, 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-four.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
6-13-20

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,582 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY A. RUSSELL, 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 KATHERINE M. BARRIE of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
Anna M. Greeley, Attorney
21 Main Street
Andover, Mass.
23-30-6

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,561 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ALICE GAUDETTE late of Andover in said County, deceased.



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A petition has been presented to said Court praying that JOSEPH F. GAUDETTE of Andover in said County 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 Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
23-30-6

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,581 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN M. BIRDSALL 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 M. BIRDSALL, JUNIOR of Andover 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 Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January, 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
23-30-6

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Docket No. 246,569 PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNA C. FITZGERALD 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 CHARLES A. DONAHUE, named in said will as CHARLES DONAHUE of Andover 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 thirty-first day of January 1955, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
6-13-20

Flying on the Ground

When an Air Force installation recently completed 100,000 hours of training in a flight simulator, it was determined that this ground training was the equivalent to flying 15 million miles at 150 miles per hour in a twin-engine transport type aircraft. That's equal to about 600 times around the world.

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ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK Pass Book No. 47817 has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-6-13-20

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK Pass Book No. 64604 has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-6-13-20

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK Pass Book No. 49558 has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-6-13-20

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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, Massachusetts, Tuesday, the eighteenth day of January, 1955, at ten o'clock A.M., for the choice of directors, the ratification of the action of the directors in establishing a pension plan for eligible employees, and in making provision for certain employees not covered by such plan, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

WALLACE M. HASELTON, Cashier.
December 16, 1954
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Firemen battling stubborn blaze that broke out last Thursday in the milk room of Hartwell B. Abbott's dairy, 3 Andover street and worked its way up through the partitions and roof before being extinguished. (Look Photo)

Red Cross Planning For Fund Drive

The first meeting of precinct leaders working for the 1955 Red Cross membership and fund drive is being held today at chapter headquarters, according to Thomas D. Burns, fund chairman.

Mrs. Phillip Clements is residential chairman. She is being assisted by Mrs. Raeburn B. Hathaway, precinct 1; Mrs. F. A. Barous, precinct 2; Mrs. Robert E. Marland, precinct 3; Mrs. William McKeown, precinct 4; Mrs. Robert L. Mears, precinct 5; and Mrs. Leonard F. Lawrence, precinct 6.

GRASS FIRE

Firemen from the central fire station extinguished a small grass fire on the property of Roger Raymond of Beacon st., Monday afternoon.

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WEST ANDOVER GROUP ASKS BUS ROUTE CHANGE

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On motion of Sec. William A. Doherty seconded by Miss Anna M. Greeley it was voted 3 to 2 to insert an article in the annual town warrant seeking \$80,000 for a four-room addition to the Shawsheen school. Sec. Doherty, Miss Greeley and Member Roy A. Russell voted in the affirmative with Mr. Kimball and Mrs. Dorothy T. Partridge opposed.

The committee at its Dec. 20 meeting voted to sponsor an article in the town warrant asking for an appropriation of \$175,000 for a six-room addition to the West school.

It was voted to approve the warrant of bills and accounts in the amount of \$11,837.40; to approve the P.H.S. Athletic association warrant of \$30., and the warrant of \$197.90 for the practical arts department.

Supt. Edward I. Erickson reported that the department closed the past year with a balance of \$280 with one telephone bill outstanding, and this was accomplished during the calendar year in which 237 pupils were added to the school population.

Supt. Erickson was authorized to call for bids for printing the annual school department report.

The subject of the large number of leaks and cracks in the two new elementary schools, the Central and West, was brought to the attention of the board and Chairman Kimball, who was chairman of the building committee under which these two buildings were constructed, notified the board that he would contact the architect and the contractor about the matter.

The board voted to meet Thursday, Jan. 13 to discuss the proposed additions to the West and Shawsheen schools with architects.

Births...

DONOVAN - A daughter Dec. 29 at the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Donovan (Eileen P. McGeoghegan) 131 Main st.

SULLIVAN - A daughter Dec. 29 at the Clover Hill hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Sullivan (Marjorie Mears) 17 Gamble pl.

BARRY - A son Dec. 29 at the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barry (Everilda Collins) 10 Washington ave.

DISCUSS PLANS FOR NEW ROUTE

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of that town from the Merrimack river to the New Hampshire line.

Construction of the 23-mile route has been estimated at \$1,000,000 a mile plus \$6,000,000 for a bridge across the Merrimack river from West Andover to Methuen.

Present at the meeting were Selectmen Sidney P. White and Stafford A. Lindsay; Town Engineer Warren O. Peterson; planning board, Kirk Batchelder, chairman, Eugene Bernardin, Fred Cheever, Atty. Richard C. Simmers, Selectman J. Everett Col-

lins was unable to be present because of sickness.

Also present were Charles Whitcomb, assistant state location engineer; Allan M. Flye, state engineer; Methuen Selectman William S. Quinn; Carl Woekel, highway surveyor of Methuen. A further meeting will take place Tuesday, Jan. 11, in the Red Tavern, Methuen.

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General Hospital Workers Organize

A pledge of \$100 from the November club as a gift to the \$600,000 Lawrence General hospital Development fund was announced today by Mrs. Donald L. Amy and Mrs. Ernest L. Wilkinson, co-chairmen of the general appeal in Andover at an organization meeting of area chairmen and team captains. The planning group met at the November club and was presided over by Mrs. James K. Selden, general chairman.

The co-chairmen announced also that the following area chairmen, captains and team members have been recruited for the general appeal solicitation

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