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Christmas 1961

“**A**nd lo the star which they saw in the East went before them till it stood over where the young child was—they rejoiced with exceeding great joy and when they saw the young child, with Mary, his mother, fell down and worshipped him.” ******* The birth of Christ brought salvation and the love of mankind to the world. Let us pray to our Heavenly Father, as we honor the natal day of the Saviour, to imbue us with the faith, charity and courage of the Redeemer. ******* Let us ask Him to help us to be steadfast in our faith, to overcome fear and to defend our right to worship against those who would destroy it. ******* Let us pray to Him to bestow Divine guidance, wisdom and courage upon the leaders of free peoples, so that we may one day truly achieve “Peace On Earth.” *******

SIDES TRIES FOR
HOCKEY TEAM

Robert W. Sides Jr., 21 Hidden Field, is a candidate for the freshman hockey team at Yale University.

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Sides prepared for Yale at Phillips Academy where he was a member of the varsity, hockey team for three years, captaining the hockey team his senior year. At Yale, he is planning to major either in economics or in mathematics.

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SCIENCE CLUB - The Board of Directors of the Science Club at Andover High is pictured above, with Mr. DeNuzzio of the Bolta Co., who had spoken to the group at a recent meeting. From left to right are Peter Lichtenberger, Mr. DeNuzzio, Janet Workman and Larry Howard.

Den 5 Toured
Marine Center

Den 5, Pack 71, of the Shawsheen School Cub Scouts, recently toured the training areas of the Third Ordnance Field Maintenance Company, USMCR, at the local training center.

The Scouts, under the guidance of their Den Mother, Mrs. Gill,

and assisted by Mrs. Nicolosi, led off the activity by each donating a toy to the Marine Corps Reserve "Toys for Tots" program.

The variety of weapons in the armory appealed to the Scouts and a mock war was soon in progress. The tour concluded with a tape recording of each of the Scouts.

The following members made the trip: Thomas Wirtz, Steven Shapiro, Daniel Gill, Jeffrey Bond, Stephan Nicolosi and Richard Homewood. Michael Gill and Nina Nicolosi joined the Scouts on their tour of the training center.

MISS JOHNSON
REPRESENTED COLLEGE

Stephens College students Lynn Kramer of Tulsa, Okla., Annalee Johnson of Andover, and Joy Olson of Medford, Ore., represented Stephens at SCONA VII, the seventh annual meeting of the Student Conference on National Affairs at Texas A&M College, College Station, Tex., Dec. 8-9.

Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valdemar N. L. Johnson, 16 Avon st.

Best Wishes for A Very
Merry Christmas

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2 ON DEAN'S LIST
AT YALE UNIVERSITY

Thirty-four Yale University students from Massachusetts have been named to the Dean's List for outstanding academic achievement during the past term.

To qualify for the Yale College Dean's List, a student must maintain a grade average in the top 10 percent of his class. Students in the top 10 percent of their class are named to the list as "Ranking Scholars."

The following Andover residents are listed:

Daniel Bruce Rowland, 1963, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Rowland, 63 Central st. He is a graduate of Phillips Academy and plans to take a B. A. degree in History, the Arts, and Letters. He is active in athletics in his residential college and sings with the University choir. He is a resident of Saybrook College, one of Yale's ten undergraduate residential colleges. Rowland is a Ranking Scholar, in the top 10 percent of his class.

Allan Cook Weaver, 1963, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert C. Weaver, 32 Phillips st. He is a graduate of Phillips Academy and plans to take a B. A. degree in Mathematics. He is a resident of Branford College, one of Yale's ten undergraduate residential colleges.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kayworth of Chandler cir. spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Turner of Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kemm of High Plain rd. were guests during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Atkinson of Lowell.

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THREE MONTHS of preparation, and hundreds of man-hours, went into the creation of this Nativity scene, now set up in St. Augustine's Church. The Rev. Alfred M. Murphy, O.S.A., created and directed the construction. Many parishioners helped make the scene, including the 29 figures. Each of these has been hand-painted by Guy R. Pennisi of Lawrence. Much of the material used in constructing the scene and figures is paper mache.

(Cole)

K. Of C. Buys 6-Acre Site

A six-acre site for a new Knights of Columbus building has been selected by a committee from the local Council, and plans call for beginning the structure by spring.

The area, now under agreement, fronts on Lowell st. and has been sold by Ernest Couture, 221 Lowell st.

The land lies between the Couture home and the residence and office of Dr. Richard D. Lindsay.

According to Police Officer William Tammany, who has served on the committee selecting a site,



Happy Holiday

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Will Become Missionaries

Atty. and Mrs. Arthur L. Harper Jr. embarked this week on a new way of life as missionaries to Southern Rhodesia.

After several years of practicing law, Mr. Harper and his wife, whose home is at 23 Bartlett st., have been accepted by the Board of Foreign Missions under a five-year contract.

They will teach at the Mission

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Lunch Or Supper At Meeting?

Will it be sandwiches or beans? Some want one, some the other. But whichever it is, town meeting will wear a different look this year.

When the session rolls around in March, an all-day affair is being scheduled.

In an effort to rouse interest and keep it until the warrant is completed, the Selectmen have

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Agree On By-Law Job

The Planning Board and committee revising the by-laws has reached agreement, according to a letter made public by Eugene A. Bernardin Jr., chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Bernardin said Harold King, chairman of the Planning Board, reports the two committees are now in agreement in principle.

The letter did not state, however, whether any of the revisions will be presented at town meeting in March. In last week's Townsman, it was reported that this appeared unlikely, in the opinion of Robert Zollner, chairman of the revision committee.

Mr. King's letter to Mr. Bernardin stated that the work being

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Mail Ahead Of Last Year

The Post Office hit its big day Monday, according to assistant postmaster Francis Mooney, when 77,000 pieces of mail went through the cancelling machine.

Mr. Mooney said mail is running about 10,000 pieces daily ahead of last year - the total handled during last week was 550,776.

He emphasized, however, that despite the increase in volume, it is quite possible to handle the mail more economically than in other years.

A new system of sorting the routes has eliminated some of the part-time employment of other years, he explained.

Tuesday was the first day when part-time carriers were used - four were assigned to routes in Shawsheen.

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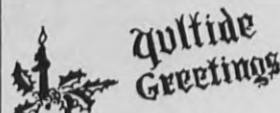
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COPS AND ROBBERS — One of the entertaining features of the parade last Saturday was the cops and robbers scene enacted at the bank, when brash bandits were foiled in their attempt on the bank. Driving the car is Mason Arnold. Alfred Desrosier and Duncan Cairnie were the convicts; cops were Robert West, William Moore, Raymond LaRosa and William Ross. (Cole)

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INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS

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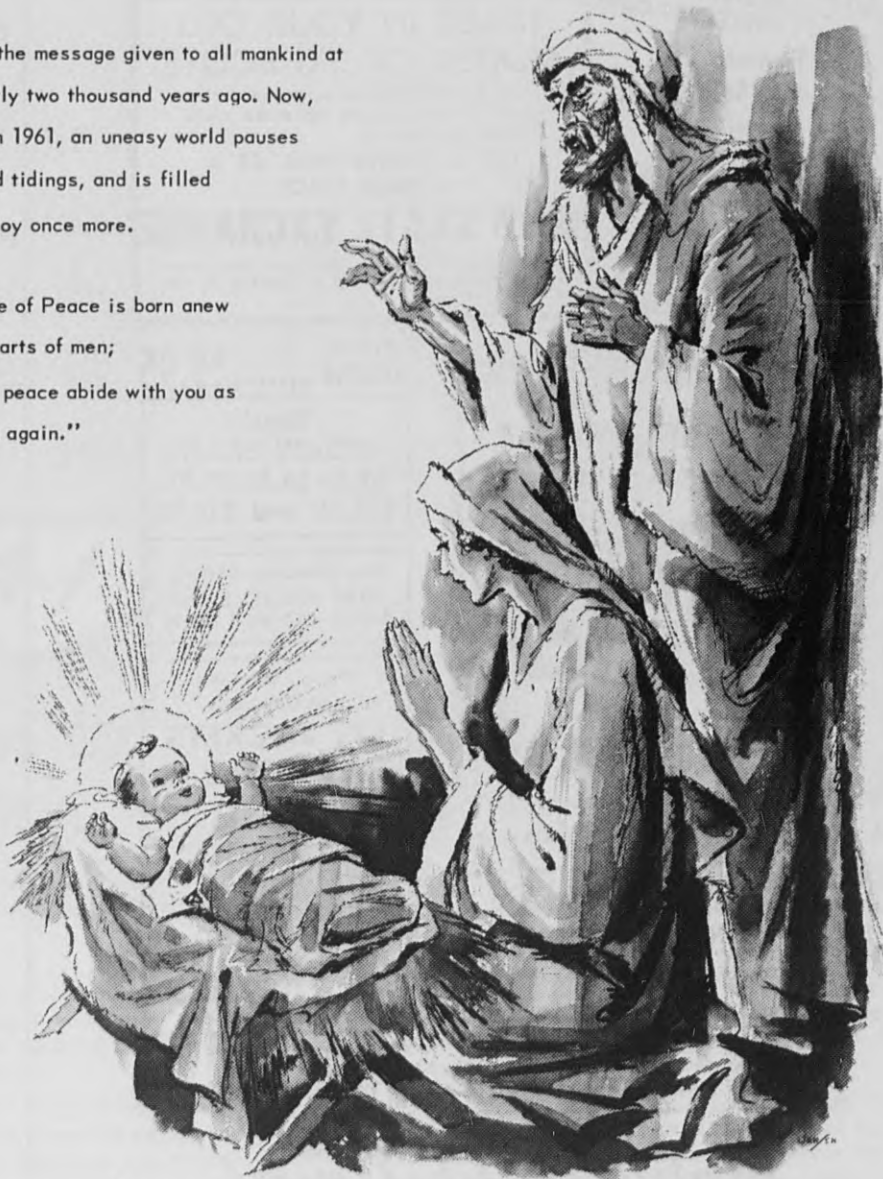
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Edward D. McCallion et ux to Thomas R. Cagney et ux, Maple ave.

Frederick K. Welch et al to James M. Gorrie Jr. et ux Bellevue rd.

Robert W. Lynch et ux to Leo P. Macklin et ux.

Joan F. Schlott et al to Martin T. Caghey Jr. et ux, Cross st.

Craig and Janet Russell of Kirkland dr. spent the weekend in Cambridge with their grandparents.

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SPEAKING CONTESTANTS - Students at the High School participated in the annual Goldsmith Prize Speaking contest last week. Winners were Susan Palmer, a junior, and Deborah Dearborn, a sophomore. In the picture are, left to right, Pamela McAninch, Joseph McEneaney, Susan Palmer, Edward Parker and Janet Workman. Miss Dearborn was not present for the photo.

Local Women Complete Course

William Henry Yale Stevens, 34 Phillips st., is a principal beneficiary in the \$1,154,000 estate of his mother, the late Mrs. Rosa Sharpe Stevens of New York.

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Under terms of her will, Mrs. Stevens inherits half the estate after distribution of \$20,000 in specific bequests.

The rest of the property goes to a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Clark of Dover.

Mrs. Stevens, widow of Yale Stevens, died April 2, 1958 at the age of 63. The estate was appraised at \$1,225,817 gross value and \$1,154,956, net, of which securities comprised \$1,138,670. Details of the estate were learned following filing of an inventory by the New York State Transfer Tax Department.

PENDLETON IS TEAM CANDIDATE

Lea Pendleton, 64 Salem st., is a candidate for the varsity hockey team at Yale University. Hockey is one of the seven winter sports in which Yale students participate at varsity and freshman levels.

Pendleton, a junior, prepares for Yale at Phillips Academy where he was a member of the varsity hockey and lacrosse teams. At Yale, he is majoring in American Studies.

Obituaries . . .

AMUEL M. GLAZERMAN
Samuel M. Glazerman, 66, Hidden Way, proprietor of Michael's Dress Shop, 43 Main st., died Monday afternoon at the New England Sanatorium, Stoneham, after a long illness.

Mr. Glazerman, a native of Russia, was a member of Lawrence Lodge, B'Nai Brith, charter member of the Andover Board of Trade, and also was affiliated with the Andover Service Club. He was a past president of the Lawrence Board of Jewish Education.

He is survived by his wife, the former Dorothy Gordon; two sons, Harry, Michael Glazerman of Waltham and Charles Glazerman of Andover; one daughter, Miss Freya Glazerman of Andover; two sisters, Mrs. Max Beerman of New York City and Mrs. Hyman Berovitch of Quebec, Canada.

The funeral was held Wednesday from the Fisher Memorial Chapel, Lawrence, with services at 11 a.m. in Temple Emanuel. Rabbi Joseph J. Rudavsky of Temple Emanuel officiated.

Burial was in Temple Emmanuel Cemetery.

Memorial Week is being observed at the late home.

MRS. GEORGE N. SPARKS

Mrs. Jeannie (MacKenzie) Sparks, 73, 20 River st., Ballardvale, died Monday morning a few minutes after being admitted to the Lawrence General Hospital, where she was taken in the Fire Department ambulance.

Dr. John T. Batal, medical examiner, attributed death to pulmonary embolism.

Mrs. Sparks was born in Brechin, Scotland, and was a resident of Andover for over 60 years. She was a member of the Ballardvale United Church.

Besides her husband, George N. Sparks, she is survived by a son, James K. Sparks of Ballardvale; three grandchildren; also two great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Wednesday, with services at 2 p.m. at the Lundgren Funeral Home. The Rev. Wendell E. Minnigh Jr., pastor of the United Church, officiated.

Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

MRS. MARY W. SKEA

Mrs. Mary E. (Anderson) Skea, 81, 76 Essex st., widow of David R. Skea, died early Tuesday morning at her home, after a short illness.

Born in Scotland, she had been a resident of Andover for over 65 years. She was a member of the Free Christian Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mary S. Darby, with whom she made her home and Isabelle, wife of Arthur E. Mooney of Andover; a brother, David Anderson of St. Paul, Minn.; eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Lundgren Funeral Home, with the Rev. J. Allyn Bradford, pastor of the Free Church, officiating. Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery.

MRS. LEO P. LYNCH

Mrs. Laura S. (Gebala) Lynch, 33, wife of Leo P. Lynch, 961/2 Main st., died Wednesday morning, Dec. 13, at Lawrence General Hospital, following a short illness.

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GREETINGS

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Christmas Greetings and best wishes for
a Happy Holiday Season.

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Obituaries...

AMUEL M. GLAZERMAN
 Samuel M. Glazerman, 66, 1 Hidden Way, proprietor of Michael Day's Dress Shop, 43 Main st., died Monday afternoon at the New England Sanatorium, Stoneham, after a long illness.

Mr. Glazerman, a native of Russia, was a member of Lawrence Lodge, B'Nai Brith, a charter member of the Andover Board of Trade, and also was affiliated with the Andover Service Club. He was a past president of the Lawrence Board of Jewish Education.

He is survived by his wife, the former Dorothy Gordon; two sons, Michael Glazerman of Andover and Charles Glazerman of Andover; one daughter, Miss Freya Glazerman of Andover; two sisters, Mrs. Max Beerman of New York City and Mrs. Hyman Berovitch of Quebec, Canada.

The funeral was held Wednesday from the Fisher Memorial Chapel, Lawrence, with services at 11 a.m. in Temple Emanuel. Rabbi Joseph J. Rudavsky of Temple Emanuel officiated.

Burial was in Temple Emmanuel Cemetery. Memorial week is being observed at the late home.

MRS. GEORGE N. SPARKS

Mrs. Jeannie (MacKenzie) Sparks, 73, 20 River st., Ballardvale, died Monday morning a few minutes after being admitted to the Lawrence General Hospital, where she was taken in the Fire Department ambulance.

Dr. John T. Batal, medical examiner, attributed death to pulmonary embolism.

Mrs. Sparks was born in Brechin, Scotland, and was a resident of Andover for over 60 years. She was a member of the Ballardvale United Church.

Besides her husband, George N. Sparks, she is survived by a son, James K. Sparks of Ballardvale; three grandchildren; also two great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Wednesday, with services at 2 p.m. at the Lundgren Funeral Home. The Rev. Wendell E. Minnigh Jr., pastor of the United Church, officiated.

Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

MRS. MARY W. SKEA

Mrs. Mary E. (Anderson) Skea, 81, 76 Essex st., widow of David R. Skea, died early Tuesday morning at her home, after a short illness.

Born in Scotland, she had been a resident of Andover for over 65 years. She was a member of the Free Christian Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mary S. Darby, with whom she made her home and Isabelle, wife of Arthur E. Mooney of Andover; a brother, David Anderson of St. Paul, Minn.; eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Lundgren Funeral Home, with the Rev. J. Allyn Bradford, pastor of the Free Church, officiating. Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery.

MRS. LEO P. LYNCH

Mrs. Laura S. (Gebala) Lynch, 33, wife of Leo P. Lynch, 961/2 Main st., died Wednesday morning, Dec. 13, at Lawrence General Hospital, following a short illness.

She was born in Methuen and attended local schools. She attended St. Augustine's Church.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a son, Leo P. Lynch; three daughters, Judith A., Rosemary A. and Gail M. Lynch; her father, Walenty Gebala of Methuen; three brothers, Branny A. Gebala of Amesbury, Walter F. Gebala of Methuen and Chester Gebala of Bradford; three sisters, Ella F. Gebala, Helen C., wife of Philip L. Dion and Evelyn R., wife of Raymond J. Warren, all of Methuen; also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held from the Edward Baron and Co. Funeral Home, Lawrence, with a Mass of requiem in St. Augustine's Church at 9 a.m. Burial was in St. Augustine's Cemetery.

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Seminary Lights Aglow Again

For the 26th year, Christmas lights are brightly shining at St. Francis Seminary in West Andover.

The 35,000 multi-colored bulbs were turned on Dec. 15 and will continue until Jan. 2.

In addition to the lights themselves, there is the traditional large Crib on the front lawn, with life-sized figures.

Over the main entrance, there is represented the famed apparition of the Infant Savior to St. Francis, on the occasion of the first Christmas Crib in Greccio.


The figure of a Friar, ringing a bell, beckons for all to visit inside the seminary.

Miss Sharon Lyons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons, 30

Washington ave., a student at the Children's Medical Center in Boston, is home for the holiday vacation.

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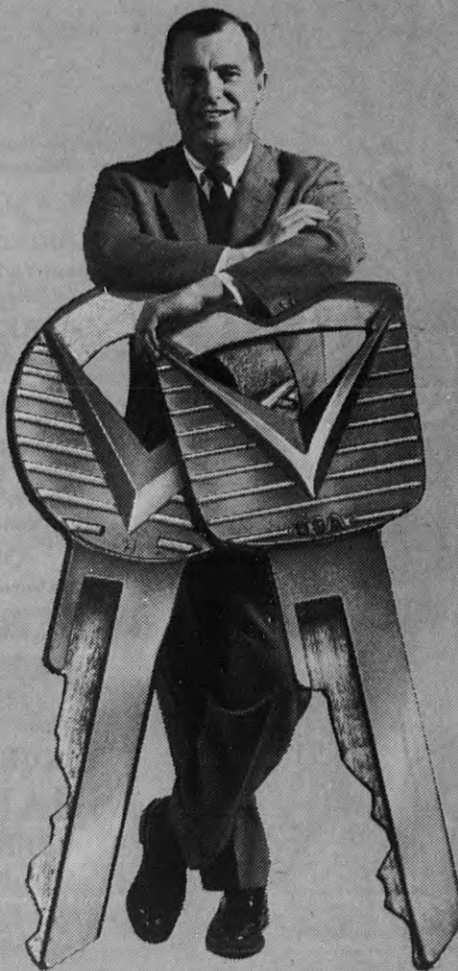
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Wedding . . .

VAUGHAN - ALLEN

Miss Myrna Allen, daughter of Alfred Allen of Fitchburg and Mrs. Alfred Foster of Lunenburg, became the bride of Allan S. Vaughan, son of Lincoln Vaughan of Lawrence and Mrs. Lincoln Vaughan of Andover, recently in the Free Christian Church.

The Rev. J. Allyn Bradford, pastor, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Donald Amy played the traditional wedding marches.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a bouffant gown, ballerina length, of white lace and net over satin with long tapered sleeves and a princess neckline outlined with sequins. A fingertip veil of illusion fell from a coronet of seed pearls and sequins. She carried white carnations and ivy.

Miss Cynthia Mavromatis was maid of honor, wearing a gown of

magenta chiffon with a matching headdress. She carried white and magenta carnations.

Robert Vaughan was best man for his brother and the ushers were Robert Foster and David White.

The bride's mother wore beige brocade and satin with beige accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The bridegroom's mother wore gray organza with magenta accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception for relatives of the couple was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Choquette in North Andover.

After a wedding trip to the White Mountains, the couple resides at 6 Newton st., Lawrence.

The bride is a graduate of Lunenburg High School and attended Pierce Secretarial School, Boston. She is employed at the Western Electric Plant.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Pynchard High School and is employed by the Paul B. Williams Co. in Cambridge.

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Births..

WALK - A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Walk at the Army Hospital, Anchorage, Alaska. The mother was Joan Jedrey. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jedrey of Andover st., Ballardvale. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walk of New Mexico.

COLPITTS - A daughter, Dec. 16, at Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pa., to Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Colpitts. The mother was Betty Ann Fitzgerald of Andover. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John J. Fitzgerald of Andover. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Frye of Andover.

GUTERMANN - A son, Dec. 15, at Bon Secours Hospital, to Mr.

Tea Held To Honor Miss Curran

A pre-nuptial tea was held recently at the home of Mrs. John J. Ryan, 274 Salem st., Lawrence, honoring Miss Barbara A. Curran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Curran of Corbett rd., who will become the bride of George A. Tomlinson, son of Mrs. Genevieve Tomlinson, 71 Lynn st., Lawrence.

The wedding will take place Jan. 6 at 2 p.m. in St. Augustine's Church.

The future bride was presented with a personal gift.

The pourers were Miss Ellen Coughlin and Mrs. Frank Lucy and the hostess, assisted by Miss Joan Ryan.

Both Miss Curran and her fiancé are employed at the Raytheon plant.

Those present included Mrs. James Wolfendale, Katherine Tomlinson, Mrs. Walter Curran, Mrs. Lucien Marsan, Ellen Coughlin, Mrs. Frank Lucy, Mrs. Timothy Tomlinson, Mrs. Ray Gordon, Mrs. James P. Gordon, Mrs. James J. Gordon, Miss Joan Ryan and Mrs. John J. Ryan.

and Mrs. Joseph Gutermann, 18 Brook st. The mother was Brenda D'Esterhazy.

HINKLE - A daughter, Holly Lynn, Dec. 13, at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hinkle, 9 Red Spring rd. The mother was Carolyn Kitchens.

STEPANIAN - A son, Dec. 12, at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stepanian, 398 North Main st. The mother was Charlotte Black.

MCQUADE - A daughter, Dec. 12, at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McQuade, 23 Gleason st. The mother was Ruth Wright.

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Many In Pageant At South School

A Christmas pageant was presented last Wednesday in the South Elementary school by sixth grade pupils, under the supervision of Mrs. William Spencer, supervisor of music; Mrs. S. Marc Sweet, Mrs. Gaffney and Mr. Norman. Members of the Parent-Teacher Association, parents and friends were in the audience.

The program followed a classroom visitation and short business meeting.

The cast included: Tableaux "Mary", Linda Phillips; "Joseph", Bruce Dyke; "Shepherds", Ed Bradley, George Stroud, Ernest Croteau, Phillip Newcomb and Leno; "Kings", Lee Russe, Theodore Demers and George Moss; "Angels", Lucille Estlin, Catherine Steele, Lynda Johnson and Judy Earl.

Narrators, William Langdell, Anne Somers and Stephen Willette; Stage Hands, David Paulek, Michael Gallant and Brian O'Leary; Christmas Choir: Jeffrey Berry, Deborah Brown, Kevin Burt, Elizabeth Dawich, Nancy Dea.

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HELD PARTY
The South School Pretty Blue

Birds held their Christmas party
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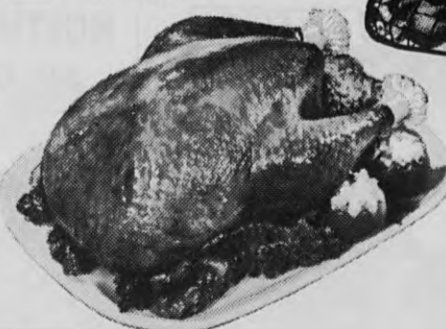
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HUNTING FOR HIJACKER

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without striking a vital spot. Astuccio was taken to the Bon Secours Hospital and underwent treatment. He had lost a lot of blood, but despite the gunshot wound, he had not lost consciousness.

It was 8 o'clock Thursday night when the attempt was made. Astuccio had climbed into the truck to move it off the platform, and close the rear doors. The gunman climbed in the passenger side and told Astuccio to "step on it and get out of here". Instead, the driver turned off the ignition and jumped out, running back towards the warehouse. The bandit slid over to the driver's side and fired one shot, which struck Astuccio. However, he continued inside to give

warning.

The hijacker took off in an automobile - probably with at least one other man - and zoomed around a train discharging passengers in the railroad depot. He made the sharp right turn onto Lupine rd. and disappeared in the direction of Ballardvale.

In order to get out of the one-access area, he had to drive across the tracks where they are unpaved and where some of the switching equipment is located.

Police located the bullet fired at Astuccio, but have failed to come up with the gun. One bystander said the weapon was discarded near the railroad crossing.

Sgt. Alfred M. Robb was on duty at the police station when the alarm was sounded. He alerted the state police, neighboring departments and sent local officers to the scene. Patrolmen Henry Giaimo and Jacob

J. Jacobson responded, and conducted the initial investigation. Police Chief David L. Nicoll was summoned, and later was joined by detectives from the district attorney's staff and state policemen.

Sgt. Robert Deyermund has been continuing the investigation this week.

Drive Against Trailer Parking

The town is cracking down on zoning violations involving trailers.

Town Manager Thomas E. Dell asserted this week that no trailers are allowed - even those which are used for camping trips.

He explained that several trailers are now being parked in back yards. No one lives in them; they're there for storage until the owners use them for camping trips next year.

But parking a trailer is a violation and will not be allowed, the manager stressed. He said owners of such vehicles can, of course, garage them, but trailers must be left out in the open in the residential areas.

LUNCH OR SUPPER?

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suggested an all-day meeting, with a break for lunch in the cafeteria.

Many observers have commented, however, that it would be easier and more appropriate to serve a traditionally-New England bean supper, with the meeting starting at 1:30 and continuing until the business is ended.

Thus the question: Will it be sandwiches or beans?

The Selectmen first thought of stating the session at 9 or 10, taking the lunch break and then continuing all afternoon. This means sandwiches and coffee.

Others, who like the idea of an old-fashioned town meeting, think a bean supper might be easier and more attractive to the voters, too.

Some have suggested that all of the town's church women, through their organizations, get together and serve the supper in the cafeteria.

What happens while the eating is going on? The Selectmen have already discussed arranging the articles in the warrant in such a way as to keep interest throughout the day, and will also attempt to arrange articles of special interest so they don't conflict with the proposed meal.

PERSONALS

Peter Stewart and William Deboq, both students at Dartmouth College, and Edward Andrews, a student at Haverford College in Pennsylvania, are at their respective homes for the holidays.

Dr. Phyllis Grant, who is resident doctor at the Children's Medical Hospital in St. Louis, Mo. is enjoying a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Grant of Chandler rd.

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Girl Scouts

Troop 118

The Girl Scouts of Troop 118 enjoyed a cook out at Camp M. Eaton just before Thanksgiving.

More recently the girls divided into two groups to work on badges. One group is working on the Child Care Badge.

Next week, they practiced bathing a baby at the home of Mrs. Lindh. The other group are working on their Dramatics Badge. They are writing a play based on the life of Andover. This badge work is under the supervision of Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Shattuck.

Troop 68

The Brownies of Troop 68 recently enjoyed a trip to Putnam.

Pantry. They enjoyed a tour of the candy kitchens, where they saw candy cooking, and chocolate being dipped both by hand and machine. Following the tour, they sampled a couple pieces of candy and they had ice cream smorgasboard. This week, the girls spent their meeting time making macaroni wreaths for Christmas decorations.

Troop 112

Troop 112 (Girl Scouts) continued work on their macaroni wreaths and also worked further on their Handywoman's badge.

Troop 94

The Girl Scouts of Troop 94 started Christmas gifts for their fathers at their last meeting. The gifts will be completed at their next meeting. They also made plans for their Christmas party.

Troop 95

The Girl Scouts of Troop 95 made plans for their Christmas Party next week. The refreshment committee consists of Claire Dimilio, Betty Ferrier, Ann O'Leary, Diane Frederick, Cheryl Birch and Kathleen Denney. The Favor committee consists of Holly Hollibaugh, Suzanne Yeaton, Janice Casto, Carol Letourneau, Diane Hay and Lee Buchan. Games will be under the direction of Lois Grant and Lee Batchelder. The girls have finished the napkins they were making.

Troop 63

The Brownies of Troop 63 have recently completed litterbags as Christmas gifts for their fathers. At their last meeting, they made gifts for their mothers and girls wrapped them. They started on Christmas tree decorations which each girl will finish at home. They also made plans for their Christmas party.

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Troop 118
The Girl Scouts of Troop 118 enjoyed a cook out at Camp Maude Eaton just before Thanksgiving. More recently the girls have divided into two groups to work on badges. One group is working on the Child Care Badge. This week, they practiced bathing a real baby at the home of Mrs. Lindholm. The other group are working on their Dramatics Badge. They are writing a play based on the history of Andover. This badge work is under the supervision of Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Shattuck.

Troop 68
The Brownies of Troop 68 recently enjoyed a trip to Putnam's Pantry. They enjoyed a tour of the candy kitchens, where they saw candy cooking, and chocolates being dipped both by hand and by machine. Following the tour, they sampled a couple pieces of candy, and they had ice cream smorgasboard. This week, the girls spent their meeting time making macaroni wreaths for Christmas decorations.

Troop 112
Troop 112 (Girl Scouts) continued work on their macaroni wreaths and also worked further on their Handywoman's badge.

Troop 94
The Girl Scouts of Troop 94 started Christmas gifts for their fathers at their last meeting. These will be completed at their next meeting. They also made plans for their Christmas party.

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Troop 77
The Brownies of Troop 77 celebrated the Troop's birthday Nov. 27, by giving a Thanksgiving play, "Thankful's Red Beads". "Thankful" was played by Christina Sanderson; "Comfort" by Ann Mikula; "Father" by Nancy Hedrick; "Mother" by Patty Ferguson; "David" by Peri O'Neil; "Daniel" by Lindsay Crampton; and the four Indians, "Green Feather", "Red Feather", "Yellow Feather", and "Blue Feather" by Donna Trask, Janice Oldaker, Nancy Harrison and Patty MacDonald. The Brownies who did not take part in the play made the costumes and the invitations to the mothers. After the play, lemonade and birthday cakes were served to the guests. More recently the girls went bowling at a local bowling alley as a sort of reward for the hard work they had put in on the play. The girls have made Christmas presents for their parents and are planning a Christmas party with games, refreshments, and exchange of presents. The officers of the Troop for the current six weeks are, chairman, Patty MacDonald; secretary, Jill Welch; and treasurer, Mary Platt, who recently transferred to Troop 77 from Troop 45.

Community Carols
All Brownie and Intermediate Girl Scout Troops are invited to participate in Community Caroling Friday, Dec. 22. Troops will assemble at 6:30 p.m. at the park on Chestnut st. They will walk to the Elderly Folks Project to carol and will then return to the town hall

for more caroling. Each troop leader should arrange for whatever transportation is needed.

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VARSITY LETTER
Richard Leete of Andover was among 57 varsity letter winners to be recognized at the University of Massachusetts Annual Fall

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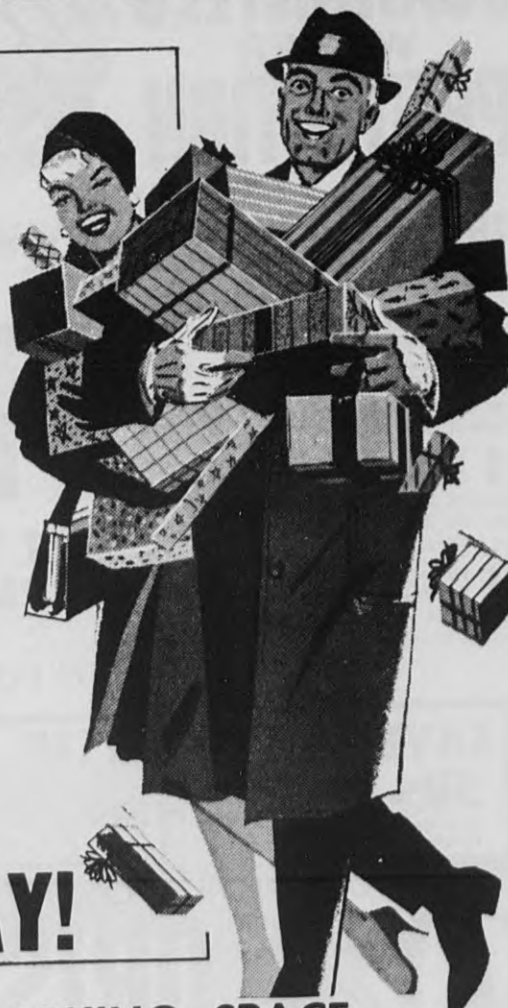
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AT THE CHURCHES

Christ Church
REV. J. EDISON PIKE, Rector
FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scouts.
SUNDAY: The Fourth Sunday in
Advent. 8 a.m. Holy Communion.

9:45 a.m. "Filling of the Creche"
Both Sessions, Nursery through
Adults, will meet at 9:45 a.m. for
this Service. There are no teach-
ing sessions and no Adult Forum.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Ser-
mon by the Curate. Music is under
the direction of Irvin T. Wilkinson,
Organist and Choirmaster. 5 p.m.
Healing Service. 11 p.m. Christ-
mas Eve Candlelight Service and
Holy Communion.

MONDAY: 9 a.m. Christmas Day
Holy Communion.

TUESDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Com-
munion - Feast of St. Stephen.
There will not be a Choir re-
hearsal for St. Ann's Choir.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. Holy
Communion - St. John the Evange-
list's Day.

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THURSDAY: No Choir rehearsal
for Christ Church Choir.
NOTICE: Friday at 8 p.m. Junior
and Senior EYC New Year's Dance.

Christian Science Society
(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday
School. 10:30 Nursery at 14 High-
land ter. North Andover. 11 a.m.
Church Service. Subject of lesson
sermon: "Christ Jesus"

Reading room, 1 Main st. open 12
to 4 p.m., Monday through Satur-
day.

WEDNESDAY: Testimony meet-
ing, 8 p.m.

Andover Baptist Church

REV. W. CARTER JOHNSON, Pastor
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Nursery and
Church School. 10:45 a.m. Morning
Worship Service. Message by the
Pastor. Special Christmas music
by the two choirs as announced
elsewhere in this edition.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Mid-
week Prayer Service.

THURSDAY: 7:45 p.m. Senior
Choir rehearsal.

FRIDAY: Junior Choir rehearsal
will be omitted. Next rehearsal
will be Friday, Jan. 5, at 3:15
p.m.

South Church

(United Church of Christ)
REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor
FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts,
Tr. 73, Ralph L. Greenwood, Jr.,
Scoutmaster.

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Confirma-
tion Classes; Junior High Dept.
10:30 a.m. Crib Room through
grades 3 and 4; Grades 5 and 6
will attend Family Morning Wor-
ship before classes. 10:30 a.m.
Family Morning Worship con-
ducted by the Rev. M. Freeman
Strickland. His sermon topic will
be "It's Christmas Again".

WEDNESDAY: 6:45 p.m. Men's
Club Annual Fathers' and Sons'
Night, presenting Johnny Pesky,
former Red Sox Shortstop. Make
reservations with your caller.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Friendly
Service sewing for the hospitals.
Coffee is served at noon.

West Parish Church

(United Church of Christ)
REV. HOWARD A. ANDREWS, Pastor
SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. No Church
School. 10:30 a.m. Special joint
session of Primary and Lower
Junior Departments of Church
School; regular sessions for pre-
schoolers, including babies. 10:30
a.m. Christmas Sunday Family
Service of Worship; sermon by the
pastor, the Rev. Howard A.

Andrews, "Christmas is a Carol"
7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Service
of Scripture, Music and Drama
(less than one hour).

Free Church

(United Church of Christ)

REV. J. ALLYN BRADFORD, Pastor
SATURDAY: 2 p.m. The Senior
Pilgrim Fellowship will show
movies for children in the lower
Parish Hall.

SUNDAY: 8:45 a.m. Choir re-
hearsal for Junior and Youth
Choirs. 9 a.m. Church School for
grades 3 thru 12. 9 a.m. Adult
Bible Study Group. 10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship Service con-
ducted by the Rev. J. Allyn Brad-
ford, whose sermon title will be
"A Search for the Truth".

Inlude, "Good News From Heaven"
The Angels Bring" by Pacheco
and "Une Vierge Pucelle" by La
Begue. Anthems, "And the Glory
of the Lord" by Handel and "Glori-
to God in the Highest" by Bach.

Offerstory, "Sing We Noel", French
Carol. 10:15 a.m. Nursery for
grade 2. 6 p.m. Carillon Vesper
Service on the Buttrick Memorial
Chimes. 7:30 p.m. Senior P. F.

will meet to go caroling to stu-
dents. 11 p.m. Organ Prelude. 11:30
p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight
Service, conducted by the Rev. J. Allyn
Bradford, whose sermon title will
be "A New Venture Amid Old
Traditions".

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. The Ma-
garet Slattery Class will meet
in the Church Parlor. 8 p.m.
College Students Tea in the lower
Parish Hall.

WEDNESDAY: 2:15 p.m. Girl
Scout Troop 18 will meet in the
Scout Room. 7 p.m. Explorers
will meet in the Scout Room. 8
p.m. The Planning Council will
meet in the Church Parlor.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Senior
Circle meets in the lower Parish
Hall. 7 p.m. Boy Scouts meet in
the lower Parish Hall.

St. Augustine's Church
REV. HENRY B. SMITH, Pastor
SATURDAY: Confessions 4
5:30 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10, 11:
15 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church
REV. FRANCIS L. SULLIVAN

SUNDAY: Masses 7, 9, 11 a.m.

The North Parish Church
(Unitarian) - North Andover

REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister
FRIDAY: 4 p.m. Junior Choir
will meet at the church. 7 p.m.
Senior Choir will meet at the
church.

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DECORATING the Christmas
tree in the lobby of the High
School is an annual projec-
t of the Service Club. On the
ladder is Nancy Disbrow.
Thelma Watson and Donna
Mellert are at left and right,
respectively.

At The Churches

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SUNDAY: 10:15 a.m. Organ Pre-
lude and Christmas Service with
sermon by Mr. Brown. There will
be no Sunday School and all young
people are urged to accompany
their parents to the Christmas
Service.

WEDNESDAY: Girl Scouts will
not meet this week.

St. Joseph's Church
(BALLARDVALE)

SUNDAY: Masses at 9 & 11 a.m.
Confessions heard before Mass.

CUB PACK 73
HOLD MEETING

Cub Pack 73 held its Christmas
meeting Dec. 12. David Sagasser
was awarded his Bear Badge.

Each den then hung the decora-
tions on the Christmas tree and
a representative of each den ex-
plained how different ones were
made. The annual Christmas
auction of wreaths and other de-
corations followed.

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p.m. Organ Prelude. 11:15
Christmas Eve Candle-light
service conducted by the Rev. Al-
lyn Bradford, whose sermon title will
be "New Venture Amid Old
Traditions".

AY: 7:30 p.m. The Ma-
jority Class will meet in the
Church Parlor. 8 p.m.
Students Tea in the lower
hall.

WEDNESDAY: 2:15 p.m. G.
room 18 will meet in the
Room. 7 p.m. Explorers
meet in the Scout Room. 8
p.m. Planning Council meets
in the Church Parlor.

SDAY: 10 a.m. Senior
meets in the lower Parlor.
p.m. Boy Scouts meet in
the Parlor Hall.

Augustine's Church
HENRY B. SMITH, Pastor
RDAY: Confessions 4
to 7:30 to 9 p.m.
DAY: Masses 8:30, 9, 10, 11
a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

Bert Bellarmine Church
FRANCIS L. SULLIVAN, Pastor
AY: Masses 7, 9, 11 a.m.

North Parish Church
Pastor (Rev.) - North Andover
E. A. BROWN JR., Minister
DAY: 4 p.m. Junior Choir
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DECORATING the Christmas
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School is an annual project
of the Service Club. On the
ladder is Nancy Disbrow.
Thelma Watson and Donna
Mellett are at left and right,
respectively.

At The Churches

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SUNDAY: 10:15 a.m. Organ Pre-
lude and Christmas Service with
sermon by Mr. Brown. There will
be no Sunday School and all young
people are urged to accompany
their parents to the Christmas
Service.

WEDNESDAY: Girl Scouts will
not meet this week.

St. Joseph's Church
(BALLARDVALE)

SUNDAY: Masses at 9 & 11 a.m.
Confessions heard before Mass.

CUB PACK 73

HELD MEETING

Cub Pack 73 held its Christmas
meeting Dec. 12. David Sagasser
was awarded his Bear Badge.

Each den then hung the decora-
tions on the Christmas tree and
a representative of each den ex-
plained how different ones were
made. The annual Christmas
auction of wreaths and other de-
corations followed.

AWARDED LETTER

John J. Bolten, son of Mr. and
Mrs. John Bolten Jr., 15 Geneva
rd., has been awarded a varsity
letter in football at the Winchendon
School.

Yuletide Greetings



To our Yuletide greet-
ings and our best wishes
for a glorious holiday
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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

Santa In The Lock-up

Two weeks ago, police arrested Santa Claus, in a town in Pennsylvania. He was "working" on Sunday.

Over 50 children watched in mingled amazement, worry and bewilderment. And across the country, as the news spread, both young and old must have winced just a little bit.

It's a good thing that Santa can't be relegated to the lock-up so easily.

For he lives in the minds of men and women, in the hopeful thoughts of boys and girls everywhere. No mere act of one policeman can take him away from us.

For the spirit of Santa Claus — the warm feeling of giving and sharing with others — lives on in the hearts of all; no policeman can take it away.

And just as the spirit of Saint Nick holds firmly in our minds and hearts at this time of year, so too should our faith in God be made more steadfast as we celebrate the birth of the Christ Child.

There are those who would put this faith in the lock-up too. They would have us be slaves to a system, substituting faith in a government for belief in God.

Should this ever happen, if we let it happen, mankind will have suffered the greatest loss of all.

Good Plan

The idea of a day-long town meeting has a certain appeal — perhaps because it's more akin to the town meetings of old when the voters gathered to do all the town's business in one session.

We no longer can hold elections in the meeting hall, as was the custom then.

But we can recapture some of the flavor of that period by combining business with a general get-together of the town's voters.

As someone has suggested, it might be better to have a bean supper that Saturday night, than to serve sandwiches at noon. Probably the crowd would be better, for one thing.

It seems to us that there are no insurmountable problems associated with this venture, and that the day-long meeting can work out to the town's and the voters' advantage in many ways.

The Holiday Despoilers

Every year at this time, when most people are enjoying the season, a few come along to spoil the atmosphere of kindness that normally exists.

They are the people — and who knows their ages or sex — who steal bulbs from public Christmas displays, take wreaths from windows and doors, and generally create a feeling of unpleasantness among their fellowmen.

It's been going on for several years; there's no apparent way that such actions can be controlled. For obviously a policeman can't be stationed at every display of lights and in front of every wreath.

We have no solution; we can offer no pat answers as to stopping the thefts.

But it's obvious that people who will steal small bulbs and wreaths — if caught — should become a public example for all men to see. This might do some good.

Careful On The Ice

Every winter, skating enthusiasts are anxious to get out onto the ice — and who can blame them?

But their anxiety to begin enjoying that winter sport sometimes countermands caution, and skating on thin ice becomes more than a slogan.

No one can properly advise those who call the police or other officials of the town; no individual wants to take the responsibility for telling anyone that the ice is safe, then have an accident happen resulting from thin ice.

Caution must be the by-word. All residents, young or old, should use sober judgment when deciding whether the ice is safe enough in the specific area where they wish to skate. Oftentimes ice can be solid in one place, thin in another, depending on the type of pond and the springs feeding it.

Let's keep accidents to a minimum, by avoiding over-anxious enjoyment of a good sport.



SUSIE'S SONNETS

by Sylvia Neilson

IRRITATION

The girl with the delicate skin
Who thinks that it is a sin
To use the same soap
As her brother, I hope,
Will get hives without and within!

Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago — December, 1911

John Howell has gone to Silver Lakes, Kansas, to spend six weeks. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Minnie Howell, who is going on to Montana.

Richard Stack of Summer st. was confined to his home for several days recently with a wrenched knee, the result of injuries received in the Punchedard-Exeter game.

John V. Holt has purchased a lot of land on Bartlet st. above Morton.

Dr. Ralph D. Head of Pittsfield has been a guest at Mrs. John N. Cole's on Locke st.

Principal A. E. Stearn offered dedicatory prayer at the formal opening of the new YMCA in Lawrence Sunday.

At a meeting of the Punchedard School Athletic Association, held Wednesday, Joseph Daly '13 was elected as next year's manager of the baseball team. Also elected was Arthur Lewis '14, manager of football.

On the eve of his departure for a visit to Arbroath, Scotland, William Stirling Jr. was feted by his friends and well-wishers in Abbot Village Hall.

Samuel Chesley Drew, the former chef at the Phillips Inn, was married last Saturday in Dover, N. H., to Mrs. Rose Lavigne, a nurse at Strafford County Farm. The bridegroom weighs 450 pounds, and the bride tips the scales at 250.

25 Years Ago — December, 1936

The Goldsmith Prize Speaking contest is tonight, marking the 42nd time this event has taken place.

The Free Church Christian Endeavor will hold a scavenger hunt this evening — but only for non-perishable foods that can be given to needy families.

The school budget will be \$185,737 in the new year — an increase of \$22,800 over the year before. The School Committee explains that \$6,100 of the increase is caused by replacing the salaries which were cut for all of the staff some time ago.

The Shawsheen Village Woman's Club is sponsoring the Christmas tree in the square.

The Andover A.A. and Lawrence YMHA meet in a basketball game Monday evening at memorial gymnasium. It will be the first game of the season for the local club.

Punchedard will have a basketball team this year for the first time in several seasons. The quintet meets Ashland next Wednesday.

Figures issued by the Lawrence General Hospital indicate that 284 Andoverites were patients there in the year ending this past August. Their stay represented eight years and four months of time. The figures came out as part of a giant fund-raising drive by the Hospital.

10 Years Ago — December, 1951

Many residents and representatives of organizations appeared at the hearing in North Andover that considered establishment of a state prison camp in Harold Parker State Forest. There was plenty of opposition, but no one appeared in favor of the plan.

Lights have been turned on at the Seminary in West Andover. Some 15,000 bulbs are used in the brilliant display.

Dr. Philip W. Blake has been named to the Board of Health, taking the place of Dr. Percy J. Look.

All of the applicants for liquor license renewals have received approval from the Selectmen.

The first storm of the year last Saturday left six inches of snow behind. This was followed Tuesday by a snow storm that turned to sleet and rain — including plenty of thunder and lightning.

Recipes Given For Foreign Food

Some of the dishes cooked at the class in foreign cooking at the High School Thursday nights, under the sponsorship of the Andover Recreation Council, sound delicious indeed.

Here, for example, are some of the recipes:

Chestnut Puree (Hungarian)

Boil chestnuts (1 lb) for 40 minutes. When soft, cut in half each one with a sharp knife and scoop out the pulp with a small spoon. Wash through a sieve, in small amounts. Don't scoop out too many pieces at a time, the mashing is easier if the pulp is warm.

Combine 1/3 - 1/4 cup of sugar with 1/4 cup of milk, heat the mixture and stir it into the chestnut-pulp.

Mix 3 teaspoons of vanilla and 2-3 teaspoons of rum into it. Whip 1 pint of whipped cream. Place a large spoonful of it on a dessert plate. Rice the chestnut mixture through the sieve directly over the whipped cream on the plate. Use about 1/4 of the mixture for a plate. Arrange whipped cream over and around the heaped-up chestnut mixture on the plate.

Egg-Lemon Soup (Greek)

One can chicken soup with rice, 1 lemon and 1 egg. Bring chicken broth to the boiling point. Beat egg, add juice of 1/2 a lemon slowly. Add hot broth but stir constantly. Remove from fire.

Tyropeta (Greek)

One lb. Greek pastry leaves, 1/2 lb. Greek cheese, 1/2 lb. cottage cheese, 1/2 lb. butter, 1 teaspoon sugar and a dash of cinnamon.

Mix cheese, cinnamon, sugar. Cut pastry into strips, brush each with butter. Put 1 teaspoon full of the filling on one end of each strip. Fold strips in triangle fashion. Bake in slow oven for half an hour.

Siftato (Beef with Onions)

Two lbs. beef cut into cubes, 15 small onions, 1/4 lb. butter, 1/2 cup vinegar, 1/2 can tomatoes (small can), 3-4 bay leaves and salt and pepper.

Fry whole onions in butter. Remove from butter. Fry beef in same butter until brown. Put onions back in pot, add rest of ingredients and cook slowly for one and a half hours. Serves 6-8. Serve with rice pilaf.

Rice Pilaf (Greek)

Four cups chicken broth, 2 cups long grain rice, 1/4 lb. butter, 1/2 cup seedless raisins, 1 small package of pine cone nuts and 1 small onion.

Fry chopped onion till soft but not brown. Fry nuts, then fry, in same butter, the rice. Add broth boiling hot and bake in a hot oven for 15 minutes.

SUSAN HILL SANG AT COLLEGE SERVICE

Miss Susan Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Hill of Forbes In., took part in Columbia University's Annual Christmas Carol and

At The Library

Coming Events DECEMBER

- 21 Ballardvale Littlest Listeners, Christmas party, 10 a.m. Story hour for Andover boys and girls, 3:35 p.m.
- 23 Library closes for Christmas holiday, 1 p.m.
- 25 All departments of the library closed.
- 26 Ballardvale branch library open 2-5 and 6-8 p.m.
- 27 Littlest Listeners, Christmas party, 10 a.m.
- 28 Special vacation story hour, 10:15-11:15 a.m. Ballardvale branch special vacation story hour, 3-4 p.m.
- 30 Library closes for New Year holiday, 1 p.m.

JANUARY

- 9 Opening meeting of the Great Books Group, 7:30 p.m.

Holiday Closing

Our friends are reminded that the Memorial Hall Library will close at 1 p.m. both Saturday and Sunday preceding Christmas and New Years. No books are due on these dates but books may be left in the street box or in the door slot.

Ballardvale branch library will be open Tuesdays, due to the Monday closings both weeks. The will be open 2-5 and 6-8 as usual, Dec. 26 and Jan. 2.

Christmas Party

The Ballardvale Littlest Listeners will meet Thursday, Dec. 21, at 10 o'clock for their Christmas party. All little people are invited and mothers are urged to join in the fun.

Cardinals Meet

The Cardinal group of Littlest Listeners will meet for their regular story hour Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 10 o'clock in the Memorial Hall Library.

Story Hour

A story hour with all-Christmas stories is to be held at the library Thursday, Dec. 21, at 3:35 o'clock for all boys and girls. Among the stories to be heard are "The Juggler Of Notre Dame", "The Chimes Rang", "The Voyage Of The Wee Red Cap" and the favorite "The Peterkins' Christmas Tree."

No tickets are required for the story hours. All who enjoy listening to tales and legends, new and old, are cordially invited. Story hours usually close at 4:20 o'clock.

January Great Books

The Great Books group will have its first meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 9, to begin promptly at 7:00 o'clock, 15 minutes earlier than in the past. The reading is to be Shakespeare's "Macbeth", and members are asked to come prepared to talk about this great play.

This is the time at which the future of the Great Books Discussion Group will be decided, and plans laid for the type of reading to be done, if the group continues.

The earlier opening time is part of an experiment to find the most convenient hour for members.

Vacation Story Hours

Andover boys and girls are invited to a morning story hour during vacation week, Thursday, Dec. 28, at 10:15 o'clock. The Ballardvale friends will have a similar story hour that afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the branch room.

Both story hours will run for an hour. Miss Lane has planned a seasonal program, which will include one story about a child who wished for Christmas to be every day of the year. This is an old favorite, "Christmas Every Day" by William Dean Howells. It has been delighting children and adults for years.

Then there will be the story of what happened to the "other" Wish Man, with pictures shown as the story goes along. A movie of Christmas trees is going to be given, and there will be an interesting answer given to any child who does not know what happens on the 12th day after Christmas.

All boys and girls are welcome. Candlelight Service, Dec. 21 in Paul's Chapel.

Miss Hill, a freshman at Barnard College, the undergraduate women's division of Columbia University, is a member of the Columbia University Choir.

Miss Hill is a graduate of Andover Academy. She was president of the choir and her class there, and won a music award.

Chase Listed In National Publication



BENJAMIN O. CHASE

Benjamin O. Chase Jr., 77 Whitier st., a senior at Norwich University has been named as one of 22 members of next June's graduating class to be included in the 1962 publication of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Selections are made on the basis of candidates' citizenship attributes, scholarship, and service to the university. Those named are chosen by the Non-Athletic Council from lists submitted by the Dean, the Commandant of Cadets, the Professor of Military Science, the athletic department, and the senior class.

Chase, who holds the rank of Cadet Major in the regimental organization of the Corps of Cadets, is majoring in liberal arts at the military college. He is a 1958 graduate of Newton High School.

Warns About Rt. 128 Dangers

Tabbing the section of Massachusetts' Highway 128 between Lynnfield and the junction of Route 9 "the most dangerous 27 miles in America", the Automobile Legal Association has warned motorists to avoid that stretch of road "at all costs" during the hours of darkness — particularly during the holiday season.

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poor, or in most cases total lack
of lighting make this section the
worst I have ever experienced,"
Wallwork said.

"Because lighting is practically
non-existent, most drivers are
forced to drive the entire stretch
with their high-beam lights on.
Add to this huge trailer trucks
which are lit up like Christmas
trees and we have a situation
which could kill a hundred people
by the first day of 1962.

"Unfortunately, little can be
done about most of these condi-
tions because of the heavy con-
struction work in progress and
drivers should select alternate
routes regardless of time involved

Roger H. Lewis of Laurel In.
returned from Kansas City, Mo.,
during the past weekend. He had
attended the annual convention of
the Vegetable Growers' Associa-
tion of America. He serves as a
director of the Association.

Local Resident
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Mrs. Alice Johnson, 16 Avon st.
and Mrs. Dorothy McBride, 5
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It all started with gold and frankincense and myrrh....

Since the time of the three wise men, Christians have celebrated the birth of Jesus Christ by exchanging gifts. But the exotic fragrances have disappeared and the wise men have been almost crowded out of the Nativity scene.

In many European countries, reports World Book Encyclopedia, gifts are believed to come from Saint Nicholas. This kindly bishop lived in Asia Minor in the A.D. 300's and became famous for his generosity. Children receive toys and sweets Dec. 6, his feast day.

Americans added a bit of fur, a reindeer-driven sleigh and a few extra pounds to the saint, to create Santa Claus. His name comes from the mispronunciation of the name which Dutch settlers in New York called the saint.

In Italy it's La Befana, a kind of aging fairy queen, who comes down the chimney, and in France the bearer of gifts is the Christ Child Himself, known as the Petit Noel.

Children in South America, however, still wait for the three wise men. And to compensate them for their long journey from the East, they leave water and hay on the doorstep for the wise men's camels.

Party Saturday At Sportsman's Club

The Sportsman's Club will hold its annual party Sunday at 2, for children of members and the public at large.

Club members, planning the event for two hours, ask that any adult bringing his child to the party also bring a small gift, so that Santa can present gifts to all those present.

Refreshments and entertainment will be offered during the afternoon.

William Greenwood is chairman, assisted by Kenneth Wade and Chris Muller.

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To let us know 'tis the day,
When cares and woes are put away.
And at the loved ones near,
We hope you bright and clear.
And wish you all of holiday cheer.

Music Department Specially Busy

The music department of the public schools has been specially busy this season, according to Mrs. Miriam McArdle, supervisor of music education.

On a recent Saturday evening, Andover's 15 members of the Northeast Festival Concert orchestra, band and chorus joined others from the area in a concert at Marblehead High School. The 15 local boys and girls had won the right to take part, after competing with other students.

The local winners included, from the high and junior high, Robert Mottolo, Douglas Burt, John Weeks, Bruce Hinckley, Robert Cole, Gwendolyn Young, Anne Leacock, Janet Workman, Betty Jensen, Mary-Ellen Essiambre, Joyce Crompton, Judy Lelacheur, Dorothy Gaudet, Peggy Whitefield and Judy Simeone.






The various musical units of the schools have been presenting concerts for many local organizations during the past two weeks.

They will end their efforts tomorrow morning, when three Christmas programs will be presented in the schools. Several choral and instrumental organizations at the Junior High will present a concert. At Shawsheen School, the students of Mrs. Fingleton's fifth grade will present the school's observance of Christmas, in song and story. And at the Senior High, the 10 o'clock Christmas program will feature a play and musical selections by the Choral Society and A Cappella Choir, in addition to singing by the entire student body.

ORDERED MORE HIGHWAY SALT

The weekend's stormy weather caused the use of many tons of salt, and another 100 tons has been ordered for the town.

The freezing rain and sleet conditions resulted in the use of more sand and salt than would be the case in a snow storm, according to town officials.

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Christmas Music

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Organist and Director, Mary F. Lanigan.

West Parish Church

10:30 a.m.

Service of Worship

The Rev. Howard A. Andrews, Pastor.
Karl Paul Donfreid, Director of Christian Education.

Mrs. Hans Barber, Organist.
Robert G. Goodwin, Choirmaster.

Organ Prelude
"To Shepherds as they Watched by Night" Bach
"A Babe is Born in Bethlehem" Bach

Organ Introit
"Of the Father's Love Begotten" 13th Century, Plainsong

Choral Introit
"A Child This Day is Born" Ilse

Senior Choir anthem:
"Let Carols Ring" Swedish Melody, arr. Black

"Gesu Bambino" Yon (Soloist, Oscar Vaughan, bass-baritone)

"Great and Glorious" Haydn

Junior Choir anthem:
"Sing We Noel" French Carol

Organ Postlude
"O Hail This Brightest Day of Days" Bach

7:30 p.m.
Service of Scripture, Music, and Drama

Organ Prelude
Three French Christmas Compositions:

"A Joyous Christmas Song" Gevaert

"Trumpets in Dialogue" Clerambault

"Noel in G" Daquin

Choral Introit
"All My Heart This Night Rejoices" Ebeling

Junior Choir Anthems
"Angels O'er the Fields Were Flying" French Carol

"Coventry Carol" 15th Century, English

Anthem by the Combined Choirs
"Sing Gloria" Davis

Solo
"The Birthday of a King" Neidlinger

William L. Gilford, baritone

Organ Postlude
"Fugue on the Kyrie" Couperin

Free Church
Sunday, December 24 - 10:15 a.m.

Prelude
"Good News From Heaven The Angels Bring" Pachelbel

"Une Vierge Pucelle" Le Begue

Anthems
"And The Glory of the Lord" Handel

"Glory To God in the Highest" Bach

Offertory
"Sing We Noel" French Carol

Sunday, December 24 - 11:00 p.m.

Prelude
"In Dulci Jubilo" Bach

"Dialogue" Clerambault

"Puer Natus in Bethlehem" Buxtehude

"A Lovely Rose Is Blooming" Brahms

"Pastoral Symphony" Handel

Carols on the Chimes
"O Holy Night" Adam

Introit
"Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" Traditional

Carol Anthems
"How Far Is It To Bethlehem" Shaw

"The Angels Song" Tschesnokov

"Now The Holy Child Is Born" Kelley

Offertory
"Gesu Bambino" Yon

Ballard Vale United Church
Sunday, December 24, 1961
11:00 a.m.

Bertrand Muller, Organist and Choir Director.

The Organ Prelude
"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" Bach

"Choral Prelude on Green-sleeves" Rowley

"Pastoral Symphony" from Handel

The Hymn
"O come all ye faithful"

The Call to Worship
The Advent Wreath Prayer

The Collect.
The Silent Meditation

The Lord's Prayer
The Anthem

"I wonder as I wander" Appalachian carol

The Responsive Reading
The Gloria Patri

The Scripture Reading
The Pastoral Prayer

The Reception of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory
"The Holly and the Ivy"

The Hymn 92
"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear"

The Sermon
"Unity with Christ"

The Hymn 100
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

The Benediction
The Organ Postlude

"In Dulci Jubilo" Bach

Andover Baptist Church
Music Program Dec. 24, 1961

Organ Preludes
Offertory on Two Christmas Hymns

Puer Natus Est
Senior Choir Anthem

"Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings"

Junior Choir Anthem
"Adoration of the Magi" Rozsa

Solo: Mrs. Arthur Weaver, soprano
"Come Unto Him" Handel

Organ Postlude

Christmas
Mrs. Ralph Gilbreath, Organist.

Mrs. H. Allison Morse, Choir Director.

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Christmas Music

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Christ Church
Christmas Eve
Candlelight Service

Preludes
"Noel" Le Beque
Variations on an old Carol Tune Shaw

Processional: Hymn 12
"Adeste Fideles" Wade

Carols
"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" English Melody
"The First Nowell" Traditional

"What Child is This?" Greensleeves
"God Rest You Merry" London Melody
"Away in a Manger" Kirkpatrick

Kyrie Eleison Merbecke
Anthem
"Holy Night, Peaceful Night" Hawley

Sermon Hymn 21
"O Little Town of Bethlehem" Redner

Sanctus Merbecke
"Gloria In Excelsis Deo" French Carol Melody
Recessional: Hymn 27
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn

Postlude
"Hallelujah Chorus" Handel
Family Service
"Filling Of The Creche"

Prelude
"Christmas Chorale" Pachelbel

Processional: Hymn 1
"Come, thou long expected Jesus" Witt

Filling Of The Creche
The Christmas Story
Preparation of the Stable: Hymn 12
"Adeste Fideles" Wade

The Coming of the Family: Hymn 21
Redner

"O Little Town of Bethlehem" Grueber
The Birth of Jesus: Hymn 33

"Silent Night, Holy Night" The Visit of the Shepherds: Hymn 36
Greensleeves

"What Child is This?" The Visit of the Magi: Hymn 30
Traditional

"The First Nowell" The Offertory: Hymn 19
English Melody

"It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" The Children's Offertory Procession

Offertory Anthems
"Go Ye to Bethlehem" Spanish Carol

"Sing We Noel" French Carol
Recessional: Hymn 27
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn

Postlude
"Postlude" Pachelbel
Morning Prayer and Sermon

Prelude
"Chorale Prelude" Pachelbel

Processional: Hymn 1
"Come, thou long expected Jesus" Witt

Venite Rimbault
Benedictus Es Randall
Benedictus Turle

Anthem
"Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord" Garrett
Sermon Hymn 5
"Lo! He comes, with clouds Descending" Wade
Recessional: Hymn 2
"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" Helmore

Postlude
"Postlude" Pachelbel
The Rev. J. Edison Pike, Rector.
The Rev. James E. Wolfe, Curate,
Irvin T. Wilkinson, Organist and
Choirmaster.

The North Parish Church
10:15 a.m.

Prelude
"In Dulci Jubilo" Bach
Organ
"Andante Religioso" Thome
"Chanson Triste" Tchaikowsky

Violin - Organ
Carol - The Junior Choir
"Angels We Have Heard On High" Old French

Hymn
"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

Invitation to Worship
Anthem - Junior and Senior Choirs
"Christmas Hymn" Yungst

The Reading
Carol - The Senior Choir
"There were Shepherds" Vincent

The Prayer - Choral Response
Solos from the Messiah: Handel
"He shall feed his flocks"

Mrs. Rita Martone
"Come Unto Him"

Mrs. Virginia Carlson
The Offertory
"The Birthday of a King" Neidlinger

Mrs. Kocher - Mrs. Chappell - Mrs. Martone
Hymn
"We Three Kings of Orient Are"

Sermon
"Great Expectation"

Hymn
"Ring, oh Ring, Ye Christmas Bells"

Benediction With Choral Amen
Postlude
"Noel" D'Aquin

Rev. Ernest A. Brown Jr., Minister.
Mrs. Alberta Mathieson, Organist and Director.

Mr. Rosario Esile, Violinist.
The Senior Choir - The Junior Choir.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church
Christmas Eve

Caroling before Midnight Mass, by Children's Choir.

"The First Noel"

"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"

"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

"Joy To The World"

Midnight Low Mass

Kyrie
"Ad Libitum" Gregorian

Offertory
"O Come All Ye Faithful"

Sanctus and Benedictus Gregorian
Agnus Dei

"Ad Libitum" Gregorian
Communion
"Away In The Manger"

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Bowling will resume Dec. 20. CALL AD TAKER GR 5-194

"Silent Night"
Recessional
"Hark the Herald Angels Sing"
Violet Kfoury, choir director and organist.
Christmas Day - High Mass 9 a.m.
Music by the Glee Club of Our Lady of Nazareth Academy, Wakefield.

TB Germs Don't Behave Like Others

Research scientists are still baffled, bothered and bewildered by TB germs, which don't act like thousands of other germs when they enter the human body. That's why the Essex County Health Association annually supports national research projects, in which scientists are trying to find a preventative for the disease.

Through the Christmas Seal campaign, the Association is able to provide funds for research projects, in concert with hundreds of other TB associations.

The scientists are trying to unravel the puzzle:

Why don't TB germs do what other germs do?

For instance, when disease attacks humans, the body normally produces what we know as "antibodies." In most diseases, these "anti-bodies" prevent a second attack if the body is invaded by the germs a second time. But TB germs are stubborn - no "antibodies" - no immunity against a second attack.

Since 1920, the National Tuberculosis Association has been providing grants for doctors and other scientists to continue their research - in all, some \$3,700,000 has been appropriated by the national organization for grants in the research field.

And since its inception in Essex County 37 years ago, the Essex County Health Association has been supporting this work actively.

In the belief that research holds the final key to the elimination of tuberculosis, the Association's Board of Directors continues its support.

But as is the way with research, there's no telling when the breakthrough will occur.

For example, research scientists have long been able to put TB germs in a test tube, introduce certain drugs, and kill the germs.

Sounds like a simple cure. But it doesn't work with people. The germs, treated with the same drugs, grow fat, happy and better under the medication. That's just one of the puzzling facts scientists have discovered - and they want to know why this should be so.

According to the Essex County Health Association, residents of 31 cities and towns, including Andover, will be helping doctors to find out, through their donations for Christmas Seals.

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At that time they, with their two small children, will journey to Africa to take up their work.

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Mr. Harper's mother, Mrs. Isabelle Harper, has come here also, and the family home has been established at 23 Bartlet st.

The Harpers will be missionary representatives of the South Church and will continue to maintain their home here.

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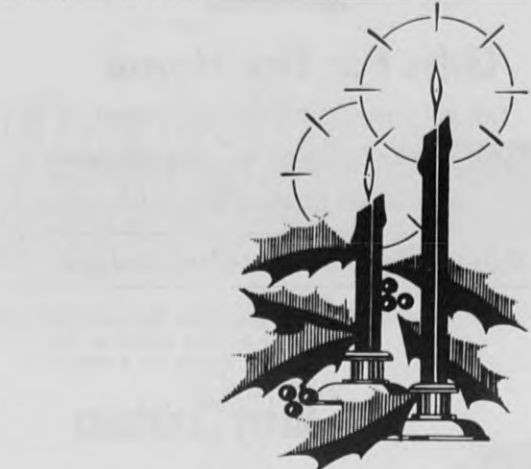
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Any changes that have been mutually agreed upon by the two committees can be presented

separately.

Thus the major problem confronting the two groups - changes in the meaning of the by-laws accompanied by changes in format and wording - appears to have been solved.

In previous drafts of proposed revisions, the Planning Board and revision committee have not agreed on changes in meaning, resulting from the attempt to improve the presentation of the material.



It's the season for wishes to come true . . . may it find, all of your pleas to the wishing well fulfilled . . .

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Free Movie At Playhouse

All Andover children are invited to attend a free pre-Christmas movie by the Andover Playhouse, on the morning of Saturday, Dec. 23, at 9 or 11 o'clock.

Tickets are being distributed to the children in public, private and parochial schools of Andover. Either of the shows may be attended by any ticket holder.

The management of the Playhouse is repeating a practice which had its beginning 44 years ago.

MAIL AHEAD OF LAST YEAR

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The carriers in the main office have been delivering their own routes, but part-time assistance was made available yesterday.

Mr. Mooney said the once-a-day delivery has been smooth, despite the fact that there have been twice-



Merry Christmas

This Christmas season, let us commemorate the birth of Christ by rededicating ourselves to his teachings of brotherhood - Peace on Earth, Good Will to All Men.

Douglas N. Howe

MAIN STREET ANDOVER

daily deliveries in other years, utilizing the part-time employees.

In total, it is anticipated that no more than 25 persons will be employed part-time this year. Mr. Mooney noted that many more than this number have requested work.

The schedule for the remainder of the week calls for regular deliveries through Saturday. Only special delivery will be delivered Sunday or on Christmas.

K. OF C. BUYS 6-ACRE SITE

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the structure will be built with sports in mind - with ample room for basketball and other sports. The facilities also would be available for use by outside organizations, it is understood, as is the K. of C. facility in Methuen.

The actual purchase of the land is awaiting clearance of the title. As soon as this is accomplished the Council plans to go forward as quickly as possible with its construction phase.

One of the necessary requirements, before action can be taken, is an Appeals Board hearing on a variance, allowing this activity in a residential zone.

TO APPOINT DIRECTOR

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he commented that his recommendation will be presented to the Selectmen for their approval, so that the person can be appointed prior to March.

The town has advertised the job in national recreation publications, and men from all over the country have applied for the job.

Junior High Girls Made Stuffed Toys

A group of seventh grade Junior High School girls made stuffed toys in their sewing classes. The toys will be distributed to children in hospitals by the Junior Red Cross.

The following girls made dolls: Jacqueline Penny, Wendy Prodan, Judy Lynch, Valerie Gardner, Barbara Roberge, Lynda MacLeish, Teresa Eckerman, Marlene Carter, Linda Dudek, Michelle Dudek, Elaine Hopkins, Nancy Howe, Mary Breck.

Also Sally Birdsall, Phyllis Mailloux, Karen Hanson, Dorothy Theberge, Lorraine LeSage, Lynn Demers, Agnes Walsh, Lynn Sabagh, Jane Stewart, Patricia Ottaviano, Maureen Carlsen, Penny Huff, Catherine Fitzgerald and Pam Porter.

Pack 75 Held Christmas Party

Cubs of Pack 75 invited their parents as guests at their Christmas party last Saturday afternoon in Knights of Columbus Hall.

Awards were presented at the meeting, under the direction of Cub Master Stephen Karba, as-

sisted by assistant Cub Master Robert Herrick and treasurer William Earley.

The following Den mothers were in charge of the program: Mrs. Marguerite Bourbeau, Mrs. Barbara Legros, Mrs. Kay Fleming, Mrs. Frances James, Mrs. Joyce Rossito, Mrs. Lorraine Tetra and Mrs. Theresa Burbine.

Merit Badges To Troop 75 Scouts

The following scouts of Boy Scout Troop 75 were presented merit badges by a Court of Honor at the troop's last meeting:

James Devine, Scholarship; Francis Kearns, Citizenship; Home, Scholarship; Music; Robert Richards, Scholarship.

The Court also promoted John Kearns to the rank of second class scout, Daniel Wefers to first class and Francis Kearns to Star Scout.

The meeting then continued with instruction in Morse Code and first aid.

Officers Elected By Knowledge Seekers

Mrs. Arthur Levesque of New st. entertained members of the 4-H Knowledge Seekers recently.

The following were elected to office for the coming year: Joseph Mottolo, president; Marie Levesque, vice president; Marie Levesque, secretary; Theresa Levesque, treasurer; Stephen Keary, representative.

The object of the club is to have the members to enroll in positive gardening, junior leadership and other phases of agricultural activity.

Arthur Levesque is assistant leader of the Club.

60 Attended Children's Party

The West Andover Community Association held its Christmas party in the North District School last Sunday afternoon.

Over 60 children attended festivities, which included a decorated tree and a visit from Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthews of Richmond Hill, Long Island, N.Y. recently spent a few days with the former's mother, Mrs. Newman Matthews of High Plain.



MISS MARTHA W. ALLEN

Engagements

Ross - Allen

Mr. and Mrs. Philip K. Allen of Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Winthrop Allen, to John Drake Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Ross of Boston and West Falmouth.

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The wedding will take place Jan. 6, at 2 o'clock, in North Tewksbury First Baptist Church.

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Higgins - Swanton
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Swanton
of Andover announce the engage-
ment of their daughter, Barbara
M., to John Robert S. Higgins,
son of Mrs. John H. Higgins,
of Upper Montclair, N. J.

Miss Swanton graduated from
Bates College and is employed
at the Essex Savings Bank.

Mr. Higgins also graduated from
Bates College and is now attending
the Andover-Newton Theological
School.

No date has been set for the
wedding.

Lewis - Anderson
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson
of Andover announce the engage-
ment of their daughter, Donna
Lee, to Gordon Cogswell Lewis
Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon

C. Lewis of Melrose.

Miss Anderson is a senior at
Bay Path Junior College in Spring-
field.

Mr. Lewis is a student at the
University of Massachusetts and
is a member of Theta Chi.

No date has been set for the
wedding.

Regan - Smith
Miss Deborah Louise Smith,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron
Hobart Smith of Johnson rd., has
chosen Saturday, Jan. 6, as the
date for her marriage to James
P. Regan, son of Dr. and Mrs.
James R. Regan of Watutosa,
Wisc.

The ceremony will take place
at 4 p.m. in St. Michael's Church,
North Andover, and a buffet re-
ception will follow.

Miss Smith is a graduate of
Abbot Academy and Bryn Mawr
College, cum laude, last June.

Mr. Regan is a graduate of
Marquette University and the
Wharton School of Banking and
Finance of the University of
Pennsylvania. He is associated
with the Security First National
Bank of Los Angeles, Cal.

TRIES OUT FOR HOCKEY TEAM

Daniel B. Hogan, 4 Woodland
rd., is a candidate for the fresh-
man hockey team at Yale Univer-
sity.

Hogan prepared for Yale at
Exeter Academy, where he was a
member of the varsity soccer,
hockey and golf teams. In addition
he was president of the senior
class.

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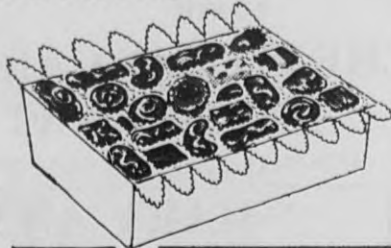
George J. Torres, 58 Prospect rd., attended a community leaders' seminar on the United Nations and world affairs sponsored by the

Foreign Policy Association-World Affairs Center, Friday, Dec. 8 in New York City.

Mr. Torres is Personnel Relations assistant of the Western Electric Company.



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Led by staff officers of the United States Mission to the United Nations, the program included discussions of the role of the United States in the United Nations, the economic and social aspects of the United States foreign policy, and the role of the United Nations in this field. An informal talk was also given by Max Finger, senior advisor of the United States Delegation to the United Nations. Mr. Richard S. Winslow, Vice-President, National Services of the Foreign Policy Association - World Affairs Center, was chairman of the sessions.

Ernest Comeau Jr. of Lovejoy rd. left by plane Sunday for Montreal, Canada, where he will spend a few days.

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Santa Will Arrive Early

Santa Claus, as indicated in this newspaper two weeks ago, may pay an early visit to some local youngsters - with the cooperation of their parents.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is taking an active part in this early visitation, arranging with parents for the appearance of the jolly Old Gentleman.

Those interested in having Santa come to their homes Sunday, between 1 and 5, can make arrangements as to gifts and other necessary transactions with members of the Jaycees.

President Gerald Silverman and members of the organization will be at special "gift drops", at the Elm Farms store and the Andover Finance Co. office, Thursday through Saturday. All gifts for Santa to deliver should be plainly addressed, the Jaycees emphasize.

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A small fee will be requested by the Jaycees to help defray Santa's expenses in making the special trip a few hours earlier than usual.

Radios Will Be Installed

A base radio station, with mobile units, will be purchased and installed by the town with City of Defense matching funds.

Town Manager Thomas E. Duff says clearance from one more community, which uses the same frequency, must be obtained. The town can buy and set up the units.

The base station will be in town hall, and mobile units will be installed in vehicles designated by the manager. These presumably would include department heads who must be in more or less constant contact with the town.

Clearance from several towns and cities, as far as the frequency is concerned, has already been received. Mr. Duff identified one missing community as Manchester, N. H., but said there should be no trouble in gaining approval.

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Registrar Comments On Highway Safety

From now until Christmas most persons become an active part of the hustle and bustle and excitement associated with the holiday. Unfortunately, this spirit and elation can be dangerous to motorists and pedestrians who relax their safety thinking even momentarily, warns Registrar of Motor Vehicles, Clement A. Riley.

"It is sheer tragedy when the joyous sounds of Christmas music and tinkling bells give way to shrieking police and ambulance sirens because of the carelessness of a motor vehicle driver or a pedestrian," said the Registrar.

"December is our most dangerous traffic month. Last year 61 persons were killed and more than 10,000 others seriously injured in accidents caused principally by inadequate traction, reduced visibility, and sudden temperature changes.

"Each driver and pedestrian must consider the possibility of these sudden and abrupt differences in traffic and highway conditions," cautioned Mr. Riley.

"Preparedness is the best insurance against accidents and as Registrar, I urge every driver to keep vehicle lights, windshield wipers, and defroster in effective working order. This will help to see other vehicles and also to be seen."

"Since tire chains may be needed in heavy snow and icy surfaces, or in hilly areas to assure traction and prevent traffic blockades and skidding accidents, they should be readily available to cope with these conditions."

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From now until Christmas most persons become an active part of the hustle and bustle and excitement associated with the holiday. Unfortunately, this spirit and excitement can be dangerous to motorists and pedestrians who rely on their safety thinking, even momentarily, warns Registrar of Motor Vehicles, Clement A. Riley. "It is sheer tragedy when the joyous sounds of Christmas music and tinkling bells give way to shrieking police and ambulance sirens because of the carelessness of a motor vehicle driver or a pedestrian," said the Registrar. "December is our most dangerous traffic month. Last year 61 persons were killed and more than 10,000 others seriously injured in accidents caused principally by inadequate traction, reduced visibility, and sudden temperature changes.

"Each driver and pedestrian must consider the possibility of these sudden and abrupt differences in traffic and highway conditions," cautioned Mr. Riley. "Preparedness is the best insurance against accidents and as Registrar, I urge every driver to keep vehicle lights, windshield wipers, and defroster in effective working order. This will help to see other vehicles and also to be seen.

"Since tire chains may be needed in heavy snow and icy surfaces, or in hilly areas to assure traction and prevent traffic blockades and skidding accidents, they should be readily available to cope with these conditions."

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Flowers at the West Parish Church last Sunday morning were the gift of the Bravacos family, in memory of John Bravacos.

Church Guild Elected Officers

The regular monthly meeting of the Ballard Vale United Church Guild was held in the vestry. Mrs. Russell Hall had charge of the devotional service. It was voted to give a sum of money to the church.

The nominating committee, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Robert Demers and Mrs. William Batchelder, submitted the following report for 1962, which was accepted: president, Mrs. Richard Sherry; vice president, Mrs. James Letters; recording secretary, Mrs. J. Elwyn Russell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. William McIntyre; treasurer, Mrs. Robert Mears; historian, Mrs. George Nason; remembrance, Mrs. Robert Mitchell; membership, Mrs. Albert Warner; devotions, Mrs. Herbert Peterson; custodian, Mrs. Alfred Webb; social, Mrs. William Batchelder and Mrs. Alfred Webb.

Missionary, Mrs. George Davison and Mrs. William McIntyre; banquet, Mrs. Willard Myers and Mrs. Robert Demers; program, Mrs. Wendell Minnigh, Mrs. Curtis Scholtz, Mrs. Robert Demers, Mrs. Joseph Serio, Mrs. Henry Meyers, Mrs. William Batchelder and Mrs. John Wilson; ways and means, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Raymond O'Donnell, Mrs. William Mosher, Mrs. James Letters, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Winford Farr and Mrs. Frank Froburg; nominating, Mrs. William Maruzzi, chairman, Mrs. Neal Mitton, Mrs. Ernest Hall and Mrs. William MacCausland.

The Cheer bags were turned in for patients at the Tewksbury State Hospital.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Froburg, Mrs. Henry Meyers and Mrs. Frank Green.

Mrs. Lina Strain of Malden spent the weekend with Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd.

IN JAPAN

James J. Ryan Jr., seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Ryan, 71 Chestnut st., arrived in Yokosuka, Japan, Dec. 2, aboard the heavy cruiser USS Los Angeles for a 14-day stay. During the visit, many of the crewmen plan to visit Tokyo and its famed Ginza shopping area.

The 17,000-ton cruiser, flagship of Commander Cruiser Division One, is on a seven-month

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LEGALS

TOWN OF ANDOVER Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, second floor, Andover, Mass., on Thursday, January 4, 1962 at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of ANDOVER-SHAWSHOEN REALTY CORP., for a variance from the requirements of Article 8, Sections 9 & 4 of the Zoning By-law to allow a lot with less frontage than required by the Zoning By-law, and to allow a two-family house to be moved onto Lot 51, Assessors' Map 34, Shepley Street, Shawshoehn.

BOARD OF APPEALS
Alfred W. Fuller, Chairman

14-21

TOWN OF ANDOVER Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, second floor, Andover, Mass., on Thursday, January 4, 1962 at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of DENNIS & ALICE MCCARTHY for a variance from the requirements of the Zoning By-law under Article 8, Section 9 to allow the moving of a dwelling on a lot with less frontage than required by the Zoning By-law and shown as Lot 35 on Assessors' Map 34, Binney Street.

BOARD OF APPEALS
Alfred W. Fuller, Chairman

14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 266540

Essex, ss.

To THE MERRIMACK VALLEY NATIONAL BANK of Haverhill and LOUIS S. FINGER and HALBERT W. DOW, both of Andover, and all in the County of Essex, as they are Executors under the will of MARGARET GRINDELL TOWLE late of

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A petition has been presented to said Court by LUCIE LASSUS-HARDY of said Andover praying that the Court determine the ownership of certain property described therein and for other and further relief as set forth in said petition.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file in said Court at Salem a written appearance and answer or other legal pleading, within twenty-one days after the second day of January 1962, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of November 1961.

JOHN J. COSTELLO Register.

7-14-21

TOWN OF ANDOVER Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, second floor, Andover, Mass., on Thursday, January 4, 1962 at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of RICHARD E. MERRILL for a variance from the requirements of Article 8, Section (9) of the Zoning By-laws to allow a dwelling to be erected on a lot with less frontage than required by the Zoning By-laws land shown as Lots 57 & 58 Assessors' Map 108, Rolling Ridge Road.

BOARD OF APPEALS
Alfred W. Fuller, Chairman

14-21

TOWN OF ANDOVER Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, second floor, Andover, Mass., on Thursday, January 4, 1962 at 7:30 p.m. on the petition of SALVATORE & RUBY C. ZAPPALA for a variance from the requirements of Article 8, Section 4 of the Zoning By-law to allow the operation of a Beauty Salon in a Single Residence District as shown on Lot 6, Assessors' Map 154, 58 Lovejoy Road.

BOARD OF APPEALS
Alfred W. Fuller, Chairman

14-21

Historical Society Held Open House

To celebrate the holiday season, the Andover Historical Society held its annual Open House at the Amos Blanchard House Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 8 p.m.

A selection of readings and poetry by Mrs. William H. Harding and organ music by Mr. Donald Amy preceded the singing of Christmas Carols, followed by traditional Christmas refreshments.

The Amos Blanchard House will again be decorated for the occasion by members of the Andover Garden Club.

Morse Names Advisory Board

Congressman Brad Morse of Lowell has announced the appointment of his impartial Military Academy Advisory Board, which will convene Friday and Saturday to interview eligible applicants for the Congressman's nomination to West Point, Annapolis, the Air Force Academy, and the Merchant Marine Academy at King's Point, N. Y.

Dr. Andrew J. Torrielli of Belmont will chair the Board. Professor Robert B. Kent, of Lexington, a member of the law faculty of the Boston University Law School, and Attorney Howard H. Lowell will also serve on the Board.

The Academy Advisory Board will make final recommendations to the Congressman for appointment to the service military academies. Those young men who have successfully completed the preliminary aptitude examination standards, will be interviewed by the Board in the Congressman's Lowell office.

The Congressman indicated his final selections will be announced in mid-January.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 270592

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOSEPH F. GURRY, 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 and testament of said JOSEPH F. GURRY, of Andover in the County of Essex, and OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their 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 eighth day of January 1962, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of December, 1961.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 270394

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM R. EDWARDS 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 MARJORIE P. EDWARDS of Andover in the County of Essex, 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-sixth day of December 1961, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of December 1961.

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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 eighth day of January 1962, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of December, 1961.
JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
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Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of December 1961.
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by BARBARA R. HART of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation established in Andover, Massachusetts, dated July 30, 1958, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds book 877, page 215, for breach of conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, and in accordance with a decree of Land Court (case No. 34952-Misc.) will be sold at public auction on the mortgage premises on Monday afternoon, January 15, 1962, at two o'clock, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, the land with the buildings thereon situated in said Andover on the easterly side of Salem Street, and being lot numbered one on a plan entitled "Plan of Land Belonging to LENA S. SCHERNER, Andover, Mass., D. W. CLARK, C. E.", being recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 478, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of said Lot No. 1 on said Salem Street and land now or formerly of Gray; thence north 34 degrees 30' east by said Gray land one hundred eighty-two feet to a point; thence north 37 degrees 15' west by land now or formerly of Ward one hundred thirty-six feet; thence south 83 degrees 50' west forty-nine feet to Salem Street; thence south 6 degrees 10' east by said Salem Street two hundred fifty-three and 9/10 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 17,802 square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagor and her late husband, EZRA D. HART, as Joint Tenants, by deed of AMY GORDON TAFT, dated December 1, 1945, recorded in said Registry Book 679, Page 115. EZRA D. HART died February 7, 1954, and said mortgagor made title to the above described premises as surviving joint tenant. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and to any other municipal assessments. A deposit of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750) will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK
by Winthrop Newcomb, Treasurer,
Mortgagee.
Tomlinson & Hatch, Attys,
301 Essex Street,
Lawrence, Mass. 21-28-4
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 196106
Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of ELIZABETH S. REED, late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of JANE McLEAN DEVANEY AND OTHERS:

The twelfth to fifteenth accounts, inclusive, of said trust, have been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of December 1961, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November 1961.
JOHN J. COSTELLO Register
7-14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 270394
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM R. EDWARDS late of Andover in said County, deceased.

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Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of December 1961.
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901 Essex Street
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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS: SEALED BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF EACH OF SIX DWELLINGS ON LAYOUT 5056 IN THE TOWN OF ANDOVER, AS LISTED BELOW, WILL BE RECEIVED IN ROOM 427, 100 NASHUA STREET, BOSTON, UNTIL 11:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1961, AND THEN PUBLICLY OPENED AND READ ALOUD IN ROOM 406, IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER.

Parcel 9-99

A 1 1/2 story wood frame dwelling with detached garage, located at 438 North Main Street, Andover, formerly owned by John J. Jr. and Katherine M. Collins. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,200)

Parcel 9-19

A 1 story wood frame dwelling, located at 6 Franklin Avenue, Andover, formerly owned by Albert K. and Isabelle Leavitt. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,500)

Parcel 9-44

A 1 1/2 story wood frame dwelling, located at 70 Magnolia Avenue, Andover, formerly owned by Raymond and Rita T. Arsenault. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,200)

Parcel 9-32

A 2 1/2 story wood frame dwelling with detached garage and summer house, located at 68 Magnolia Avenue, Andover, formerly owned by William C. and Jane W. Watson. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,500)

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A 2 story wood frame duplex house and detached 2 car wood garage, located at 13 Fletcher Street, Andover, formerly owned by Nicholas F. & Mary A. Caruso. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,000)

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A 2 story wood frame duplex house located at 12 and 14 Fletcher Street, Andover, formerly owned by Demers Realty Company. (minimum acceptable bid \$1,000)

Bids must be submitted on a Department form and accompanied by Form P-83. Forms are available:

1. At Massachusetts Dept. of Public Works, Room 525, 100 Nashua Street, Boston.
2. At Andover Building Inspector's Office.
3. On the premises, Tuesday, December 19, 1961 and Wednesday, December 20, 1961, from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., at which time the structures will be open to Public Inspection.

By JACK P. RICCIARDI, Commissioner of Public Works

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TOWN OF ANDOVER
Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, second floor, Andover, Mass., on Thursday, January 4, 1962 at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of FREDERICK W. BRADLEY for a variance from the requirements of the Zoning By-law, Article 8, Sections 9 & 4 to allow a lot with less frontage than required by the Zoning By-law and to allow a two-family house to be moved onto Lot 116, Assessors' Map 54, Stevens Street.

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A YEAR-ROUND GIFT
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STUFFED TOYS — Seventh grade girls at the Junior High made stuffed toys, as part of a project in their sewing classes. The toys are being distributed to hospitals, through the Junior Red Cross. Here, a group of the girls places the toys on exhibition before they are packed for delivery. The girls are Judith DeQuattro, Gretchen Currier, Catherine Roehrig, Paula Leszczynski, Helen Gaunt, Donna Demers and Barbara Sorrie.

DAR Heard A Cappella Choir

The Christmas meeting of Priscilla Abbot Chapter, D.A.R., was held at the home of Mrs. Edwin Lewis, on Pasho st., and in spite of the inclement weather a large number of members were present. As the program of music was given by a group of high school girls under the direction of Keith Gould, the business meeting of the Chapter was held at 2 o'clock. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Edward Thompson, vice-regent, as Mrs. Edwin Otto, the regent, was ill and unable to attend. Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Mrs. Ernest Edmands, and the patriotic exercises were led by Mrs. Roland Weeks.

The President-General's message was read by Mrs. J. Keith Jones, and the secretary's and treasurer's report by Mrs. Harry Donovan and Mrs. William Trow were read and accepted. Mrs. Leo O'Connor read articles on National Defense, one of which claimed that if each patriotic person prevailed on one other person to believe in Americanism, there would be millions in the country who would be for the peace of the world. Mrs. A. Marshall Jones, chairman of the American Indians committee said that there seemed to be much more interest being taken in the Indians than formerly.

It has been voted by the four chapters of D.A.R., which are sponsoring a Children of the American Revolution chapter in this vicinity, to name the chapter the Colonel Samuel Osgood chapter. Mr. Osgood was a resident of North Andover, it being part of Andover in Revolutionary times.

Messages and Christmas greetings were received from Mrs. Herbert McQuesten of North Andover, and Mrs. Roland Glines of West Newbury, N. H., the latter being, at one time, chaplain of Priscilla Abbot chapter.

Mrs. O'Connor then introduced Mr. Gould and the group of young ladies who are part of the A Cappella Choir of the high school. They sang three numbers, "Lo How A Rose E'er Blooming", "Birthday of a King", and "Winter Wonderland".

Refreshments were served after the meeting by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. O'Connor and Mrs. John Kenyon. The dining room was prettily decorated with a small Christmas tree and greenery, and the refreshments were in the red and green so appropriate to the season.

Members of the Chapter brought gifts for the Hillside School in Marlborough, which will be dis-

tributed by Mrs. John Murray, who is the chairman of the D.A.R. Schools committee.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 9 at the home of Mrs. J. Keith Jones, 11 Washington ave.

Winter Starts At 9:20 Tonight

Weather permitting, a full moon will be shining in the sky to welcome this year's official arrival of winter, according to the Charles Hayden Planetarium at Boston's Museum of Science.

The winter season will get underway at exactly 9:20 this evening. This date also marks the shortest day of 1961.

Ever since the beginning of summer, our days have been getting shorter and our nights longer. From the 21st on, the situation will be reversed.

What's happening is that since last June the sun has been moving a bit further towards the south each day. At 9:20 tonight it will have reached its most southerly point and will begin to move northward.

In the southern hemisphere the seasons are reversed. Dec. 21, people in that part of the world will be having their longest day



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of 1961 and will be entering their summer season.

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Father-Son Night Next Wednesday

The annual Fathers and Sons night of the South Church Men's Club will be held Wednesday, Dec. 27.

An excellent program has been arranged and the guest speaker will be Johnny Pesky, former star shortstop and third baseman of the Boston Red Sox. A player with the Red Sox in the 1940 and early 1950 era, Pesky spent a few years with the Detroit Tigers and then returned to the Red Sox where for the past two seasons he has been manager of their Seattle farm team in the West Coast League.

This promises to be an exciting evening for all fathers and sons attending. They will hear an interesting story about baseball and

will also hear about what the Boston Red Sox have to offer New England fans in the coming baseball season.

Supper will be served at 6:45 p.m. and reservations must be made in advance either with the callers or at the South Church office.

Mr. and Mrs. Panos of Watertown, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Andrews of Burlington and Mr. and Mrs.

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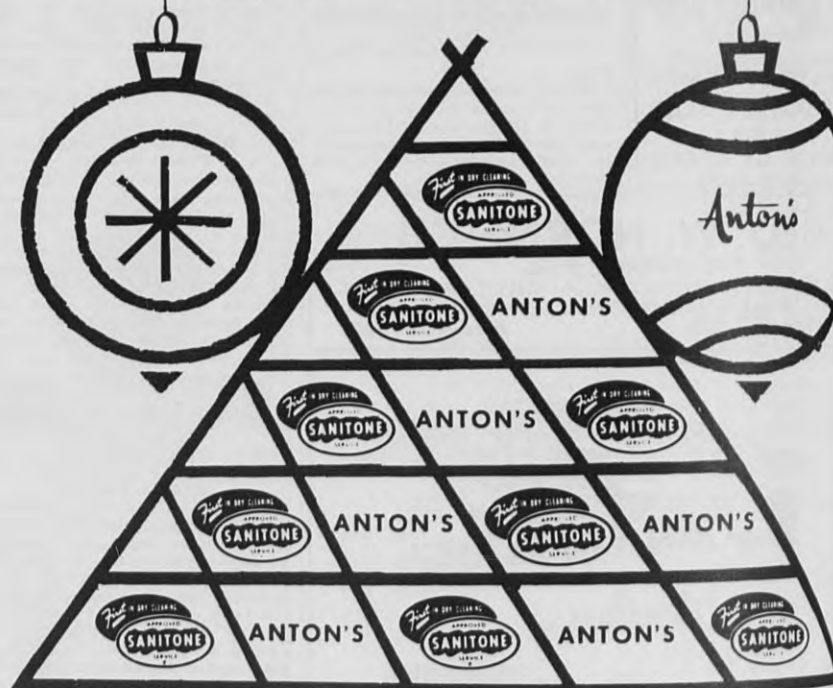


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After Supt. Edward I. Erickson
recommended against putting the
position in the 1962 budget, the
Committee agreed to give the
matter further consideration for
the following year.

It had been suggested by mem-
bers of the Committee that the
superintendent could be relieved
of some business administration
details, by filling the job of busi-
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This, the members felt, would
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