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Developer Offers Cooperation To Solve Problems

United Fund At \$40,000 With More To Come

More than \$40,000 has been raised so far in Andover for the Greater Lawrence United Fund.

Selectman Stafford Lindsay, chairman of the drive here, predicted this week that the total will reach \$50,000 before the drive ends. He said the campaign has not yet been undertaken at Phillips academy and other divisions have not fully reported.

Abbot academy showed a 30 percent increase over last year, Mr. Lindsay reported. The collection

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Anna Greeley Seeks Town Treasurer Post

Atty. Anna M. Greeley, chairman of the school committee, has announced her candidacy for the office of town treasurer in the election next March.

Miss Greeley, a resident of 31 Cheever cir., will thus relinquish her school committee post. Her term expires in March.

The town treasurer's post which she seeks will be vacant next

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Erickson Trophy At Stake In Methuen-Punchard Game



The Erickson Memorial trophy, won two years in a row by Punchard, will again be at stake tomorrow as the Blue Devils meet Methuen at the Methuen stadium. Co-captains Lawrence Lynch and Bill Fisher showed off the prized trophy before practice one day this week.

(Look Photo)

The Erickson Memorial trophy will be at stake tomorrow afternoon when the Blue Devils of Punchard high meet Methuen's Rangers at the Methuen Highfield stadium.

Andover has won the trophy two years in succession.

The Blue Devils boast a season of three wins and a loss while the Methuen eleven has won one and lost four. However, officials at both schools admit that record books are thrown out the window when the two teams meet.

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May Share Cost Of Improving Municipal Utilities On Elm St.

Building Permits Over 2 Million During October

The value of new-building permits issued during October was placed at \$2,425,950 by Building Inspector Ralph Coleman this week.

Of that amount, \$487,000 represents 30 new dwellings while the remainder is for the new high school, office building of the Merrimack Mutual Insurance company in Shawsheen and other construction.

The cost of additions and alterations approved during October was \$32,750, the building inspector said.

New building permits included the new high school, the Merrimack Mutual Insurance company's

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"There's no problem that can't be solved", a member of the Realty Construction company told the planning board Monday night.

Alfred Sartorelli, a Boston attorney and spokesman for the firm, appeared before a planning board meeting to discuss his firm's plans for housing developments off Westwind rd. and in the Flying Feather farm area.

Many other town officials attended the meeting, with considerable interest in the plans for the area which was recently closed to sub-divisions due to utility problems.

Atty. Sartorelli told the meeting that his firm believes conferences with town officials can settle all the major problems that now prevent development of the area - including water, drainage and sewer problems.

Presents Problems

A development of this type -

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The Townsman office will be closed all day Friday, Nov. 11, Veterans' Day.

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Building Inspector Ralph Coleman pointed out this week that 198 new homes were built last year and predicted that the 1954 total will be surpassed in the two months remaining in 1955.

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ESTATE VALUED AT \$13,000

The estate of William G. Thompson is valued at \$13,000, according to his will which was approved recently in Salem probate court. Rowena R. Thompson was named executrix.

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Joan Crawford - Jeff Chandler
2:05 5:30 8:55

GENEVIEVE
Dina Sheridan - Kay Kendall
3:40 7:05

Wednesday thru Saturday
Nov. 16th thru 19th

LEFT HAND OF GOD

Humphrey Bogart - Gene Tierney
2:05 5:30 9:00

PRIZE OF GOLD

Richard Widmark - Mai Zetterling
3:30 7:00

Art Forum At Addison Gallery

The Fine Arts society will present an art forum Nov. 15 at 3 p.m. at Addison gallery, Phillips academy.

Patrick Morgan of the gallery will moderate a discussion on "The Importance of Fine Arts Instruction in the School Curriculum".

Joining the discussion will be Mrs. Alexander Crane, principal of Abbot academy; G. C. Waterston of Brooks school, Mrs. Alecia Atkinson Waterson, artist and teacher; J. H. Murray of Groton school and Gardner Cox of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts school.

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Priscilla Abbot Wouldn't Wash Face After Gen. Washington Bussed It

By KAY NOYES

This lovely old house on Elm st., known as the Abbot-Locke house, was presumably built in the late 1680's and being near the old stage road, attracted many a weary traveler. In 1776, Deacon Abbot petitioned the General Court to be allowed to keep an inn, as the constant feeding and lodging of travelers was putting quite a dent in his budget.

Wouldn't Wash Face

It was in this very house that President Washington created perhaps the first face-washing strike. The story goes that in 1789, shortly after his inauguration, Washington stopped at the Abbot tavern for breakfast. The new president's riding gloves were well worn from his journey and desperately in need of a woman's mending skill. Young Priscilla Abbot, the innkeeper's daughter, recognizing his plight, graciously offered to repair them. In appreciation of her gesture, Washington kissed the young lady on the cheek, and in order to retain the memory of his kiss she refrained from washing her face for several days.

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Another distinguished patron at the Inn was Samuel Osgood, a resident of the No. Parish and a close friend of Gen. Washington, who gained an exalted rank in the United States government, when he was appointed the country's first postmaster general.

Became Postoffice

Until 1795, when the Abbot tavern became Andover's first postoffice and Deacon Isaac Abbot the first postmaster, the mail had been delivered by Samuel Bean, a post rider whose route went from Boston to Londonderry. In 1780, he advertised that he would deliver weekly papers for a period of three months for 16 dollars cash or half a bushel of rye or three pecks of Indian corn. This offer was considered to be very reasonable.

The large colonial farmhouse with its ballroom, shuttered window and unusual paneling ceased to serve as the postoffice in 1825. Although no records can be found of the date of transfer, it could have been around this time that Samuel Locke became the new owner.

New Postmaster

Dr. Nathaniel Swift, whose house is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hill on Central st., became Andover's second postmaster and for many years a front room of his house served as the local post office.

In the years to come, the postoffice changed its location several times. On October 14, 1932, under postmaster Frederick Cheever, the present \$115,000 postoffice building was dedicated at a colorful ceremony with Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers making the dedication address.

The post office has undergone a number of changes since 1795, but strangely enough the first free mail delivery in Andover began only 58 years ago this month. Joseph Blunt, James Feeney and John Burt were the first carriers and served as a sharp contrast to the present carrier force of 14 men. George Chandler was the first rural free delivery carrier and in 1912, the first parcel post system was set up in Andover.

In 1901, when the total stamp sales was \$15,776 the hope was that this community might some day reach the \$75,000 mark and today under Stephen A. Boland, the 19th postmaster, stamp sales for the year of 1954 reached a high of \$144,303. Today, in one month, the total sales are more than double that of the entire year of 1901.

The present marble floored brick structure is a far cry from the rambling white farmhouse with its broad floor boards and graceful stairway which served as the first postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young and their children, Joshua and Timothy, are the present occupants of the stately old house. Mrs. Young is the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Locke, the original Locke occupants, whose descendants have occupied the house ever since.

Hardys Celebrate 40th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Hardy, 46½ High st., celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Nov. 3.

Two daughters, Mrs. Russell MacLeish and Mrs. William Mosher, were hostesses to the couple at a dinner party at Mrs. MacLeish's home on Shawsheen rd.

A gift was presented from the family and a special letter from a son, Airman first class F. Douglas Hardy, was read. He is stationed at Walters Air Force base in Texas.

Centerpiece of the table was a three-tiered wedding cake with white icing and silver scrolls. The couple also received many cards and messages of good wishes from relatives and friends.

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Vale Park Attend S**Concrete Firm Asks Permission To Do Business**

The Acme Concrete has applied for permission to build a concrete storage plant to mix concrete on its property on Fletcher st.

The request will be presented to the board of appeals Monday at 8 in town hall.

The firm owns the property on Fletcher st. built a storage plant the residents of the area, however, objected to the operation of its possible nuisance because heavy trucks would be using Fletcher st.

The selectmen, after receiving these complaints some suspended the firm's business for five days, during that time they looked over the site and also went to Stoneham to see the home site of the company.

Later, the selectmen of town counsel, ruled in favor of the plant. The firm must come before the appeals board. The firm suspended the building at that time but Building Inspector or Ralph Coleman did not suspend. Thus, the exterior construction was complete. Some interior work to be done before the firm would be able to operate from the location.

The company's request for a hearing before the appeals board was received Monday at town hall. After hearing residents of the concrete firm interested citizens, will consider merits of the request and reach a decision. It was explained that one negative will serve to disapprove the request, as state law requires appeals board to reach a decision before any application before it.

UNITED FUND IS AT \$40,000

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The house-to-house fund raised \$2902.65, he broke down into \$1180.00 for precinct one, \$276.50 for precinct two, \$380.85 from precinct three, \$375 from precinct four, \$375 from precinct five and \$375 from precinct six. Miss Barbara, executive secretary of the Red Cross chapter, was in charge of the house-to-house drive.

At The Library**COMING EVENTS**

Nov. 11, Closed for Veterans Day
Nov. 13-20 Book Week at the library

Nov. 13, 3:35 p.m. Contest for young people
Nov. 16, 10 a.m. L. Teners, Robins.

Nov. 17, 10 a.m. L. Teners, Ballardvale
Nov. 19, 10:45 a.m. School all grades.

Nov. 20, 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. House at the library, speaker at 4.

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PERSONAL

Burton Batcheller of Center st. returned home from a week's hunting trip to Northern, N.H. on Sunday.

Five articles totalling \$94,500 will be acted on at the special town meeting Nov. 21 at 8 p.m. in the Memorial auditorium.

In addition to the three school articles, the BPW has inserted a request for \$5000 for an electric pump and motor to replace one that burned out.

Fred W. Doyle seeks another \$5000 to put a water main on Gleason st.

School Projects

The school projects - West, Shawsheen and Ballardvale - will cost \$84,500 if approved by the voters.

The school committee asks for \$7500 to have preliminary plans drawn for a new school in Ballardvale. The West school addition will cost \$45,000 more than the \$175,000 voted last spring and the Shawsheen addition is estimated at \$32,000 over its original estimate of \$85,000.

Get Out The Voters

Ballardvale residents, particularly members of the PTA of the Bradlee school, are already planning means of assuring a quorum at the session. With interest riding high in a new school for the area, plans call for ringing the church bell at 7:15 that night to warn all voters that it is time to go to town meeting.

Baby-sitting service and transportation will also be provided for folks in the Vale.

Members of the PTA pointed out at a recent meeting that all

residents of South Andover will benefit from the new school as children from that area will go to it as will those living right in the Vale.

Residents of other sections of town also have been making plans to attend the meeting.

Officials feel that a quorum will be available, with school problems creating sufficient interest to bring the voters out. They recall that a special town meeting called to discuss drainage problems failed of a quorum while the one summoned for consideration of the new high school problem attracted considerably more than the needed 350 men and women.

Other Articles

The water main article was inserted in the warrant by Mr. Doyle on suggestion of the board of public works. He appeared before that board asking that some means be found to get water on Gleason st. where houses are being built. The board, telling Mr. Doyle that there is currently no money in the water-main budget, suggested that the special town meeting should be asked to appropriate the funds.

Mr. Doyle had offered to pay for some or all of the work if he could be assured that the town would reimburse him later. He was informed that the practice was discontinued some time ago.

The electric pump and motor are used in the pumping station at Haggett's pond. The motor has burned out, according to Engineer Ralph Preble, who heads the department. He explained that the present pump and motor would be used for whatever trade-in value they possess if the town appropriates the money for new ones.

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The volunteers may choose to work with men, women or children, as both hospitals admit members of servicemen's families.

The local chapter has also been seeking a volunteer to take temperatures and do similar work at the rheumatic fever clinic at the No. Reading sanatorium every Tuesday morning from 9-12. The chapter has requested anyone interested to call immediately.

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Members of the Shawsheen school fifth grade presented the chapel program last week. From left to right, front, are Elizabeth Chase, Francis Bleszinski, Doreen Schmidlin, Nancy Campbell, Margaret Hatem, David Robertson, Michael Gordon, Susan Anderson, Beth McGovern, Lisa Thompson, Caroljean Locke. Second row, John Winters, Jackie Tansey, Nancy Drouin, Ann Turner, Carol Dunlop, Cynthia Burleigh, Teddy O'Toole, David Wilson, James Reilly, Kenneth Mailloux, Edith Clark, Penny

Milliken, Third row, George Martin, Judy Groleau, Herbert Westbrook, Nancy North, James Romano, Judith Ledbetter, Janice Colburn, Irene Walsh, Jane Carpentier, Karen Ingenthron, David Noyes, Rear, Arthur Demysere, Kathy Ammon, Gail Dufton, Michael Tangney, Jackie Craig, Robert Drinkhall, Dennis O'Shea, Richard Busby, Ronnie Howard, Jeff Crane, Bruce Schwartz.

(Look Photo)

SPEAKS IN MELROSE

Mrs. C. Edward Buchan, chairman of the Red Cross public information service here, was guest

speaker at the annual meeting of the Melrose Red Cross chapter Oct. 26. She talked on public information and showed slides of the Andover chapter at work.

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Andover Meets Exeter Saturday,
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The two Phillips academies - Andover and Exeter - will meet on the gridiron Saturday at Exeter's Plimpton stadium.

The two teams first met in 1878, with Andover having won 38: Exeter 30 and six have been ties. Andover won the last three games.

In total points scored over the long series, the two teams are nearly equal. Exeter has scored 851 while Andover has tallied 844.

Bill Clark of Exeter and Steve Sorota of Andover have a long tenure of service. Saturday's game will be the 17th between the coaches, who were both appointed head coach in 1939. Sorota's teams have won 10 and Clark's have won five during their tenure. Moreover, Sorota's teams never have failed to score on the Exeter eleven.

Officials at Exeter predict a crowd of 6,000 - stadium capacity - for the traditional game that will close out the football year for both schools.

PERSONALS

Lisa and Peter Prue of Smithfield, R.I. have returned home after spending the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jagger of Hall ave.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Clark rd. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boyd and sons of Leominster.

NOVEMBER CLUB NOTICES

The Dramatic department will meet at the home of Mrs. Leslie Hutchinson, 72 Salem st., Friday, Nov. 11, at 2. N. P. Hallowell Jr., as guest speaker, will talk on "The Problems of Producing a Play."

The first meeting of the Art department will be on Nov. 14 at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Springall on Sunset Rock rd. Miss Miriam Carpenter will speak on "American Primitives".

The Literature department will gather on Wednesday, Nov. 16 at the home of Mrs. Tyler Carlton, 18 Cheever cir. at 3 o'clock. Miss Irene Cooke will review "Laurette" by Marguerite Courtney.

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Campfire-Bluebird Meeting

The second session of the Campfire-Bluebird training course was held Nov. 1 in Reading. The meeting was in the form of a craft session with Mrs. Carol Steele as instructor. The following group of women, active in the Campfire movement, attended the morning meeting. Mrs. Martin Burns, Mrs. Alexander Blamire Jr., Mrs. Higus Asoian, Mrs. Jack Woodworth, Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. William Harnedy, Mrs. Morris Campbell, Mrs. Lynn Southwell, Mrs. Winslow Burleigh, Mrs. William Ammon, Mrs. Philip Riley, Mrs. Paul McKinnon, Mrs. Gordon Lauder and Mrs. James Harris.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 15, at 9:15 a.m. in the form of a coffee hour at the home of Mrs. Gordon Lauder of Enmore st.

Shawsheen Bowling League

The Shawsheen Village Woman's club bowling league, in the early stages of the season, has chalked up the following totals: High triple so far is held by Midge Lowe with 337 which is four points higher than her winning triple of last season. Mrs. Lowe also holds the present high average of 98 and is the captain of the Spitfire team which is, at the present time, the leading team in points won. Lee Baxter holds high single with 129.

Room Mother Meeting

A room-mother meeting was held Nov. 1 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Marjerison on Burnham rd. Mrs. Marjerison and Mrs. Weston Eastman are co-chairmen of the hospitality committee of the Shawsheen Parent Teachers Association and called the meeting to discuss plans for the coming P.T.A. meeting. Those present were Mrs. William Harnedy, Mrs. Joseph Oakes, Mrs. Walter Reynolds, Mrs. Hollis Fowler, Mrs. James Baxter, Miss Anne Harnedy, Mrs. Thomas Marjerison and Mrs. Weston Eastman.

Last Call For Tickets

Anyone interested in attending the performance "Late Love" to be presented this Friday and Saturday evening at the Memorial auditorium by the Shawsheen Village Woman's club should contact Mrs. John Lowe or any member of the dramatic department for a last-minute ticket.

An interesting role will be played by Allan Chadwick, who is well remembered for his performance in the "Curious Savage" which was presented last year by the group. Helen Dooley, as a new comer to the group, does an excellent job. Costumes are being handled by Mrs. Frank Burgess and Mrs. John Guild. The program for the play has been artfully designed by Mrs. Chester Kopatch, who has also sold over 100 tickets.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Green of Haverhill st. are visiting with their son, the Rev. James A. Green and family in St. Albans, Vt.

Mrs. John Donahue of Burnham rd. is visiting in Wilmington.

Mrs. William Schmidlin of Enmore st. is a surgical patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mrs. Leonard Bingham and family of Alaska are visiting with Mrs. Bingham's brother, Malcolm Murphy of Haverhill st.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marjerison and Mr. and Mrs. Weston D. Eastman recently returned from a vacation trip to Baltimore, Md.

Wedding...

POTVIN - WEIR

Miss Eleanor Weir, daughter of Mrs. Lena Weir, 12 Everett st., Lawrence, became the bride of Raymond G. Potvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Potvin, 35 Webster st., at a 1:30 o'clock ceremony Oct. 30, in St. Patrick's church, Lawrence. The Rev. Francis X. Cottrell officiated.

Given in marriage by her brother, Elias Weir, the bride wore a gown of lace over satin styled with fitted bodice of tulle trimmed lace and a bouffant skirt ending in a cathedral length train. Her double-tiered veil of French illusion fell from a crown of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade of white roses centered with pink roses.

The bridal attendants included Mrs. Barbara Koslowski as matron of honor for her sister, Miss Rosemary Lynch and Mrs. Eileen Bourque as bridesmaids. All wore waltz length gowns in ballet blue made on empire lines and wore wreaths of pink and blue carnations and carried cascades of the same flowers.

Miss Kathleen Weir, niece of the bride, as flower girl, wore pink and blue nylon and carried a basket of pink and blue carnations.

Paul Potvin served as best man for his brother and the ushers were Arthur Potvin and Joseph Bourque.

Following a wedding reception with many out of town guests attending, the couple left on a wedding trip to Washington, D.C.

The bride is a graduate of St. Patrick's high school and the Fisher school, Boston. The bridegroom, a graduate of Puncard high school, has been recently discharged from the U. S. Marines.

SALVATION ARMY SEEKS SERVICEMEN'S ADDRESSES

The Salvation Army has requested that all families with sons or daughters in the Armed Forces report their full names and addresses to that organization.

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Church Council Meeting

The Church council of the Ballardvale United church, at its monthly meeting on Monday night, voted to engage Mrs. Gladys Barnett as the new organist.

A recommendation of Steven T. Byington to sponsor a refugee was accepted and a committee will be appointed to investigate and report back by Dec. 1. The council accepted the report of the Evangelism committee to conduct a Church Attendance Crusade from January to Easter. William Maruzzi reported for the Maintenance committee and Mrs. Frank Green for the Finance committee. The stewards were authorized to appoint the nominating committee for the coming year. The Rev. Ralph Rosenblad announced that there will be a Thanksgiving Eve service at 7:30 in the Sanctuary.

Those present were Mrs. Henry Meyers, Ernest Rollins, William Maruzzi, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Perry, the Rev. Ralph Rosenblad, Mrs. Russell Hall, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. Laura Juhlmann, Mrs. Wendall Matheson, Mrs. John Wil-

son, Albert Warner, Joseph Serio, Lewis Nason and Steven Byington.

Tendered Party

Mrs. Alco Taylor's former cub scouts attended the Pack 73 meeting in Christ church recently. This was the last pack meeting for the Vale group and they were presented their Webelos badges, which is the last cub scout badge and the first Boy Scout badge. The boys will attend the meetings of troop 76 and when 11 years of age will become tenderfoot scouts.

Following the pack meeting the den members were guests of Mrs. Taylor at her home on Hall ave. where a Halloween party was held, with decorations in keeping with the season. Songs were sung and games played. Mrs. Taylor presented each boy with a kerchief as a parting gift and the boys presented Mrs. Taylor with a gift in appreciation of the work she did for them as Den Mother.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Taylor assisted by Mrs. Albert Warner. Members of the Den present were Allan Taylor, Robert Read, Kent Warner, David Townsend, Donald Brouck, and David Lawrie.

Mozart Club Met

The first fall meeting of the Mozart club of the Bradlee school was held at the school recently. This is the second year for this musical group, which was organized under the direction of Mrs. Frank McArdle, music director.

During the business meeting the following officers were elected: president, Richard Sheaff; vice president, Virginia Neunzer; secretary, James Smeltzer; treasurer, Joseph Serio; program chairman, Merlby Sweet and her assistant, Diane Maruzzi.

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Memorial Flowers

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Surprise Shower

Mrs. Durwood Moody of Clark rd. was hostess Friday night for a surprise miscellaneous shower for Miss Ethel Hibbert of Andover in honor of her approaching marriage to Thomas Zocco of Melrose. The bride to be, wearing a corsage of white and red roses, opened her many gifts under a gayly decorated umbrella. A buffet lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Samuel Hibbert and Mrs. Florence McGrath.

Those present were Mrs. Ernest Avery, Mrs. Alice Anderson, Mrs. Joan Archambault, Mrs. Barbara Pennick, Miss Peggy Grecoe, Mrs. Diane Vens, Mrs. Evelyn Murnane, Mrs. Shirley Brennan, Mrs. Barbara Caldwell, Mrs. Barbara Demers, Mrs. Ellen Langdell, Mrs. Mildred Auchterlonie, Mrs. Shirley MacLeish, Miss Ann Columbusian, Miss Mary Columbusian, Mrs. Eva Poland, Mrs. Sarah Forsythe, Mrs. Mildred Spinney, Mrs. Fern Byrum, Mrs. Mary Novak, Mrs. Ellen Waldie, Mrs. Harry Wadman, Mrs. Bernice McKee, Mrs. Bessie Vigneault, Mrs. Lillian Hoyt, Mrs. Dorothy Piercy, Mrs. Phyllis Monroe, Mrs. Isabelle Hutchings, Mrs. Thomas Zocco, Mrs. Helena Moody, Miss Carolyn White, Mrs. Louise Wells, Mrs. Anita Cooper, Samuel Hibbert, Mrs. Florence McGrath, Mrs. Durwood Moody and Miss Ethel Hibbert.

Bagged A Deer

J. Kenneth Sparks of River st. enjoyed a week of hunting around Errol, N.H. with his father, James Sparks, and had the good luck to get a 65-pound, spiked buck.

Toy Party

The Parent Teacher association held a successful toy party in the Bradlee school on Tuesday evening. At the end of the evening, refreshments were served by Mrs. Robert MacMackin, chairman; Mrs. Frank Froburg, Mrs. George Moss, Mrs. Emery Ackerman, Mrs. George Quesenberry, Mrs. James Butler, Mrs. Gordon Hall, Mrs. James Letters and Mrs. Raleigh Bright.

Hymnals

The quota of 50 hymnals has almost been reached. The following were presented Sunday: Mrs. Charles Walent in memory of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bradley; Mrs. Angie Coolidge in memory of Charles Coolidge; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nason in memory of loved ones and the Misses Mar-

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Major Harold A. Walker, U.S. Marine Corps reserve, recently received his promotion from the rank of captain. A resident of 11 Moraine st., he is a graduate of Pynchard high school and Bates college. Major Walker served in the Pacific during World War II and is well known in the area as athletic coach at Northeastern university. He is executive officer of the Third Ordnance Field Maintenance company in Greater Lawrence.

Observance Is Planned For Veterans' Day

The annual Veterans' Day dinner and dance will be held tonight in Central elementary auditorium.

The dinner will start at 6:30 and the entertainment and dance will begin at 8 p.m., it was announced this week by the town Patriotic Holiday committee.

The public is invited to attend the entertainment and dance free of charge, the committee said.

Tomorrow, Veterans' Day, all veterans will meet at 10:30 at the Legion rooms on Park st. to go to Spring Grove cemetery for traditional memorial exercises at the Legion lot.

Annual Movies

Also in the morning, VFW Post 2128 will sponsor free children's movies at the Playhouse. The first show, for first graders through the sixth grade, will start at 8:30 with a second show for all other children beginning at 10:30. Memorial services will be conducted in the theatre at 9 and 11.

All Veterans Invited

Members of the veterans' organizations have been asked to turn out in uniform for the services at Spring Grove cemetery. Commanders Ray Pellerin of Chapter 18, DAV; Joseph Monan, Post 2128, VFW; Miss Helen Loux, All-Woman's Post 467, American Legion and Douglas Hutcheson, Post 8, American Legion, have also invited veterans who are not affiliated with any organization to attend the services.

Members of the organizations this week decorated all veterans' graves in town with a new flag and ask that next of kin call the Veteran's Service office if any were omitted.

DR. STOWELL ELECTED

Dr. Norman R. Stowell, a local dentist, has been elected treasurer of the New England Dental society for a one-year term. Dr. Stowell served as treasurer of the same organization for a six-year period before he was recalled to active duty during the Korean war. The society consists of over 700 dentists in all the New England states.

PUNCH

By CA

Blue and Gold Week
This past week has had Blue and Gold week at Pynchard. Celebrations have been put on to mark this occasion.

Today is Blue and Gold. The students at Pynchard are wearing something blue and gold. During 6th period there will be a rally. The girls' march through town and school parking area. There will also be a traditional Blue and Gold rally is for the Pynchard then game on Friday.

Cheerleaders in Exhibition

Last Saturday night cheerleaders went over to Methuen to participate in an exhibition with No. Andover, Wood Methuen high schools.

This went on during the exhibition of the dance.

Goldsmith Tryouts

Last Thursday afternoon for the Goldsmith special tests were held. Two tryouts each homeroom were held for students who were preparing to start memorizing their parts for the contest which will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 10:00.

Beatrice Stevens, in charge of the contest, said a list of names will be ready next week. The cheerleaders are preparing for a dance on Nov. 24, from 7:30 to 10:00.

Student Council Dance

A Student Council dance will be held Saturday, Nov. 12, at Methuen High. This is sponsored by both Pynchard and Methuen student Councils. One is invited.

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PUNCHARD HIGH

By CAROL DESROCHER

Blue and Gold Week

This past week has been Blue and Gold week at Punchard. Decorations have been put up to signify this occasion.

Today is Blue and Gold day. The students at Punchard are wearing something of blue and gold. During 6th period we had a rally and tonight there will also be a rally. The girl's band will march through town and up to the school parking area. There will also be a traditional bonfire. This rally is for the Punchard - Methuen game on Friday.

Cheerleaders in Exhibition

Last Saturday night the cheerleaders went over to Methuen High to participate in an exhibition with No. Andover, Woodbury, and Methuen high schools.

This went on during the intermission of the dance.

Goldsmith Tryouts

Last Thursday afternoon tryouts for the Goldsmith speaking contests were held. Two people from each homeroom were picked. The students who were picked will start memorizing their essays for the contest which will be held on Tues. Dec. 20, at 12:30. Miss Beatrice Stevens, in charge of the contest, said a list of those chosen will be ready next week.

Cheerleaders Dance

The cheerleaders are sponsoring a dance on Nov. 24, from 8-11.

Sandra McKiniry, captain, hopes that the dance will turn out to be a huge success.

Student Council Dance

A Student Council dance will be held Saturday, Nov. 12 from 8-11, at Methuen High. This dance is sponsored by both Punchard and Methuen student Councils. Everyone is invited.



MISS SANDRA MCKINIRY

Person of the Week

Sandra McKiniry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McKiniry of Watson ave., has been selected as the person of the week.

Sandra and her twin sister, Jane, were born in Portsmouth, N.H. in 1938. Both have lived in Andover for 15 years.

She is a member of the Prom committee, Newspaper committee, and secretary of the Varsity club. She also is the president of the Aquacade group of the Andover Guild and captain of the Punchard cheerleaders. She has been cheering for four years.

Sandy lists her hobbies as art, cheering, swimming and dancing.

For further education, she plans to attend a college to major in art.

Library Club

The officers of the newly-formed Library club are as follows: pres-

ident, Rosemary Rapa; vice-president, Joan Wilson; secretary, Barbara Curran; treasurer, Thelma Sparks.

The club will aim to popularize reading among all students by means of exhibits and book reviews; to enjoy, as a club, group reading experiences; and to give an opportunity for group experiences such as visits to other libraries.

Book Week

In recognition of National Book week, Nov. 13-19, the film "Magnificent Obsession", based on the novel bearing the same title, will be shown in assembly next Tuesday. Exhibits in the Goldsmith Library will carry out the Book Week theme of 1955 - "Let's read more."

Clothes for Flood-areas

The Service Club of Punchard is collecting useable clothing for the flood-stricken areas of western Massachusetts.

All woolen clothing should be clean. Cottons may be donated if they are mendable and washable.

People who have clothings should contact Betsy Caswell, Barbara Brookover or Gail Marland.

Boys in the Service club, who have cars, will pick up the clothing on designated nights.

Junior Class Dance Cancelled

The Junior Class dance scheduled for Friday, Nov. 18, has been cancelled. The members of the class think that it would be better because we would probably lose money on it.

Bean Supper Will Be Held Saturday

A bean supper in the Free church, Saturday, Nov. 12 from 5 to 7 p.m. is being sponsored by the convention committee of the Ladies Auxiliary to Clan Johnston. The menu will consist of beans, ham, potato salad, cold slaw, relish, rolls, home made pies, coffee and tea.

Tickets may be obtained from any of the following committee: Georgina Petrie, chairman; Minnie Thomson, Robina Meek, Nan Lindsay, Nellie Doherty, Jennie Cole,

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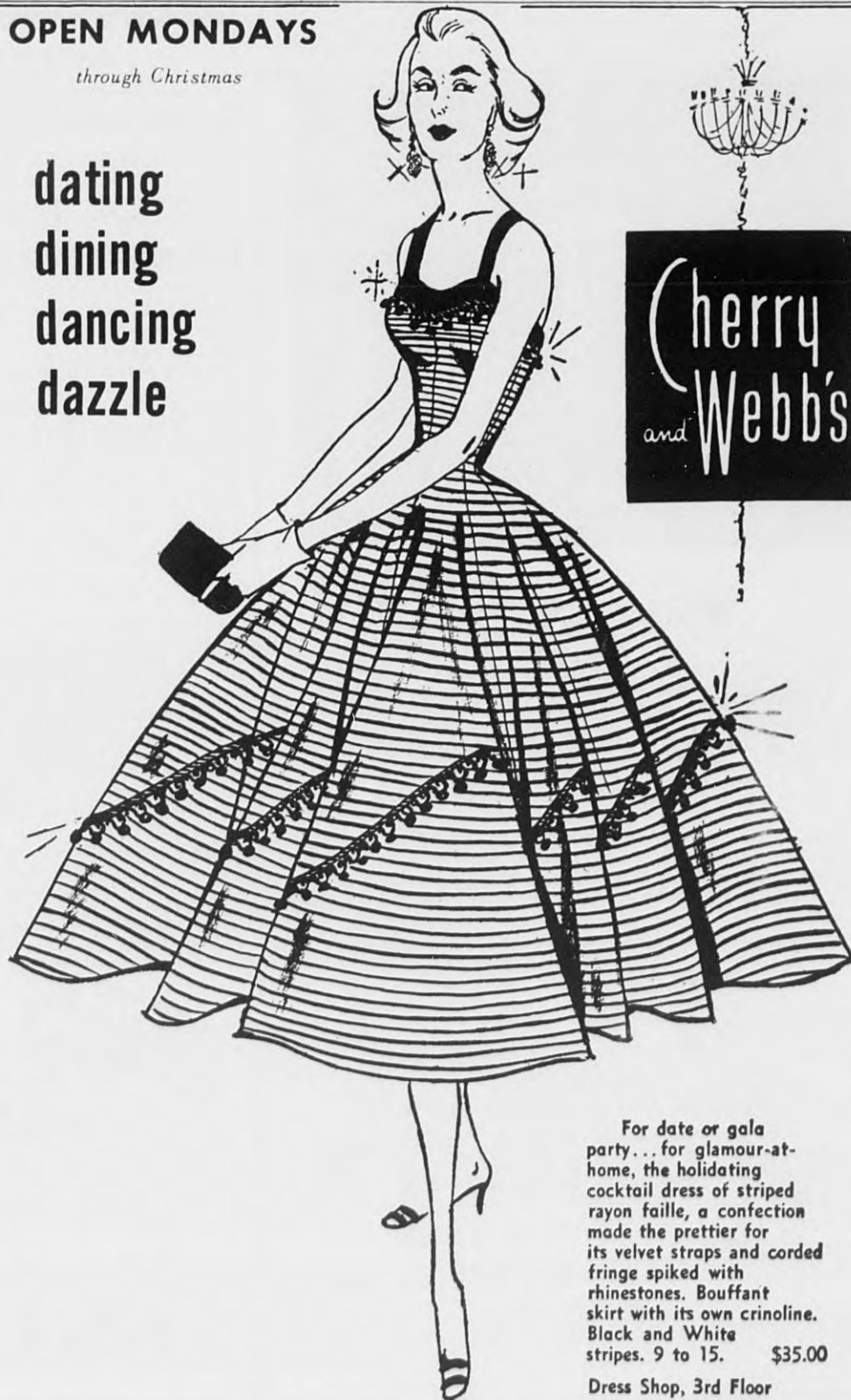
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The youngsters were reported missing the evening of Nov. 4 when they did not return from school. A check showed they had not been in class during the day.

Returned to this state were Ruth E. Smith of Chester st., Raymond O'Neil of No. Main st. and Judith Ann Crowell, who lived on Maple ave.

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Mr. and Mrs. Collins live with a

daughter, Mrs. Helen C. Dooley and the couple has one granddaughter, Mrs. Walter F. Roberts of Heather dr. They received many flowers and cards on the happy occasion.

They were married in Portland, Me., in 1896.

BALLARDVALE

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Jorie and Helen Davies in memory of loved ones.

Bowling Notes

Results of last Wednesday, Nov. 2, bowling, were as follows: Kings 4, Jokers 0; Queens 3, Aces 1; Deuces 3, Trumps 1; Royals 3, Jacks 1. High Singles Claire Cochrane 107 and Cecilia Jedrey 99; high triples, Claire Cochrane 298 and Cecilia Jedrey 253; high pinfall, Kings 960.

Schedule for Wednesday, Nov. 16; Kings vs. Deuces; Trumps vs. Jokers; Aces vs. Jacks and Queens vs. Royals.

United Church Guild

The monthly meeting of the United Church Guild will be held in the vestry on Thursday evening, Nov. 17 at 8. Members are reminded to bring their gift or 25 cents for the Roxbury Community center. Mrs. William McIntyre will have charge of devotions. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. William Batchelder, Mrs. Alfred Webb and Mrs. Burton Batcheller.

The program following the meeting will be in the form of a cookie carnival. Each member is asked to bring samples of a favorite cookie recipe and also the recipe which will be sold for a small amount.

Indian American Class

Mrs. Ralph Rosenblad is conducting a class on the Indian American on Wednesday mornings during the month of November. Women enrolled in the class are Mrs. Russell Hall, Miss Helen Davies, Mrs. William MacCausland, Mrs. Albert Warner, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. William Marruzzi, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Raymond O'Donnell, Mrs. George Davison and Mrs. Henry Meyers.

Bazaar To Be Held

The United Church guild will hold a bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 10, in the community room. The theme this year is the Yule Tide Musical Bazaar. It will start at 2 o'clock. A baked bean supper will be served starting at 5:30 and an entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock. Anyone making articles for the fancy work table is asked to contact Mrs. George Davison, tel. 2037M.

Church Meeting

An important meeting of the Ballardvale United church will be held tonight in the vestry, at 7:30. This meeting is under the leadership of the Every Member Canvass committee.

Personal

Albert Gibson has returned to his home on River st. after undergoing surgery at the Lowell General hospital.

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Mrs. Wright On
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Mrs. James Wright left Nov. 6 to join her husband in Tokyo, where he is serving with the U.S. Air Force.

The former Elinor Mondale, she is the daughter of Atty. and Mrs. Walter E. Mondale. The couple were married June 11.

Mrs. Wright, on her trip to the west coast, will visit several relatives. She will stop in Lewistown, Montana, to see her grandmother, Mrs. H. Leonard DeKalb; in Bozeman, Montana, to visit an aunt and in Seattle, Wash., to see an uncle, Frederick Mondale.

She will leave Seattle Nov. 18 for Tokyo.

ABBOT ACTIVITIES

On Saturday evening, Abbot girls will be guests at a party given them by their teachers. The benefits of the party will go towards the completion of the George E. Abbot Memorial gymnasium which the school hopes to open soon after Thanksgiving. Except for the fact that they will be able to purchase food, details of the festivity will be kept secret until Saturday night.

On Sunday, the Vesper speaker is the Rev. George Beilby Jr. of Exeter, N.H.

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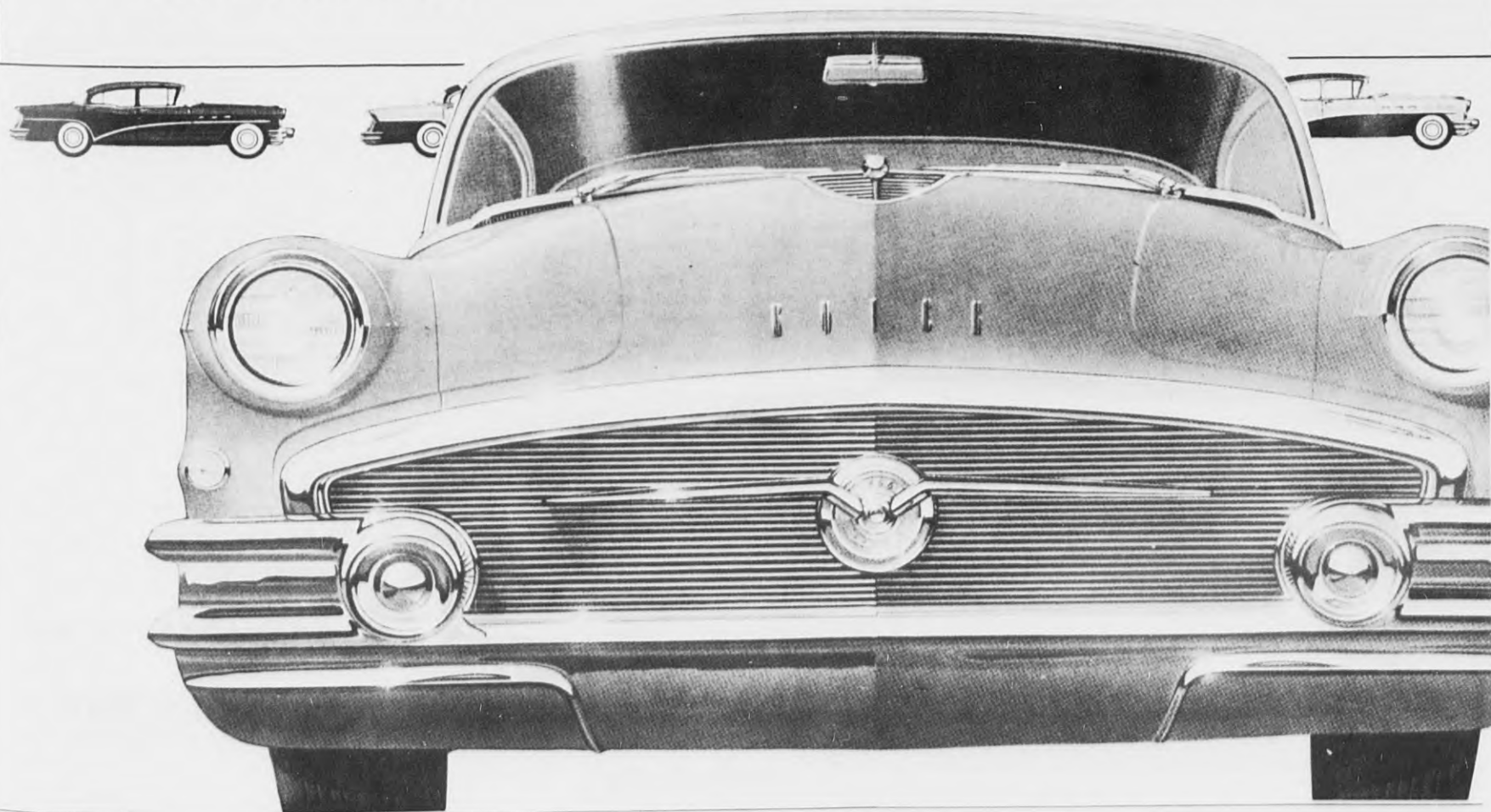
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Attend Hearing

A hearing of wide public interest will be held Nov. 15 in town hall.

At that time, the appeals board will hear the request of the Acme Cement company of Stoneham to do business in the town.

The firm asks the right to operate a cement storage plant on Fletcher st., where the coal yards are. They have bought the land and have erected the building.

However, town counsel ruled that the company must first receive permission to operate — thus the hearing.

Residents of the area don't want the plant there — they claim noise and dust plus a traffic hazard from big trucks used in the business.

Other residents of the town claim that harsh treatment of this business firm will react unfavorably when the town seeks other business establishments in its industrial expansion program.

It is said that the grapevine spreads the word fast — "Andover is unfriendly to business. There's too much red tape."

We don't want that type of reputation, for it is hoped that the town will grow industrially and in smaller business firms who find suitable locations in our town.

We suggest that the civic-minded residents of the community go to the hearing and express their ideas. It is certain that the residents of the area will be present to voice their opinions and thus it is only fair that others record their sentiments too.

It is hoped that the matter will work out peacefully — that the neighbors on Fletcher st. will make every effort to cooperate with the town officials and the cement company management.

We have pointed out before that the land near the coal yard, if sold to the company could be made into an exit so that the trucks would not need to travel on Fletcher st. The firm has also confirmed that some discussions have been going on to that end.

Thus, we hope, the matter can be worked out satisfactorily to all sides of the discussion.

But again, we urge that citizens attend the hearing Nov. 15 to urge the appeals board to allow the permit for the obvious good of the town.

ANNA GREELEY WILL RUN FOR TREASURER

(Continued from Page One)



MISS ANNA M. GREELEY

March, on the announced retirement of Thaxter Eaton.

Miss Greeley is a graduate of Suffolk university, Boston university and Portia Law school.

In announcing that she will be a candidate for the treasurer's post, she pointed to her experience in financial matters during the 16 years she has practiced law and as assistant treasurer of her father's firm, the James E. Greeley company.

Miss Greeley said she has specialized in financial work, including investments, during her law career. Currently, she has offices in Andover and Boston. She is a member of the Boston and Massachusetts Bar associations, Catholic daughters of America and serves as secretary of the Service-men's fund here.

Political Season Beginning Early

A busy, interesting political year, from now until next March, has been forecast by local experts.

They point to the unusual number of vacancies to be filled in the annual town election as a sign that the interest will be high throughout the next few months.

Several vacancies will be filled in March.

J. Everett Collins has often repeated his publically-announced intention to retire at the conclusion of his present term on the board of selectmen.

Thaxter Eaton, treasurer for many years, will retire.

Miss Anna M. Greeley, chairman of the school committee, has announced her candidacy for town treasurer, thus leaving her school board job open.

No Statement From White

There will be one opening on the board of public works now held by Sidney P. White. He has said that there will be no announcement of his plans until the first of the year.

Mrs. Dorothy Partridge, a member of the school board for several years, will issue a statement on Nov. 15 on her plans.

Dr. William V. Emmons, chairman of the board of health, has also promised a statement soon.

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Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago — November 1905

At the South church last Sunday evening, the Rev. Doremus Scudder, D.D., superintendent of the missionary work in the Hawaiian Islands among the Japanese and Chinese, gave an interesting lecture.

The first person to vote in the state election Tuesday was J. H. Hoovey. There were 811 votes cast in town.

John Guthrie of Cuba st. is making alterations in the cottage recently purchased by him on Red Spring rd.

A barn owned by Freeman Abbot in the West district burned down Wednesday night. It was filled with seven tons of hay and three tons of corn, which was entirely consumed.

The Andover Athletic association held its second annual dance in the town hall last Friday evening, with music furnished by a seven-piece orchestra.

The first paid supper and social of the season was held in the Free church vestry last evening.

Ernest H. Wood was elected president of the Punchard Athletic association at a meeting held during the recess Wednesday morning. Others elected were Miss Helen Bailey, vice president; Miss Josephine Abbott, secretary; Philip Hardy, treasurer. Several persons were also elected to the governing council.

H. Bradford Lewis was awarded the club championship by the Merrimack Valley country club of Lawrence last Saturday.

F. S. Brown has opened the restaurant formerly operated by Thomas Platt in the square. The restaurant will serve light lunches and dinners.

Dr. William Lunan of Southbridge spent several days in Town recently, visiting relatives and friends.

25 Years Ago — November 1930

An intelligence bureau to help find work for Andover unemployed has been established by the Lions club, in cooperation with many local agencies. Mrs. Lotta Johnson will have charge of the office in a local drug store.

The junior class of Punchard high school will have a costume party next Friday evening in the auditorium.

The old George Flint house on Jenkins rd. was destroyed by fire late Sunday afternoon, despite efforts of the fire department. The house stands nearly at the No. Reading line and more than 1000 feet of hose had to be laid in order to get water from a small brook.

A Lawrence woman was burned to death in her automobile Sunday night, opposite the Shawsheen pharmacy on No. Main st. Four men escaped from the car, which was impaled on steel girders hanging over the rear end of a stalled truck. The girders penetrated the gas tank, causing almost instant flames.

A Boston woman was killed

Monday evening when the car in which she was riding struck a street car on the Reading road, south of Phillips academy. She was hurled forward from the back seat, striking her head on a steel windshield upright. The driver of the car, heading towards Boston, said he was blinded by the street car's lights.

A Ballardvale man has been held in \$100 bail by the Haverhill district court for illegal transportation of liquor. He was found guilty by the judge but appealed the finding. Eight pints of liquor were found in his car, officers said.

The annual firemen's ball will be held Thanksgiving eve in the town house. Alexander MacKenzie is chairman of the committee.

10 Years Ago — November 1945

Brigadier General Philip S. Gage, commandant of the Boston Harbor defenses, was guest speaker at a meeting of the Square and Compass club last Thursday evening.

The Free Christian church will mark its 100th anniversary in May, 1946 but the first event in the celebration takes place Nov. 29 to commemorate the formation of the group which founded the church. Miss Alice Bell is chairman of the Centennial committee.

The Andover Salvage committee, in a final report to the community, has told of collecting some 285 tons of scrap metal, 399 tons of paper, 34 tons of tin cans, 11 tons of rubber and three tons of rags during the war-time salvage collections. Nearly \$8000 was realized from the sale of these items.

Fall Field Day will take place at Abbot academy Saturday. The annual team meetings and campus parades will begin the affair at 10:30 a.m.

The Evening Study program at Phillips academy will be resumed this year, after three years when war activities and restrictions on travel made the classes impossible.

Postmaster Boland has warned local veterans to use registered mail when sending their discharges to the state bonus office. He reports seeing many letters, apparently including discharges, going by regular mail.

The A.P.C. Sorority will meet in the South church vestry Thursday evening. Mrs. Henry F. Perkins will demonstrate flower arrangements.

The Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr. called to the Free church pastorate last July, was installed as pastor Tuesday evening. The pastors of eight Massachusetts churches took part in the installation service.

NEWCOMERS MEET NOV. 14

The Newcomers club will meet Nov. 14 at 2:30 p.m. at the Baptist church. A food demonstration and talk on "Holiday Fare" will be presented by Miss Barbara Enright.

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Engagement

Reed - Blake

Mr. and Mrs. Winston A. Blake of Stratford rd. announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Olive, to Lt. Burton D. Reed Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton D. Reed of West Hartford, Conn.

Miss Blake is a junior at Boston university, college of business administration. Her fiance graduated from Boston university and is now serving in the United States Air Force.

The wedding is planned for Dec. 27.

Births...

MARCH - A daughter, Betsey Jean, Oct. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. P. March of Ithica, N.Y. The mother is the former Barbara L. Pullan, daughter of Mrs. Ernest Pullan, 24 Florence st. and

the late Ernest Pullan.

McDONALD - A daughter, Nov. 8 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald (Edna Menchions), 43 Elm st.

LAMBERT - A son, Nathan Scott, Nov. 1 in the Lowell General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lambert, 65 Tenney st., Methuen. The mother is the former Irene Yancy of Central st. The family includes a daughter, Robin Aleece.

McEANEY - A daughter, Mary Anne, Oct. 27 in the Bon Secours hospital to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph McEaney (Anne Leary), 87 Salem st.

LINDHOLM - A son, Paul, Oct. 26 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lindholm (Mary Ernestine Donovan), 44 Chestnut st.

GOODWIN - A daughter, Melissa Ann, Oct. 26 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Rob-

ert Goodwin (Gwendolyn A. Simm), 82 Central st.

DUDLEY - A daughter, Nov. 3 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dudley (Marion Butler), 510 So. Main st.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Arthur J. Doucette et ux to George A. Franz et ux, Summer st. Paul Hershon et ux to Charles R. Wait et ux, Lowell st.

Clinton D. Shaw et ux to William F. Banks et ux, Wildwood rd.

Rachel S. Edwards Est. to Herbert T. Peterson et ux, River st.

Jeremiah L. Dyer et al to Jeremiah L. Dyer et ux, Greenwood rd.

John W. Tremblay et ux to Ernest J. Comeau et ux, Lovejoy rd.

Clinton D. Shaw et ux to Joseph A. Cote et ux, Wildwood rd.

William V. Heard to Paul C. Bracken et ux, Fox Hill rd.

William F. D'Annolfo to Samuel White et ux, Rocky Hill rd.

LEVESQUE CITED

Arthur Levesque is one of 20 boys and girls cited recently for outstanding achievements in domestic arts and agriculture by the Essex County 4-H Club congress in Danvers.

Levesque's work in entomology qualified him for the citation.

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MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Friendly Guild.
THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

Ballardvale United Church
Rev. Ralph A. Rosenblad, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Missionary committee at the parsonage.
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon: "Peace - The Christian View". There will be a nursery hour for children below school age during the hour of worship. 4 p.m. Junior Youth Fellowship in the vestry. 5:30 p.m. Intermediate Youth Fellowship in the vestry. Ruth Perry will lead the worship. Judy Webb, Eric Nuenzer and William Ackerman will lead the discussion. Craig Warner is in charge of refreshments.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.
THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Monthly meeting of the United Church Guild in the vestry.

Cochran Chapel
REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister
SUNDAY: 11 a.m. Service of Worship. Speaker, Dr. John Mason Kemper, Headmaster of Phillips Academy.

West Parish Church

REV. HUGH B. PENNEY, Pastor

FRIDAY: 4:45 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship Officers Training Conference at the Trinitarian church, N. Andover.

SATURDAY: 10 a.m. Basketball practice in the West Center Elementary School Gym. 6 p.m. Junior High group to see "Cinerama Holiday" in Boston.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. All Girl Choir rehearsal. 9:45 a.m. Senior Choir rehearsal. Classes for Grade 6, Junior High and High School. 10:30 a.m. Morning Service of Worship. Dedication of Canvassers. The sermon will be "A Great Day For The Church". Special music includes an anthem by the All Girl Choir entitled "Let Us, With A Glad Mind" by Warner and an anthem by the Senior Choir, "A Good Thing It Is To Give Thanks" by Bitgood. 11:45 a.m. Dinner for the Canvassers in the Vestry. 1 p.m. Every Member canvass begins. Thirty teams of men will visit the Parish. 4 p.m. Coffee for returning canvassers. 7 p.m. Worship service for youth. 7:15 p.m. The Senior High group panel discussion "Parents Know Best" Junior High Group will be directed by Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Burgess.

MONDAY: 8 p.m. Church School Teachers and Officers Meeting.

TUESDAY: 3 to 5 p.m. "At home" in the parsonage. 7:30 p.m. Building Committee meeting in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. The Women's Union will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. William Trow of Chandler cir. 7 p.m. All Girl Choir rehearsal. 8 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 6:30 p.m. Men's Brotherhood Baked Ham Dinner. 7:30 p.m. Brotherhood Business Meeting. 8 p.m. Arthur Flynn will give a "Sports Talk" to the Men's Brotherhood.

NOTES: Nov. 16 at 7:30 p.m. Meeting for all local missionary chairmen, their committees and their pastors in Andover Association on Nov. 16 at the Highland Congregational church, Westford st., Lowell.

The North Parish Church

(Unitarian) - North Andover

REV. E. A. BROWN, JR., Minister
FRIDAY: 1 to 10 p.m. Antiques show. 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7 p.m. Boy Scouts.

SATURDAY: 1 to 10 p.m. Antiques show.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Kindergarten and Church School. 11 a.m. Morning Service. 7 p.m. Youth Fellowship.

MONDAY: 3 p.m. Girl Scouts 7:30 p.m. Parish Committee. 8 p.m. United Churchmen's Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Beginners dancing class. 7:30 p.m. Advanced dancing class.

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

St. Joseph's Church

(Ballardvale)

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

Free Church

Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th.D.
Pastor

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 72. 8 p.m. Couples Club Meeting.

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Senior Church School Classes. 10 a.m. Primary Church School Classes and the nursery class for children whose parents wish to attend church. 10 a.m. Morning worship. 6:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship Meeting.

MONDAY: 1:15 p.m. Released time Religious Education Classes. WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Explorer Post 72.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing Circle. 3:10 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal. 6:15 p.m. Choir of Youth rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

NOTES: The Union Thanksgiving Service sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches will be held in the Free Church this year at 8:30 a.m. Nov. 24, 1955

South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Children's Service at the Church. 9:45 a.m. Senior High Department of the Church School at Graham House, Phillips Academy. Mr. Elbert C. Weaver in charge. 10:30 a.m. Kindergarten classes at 49 Summer st. 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship at South church. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship meeting at the church.

MONDAY: 6 p.m. Supper meeting of the Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters in the Free Christian church. Mrs. William Gibson will be in charge of the devotions. The program will be "Sharing our Needs", Mrs. Allan Clark. The Birthday Committee is planning the supper.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Weekly meeting of the South Church Building Committee at the Parsonage, 62 Elm st. 8 p.m. Ping Pong Club meeting at West Parish church.

WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Dinner Meeting of the South Church Men's club at the Free Christian church.

THURSDAY: 8 p.m. at the Free Christian church: A.P.C. Sorority Toy Party.

SATURDAY: 7 p.m. South Church Couples club supper meetings at Christ church. This is to be a covered dish supper and scavenger hunt. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Covell will be supper chairman, and Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Johnson will take charge of the scavenger hunt.

Andover Baptist Church

REV. ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church School with classes for every age. YBA point system gives credit for perfect attendance. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes from the church steeple. Accept their invitation to attend church. 10:45 a.m. Morning Service of Worship.

Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., pastor, in charge. Guest speaker will be Rev. Andrew Halko, the pastor-director of the Boston Baptist Bethel City Mission. He will speak on the work of the center. Mrs. Ralph I. Gilbreath, church organist. The adult choir will sing under the direction of Mrs. H.



Miss Grace E. Engel, daughter of Mrs. Grace L. Engel, 12 Chapman ave., has received her silver wings as a United Airlines stewardess. She spent five and a half weeks at the airline's training school in Cheyenne, Wyo. and now is serving aboard planes flying in and out of Boston. She is a graduate of Pynchard high school and formerly served as a secretary.

Allison Morse, Nursery, adult supervised, during the Service. 6:30 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship at the home of Brian Allen. 11 Cassimere st. Jacquelyn Smith will be the leader.

MONDAY: 7:45 p.m. Monthly meeting of the Friendly Circle at the home of Mrs. John McLean, Cuba st.

TUESDAY: 7:29 p.m. Meeting of the YBA Committee in the church parlor.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal in the church parlor. Mrs. H. Allison Morse, directing.

NOTES: Annual Christmas Fair Saturday, Nov. 19 in the vestry.

Christian Science Society

(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Mortals and Immortals."

Testimony meeting first Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m. Reading room 66 Main street open 12:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

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

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

St. Augustine's Holy Name Society will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 8 o'clock Mass.

FRIENDLY GUILD MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Friendly Guild of Christ church will be held at 7:45 p.m. next Monday in the parish house. Members of the committee in charge of refreshments are Mrs. Sidney Lamb, chairman, Miss Isabelle Greenhow, Miss Helen Smith and Miss Gertrude Taylor.

DOHERTY ELECTED DIRECTOR

William A. Doherty, local insurance agent, was recently reelected a director of the Massachusetts Association of insurance agents. He will serve a second two-year term.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Robert Dunn has returned to her home on Andover st. from the Lawrence General hospital where she has been confined for several weeks due to injuries received in an automobile accident.

Serious Elm S Problem Seen By Engineer

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His report to the board of public works pointed out that the area is fed through a six-inch pipe giving a capacity of less than 200 gallons a minute fire flow with 100-pound residual pressure.

His report on the sewer lines in the area indicate present lines are not being installed to capacity.

His report follows:

"Sewer Capacity: Average in Westwind rd. and the main siphon is at present only 10 percent of capacity. Main siphon minimum capacity 1,105,000 gallons per day. Upper end where maximum flow approximately 750,000 gallons per day. This siphon enters out fall sewer north of the sheen pumping station and pumped. The capacity of the fall sewer is ten million gallons per day which is almost 10 percent flow.

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"The Fire Insurance Association requirements be 1,500 gallons per minute 12" loop from the end of the sent 12" on Elm st. would two fire streams (500 g.p.m. the last hydrant on Elm 1,000 gallons per minute at wind rd. if connected to Hart st. 10" line as recommended the 1954 Weston & Sampson Design values for water from such fixtures as a faucet and shower head is 100 gallons per minute each and a hose 10. With lawn sprinkling in the summer it would take much more consumption all the water that is currently available.

"The fire flow test was by myself on November 1, 11 a.m. and showed a flow of 100 gallons per minute at 20 lbs. pressure."

TOY PARTY AT SORORITY MEETING

A toy party will be held at an open meeting of Alpha Epsilon Sorority Nov. 17 at 8 p.m. Over 100 toys will be on display.

Chairman of the reformation committee is Miss Ruth assisted by Miss Jean Jam George Bancroft, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Valdemar J. Mrs. Harold Dennison, Mrs. Loosigian and Mrs. Norman.

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A toy party will be held at an open meeting of Alpha Phi Chi sorority Nov. 17 at 8 p.m.

Over 100 toys will be included in the display.

Chairman of the refreshment committee is Miss Ruth Hall, assisted by Miss Jean James, Mrs. George Bancroft, Mrs. Preston Blake, Mrs. Valdemar Johnson, Mrs. Harold Dennison, Mrs. Ababel Loosigian and Mrs. Norman Pitman.

Drainage Problems To Be Considered In Issuing Permits

The building inspector has been asked by the selectmen to hold up any building permit where drainage problems will be caused by the new construction.

Building Inspector Ralph Coleman said the order is permissible under a new state law, which says that such permits may be withheld by the inspector if he believes it wise.

Plumbing Inspector Alex Thompson attended the selectmen's meeting Monday night at which the matter was discussed with Mr. Coleman.

The building inspector pointed out that, in cases where work by the builder, such as filling, will solve the problem, he will not issue the permit until that work is done.

The action will not, he said, affect many new homes but is designed for cases where serious problems will arise for the town to solve, caused by the new buildings.

Feature Speaker At Library Open House Nov. 20

Bruce Lancaster, author of many historical novels and a recent history of the American Revolution entitled "From Lexington to Liberty" will be guest speaker at the annual open house of the Memorial Hall library.

He will speak at 4 p.m. Nov. 20. The open house itself begins at 3:30 and continues until 5:30, as part of the observance of National Book week.

The library annually opens an afternoon program to its friends, offering a display of major fall publications, the speaker and light refreshments.

Mr. Lancaster is the author of "Guns of Burgoyne", "The Scar-

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let Patch", "No Bugles Tonight", "Venture in the East", and "Blind Journey". His novel "Trumpet to Arms" is based on a Concord locale.

His address will be on the subject "Fact and Legend in History."

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Grace E. Engel, daughter of Grace L. Engel, 100 Main ave., has received her wings as a United States stewardess. She spent a half week at the training school in Cheyenne, Wyo. and now is aboard planes flying out of Boston. She is the daughter of Punchard Engel and formerly served as a stewardess.

Morse, Nursery, adult, during the Service.

Baptist Youth Fellowship, home of Brian Allen, 100 Main st. Jacquelyn Smith, leader.

DAY: 7:45 p.m. Monthly of the Friendly Circle of Mrs. John McLean.

DAY: 7:29 p.m. Meeting YBA Committee in the parlor.

DAY: 7:30 p.m. Adult rehearsal in the church parlor. Allison Morse, director.

: Annual Christmas Fair Nov. 19 in the vestry.

an Science Society (6 Locke Street)

Y: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school church service. Subject of sermon: "Mortals and Immortals."

ony meeting first of each month at 8 p.m. in room 66 Main street 7:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Augustine's Church

J. CAMPBELL, Pastor DAY: Confessions 4 to 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Y: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 11:30 a.m. Benediction 8 p.m.

Augustine's Holy Name Society receive Holy Communion at the 8 o'clock

LY GUILD MEETING

xt regular meeting of the Guild of Christ churches held at 7:45 p.m. in the parish house. Meeting committee in charge of the party are Mrs. Sidney, chairman, Miss Isabelle, Miss Helen Smith and Mrs. Arde Taylor.

Y ELECTED

A. Doherty, local insurance agent, was recently reelected of the Massachusetts Association of insurance agents to serve a second two-year

AL Robert Dunn has returned home from Andover st. from Lawrence General hospital where he has been confined for several weeks due to injuries from an automobile accident.

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The Dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will present a three-act play, "Late Love", Friday and Saturday nights at the Memorial auditorium. The cast includes, left to right, Philip Winters, Mrs. Sherman S. Locke, Mrs. Gordon Lauder, Mrs. Helen Dooley (standing), Allen Chadwick, Mrs. Thomas Neil and Albert Swenson. (Frank Leone Photo)

Report Of BPW Engineer Tells Water Story

Engineer Ralph Preble recently reported on water department problems to the board of public works. His report asked for improvements in the system and asked that additional water supply areas be located.

His report follows in full:

The intent of this report is to point out some of the problems and needs of the water department in some sort of orderly manner so

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that plans can be developed to insure that this municipal utility will keep pace with the growth of the town.

"The major phases of a water works operation involve records, distribution and supply.

Records: Under this heading I would include application books, job orders, disbursement ledgers, meter readers' books, water account work book, commitment books, street and reference and location books and maps.

"At the present time the re-vamping of the billing system is under way with the idea in mind that this change would be so set up as to be adaptable to a future machine billing system. By so doing, it is expected that the workload on the present office personnel will be such as to allow adequate records and a closer control of operational costs.

"To achieve an improvement in this, a recommendation is made to the board that the reading of meters and billing of same be done twice a year for each service and, furthermore, that the Town be divided into six districts and that one district be read and billed each month after the first of the January, 1956. The present method of reading all meters at one time necessitates using any personnel available to read meters at a cost of slightly over a \$1000 labor cost. This method during our present reading resulted in approximately 10 percent mis-read, not read or questionable. This is nothing new, apparently as there are approximately 70 meters estimated for over five years and a similar number estimated for over four years, etc., either because of inability to gain entry or meters have stopped.

"This recommendation along with present meter installation policies should bring this problem into reasonable figures.

"The growth of the community would dictate consideration of machine operation in the near fu-

ture for the billing operation.

Distribution: Some ten years ago the town was the recipient of a report on the water and sewage system prepared by Weston & Sampson, consulting engineers. The recommendations in that report were accomplished in part and it is my opinion that all recommendations should be gone over and a four year program set up to achieve the remainder. The only recommendation that I would disagree with pertains to supply which I'll deal with under the section "Supply".

"The Planning Board currently is concerned with supply problems in the easterly section of Elm st. and a report will be given to both the planning board and the board of public works on this within a week.

"The maintenance of the distribution system is falling behind what it should be. There is no check on operation of main gate valves, no leak detection work until the water spurts out of the ground, etc. This is a result of an inadequate number of personnel and equipment to do the job properly. Presently, we are employing two pick-ups and a compressor truck for transportation for both sewer and water work. Most water departments, with one-half the customers we have, employ an equal number of vehicles without sewage problems. Minimum equipment to prepare us for the 1956 work year would be to put the air compressor on a trailer mounting and purchase a 1 1/2 ton dump with a low mounted body to replace the 20 year old Dodge compressor truck. Secondly, with only one piece of rubber tired backfill equipment available, we are forced to do either most of our backfill work by hand or hire outside equipment. The only practical solution is to provide a small hydraulic backhoe with front-end loader. Relative to personnel, I would like to see one truck and backhoe spending 60 percent of

its time on new services accompanied by two men - a pick-up with two men available for helping on new service work at peak periods, but charged mainly to emergency calls on sewer and water services - and third pick-up would be provided with two men and spend the majority of time on maintenance of hydrant gate valves, maintenance of distributing of reservoirs and equipment. Outside of the pumping station, this provides a permanent personnel of six men-operators who could be used for construction in conjunction with temporary help and would provide for (mentioned previously) one sewer plant operator expending some of his time setting meters with the meter man who would not read meters.

"This is exactly the number of employees presently employed but with a definite plan an additional equipment and more adaptable transportation. The only extra personnel requested is the appointment of a water reader on a part time piece work basis. This is a minimum table of organization which I would deem workable and efficient.

"Supply: Nearly all past predictions are off; standards for estimating all consumption have been drastically revised since 1945. The Town now has an Industrial Development committee to sell industry the advisability of locating in Andover. Our present supply picture is not appealing. I am not sold on additional surface supply but feel the need of immediate action to increase supply and solve other problems in the West Andover section.

"Our only source of water in Haggetts' pond with a safe yield of 11/3 million gallons per day during a drought period equal to the 1911 drought. Normal yield would be 1,850,000 gallons per day. Summer pumping records present show a daily consumption of over two million per day.

"The town is definitely at a point where additional supply should be found even though such supply is not immediately developed by pumps and piping, etc.

"I would like to recommend that \$4,000 be allocated for exploration work in the 1956 budget relative to determining a well field that could augment our present supply the following year. I do not recommend that Haggetts' pond be raised because of cost flooding out of houses and the problem of having only one source on which you are dependant.

"One additional subject which I am concerned is the present equipment used in the supply picture. New chlorinating equipment is needed at present. Present pumping is handled by electric motors, one of which should be replaced by a new one shortly. Our stand-by equipment is an old steam turbine which is to be run only in emergencies - it should be replaced within the next year with a diesel unit which could be employed for a part of the normal pumping as well.

"Further information will be forthcoming summarizing this report and presenting cost estimates so that acceptable recommendations can be tied in with the 1956 budget."

PERSONAL

Mrs. Robert Moss and daughter Sandra, of Delray Beach, Fla., returned home Wednesday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Moss of Andover st.



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The Cyr request for a new gravel pit off Andover st. was also upheld. The court found the local board was within its authority to hold a permit because of its inability to prove that the pit was not a nuisance. The request is in an area zoned for residential use.

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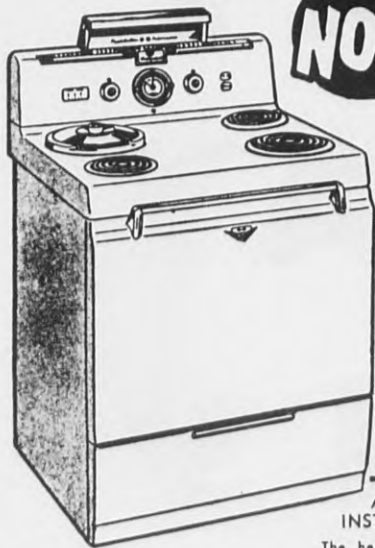
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Dr. Park's installation will take place in Symphony Hall and his father, in the capacity of President Emeritus of Wheaton college, and Dr. Rosemary Park will bring greetings for the occasion.

Grange News

Andover Grange 183 was well represented at the monthly meeting of Friendship Pomona 39, which met last Saturday in West Boxford Grange hall. During the afternoon meeting, which was in charge of the Ways and Means committee, a very entertaining talk was given by the chief of police of Groveland. Supper was served at 6 and at the evening meeting the chief of the Lynn fire department gave a talk and the "Sweet Adeline Quartet" of Haverhill favored with a number of musical selections.

The following attended from Andover: Miss Ebba Peterson, Mrs. Myrtle Darby, Floyd Darby, Mrs. Marilyn Gemmell, Mrs. Bertha Pike, Wilbur Livingston and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Henderson.

Federation Meeting

The fall meeting of the Womens' Federation of the West church will meet at 8 tonight in the church vestry. Mrs. Manley Allbright of Needham will speak on the American Indian situation in this country. The following members of the Womens' Evening circle will serve as hostesses: Mrs. John Peatman, Mrs. Richard Robertson, Mrs. Herbert Carter, Mrs. Thomas Sutton and Mrs. William Stewart. Mrs. Grant Silva and Mrs. Richard Williams will act as hostesses from the Womens' Union. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Fashion Show

The West school PTA will hold a fashion show in the school auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock. The "Tots and Teens Shoppe", under the direction of Mrs. Alex Ritchie, will show the latest styles in wearing apparel for the younger set. A small admission fee will be charged.

Church News

The West church was represented by the following ladies at the semi-annual Womens' District meeting held at the Pawtucket church in Lowell last Thursday: Mrs. William Trow, Mrs. Leverett Putnam, Miss Dora Ward, Miss Louise Kelsey, Mrs. Carl Stevens and Mrs. Halbert Dow.

The flowers on the altar of the West church last Sunday morning were given by members of the Lewis family in memory of their father, the late Herbert Lewis.

A briefing meeting for West church canvassers was held in the church vestry Monday evening. Mr. Harold Dudley of Mart and Lundy, Inc., was the speaker. The every member canvass committee includes William Workman, Dr. Frank Himmer, Richard Robertson and Parker Holden.

Personals

Mrs. Robert Macartney and baby daughter have returned to their home on Argilla rd. after spending several weeks in Nashua, N.H.

Lt. John Davidson, USAF, has returned to his duties at Curlew, Wash., after visiting for several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davidson of Lowell st.

Mrs. Mary B. Robjont has returned to her home on Beacon st. after an enjoyable six weeks' vacation spent in Italy, France and Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens and Mrs. Lena Thresher of Lowell st. spent the weekend in Braintree, Vt.

William Corliss of Andover st. spent several days during the past week with his daughter, Mrs. Walter True of Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Abbott of Reservation rd. enjoyed several days the early part of the week with relatives in Richford, Vt.

Mrs. Theodore Peterson of Pine st. is recuperating at the Lawrence General hospital following surgery.



John D. Murray, 266 Salem st., left last week for service in the Armed Forces from the offices of Local Board 72, Selective Service, in the Postoffice. Giving him his travel orders is Acting-Chairman Joseph Horan. (Cole Photo)

BUILDING BOOM CONTINUES IN OCTOBER

(Continued from Page One)

new building in Shawsheen; residence with garage under the house for Lionel Currier, Vine st. at the Bypass; residence and two-stall garage, Joseph A. Cote, Wildwood rd.

The following received permits for construction of homes and garages: Armond J. Ratte, Arcadia rd.; Ernest Comeau, Lovejoy rd.; C. Lincoln Giles, Hidden rd.; Jerome O. Dube, McKenney cir.; Nicola Lombardi, Vine st.; Frederick Brainerd, Dascomb rd.; William Banks, Wildwood rd.; Fred W. Doyle, Chandler rd.; Robert Harden, Haggatt's Pond rd.; Herbert Rines, two on Central lane; Frank Cairns, four on Lucerne dr.; Franklin Gardens corp., two on Linda rd.; Cottage Farm, Inc., four on Cottage Farm rd.; Ruth Stevens, three on Stevens cir.

Andover Builders corp. received a permit for a new house on Salem st.; George Murphy, new house on Woburn st.; William Long, temporary garage at 182 Summer st.; Edmond E. Hammond, two-stall garage, Porter rd.; James Walsh, two-stall garage, Heather and Highland roads; Herbert Krauss, two-stall garage, 261 Beacon st. and two cellars on Cottage Farm rd. by Cottage Farm Inc.

Additions and alterations for which permits were issued include: Edmond E. Hammond, Porter rd., tear down building; Tyler Rubber Co., Lewis st., change entrance to plant; Henry Petzinger, Osgood st., exterior additions; Spring Grove cemetery, add to storage building; Andover National bank, Main st., outside changes; Resnik Realty Investment, Main st., outside changes to store; Reinhold Chemicals Inc., Lowell Junction, add process building; Richard Gould, 6 Stratford rd., enclose rear porch; Stephen J. Shumsky, Osgood st., add one room; Palmer A. Hughes, 7 Orch-

ard st., enlarge rear porch; Frank Symosek, Lockway rd., enlarge garage; Ray F. Ruggiero, Argilla rd., add small building and William Smeltzer, Woburn st., add two rooms.

Union Service On Thanksgiving Morning At 8:30

The Union Thanksgiving service sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches will be held Thanksgiving morning at 8:30 - a half hour earlier than other years.

The service will be in the Free Christian church. The Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th.D., will conduct the service and the Rev. Frederick B. Noss will offer the message.

New Lights Coming At Chestnut Street

A spotlight has been installed on a building at the corner of Main and Chestnut streets which will be directed on a traffic circle at the intersection.

The light was installed as a safety measure for the patrolman who directs traffic there during after-dark hours.

The traffic control lights, still blinking red or yellow, will soon be fixed. The Finance committee has approved the transfer of \$1000 from available funds to connect the lights to the controls in the Elm sq. police booth.

The state will install new lights at the Chestnut st. intersection, it was explained.

EDUCATORS ATTEND REGIONAL MEETING

Several local educators recently attended the eastern Massachusetts regional meeting of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools held in Wellesley college.

Attending were Mrs. Alexander Crane, principal of Abbot academy; Miss Alice Sweeney, head of the Abbot English department; Miss Beatrice L. Stevens, head of the English department at Pynchard high school; Fessenden Wilder, senior master of Brooks school; the Rev. Joseph J. Gildea, O.S.A., dean of Merrimack college and the Rev. Joseph A. Flaherty, O.S.A., chairman of the English department at Merrimack college.

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OBITUARIES

MRS. ANDREW J. McDONALD
Mrs. Margaret (Byrnes) McDonald, a former Andover resident died Nov. 5 in the Muller Home, Lawrence, after a long illness. A native of Calais she was the wife of Andrew McDougall of No. Andover.

Surviving besides her husband are a son, Andrew J. McDonald, Jr., a grandson, Michael McDonald; a brother, James Byrnes, Andover; and three sisters, Thomas Casby and Mrs. Judith Casby of Lawrence and Mrs. Martha Byrnes of Haverhill.

The funeral was held Thursday from the McAuliffe Memorial home, Lawrence, with a high Mass of requiem in St. Ael's church, No. Andover at 10 o'clock.

Burial was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery with funeral rites by Fr. Walsh.

The bearers were Walter Thomas Casby, a brother of the deceased, Joseph J. Casby, nephew, and William Ross.

MISS AMELIA T. YOUNG

Miss Amelia T. Young, Longwood ave., Boston, died unexpectedly Tuesday at her home in Dundee, Scotland and was a former resident of Andover and a member of the Free Christian church.

Surviving are three sisters, John Elder and Mrs. Margaret Elder, both of Andover and Mrs. Mabel Smith of Hanover, N.H. several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held at the Lundgren funeral home day afternoon. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

Friends may call tonight 7 to 9 and Friday 2-4 and 7-9.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed in the town clerk's office:

Carmen A. Mele, 132 Main st., Lawrence and Jo-Anne Currie, 38 Pearson st.

Robert H. Jalbert, Courton and Katherine J. Christensen, Chapman st., Watertown.

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OBITUARIES

MRS. ANDREW J. McDougall
Mrs. Margaret (Byrnes) McDougall, a former Andover resident, died Nov. 5 in the Muller Rest Home, Lawrence, after a long illness. A native of Calais, Me., she was the wife of Andrew J. McDougall of No. Andover.

Surviving besides her husband are a son, Andrew J. McDougall Jr., a grandson, Michael McDougall; a brother, James Byrnes of Andover; and three sisters, Mrs. Thomas Casby and Mrs. James A. Judge of Lawrence and Miss Bertha Byrnes of Haverhill.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the McAuliffe Memorial funeral home, Lawrence, with a solemn high Mass of requiem in St. Michael's church, No. Andover, at 9 o'clock.

Burial was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery with committal rites by Fr. Walsh.

The bearers were Walter Divoll, Thomas Casby, a brother-in-law of the deceased, Joseph Judge, a nephew, and William Ross.

MISS AMELIA T. YOUNG

Miss Amelia T. Young, 342 Longwood ave., Boston, died unexpectedly Tuesday at her home. Born in Dundee, Scotland, she was a former resident of Andover and a member of the Free church.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. John Elder and Mrs. Margaret Cairnie, both of Andover and Mrs. Mabel Smith of Hanover, N.H. Also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held from the Lundgren funeral home Saturday afternoon. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

Friends may call tonight from 7 to 9 and Friday 2-4 and 7-9.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed in the office of the town clerk:

Carmen A. Mele, 132 Marston st., Lawrence and Jo-Anne M. Currie, 38 Pearson st.

Robert H. Jalbert, County rd. and Katherine J. Christensen, 114 Chapman st., Watertown.

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Ensign Scott Gerrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll C. Gerrish, 27 Enmore st., has soloed for the first time during flight training at Corry Field, a Naval Airfield near Pensacola, Fla. Married to the former Marion White of Andover, he is a graduate of Dartmouth college.

"Back To School" Night At PTSA Meeting Nov. 16

A "Back To School" night will be held by the PTSA of Punchard High school and Junior High school Nov. 16 at 7:30.

Students will take their parents to their home rooms for a typical school day, following a brief PTSA business meeting in the auditorium. The program was worked out by Dr. A. Warren Sandberg, program committee chairman; Headmaster Lindsay March and Arthur Danforth.

Mrs. Hans Marum is expected to report to the group on the annual membership drive and will accept late applications for membership at the meeting.

Refreshments will be served by the hospitality committee, under Mrs. Alfred Bonanno's chairmanship.

PERSONAL

Frank J. A. Humphrey, former editor of the Townsman, is a patient at the Bon Secours hospital in Methuen.

Christmas Fair. At Baptist Church On November 19

The three women's organization of the Andover Baptist church will combine their activities in presenting the annual Christmas

fair Nov. 19 in the vestry.

Many Christmas gift articles will be available at the fair, with a public supper being served in the late afternoon by members of the Friendly circle. Mrs. Frederick C. Eastman is president of the circle.

Other groups cooperating in the fair are the Philathea class, Mrs.

Clinton H. Stevens, president; and the Woman's Union, Mrs. P. LeRoy Wilson, president.

RUMMAGE SALE NOV. 17

The November club will hold a rummage sale Nov. 17 from 9-2 at the clubhouse on Locke st. Mrs. Leslie Hutchinson and Mrs. James E. Downs are co-chairman of the event.

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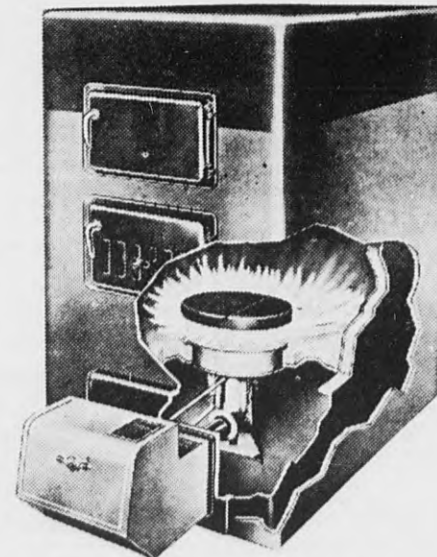
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Large rear porch; Frank Lockway rd., enlarge by F. Ruggiero, Argilla small building and Willmer, Woburn st., add two

Service Thanksgiving At 8:30

Thanksgiving services by the Andover Churches will be held morning at 8:30 - four earlier than other

Service will be in the Free church. The Rev. Leavolds Jr., Th.D., will service and the Rev. B. Noss will offer the

Lights Coming Chestnut Street

Light has been installed at the corner of Main nut streets which will on a traffic circle at

It was installed as a sure for the patrolman's traffic there during hours,

traffic control lights, still d or yellow, will soon The Finance committee ed the transfer of \$1000 able funds to connect to the controls in the ice booth.

will install new lights st. intersection, ined.

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were Mrs. Alexander ipal of Abbot academy. Sweeney, head of the ish department; Miss Stevens, head of the partment at Punchard l; Fessenden Wilder er of Brooks school. eph J. Gildea, O.S.A. imack college and the A. Flaherty, O.S.A. the English depart- imack college.

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some 300 houses in all - "presents social and economic problems. We feel we are as responsible as you are in properly solving them", Atty. Sartorelli stated.

Would Share Cost

He mentioned the possibility that his firm will be willing to discuss mutually sharing the cost of laying additional water mains in the area.

On drainage, a sharp disagree-

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GEORGE HEZELTINE



GEORGE L. HENRICK

ment arose between Irving Birchall, engineer for the firm and Ralph Preble, town engineer. Mr. Birchall said he could see no drainage problem in the area, which caused Mr. Preble to say: "We're expecting rain tomorrow. Are you going to be around?"

Believes Solution Available

Atty. Sartorelli told the meeting throughout the evening that "We are not too excited" about the situation because "We've faced it before". He mentioned similar problems in Lynnfield and Danvers, where the firm is finishing housing construction.

However, Mr. Sartorelli warned the board that "We can't stop cold" in the plans for development here.

He pointed out that nothing will stop development in the towns in a giant circle around Boston - whether his firm does the work or whether it is done by someone else.

Investment

"We have about \$200,000 invested here", he reminded the meeting, with some 175 acres of land and plans for a total of 300 houses.

The plan of the construction company is to complete the houses within two years.

Take Under Consideration

Eugene A. Bernardin Jr., chairman of the planning board, emphasized early in the meeting that the board would listen to any ideas of the firm and consider them in executive session. He told the firm that the advice of town counsel and town engineer will be valuable, for none of the board is an engineer or lawyer.

Mr. Sartorelli urged the board to consider the firm as part of the board in solving the problems.

He pointed out that only a solution satisfactory to the board and the citizens of the town will be suitable to the firm, as it wants to do what is right for the community.

Offers Water Solution

One concrete proposal made by the firm involved laying some 2200 feet of 12-inch water pipe to complete the circulation around the area proposed for some 66 homes off Westwind rd. Mr. Birchall pointed out that pipe along Elm st. to the proposed development and connecting to Haverhill st. would complete the circle and give adequate supply and fire protection.

Plans Take Months

The board was urged to let the company go ahead with plans for the 66-home development before the town's master plan is ready in February.

George Hezeltine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Hezeltine, 130 Elm st. and George L. Henrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Henrick of George st. left this morning for Sampson Air Force base.

Both active in Punchard High school, they signed up together for a four-year enlistment. They graduated last June.

Hezeltine was a center on the varsity football team and was a member of the track team for two years. He was a member of the Varsity club; was a member of the photography committee for the yearbook and was stage manager for the annual stunt night.

Henrick Vice President

Henrick, vice president of his class, won two letters in football and received a letter for track. He was a member of the Merrimack Valley All-star team as a guard and was voted Mr. Punchard last June.

They were entertained at a party last night at the Hezeltine home.

Atty. Sartorelli pointed out the planning takes months and the delay until February before attempting to solve the problems would mean a much longer delay before his firm could begin to operate here.

He said it would be better for the firm's representatives and the local boards to confer before putting engineering ideas on paper and then considering them.

The planning board agreed to talk the situation over and let the firm know its decision soon.

Talk On Whole Area

At the outset of the meeting the board suggested that discussion include the whole area proposed for development by the company with specific mention of the Westwind rd. development for which preliminary plans have been submitted to the board.

"Tell us what you want", Atty. Sartorelli told them, "and we are willing to cooperate". He urged several times that immediate conferences be held to reach solutions of the problems facing the town and the firm rather than wait until February when the master plan will be ready.

MARRIAGE RETURN

The following marriage return has been filed in the office of the town clerk:

Myron Harley Muise, 65 Park st. and Ellen Roberta Gilmore, 39 Walnut st., Lowell, married Nov. 6 in St. Peter's church, Lowell, by the Rev. Robert C. Bryson.

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LEGAL



WARRANT
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
ESSEX SS.

To either of the Constables
Town of Andover
In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify the inhabitants of said town are qualified to vote in Town to meet and assemble at the Meeting Auditorium, Bartlett Street, in Andover on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1955 at 8:00 o'clock P.M., to act upon following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the will vote to raise and appropriate sum of \$7,500.00 for the purpose of preparing preliminary plans for elementary school in the Ball's Plains area, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury by bond issue; and to take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the will vote to raise and appropriate sum of \$45,000.00 in addition \$175,000.00 already appropriated under Article 13 of the town meeting held the twenty-first of March, 1955 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a six-room addition to West Elementary School, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury, or by bond issue; and to take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the will vote to raise and appropriate sum of \$32,000.00 in addition \$85,000.00 already appropriated under Article 14 of the town meeting held the twenty-first of March, 1955 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a four-room addition with necessary alterations, to the Green School, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury by bond issue; or take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the will vote to raise and appropriate sum of \$5,000.00 from the Town Treasury to install a water main on Gleason Street, on petition of W. DOYLE and others.

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LEGAL NOTICES



WARRANT Commonwealth of Massachusetts ESSEX SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover Greeting: In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Town Affairs to meet and assemble at the Memorial Auditorium, Bartlet Street, in said Andover on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1955 at 8:00 o'clock P.M., to act upon the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,500.00 for the purpose of preparing preliminary plans for a new elementary school in the Ballardvale Plains area, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury, or by bond issue; and to take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$45,000.00 in addition to the \$175,000.00 already appropriated under Article 13 of the town meeting held the twenty-first of March, 1955, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a six-room addition to the West Elementary School, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury, or by bond issue; or take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$32,000.00 in addition to the \$85,000.00 already appropriated under Article 14 of the town meeting held the twenty-first of March, 1955, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a four-room addition with any necessary alterations, to the Shawshen School, and to determine whether the money shall be provided from available funds in the Town Treasury, or by bond issue; or take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$5,000.00 for replacement or renovation of the small electric pump and motor and such necessary installation as may be required and to use the trade in value of the old equipment as part payment.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$5,000.00 to install a water main on Gleason Street, on petition of FRED W. DOYLE and others.

ARTICLE 6. To transact any other

business that may legally come before the meeting:

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies and publication thereof, seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting as directed by the By-Laws of the Town.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this seventh day of November, A.D. 1955.

J. EVERETT COLLINS
SIDNEY P. WHITE
STAFFORD A. LINDSAY
Selectmen of Andover

A true copy:

A T T E S T

GEORGE N. SPARKS, Constable
Andover, November 10, 1955

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 25138
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To BETTY JEAN DALRYMPLE of unknown residence.

A libel has been presented to said Court by your husband, FREDERIC A. DALRYMPLE, of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between himself and you be decreed for the cause of desertion and praying for custody of minor child.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court within twenty-one days from the nineteenth day of March 1956, the return day of this citation.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
3-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 207,678
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ALFRED L. RIPLEY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The first and final account of the executors of the will of said deceased has 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 Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of November 1955, the return day of this citation. Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
3-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Probate No. 249039
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY A. BOND, late of Wethersfield in the County of Hartford and State of Connecticut, deceased, having estate in said County of Essex, and to the TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL of said Commonwealth.

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
27-3-10

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 249,458
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of EMIL J. DES ROCHES late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that FRANCES M. DES ROCHES of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

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

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

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
From the office of
Joseph F. Bacigalupo
316 Essex Street, Lawrence 3-10-17

METHUEN - PUNCHARD GAME IS FRIDAY

(Continued from Page One)

The Andover team, working hard this week, had a rest last weekend when their game with Winthrop was called off because of rain. Methuen played Swampscott, however, and nearly staged an upset over the strong down-county team. Swampscott finally won, 14-13, after a Methuen TD in the late minutes of the final quarter.

Pre-game rallies will take place here tonight, as Punchard students and rooters work up enthusiasm for tomorrow's game. They plan a parade through the downtown area followed by a rally behind the high school.

The Blue Devils, whose try for a perfect record was spoiled by Reading, have beaten Danvers, 25-6; Stoneham, 25-0 and Lexington, 13-6. Reading beat the home team, 19-14.

BROKEN WATER MAIN CAUSES MANY PROBLEMS

A broken 12-inch water main caused considerable difficulty for residents near the site of the new high school on Shawsheen rd. Monday.

The pipe was broken during excavation by workmen at the new school site. It left homes without water from about 10 a.m. until nightfall. The pipe was repaired by the water department.

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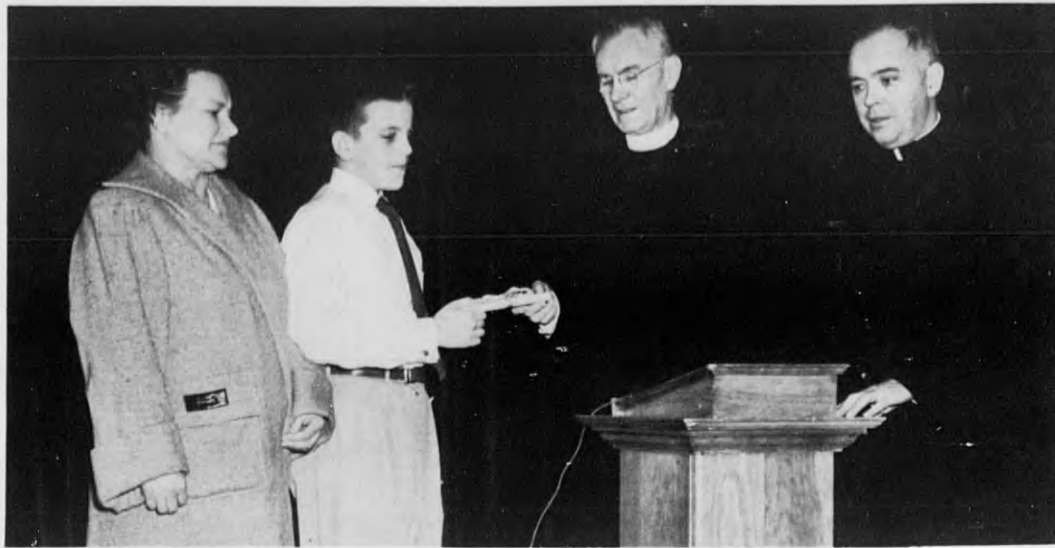
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Patrick Erwin, an eighth grade student at St. Augustine's, won second place in a state-wide poetry contest sponsored by the State Court of Massachusetts, Catholic Daughters of America. Very Rev. Patrick J. Campbell, O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine's church, presented the award this week. Looking on are the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A. director of the school and Mrs. Frances Keane, grand regent of Court St. Monica. (Look Photo)

Selectmen Say Willing To Hear Insurance Plan

Each of the town's three selectmen have informed the Townsman that the board of selectmen will consider an insurance plan for the town at any time it is presented to them.

Chairman J. Everett Collins declared: "If other things are equal and the plan shows a saving for the town, we would have to accept it." He asked: "What are we there for but to save the town money when we can?"

Both Stafford Lindsay and Sidney White, the other two board members, affirmed their willingness to listen to a plan if it is presented by local insurance men who do not now write any of the town's insurance business.

Statement Last Week

Last week, the board issued a statement which said, in part: "The Selectmen therefore feel that there should be no change in the present arrangement since no better plan for supervising the town's insurance has been proposed, no savings offered. The town has had an opportunity to compare the present properly functioning arrangement with the plans for division now proposed, and

Jazz Concert To Be Presented At Phillips Academy

The Modern Jazz Quartet will be presented in a Carnegie Hall type of concert at George Washington hall, Phillips academy, Nov. 14 at 8 p.m.

The quartet is rated by critics as one of the finest of 1954. Included in the quartet are Milt Jackson on the vibraharp, John Lewis at the piano, Connie Kay at the drums and Percy Heath as bass. Their program is entitled "Concert In Jazz" and is being presented by the students and seats are reserved.

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Want To Write Policies

Five of the town's six insurance agencies had asked that the town insurance be written by all six agencies rather than the present arrangement whereby the Smart and Flagg agency writes all the insurance and then gives a percentage of the commission to each of the other agents.

The five men had requested an opportunity to inspect the policies held by Town Clerk George Winslow. They were told that the group might see the policies at any time as long as they remained in the town clerk's office. The agents had also suggested to the selectmen that they would return with a plan, based on scrutiny of

the policies, probably with an insurance expert from Boston.

As yet, the agents have not met with the selectmen to offer a plan.

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A long-range financial plan for the town was discussed at a planning board and finance committee Monday night.

It would establish a system for major town and plan revenue program pace with capital expenditure. The proposed plan

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**GIVE \$50,000 TO
UNITED FUND DRIVE**

Gifts to the Greater Andover United Fund exceeded \$50,000 this week.

Selectman Stafford Lindsay, Andover chairman, announced the figure on a basis of returns from the Phillips academy, which brought the total over the \$50,000 point. The academy received \$6,228 compared with \$10,000 last year.

Mr. Lindsay said that some divisions which had not yet reported in full amount of contribution has been about 10 per cent higher than last year, he pointed out.

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