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Steinert Twins Chosen Most Popular Babies at Playground

Timothy Brennan Wins First Honors in One-Year Class—Patricia Smith Takes Fifth Prize in Four Years—Katherine Burbine Wins Three-Year Group

Town League Race Nears Exciting End

Close ball games were the feature in the Town League this week with two tie games and two one-run victories since last Friday. The Sherrill club again climbed to the top by defeating the Trojans Monday night, while the Hoods, after playing two tie games, find themselves in second, practically tied with the third-place Trojans.

Only four games remain to be played in the second half. Two of these are play-offs of games postponed because of rain, while the other two are play-offs of the two tie games of this week.

The schedule for next week is a complicated affair. Tonight Ballardvale meets the Sherrill club in a postponed game of the first half. If the Sherrill club wins, they become first half champions, but if they lose they enter a tie with the Trojans for first place and there will be a play-off between these two teams on Monday night. On the same night, the B. A. A. and Hoods will play at the Vale. In the event of a Sherrill victory tonight, the schedule will unravel itself very easily with a Sherrill-Hood game Monday. Hoods at Ballardvale on Tuesday, Trojans at Hoods Thursday, and B. A. A. at Sherrill on Friday.

On next Saturday the championship games are scheduled to begin. The race is so tight, however, that if it should rain on any of the nights ball games are scheduled, it may be impossible to determine the winner of the second half.

The standing of the League including Thursday night's game follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Sherrill	6	4	.600
Hoods	5	4	.556
Trojans	6	5	.545
B. A. A.	3	7	.300

Annual Carnival Plans Progress

Plans for the annual carnival of the local units of the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Daughters of America are going forward rapidly. The event will come September 14, 15, and 16, and will be featured by the award of an automobile.

The committee consists of: K. of C., William A. Doherty, general chairman; Charles J. Bailey, M. A. Burke, Frank S. McDonald, Augustin P. Sullivan, Dr. J. J. Daly, James Greeley, Jeremiah Looney, James Flannery, Henry Dolan, John Cussen, John Nelligan, Arthur Smith, Edward Lefebvre, C. D. of A.; Mrs. Frank Burns, general chairman; Mrs. Frank Shideler, Mrs. William J. Doherty, Mrs. Charles J. Bailey, Mrs. George Cheney, Miss Florence Burke, Miss Josephine Sullivan, Miss Ethel Polgreen, Mrs. M. A. Burke, Miss Katherine Buckley and Mrs. Albert Perrault.

Local Boy Wins Prize in Contest

For the second year in succession a Hood Rubber Company Treasure Hunt contest prize goes to a local person. Richard W. Schreiber, of Caron cottage is the winner this year of one of the second prizes, camera. The prize is being awarded through H. E. Miller, well-known local shoe man. There were three monthly contests with fifty-two prizes awarded to the winner in each of the three contests in April, May, and June. The June contest ended July 15th and the company received thousands of solutions to the June mystery story from boys and girls all over the country.

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"We grow everything we sell!"
Roadside Market, South Main Street
LARGE FANCY NATIVE PEACHES
Roasting Chickens, Fowl, Eggs
Fruit blossom honey.
ALL FRUITS and VEGETABLES in SEASON
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Open mornings, afternoons and evenings.

Andover's most popular baby this year is two babies. At the playground last Friday evening a pair of twins, Jean and June Steinert, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Steinert of Union street, carried away first honors from a large group of contestants. Ann Rita Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burke of North Main street, entered the twins in the contest. A gold ribbon was awarded them for first place in the three-year olds, and they also won a blue ribbon for first place among children under two years.

In the new-coming class (children under one year of age), little Timothy Brennan, entered by Elwood Brennan, took first prize, with William Harrison, Jr., second. Katherine Burbine won first place in the three-year olds, and Patricia Smith first in the four year class. Patricia by taking first honors would up a career in which she won a prize every year, showing that popularity is not as fleeting in Andover as it is in Hollywood. When she entered the contests, she won first prize in her division and also first in the finals. For the last two years she has won second place in her class.

The newest development in baby contests proved an interesting innovation. The idea was possibly taken from the schoolboy patrol plan, with modern variations. No one can say that George Spinnery, tricycle officer, did not fulfill his duties well, for he did an excellent job in clearing the field of children.

About 500 children attended the contest along with many parents and interested adults. The selections were made by the popular applause of the children with John P. Alexander as referee. He was assisted by James Bissett, assistant at the playground. Announcements were made by Miss Margaret Davis, superintendent of the playground.

The national colors were carried by Donald Lewis and division banners by William Yancy, Kenneth Gordon, William Gordon and Gilbert Fraize.

Start Investigating Traffic at Overpass

The State Department of Public Works is planning to start work soon on a dangerous blind spot which menaces northbound motorists on the south side of the overpass on route 28. According to James N. Keefe, manager of the Lawrence Automobile club, the spot constitutes a real danger to northbound traffic. Owing to an upgrade curve in the highway, he says, traffic is headed toward the exit from the overpass and is consequently on the wrong side of the road.

Mr. Keefe's suggestion is that better illumination be provided at that point and an effort is being made by the board to correct the defect.

Will Rogers Calls Weekly Most Indispensable Article Town Has

Will Rogers, writing for the Boston Globe recently, gave the town weeklies a fine endorsement in connection with the N. E. A. convention in California. His article follows: BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF., July 27—We have a great bunch out here prowling around. It's the National Editorial Association, composed of editors in smaller towns and weekly publications.

They are just eating their way around the country, having a good time, and getting a lot of pleasure out of it, and giving everyone that meets 'em a close-up of just about as representative a gang of Americans as would be possible to band together; intelligent, well read.

They are not contented enough to think they would public opinion, they just go along serving their community with the most indispensable article that it has and yet their real power is greater than all your metropolitan dailies combined. Any person that don't read at least one well written country newspaper is not truly informed.

McCord Boy Hurt at Wood Ice House

Frederick McCord, son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. McCord of North Main street received a minor injury to his right foot Tuesday while working at the ice house on the Wood estate. He had inadvertently stepped upon the open prong of a pair of ice tongs and the point passed through the leather of his shoe and caused a painful although not a serious injury. The wound was treated immediately by Dr. John J. Hartigan.

Bicycle Races at Playground Tonight

At the local playground this evening the children from 10 to 14 years of age will participate in a stilt race, and also a bicycle race will be held. The girls and boys will take part in separate races. There will also be a special bicycle contest for boys older than 14 years.

Dr. Chester J. Farmer and family left for their summer home at Cedar Lake, Crown Point, Indiana, Tuesday morning after a ten days' visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Farmer of Whittier street.

Mrs. Joseph H. Lownd returned Monday to her home on Bartlett street after a vacation of two weeks spent at the Hotel Harrington, North Rye Beach, N. H. Her son Harry, pastor of the First Congregational church, Merrimac, was with her for a ten days' stay.

Among those who attended the Braves-Pirates doubleheader in Boston on Wednesday were John A. Jenkins, Alfred R. Harris, Charles O'Neill, Henry Page, John Davis, James Kelley, James Ronan, John Thompson, John Lonergan, Ernest Verrette, George Crockett and William Nicoll.

Miss J. Esther Comegys of Scranton, Pa., and Miss Ruth Morgan of Evanston, Ill., have been appointed to the faculty of Abbot academy it was announced Monday by Miss Bertha Bailey, principal.

Miss Comegys will be dean and head of the Mathematics department at Abbot. She received her B.A. degree from Wellesley college in 1921 and an M.A. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1926. She was instructor in Mathematics for some time at Wellesley, and for the past year she has taught Mathematics at Simmons college. Miss Comegys has also been studying for a Ph.D. degree at Harvard University.

Miss Morgan has been appointed instructor in Science at Abbot academy. She was graduated with a B.A. degree from Smith college, and has been for several years instructor in Science at the Ogontz school in Pennsylvania.

Hope to Hold Drum Corps Competition

Plans, indefinite as yet, are at present being formulated by Andover post 8, American Legion, for a two-day festival to be held, it is expected, near the end of September. Further plans will be discussed at a meeting which will take place in the Legion rooms next Monday night. Town officials, interested citizens, and other organizations are invited.

Among the principal features being thought of at present is a bugle and drum corps competition similar to that held in other towns this season. Great interest has been manifested in these contests, and the Andover post hopes that many other units will come to show their wares. The local corps has proved itself among the best in the state. Tuesday evening the corps paraded in Lawrence and they will also march this evening in the 40 and 8 parade. Their convention activities will cease with a third parade tomorrow afternoon. They will then travel to Revere to compete there.

Whist Party Held on Tuesday Night

Many prizes were taken home from the whist party held Tuesday night at the G. A. R. Hall and sponsored by the Ladies' auxiliary to Walter L. Raymond Camp, 111, south of Veterans. Eight tables were constantly kept in action with Mrs. Eleanor Hamel acting chairman, in charge. Delightful refreshments were served after the party with Mrs. James N. McCord in charge. Those who won prizes were as follows:

Miss Josephine Sullivan, hot plates; Mrs. Gallagher, candy; Mrs. Annie P. Davis, pillow; Mrs. Worcester, cookies; Patrick Tucker, cigars; Mrs. William Navin, pillow; Mrs. C. Lefebvre, ash tray set; Mrs. William G. Martin, pillow; Mrs. David Vannett, coffee; Mrs. David Stewart, silk hosiery; Mrs. Fred L. Collins, towels; Miss Mary Colbath, pillow; Mrs. Lafayette D. Stickney, talcum powder and Miss Agnes Stewart, fruit.

Miss Charlotte Collins has resumed her duties in Boston after a week's vacation.

Mrs. Eleanor Hamel has moved from South Main street to North Main street.

What's Going On

Tonight Bicycle and stilt races at the local playgrounds. Whist party in Fraternal hall. Public invited.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Frank Sweeney of Summer street is vacationing for two weeks.

Mrs. Herbert E. Russell of Leominster was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Anne Harnedy of Summer street spent Tuesday at Onset.

Thomas Thin of High street spent the week-end at Bridgton, Maine.

William Renny of Walnut avenue has been enjoying the week at Beverly.

Miss Alice Wrigley of High street is spending a week at Hampton Beach.

Frank P. Markey of the Burns' company is away from his duties for a week.

A week's vacation is being enjoyed by John F. Davis of Temple place.

John Berry of the Addison Art Gallery is enjoying his annual vacation.

Miss Kathryn Martell of Concord spent the week-end visiting friends here.

Joseph Stewart of Moraine street has returned after a vacation in Canada.

Helen Goodwin of Ludlow is visiting at her family home on North Main street.

Mrs. Charles Dallas of Beverly is visiting Mrs. Andrew Hamilton of Harding street.

Miss Ida Grover of Harding street is enjoying a week at Hampton Beach, N. H.

William Haigh of New York spent the week-end at his home on Washington avenue.

Miss Marion Dennison of 79 Pine street is spending two weeks with relatives in Dorchester.

Town Treasurer and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton have been visiting recently at Pine Point, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huntington of Melrose are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Pitman of Summer street.

Miss Elizabeth L. Gordon, bookkeeper at the Andover Press, is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Joseph Adams has returned to her home in New York City after visiting with Mrs. Frank A. Welch.

Mrs. Mary Seacole and her daughter Emma of Harding street are spending the month of August at Salisbury Beach.

Miss May O. Simmons of Washington avenue has returned to her duties after enjoying her annual vacation.

News Exchange Gets Underway

This week the news exchange plan recently adopted by the Townsman gets underway with new momentum. The plan has created a great deal of interest throughout the State and it is expected that soon it will become a permanent fixture in the town weeklies.

A few minor difficulties were encountered at the outset, but these have all been removed. In Concord the Herald had to meet the charge that it had surrendered its independence to a newspaper chain, a complaint that was of course unjustified, since the paper had only in effect subscribed to a service. The plan has nothing to do with the editorial policy of the various weeklies.

Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers, congresswoman from the 5th District Massachusetts, recently sent the Townsman a letter in which she heartily endorsed the new idea. Her letter follows:

Lowell, Mass. August 8, 1932

Managing Editor The Andover Townsman Andover, Mass.

Dear Sir: I have noticed recently that your paper has initiated a new plan of exchanging news with other town weeklies in the state. I wish to congratulate you and your new associates on this step, which I feel will add greatly to the interest of the weeklies as well as add to the services they perform for their respective towns. Unfortunately our town papers up to now have limited themselves too much to strictly local news so that the townspeople have not been able to discover just how the affairs of the other towns were being conducted. I am sure your plan will remove this localistic viewpoint, and will also show the way to better government. The citizens of the United States are interested in what is being done in other nations, for it helps them in appraising their own methods. Similarly, the citizens of our towns should learn what is happening in other towns so that they can better run their own affairs.

I sincerely hope that your readers will appreciate the service you are offering them. I feel that it is a decided step forward. My best wishes are with you and the other editors who have subscribed to your plan, which I know will succeed.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) EDITH NOURSE ROGERS
(Mrs. John Jacob Rogers)

Andover Motorist Hits Lawrence Lad

Herbert H. Otis of 26 Pasho street reported to the Lawrence police Tuesday evening that Elias George, two years old, had been injured on Oak street by his machine.

The child's injuries consisted of contusions of the right knee and an abrasion on the right arm. Otis stated that at the time of the accident he was driving slowly because there were many children on the street.

Harrison Brown Jumps into Lake to Help Companions on Fishing Trip

Three Andover men had an exciting experience at Long Lake, Harrison, Maine, last week when they were caught in a sudden storm while fishing four miles out in the lake. The trio, Leon Fields, Harrison Brown, and Frank Kefferstan, were able to struggle ashore, but not until after their clothes had absorbed a large part of Long Lake.

The men set out in an effort to catch some bass, and while they did catch a few, the most important things they caught were colds. As they vented their weary way home, they inconsiderate 'Jupe' Pluvius started a demonstration of his wares. The cylinders of the outboard motor went bad, and Harrison Brown went to the rescue with a pair of oars. They headed for home the short way, which was over a sand bar. While crossing the bar, Brown proved again a hero by jumping into the lake up to his waist. His rubber boots proved just as good at holding the water in as they had previously been in holding it out. Then all three carried the boat across the bar.

The end of the story? Well, since it is a fish story, it might be all right to state that when Brown emptied the water out of his boots he found eleven large bass—but then this was Washington's bicentennial, and if he didn't lie about cherry trees, why should he lie about fish?

V.F.W. Still Leads Industrial League

The fifth week in the Industrial League was one of surprises and upsets. It started off Tuesday night when the Vets received their first defeat of the year. The loss, however, did not knock the V.F.W. out of first place.

Another surprise came in the same game when Jimmy Dugan dashed in from center field to catch a fly with his hands.

On Wednesday night the Townsman team was able to get into action once more after a two week lay-off because of rain. Although it did rain, the two teams played the game in a downpour.

Jimmy Dugan continues to lead the sluggers of the League with an average of .563. His fielding average is slightly lower. Jerry Winters and Mel Grover, both of the Townsman team, are tied for the runner-up position each with .546. The averages of those hitting over 400 follow:

	W	L	Pct.
E. Collins, V. F. W.	3	1	.667
Dugan, V. F. W.	16	5	.667
Winters, A. T.	11	5	.688
M. Grover, A. T.	11	6	.646
Welch, V. F. W.	14	7	.610
Paine, A. T.	4	2	.667
Johnson, A. T.	11	2	.846
Collins, A. T.	11	1	.917
O'Brien, P. O.	11	5	.688
Renny, A. T.	9	0	.444
Blackburn, A. T.	7	3	.429
T. Daly, P. O.	14	3	.429
Martin, V. F. W.	10	5	.400

The standing at the end of five weeks is as follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Veterans	3	1	.750
Townsman	2	1	.667
Post Office	2	2	.500
Greeley's	1	3	.250

Grove Party to Be Held Friday

A Grove Party will be held under the auspices of the Woman's Union Friday, August 19 from five to nine o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Urmoston, Chatham road, West Andover. There will be corn and wienies to roast, also sandwiches, doughnuts, coffee, cold drinks and ice cream for sale. Come and enjoy yourself in the woods and also help raise money for the vestry fund.

Ballardvale M. E. in League Playoff

A prize of \$2.50 gold piece, donated by a friend will be given to the player who has the highest batting average in the play-off which takes place between the four leading teams in the Lawrence Inter-Church League. The games are now being played and the following church teams are taking part: Ballardvale Methodist, Calvary Baptist, Emmanuel and Advent Christian.

Sport Calendar

(Note: For Town League schedule consult Town League story on this page.)

Today and Tomorrow Golf: Andover Country Club, Legion Championship.

Monday Golf: Andover Country Club. Start of second annual caddies' tournament.

Tuesday Industrial League: V. F. W. at Greeley Playstead.

Wednesday Industrial League: Post Office at Townsman Playstead.

Thursday Skeet shoot at Conkey's Farm.

Two Women Killed; Charge Manslaughter

Bad Accident on Reading Road Claims Two Lives—One, Seriously Hurt, Recovering—Ford Ploughs into Rear of Parked Truck

James H. Aker, 22, of 14 Henry street, Everett, will appear before Judge Frederic N. Chandler in Lawrence District court next Tuesday morning as a result of an accident on the Reading road last Monday evening, in which two women were killed, one seriously injured, and two men slightly hurt. Miss Lillian Middleton, 19, of 382 Main street, Reading, and Mrs. Daniel Reed, 50, of 383 Fulton street, Medford, died shortly after being admitted to the Lawrence General hospital. The life of Miss Dorothy Reed, 20, daughter of one of the victims, was despaired of for a while, but Wednesday noon the hospital authorities were able to tell her father that they saw no reason why she should not recover.

Aker was released under \$1500 bonds on two charges of manslaughter and operating an automobile so as to endanger. He was the driver of a Ford touring car which crashed into the rear of a parked truck near Carter's corner. The party of five left Medford about 4:30 and were enroute to Cobett's pond, Pelham, N. H. Aker and Miss Reed were in the front seat, and in the rear were Mrs. Reed on the right, Miss Middleton in the center, and Vincent Licciardi of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the left. Aker swung his machine out to pass the truck, and it was only those on the right side, next to the truck, that were severely injured. The driver and Licciardi, Miss Middleton's fiancé, escaped with minor injuries because of their fortunate position on the outside.

The Ford hit the left rear end of the truck, its front end sliding under the truck's rear end. The upper half of the touring car was tipped off entirely. The women were struck square on. The Reading girl's head was thrown back through the rear window. Aker brought the Ford to a stop a short distance ahead of the truck in the second lane and then picked his fiancée out of the wreckage. A passing motorist picked the two up and sped away to the Lawrence General hospital. Going through Shawheen village they picked up Officer Arthur Jovett.

The Andover fire department ambulance brought the other three to the hospital. At the scene of the accident Licciardi tore his shirt into shreds to stop the flow of blood in Miss Middleton's wounds.

Mrs. Reed passed away at 6:45, fifteen minutes after being admitted to the hospital. Miss Middleton died two hours later. The former had received a skull fracture, several severe lacerations about the head which left the brain exposed. The younger victim had received a fractured left jaw, laceration of the left cheek, fractured right collar bone, punctured lung and questionable fractures of the fifth, sixth and seventh ribs on the right side. The medical examiner, Dr. Victor A. Reed, viewed both bodies at the hospital. He announced Mrs. Reed's death had been caused by a fractured skull. The young girl's death was attributed to a punctured lung and a hemorrhage in the chest.

Mrs. Reed's injuries were a fractured skull, a compound fracture of the right forearm, a fractured jaw, and numerous lacerations about the head. At first she was given only an even chance to recover, but she slowly gained ground.

Officer Carl Stevens investigated the accident and as a result he arrested Aker late Monday night on the various counts. In court he pleaded not guilty and was released in \$1500 bonds, furnished by Daniel Reed, Mrs. Reed's husband. He claimed that he was driving along about 30 miles an hour when he saw the truck parked in front of him. The wheel struck, he said, and he was unable to cut out completely. The truck, owned by Nicholas G. Albanese of 41 Sidney street, Medford, had been parked at the spot since the early afternoon. He had left it in the outside lane. A broken axle had forced him to park.

After the crash officer John Deymond directed traffic at the scene.

Life-Saving Tests Conducted at Pond

Fourteen young people have been awarded Senior Red Cross Life Saving certificates as a result of tests completed last Tuesday night at Poms pond. In addition thirteen junior awards were made. John A. Robertson and George C. Forsythe have been in charge of this work.

It is expected that in the near future a swimming meet will be held at the pond. This is an annual event which has always created a great deal of interest.

Those who passed the tests are as follows: Russell Blanchette, 16 Cuba street; Thomas Duff, 40 Essex street; Dorothy Fettes, 5 Buxton court; Edward Gill, 16 Cuba street; George Keith, 175 North Main street; Harry Meadowcroft, 36 Washington avenue; Walter Milnes, 20 Cuba street; Bessie Monroe, 20 Baker lane; Lillian Monroe, 20 Baker lane; Rita O'Hagen, Baker lane; David Petrie, 6 Chickering court; Fred Swenson, 216 North Main street; Eva St. Jean, 212 North Main street; George Thompson, 42 Red Spring road.

Junior Red Cross Life Saving test—Charlotte Aucterlonie, 65 Red Spring road; Joseph Burns, 267 Main street; William Collins, 37 Pearson street; Arthur Glines, 57 Bartlett street; Mary Mahoney, Wilson's corner, North Andover; Robert MacLaren, 2 Lewis street; Richard Sherry, Andover street, Ballardvale; Mary Smith, 23 Barnard street; Elsie Thompson, 42 Red Spring road; Constance Turnbull, 40 Red Spring road; Reginald Wallace, rear 46 High street; Joseph Winters, 137 North Main street; George Zink, Chester street, Ballardvale.

Planning Contests in Vale Carnival

One of the big features of the Methodist church Epworth League Carnival at Ballardvale will be the "Most Popular Baseball Player" Contest, which will begin this week and end at 10 o'clock the night of the Carnival, August 27th. A gold piece will be awarded to the player receiving the largest number of votes. It is expected that many prominent players of the Ballardvale Methodist church team and the Ballardvale athletic association delegation will have many supporters.

The carnival will be held in the afternoon and evening on the point of land adjoining the Community Hall.

Ballot boxes have been placed in all the stores of the village and tickets are on sale by members of the League and children of the town.

Another interesting feature will be the "bean guessing" contest. A jar of beans will be placed in the window of George Bruce's store and every person in the town will be given an opportunity to guess free of charge the number of beans in the jar and the person coming nearest will be awarded a worthy prize. Each person will be allowed one guess only.

Other features will be the fortune teller, the side show, and "Donkey Contest." Food, hot dogs, tonic, candy, peanuts and ice cream will be on sale.

Mary M. Doherty Smashes Record

Miss Mary M. Doherty, Andover's swimming sensation, upheld her enviable record as a mermaid last Friday evening at the Nautical pool, Revere beach, when she added a new record to her list of accomplishments by winning the N.E.A.A.U. 300-meter senior medley championship in the time of 5 minutes, 6.4-5 seconds. The former pool record was 5 minutes, 8.1-5 seconds and was established by Clare Walker of the Whitin A.C.

Miss Marion Fettes, also of Andover, had intended to participate in the 50-yard free style swim but unfortunately arrived too late to enter.

Birth

A son, to Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Grassi at the Shaw hospital, Lowell, August 4.

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Expenses Unwarranted

The tax rates announced to date in Massachusetts communities show a trend toward reduction which should serve as an example to the state and federal governments. A few towns have brought about a decrease in the rate by increasing their valuation, and as we well know here in Andover this makes the drop only a delusion. However, in general the rates have been reduced despite lowered valuations and despite lower returns from state taxes.

most of the people are considering the welfare of the majority; at the State Houses, however, everyone seems to be looking out for himself, and at the Capitol everyone is looking out for himself and all his political friends. As an example it is only necessary to point out that the Andover employees are donating two weeks' pay to the unemployed, while only a short time ago the General Court voted itself extra pay for a session in which nothing constructive was accomplished.

Weddings

JACKSON—WILKINSON Miss Christine Farquharson Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wilkinson of 84 Haverhill street, Shawshen was unostentatiously united in marriage Saturday afternoon to Andrew Henry Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Jackson, 16 Ridge street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alfred C. Church, pastor of the Free Christian church with only the immediate families of the pair attending.

Steinert Twins Win Playground Baby Contest

(Continued from page 1) entered by Pearl Hurwitz; Viola Barnet, entered by Dorothy Barnet; James Ross, entered by Mary Snyder; Donald Porter, entered by Ruth Porter and Malcolm Fraize, entered by Emma Fraize.

WESTON—KEIRSTEAD

A pretty home wedding was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Keirstead, 66 Morton street, on Wednesday at three o'clock, when their daughter, Edith, was married to Rev. Henry Weston of Providence. Dr. Anderson of Newton Theological Seminary performed the ceremony, the bride being given away by her father.

William Brewster Perishes in Squall

William Rollins Brewster, elder son of E. T. Brewster of Judson road, died at Puerto Pollensa, in the Balearic Islands, probably during the early morning hours of Saturday, July 10.

Marriage Intention

Robert Baxter, Aberdeen apartments, and Dorothea McVickar, 45 Fifth avenue, New York City.

Obituaries

ORMSBY The funeral of Mrs. Helen Schneider Ormsby, wife of Irvin Ormsby of Tewksbury street, Ballardvale, was held on Monday afternoon in the late home. Mrs. Ormsby was born in Ballardvale twenty-four years ago and had been a resident here ever since and through her quiet and pleasant ways gained a host of friends. She passed away at her home on Saturday morning after a long illness.

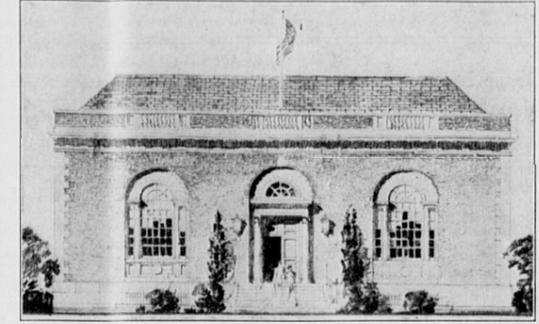
BROWN Miss Mary Brown of Andover street, Ballardvale, passed away at the Donnell Sanatorium on Monday afternoon after a long illness. Miss Brown taught in the Bradlee school of this town for over thirty years and was a life long resident here. She was the oldest member of the membership list of the Union Congregational church and was always interested in the Ladies Aid society and other branches of church work. She held the office of treasurer of the Ladies Aid for many years and always was active in preparing the children for the concerts in years gone by.

McGAW Mrs. E. W. McGaw, a former resident of Ballardvale, died recently in the Old Ladies' Home, Everett, where she has resided for many years.

Johnson Victor at Country Club C. H. Johnson was the winner in the medal, full handicap tournament at the Andover Country club last Sunday with a net score of 66 and a gross of 92. J. J. O'Neil was runner up with a score of 88-71.

Farewell Party Given Miss Godin Miss Evelyn Godin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Godin of Pearson street, had a farewell party given her Monday night by friends at the home of Miss Mary Buckley, 162 Abbott street, South Lawrence. Miss Godin will leave August 12 for Halifax, Nova Scotia. She intends to enter the novitiate of the Sisters of Charity, Mother Seton House at Halifax. At the farewell party her friends presented her with a purse of gold. The guests were well entertained by an enjoyable program and delightful refreshments were served. The following were present: Misses Evelyn Godin, Evelyn B. Walsh, Eileen C. Shyne, Eileen McAuliffe, Nora Elliott, Eileen O'Sullivan, Frances Garvin, Laura O'Brien, Ruth Vaas, Katherine Andrews, Mary Cronin, Eileen Kelley, Marie Ryan, Katherine McMorrow, Patricia Twomey, Ella N. Walsh, Isabel Cate, Nora Twomey, Mary Casey, Elizabeth McCannell, Mary Romel, Rita Cate, Elizabeth Hyland, Rita Nugent, Mary Godin, Anna Mahoney, Mary Buckley, Hannah Buckley, Eileen Buckley, Mary Fox, Annette Andrews, Helen Walsh, Michael Buckley, Daniel Buckley, Mrs. Julia Buckley, Mrs. Patrick Mahoney, Mrs. Alfred Godin and Mrs. Bourdieu.

Construction Progressing on Post Office



Work on the new Andover Post Office has been advancing rapidly during the summer. The outside staging has finally been removed, and for the first time Andover residents are able to see what the Federal Building will look like when finished. The construction is being done by Stephen Durso of Lawrence.

Typewriter Doctor

By RUBY DOUGLAS THE cashier of the Brookville bank looked up from his desk as Sylvia, his competent little stenographer, entered his office humming gaily. "Why the mirth on Monday morning, Miss Sylvia?" he asked. "The old, old reason—joy in having created something?" she told him. "Tell me—let me be joyful, too," persisted the cashier.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Betty Winters of North Main street is at Crawford Notch, N. H. Miss Angeline McCarthy of Avon street is spending a vacation at Ipswich. Miss Eleanor Peterson of Greenwood road is enjoying a vacation at Amherst. Miss Esther Batchelder of the Insurance offices is enjoying a vacation at Ogunquit, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. David Wallace and family have moved from 92 North Main street to Buxton court. Major and Mrs. Edmund B. Gregory of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mrs. John N. Cole of Salem street.

The Andover Townsman Twenty-Five Years Ago This Week

John McDonald and a party of friends spent Wednesday of last week, autoing in Mt. Vernon, N. H. James Leslie of the Andover Press is having his annual vacation this week. Rev. Frank R. Shipman visited in New Milford, Conn., last week for a few days. Herbert Chase and family left yesterday for a short stay at Springfield, Vt. Mrs. John Soehrens and daughter Ernestina are visiting in New London this week. Mrs. Anna Taddock, Misses Clara Putnam, Ella Holt, Angie Burt, and Alice Boutwell are occupying the Coleman cottage at Haggets pond. In Andover, August 11, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Manning. Mrs. Arthur Comeau and children left Wednesday for a six weeks' vacation in Maitland, Nova Scotia. Miss Rose Coutts of Paterson, N. J., is visiting her uncle, William C. Coutts of Mapleavue. Charles Jenkins of the T. A. Holt company is enjoying a vacation of two weeks at Marblehead. William Odlin and family are at Lynn for a short stay. O. P. Chase is spending ten days in Springfield, Vt. Miss Carolyn Abbott of the Andover National Bank is enjoying a vacation. The following will take part in the presentation of the Biblical Drama of "Joseph and His Brethren" at the South church, West Andover: Philip Hardy, Miss Ethel Sunday evening; George E. White, Jesse E. West, Harry S. Lowd, William H. Foster, Lewis Lindsay, Chester J. Farmer, Miss Florence Abbott, Miss Edith Clark, Miss Edith Whitman and Miss Maria Fairweather. In the disastrous fire that occurred at Old Orchard beach on Thursday evening many of the Andover people who were sojourning there were deprived of their vacation. Although half of the hotel section, which included the Lawrence hotel, where several Andover people were staying, was entirely destroyed, no one of our townspeople, so far as has been learned, lost any of their belongings. Among the Andover residents who were spending their vacation at the beach were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jackson, Mrs. Janet Tough, Elsie Wood, Charles Riddoch, Mrs. W. D. Carrier, Mrs. C. A. Hardy of West Parish and Miss Milligan.

Your Future Townsman What Will It Be Like

Today we contain many stories about other towns and there will undoubtedly be those who will feel that the Townsman is no longer a local paper. But this fear is ill-founded; the Townsman has always, is now, and will forever be a paper for the people of Andover. Never will we cut out any local news merely to insert a story about something not directly connected with Andover. The Boston papers are still Boston papers even though they are all supplied with stories of Portland, Oregon, by a news agency. They are still Boston papers because they contain all the Boston news. Our primary purpose is to supply all the local news, and we intend always to persist in this purpose. During the summer, news is always scarce in Andover. There are few club meetings, few whist parties, few socials of any kind, and news in a small town is made up primarily of such matters. At the same time, however, our news exchange material from other towns is very ample, for this is the time of year that most communities are announcing their tax rates. As fall approaches, there will be more Andover news and less exchange stories. Will Rogers calls weeklies the most indispensable articles that towns have, and nearly everyone will agree that Will is one of the best common-sense philosophers of our present day. The Townsman wants always to prove a service to Andover, and that is why we recently adopted the news exchange plan, one of the most progressive steps taken by weeklies for years. It is a change, of course, but it is a change for the better, made without sacrificing any of the present services we offer. Our motto has been and always will be: "When there is more Andover news, the Townsman will carry it."

Shower Tendered Miss Emma Tyzbin

Miss Emma Tyzbin of Lowell Junction was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held at her home recently in honor of her coming marriage. Decorations of pink and white were used and after the festivities refreshments were served by Julia Scrwin, Anna Pietra and Mary Gesing. Those in attendance were: Miss H. A. Pietra, Miss Helen Czajka, Mrs. Krawsk, Mrs. Pietra, Mrs. Mary Zoutra, Mrs. Anna Kulis, Mrs. Mary Kendrick, Miss Gladys Tanzer, Mrs. Mary Pietra, Mrs. Mary Sowa, Mrs. S. Winarska, Mrs. Sophia Fleszar, Mrs. Mary Motyka, Mrs. Joseph Solak, Mrs. Skrabucha, Mrs. Antoni Werc, Mrs. Pauline Chmil-woska, Mrs. Anna Weiss, Mrs. J. Gibadot, Mrs. Mary Katara, Mrs. Sliwa, Julius Serwin, Miss Sonia Josephs, Miss K. Tyzbin, Miss Julia Tyzbin, Mrs. Hen Krawiec, Mrs. Mary Ramiania, Mrs. Frank Janicz.

Andover Churches

- CHRIST CHURCH Central Street—Episcopal. Organized 1835. Rev. C. W. Henry, Rector. Sunday, 8.00. Holy Communion; 10:45 Morning Prayer; Rev. G. De Witt Dowling, So. Boston. Thursday, 7.30, Choir Rehearsal. The Church is open for prayer daily. BAPTIST CHURCH Essex Street. Organized 1832. Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen, Pastor. There will be no services in the Andover Baptist church during August. Sunday September 4th (Labor Day Sunday) the church services will open with a worship service at 10.30. During August the pastor can be reached at his home 29 Maple avenue. SOUTH CHURCH Central Street. Congregational. Organized 1711. Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Minister. Sunday, 10.45. Union Service with the Free Church. Alfred C. Church pastor of the Free Church will preach. Subject: "Kindness."

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Emma Jeanette Valentine late of Andover in said County, deceased, intestate. WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Franklin S. Valentine of Andover in the County of Essex without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR. Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry Joseph Gardner late of Andover in said County, deceased, intestate. WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to James G. Anderson of West Medway in the County of Norfolk without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR. Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Carrie H. Conkey late of Andover in said County, (wife of Elmer F. Conkey) deceased, intestate. WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elmer F. Conkey of Andover in the County of Essex without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Southeasterly by Main Street, sixty-two (62) feet; Southeasterly by lot 6 on said plan, one hundred seventy-seven (177) feet more or less; Northeasterly by Shawshene River by an irregular line; and Northeasterly by lot 4 on said plan, one hundred eighty-one (181) feet, more or less.

Containing 11,150 square feet of land according to said plan. Said parcel was released from the operation of said mortgage by a partial release dated September 10, 1926, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 527, Page 150.

A certain lot of land situated in that part of Andover in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth of Massachusetts known as Shawshene Village, and shown as lot numbered six (6) on a 'Plan of Land on Main Street in Shawshene Village, Andover, Mass., owned by Phillips Corporation,' dated April, 1926, duly recorded with the Essex North District Deeds, and bounded and described as shown on said Plan as follows:

Westerly by Main Street, sixty-two (62) feet; Southerly by lot numbered seven (7) as shown on said Plan, one hundred fifty-one (151) feet, more or less; Easterly by Shawshene River, and Northerly by lot numbered five (5) as shown on said Plan, one hundred seventy-seven (177) feet, more or less.

Containing about ten thousand, one hundred eighty-eight (10,188) square feet, as shown on said Plan. Said parcel was released from the operation of said mortgage by a partial release dated June 11, 1927 and recorded with said Deeds, Book 533, Page 135.

A tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Andover, in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shown as lots numbered one (1) and two (2) on plan of land in Shawshene Village, Andover, Mass., known as Main Street Lot, owned by The Phillips Corporation, surveyed April 1926, John Franklin, C. E., which plan is recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Plan No. 643, bounded as follows: Northerly one hundred sixty-four (64) feet, more or less by Balmoral Street;

Westerly two hundred seventy-eight and 54-100 (278.54) feet; more or less, by Main Street; Southerly one hundred sixty-five (165) feet, more or less, by lot numbered three (3) on said plan; and Easterly by the Shawshene River.

Containing 41,304 square feet of land according to said plan. Said parcel was released from the operation of said mortgage by a partial release dated April 25, 1927 and recorded with said Deeds, Book 531, Page 110.

The said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles and other municipal liens, if any. Terms of sale: \$5000. in cash to be paid at the time and place of the sale and the balance of the purchase price to be paid within ten days thereafter. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

(Signed) ELLEN M. HART, assignee and present holder of said mortgage; Lyne, Woodworth & Everts, attorneys 75 Federal Street Boston, Mass. August 10, 1932

Mortgagee's Sale

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by THE PHILLIPS CORPORATION to JAMES F. BAILEY, dated November 11, 1926, and recorded with Essex North District Deeds, Book 528, Page 8, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder by assignment dated July 28, 1932 and duly recorded with said Deeds, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction, at eleven thirty o'clock A.M. on the sixth day of September, A.D. 1932 on the mortgaged premises, all and singular the real estate described in said mortgage as follows:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Andover, called Shawshene Village, being Lot A on 'Plan of Land in Shawshene Village, Andover, Mass.,' John Franklin, C. E., dated March, 1926, duly recorded with Essex North District Deeds, as Plan No. 632, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Westerly side of Main Street at land of Morris J. Curran, thence Northerly by Main Street, eighty-three (83) feet to a point near the center of a driveway, thence Westerly thirty-two and 5-10 (32.5) feet to a point on a large boulder on the Westerly side of said driveway, thence Northerly fifty (50) feet to a stone bound thence Westerly one hundred fifty-five and 9-10 (155.9) feet to a stone bound, thence Northerly seventy and 5-10 (70.5) feet to a stone bound, thence continuing in nearly the same course ninety-six (96) feet to a stone bound, thence Westerly ninety-one and 9-10 (91.9) feet to a stone bound, thence Westerly sixty-eight and 5-10 (68.5) feet to a point, said point being one foot southerly from the Southerly side of a brick wall, thence Westerly in a line parallel with and one foot Southerly from said brick wall eighty-three and 7-10 (83.7) feet, thence Southerly seven and 7-10 (7.7) feet to a stone bound, thence Westerly two hundred ninety-eight and 5-10 (298.5) feet to the corner of a fence, thence Southerly three hundred forty (304) feet to land of Morris J. Curran, thence Easterly by said Curran's land six hundred sixty-seven and 83-100 (667.83) feet to the point of beginning.

Being part of the premises conveyed to the said corporation by Cornelius A. Wood et al., Trustees, by their deed dated March 31, 1926, recorded with Essex North District Deeds, Book 520, Page 461.

The said premises are hereby conveyed with the benefit of and subject to all rights of property appurtenant thereto, easements, rights of way, and all restrictions of record, all so far as they are now in force and applicable.

The said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles and other municipal liens, if any. Terms of sale: \$1000. in cash to be paid at the time and place of the sale and the balance of the purchase price to be paid within ten days thereafter. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

(Signed) ELLEN M. HART, assignee and present holder of said mortgage; Lyne, Woodworth & Everts, attorneys 75 Federal Street Boston, Mass. August 8, 1932

Frog: What's the matter with Bugs, that he looks so sour? Mosquito: He got too hungry last night to be particular and he bit an old maid who was at a lawn party.

With The Other Towns Governmental Notes of Interest

Peabody's Rate Drops Two Dollars to \$33.80

(By the Peabody Times) PEABODY—The Peabody tax rate is two dollars less than a year ago, the 1932 figure being \$33.80 a thousand, the same as two years ago. The rate was the result of several factors, including the cutting of the budget some \$80,000; an increase in real estate valuations of \$180,000; a loss of personal estate valuations of \$320,000; a loss in Income tax and Corporation income tax of \$41,000; an increase of about \$15,000 in state tax, and other minor variations.

Estimating the 1932 receipts, the figure of last year's water receipts was used, although a twenty per cent cut in the industrial water rate went into effect on July 1. The assessors feel that this was the proper thing to do, as if business increases in the latter part of the year, a larger use of water will offset the reduction in rate.

The detailed story of the 1932 rate follows: Valuations, 1931, real estate \$20,139,600; personal, \$4,049,600; 1932, real estate, \$20,320,400; personal, \$3,729,500; net loss in valuation, \$139,000. 1931 budget, \$1,362,971.80; 1932 budget, \$1,282,863.14.

Tanneries in Peabody Taking Back Old Help

(By the Peabody Times) PEABODY—A decided change in the unemployment situation has taken place here during the past three weeks. Men who were seeking aid from the city last month are now working days in one factory and nights in another; men who have been waiting for their turn to get two days a week in the various projects of the Citizens' Unemployment committee are found to be working in tanneries when their call comes; factories are sending out calls for experienced men; men are being hired in place of women in many plants. In fact, the drain on the city welfare department by the unemployed is being lessened considerably.

Much encouragement is heard all over town over the big orders taken by some of the factories. There are several million dollars worth of orders ahead of the tanneries at present. Two or three firms are negotiating for factory space here. One firm has brought another line of its work here from a former Brooklyn plant. Several firms are on full time.

Beamhouses that have been shut down tight have started up again. There is far from a shortage of unskilled labor, and the applicants for work from nearby cities are making the rounds of the tanneries, who have some good men to pick from. Many of the plants are making an effort to build up a good crew of men during this period, weeding out the poorer of the former employees and trying out new men, thus making good being in line for steady positions.

The subjects included are: Municipal Salaries, Education, Evaluation, Light and Power, Highways and Sewers, and Firemen and Police.

As the most of the work of the Association is to try to make the tax payers tax-conscious, these investigations and reports will be of benefit in stimulating an interest in local affairs.

No. Reading School Board Turns Back Sum to Town

NORTH READING—At a special town meeting last Monday \$3,500 out of the appropriation of \$49,000 voted to the school committee was turned back into the town treasury. The original amount was appropriated for the transportation of forty grade pupils to the Reading schools but the committee was able to equip a local school with a ninth grade and so save the extra expense.

Methuen Tax Rate Drops Only Twenty-five Cents

METHUEN—The board of assessors for the town of Methuen announced Saturday a drop of 25 cents in the tax rate for this year, despite a substantial loss in revenue.

The 1932 rate is \$39.65 per \$100 valuation, as compared to \$39.90 which was in effect last year. The town will raise appropriations amounting to \$732,000 this year, which is \$20,000 less than the amount raised from taxation last year.

The board announced that the town will realize a loss of \$26,000 in income and \$15,000 in corporation and bank receipts, with a \$5000 increase in state tax receipts, netting a combined loss of \$36,000.

Plea to Reduce Costs Made at Palmer Meeting

(By the Palmer Journal-Register) PALMER—A warning that the bulk of Massachusetts' towns' revenue next year must come from taxes on real estate was sounded by State Accountant George W. Searle at an open meeting of the Palmer income committee last week. The reason for this is that the receipts from income and corporation taxes will be even less next year than this. These taxes are paid next year on the basis of this year's business. The whole burden must therefore be expected almost entirely from real estate which is in the hands of only about sixteen per cent of the people and only about six per cent pay income taxes.

The speaker inferred very plainly that we were paying altogether too much for our government, about every branch of which was included but especially the Highway, Educational and Welfare departments.

Apparently the Welfare division is the one that really needs the most attention at the present moment. This branch will demand more and larger appropriations for some little time to come. Even here, constant cases of poverty and distress are being met, and the whole community will not stand by and see fellow beings suffer from want of actual necessities.

Summing up his talk, Mr. Searle said that municipalities must recognize that welfare costs were bound to increase for a time, that real estate valuations in general were less, that other income is reduced to almost nothing and that in order to continue to carry on in a solvent manner luxury and inessential costs in our government must be eliminated.

Reading Town Employees Start Salary Contribution

(By the Reading Chronicle) READING—On Monday of this week the 10 per cent contribution by all municipal employees, including school teachers, went into effect in an effort to supply enough additional funds to meet the needs of the Welfare Department without increasing the tax rate.

At the town meeting in March \$15,000 was appropriated for aid, board, and care and on the first of July there was something over \$5000 remaining in this account. This obviously was not enough to carry the department through the year and additional money had to be raised.

To carry the work of the Welfare Department through the remainder of the year it is estimated that about \$18,000 will be required. The money received from this contribution on the part of the town employees will amount to about \$16,000 and will almost be sufficient, therefore, to carry the department through the year.

This method of obtaining the funds will make it unnecessary for the employees to petition for a restoration of the wage scales when conditions return to normal, which would be necessary in case the town voted to cut wages 10 per cent. The additional ad-

Wilmington Veterans to Request Special Meeting

(By the Wilmington News) WILMINGTON—A special town meeting for an appropriation for unemployment relief work will be held in Wilmington soon if present plans of the V.F.W. post in this town materialize. A committee from the post will meet with the Board of Selectmen in the near future to request the calling of the special town meeting. It is planned to spend the money if appropriated for improvements on the Memorial park, the entire sum to be used for labor if possible.

A number of men were put to work last week in the town water works. This work was made possible by a fund of three hundred dollars.

Newburyport Tax Rate Rockets to New High

NEWBURYPORT—The tax rate in Newburyport this year is the highest in the city's eighty years of existence. The rate will be \$41.60 per thousand, or a sky-high boost of \$9.60 over last year's. Unusually large demands on the welfare, soldiers' relief, and old age pension funds is given the reason for the jump. In addition the valuation of the city has fallen of \$250,000 and the increase in the total budget is \$109,214.90. An increase of \$3.50 was caused by the necessity of paying for a \$40,000 emergency loan of the Gillis administration.

Uxbridge Rate Shows Three Dollar Reduction

UXBRIDGE—The board of assessors of Uxbridge have unofficially announced that the 1932 tax rate would be \$29.40 as compared with \$32.40 of last year, a reduction of \$3.

An official announcement will be made today following a conference with an official of the state department of taxation who will check the town's books.

Dennis Valuation Rise Brings Lower Taxes

DENNIS—The 1932 tax rate just announced will be \$29.60, a drop of \$1.20 from the 1931 rate of \$30.80. Decreased appropriations and an increase of \$129,000 in the town valuation made the decrease possible. The town valuation is now \$3,339,000.

Concord's Tax Ass'n Will Ask Solons Cut Salary

(By the Concord Herald) CONCORD—A recommendation will be made to the next Legislature that the salaries of state senators and representatives be reduced to \$1,000 a year, according to a vote taken at a recent meeting of the Concord Taxpayers' association. Every taxpayer's association in the state is to be made acquainted with the public opinion and it is hoped that public opinion will be aroused in this way. It was stated at the meeting that the present \$2,000 salary attracts too many men who never have and never could earn that amount of money. If this reduction is put across it will mean a saving to the state of nearly a quarter of a million dollars.

Concord's Tax Rate Set at \$1.40 Less than 1931

(By the Concord Herald) CONCORD—The Concord Board of Assessors have announced the tax rate for Concord in 1932 as \$26.80 on the thousand, a drop of \$1.40 from that of last year. This is the lowest tax rate in the town since 1924. The tax rate for 1927, five years ago, was \$40.90. In 1924 the rate was \$30.80.

The Town Grant this year totals \$420,829-10 less by \$3680.28 than that of 1931, \$424,509.38. The total assessed valuation is now \$9,668,040, as against \$9,444,758 last year, an increase of \$123,282. This year's valuation \$8,362,360 is in real estate and \$1,305,680 in personal property.

Concord's apportionment of the State tax is \$13,552.50, and its share of the County tax is \$13,565. Concord's largest receipt under the general taxation returns is the income tax which this year amounts to \$26,148.22, which is over \$7000 less than last year. There are now 1951 poll tax payers in Concord, 10 less than last year.

Ipswich Committee Has Spent \$4000 in Projects

(By the Ipswich Chronicle) IPSWICH—Over one hundred men have been given work in Ipswich through the efforts of a committee appointed at the last town meeting. Approximately \$4,000.00 has been spent in this work. Of this amount not over one-third has been for material and the remainder has been for labor. Thirteen men have been employed in a mosquito control project.

A little trouble resulted from a misunderstanding between the committee and the Street department as a result of which one man who had been dropped from the town payroll and another who did two days work on a team were paid from the unemployment funds. The matter was corrected as soon as the committee learned of it and was adjusted by discontinuing their pay from the fund.

Rate in Ipswich Takes \$2.20 Jump to \$34.60

(By the Ipswich Chronicle) IPSWICH—The Assessors here have announced the 1932 tax rate at \$34.60 per \$1,000.00, this rate having been checked and approved by a representative from the office of the State Tax Commissioner. It is an increase of \$2.20 over last year's rate of \$32.40, and reflects decreased valuations, which are \$7,552,374.00 for 1932 against

\$7,591,345.00 last year, a decrease of \$38,971.00 practically all on personal property; a decrease in estimated receipts, which figure is \$88,951.57 for 1932 against \$66,149.32 last year, a decrease of 7,197.75 of which over half is due to lessened Income and Corporation taxes; and an increase in the amount of taxes raised on polls and property which is \$266,413.14 for 1932 against \$251,086.57 last year, an increase of \$15,236.57.

West Parish

Miss Esther Lewis is visiting with her parents at Sunny Ridge Farm for a few days.

Robert Scobie and family have moved into the house recently vacated by Kenneth Barnard.

The Woman's Union will hold a grove party on August 19. A full account appears on page 1.

Mrs. Albion Johnson and children of Amherst are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Greenwood road.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens and family have returned from a vacation spent in Braintree, Vermont.

Miss Annie Wright is enjoying a few days vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wright of Lovejoy road.

Andover Grange will meet on Tuesday, August 23 at Grange Hall. A corn roast in charge of the Ballarville members is planned.

Miss Ebba Peterson has returned from Amherst where she attended the School of Dramatics as a delegate from Andover Grange Dramatic Club.

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Miss Esther Lewis is visiting with her parents at Sunny Ridge Farm for a few days.

Robert Scobie and family have moved into the house recently vacated by Kenneth Barnard.

The Woman's Union will hold a grove party on August 19. A full account appears on page 1.

Mrs. Albion Johnson and children of Amherst are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Greenwood road.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens and family have returned from a vacation spent in Braintree, Vermont.

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Ball Autographed by Star Rookie

Andrew Hamilton, Jr., of Harding street is the proud possessor of a baseball autographed last Sunday by Bob Brown, star rookie pitcher of the Boston Braves.

Among the other local baseball fans who attended the double-header in Boston Sunday were: Henry J. Dolan, John F. Davis, James Wallace, John Cussen, Fred Barrett, William McCarthy, Frank Nelligan and Edward O'Dowd.

Ladies' Auxiliary Membership Drive

A mammoth membership drive will be launched in the near future by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the V. F. W., Andover post, 2128.

Saturday, August 27, the first annual outing of the auxiliary will be held at Hampton beach. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, September 14.

James J. Dugan Seeks Nomination

James J. Dugan of 2 Highland road, has announced his candidacy to represent Andover and South Lawrence, comprising the sixth district which elects two representatives to the legislature.

Mr. Dugan is well known in this district. He was born and has always resided on Highland road.

He received his education in the local public schools, Bryant and Stratton school, and Suffolk Law School of Boston.

Mr. Dugan is a keen student of legislative affairs. His issues include a correcting of legislative enactments that leave a prospective \$50,000,000 deficit in balancing a \$400,000,000 budget, and a pronounced stand against all increases in salary that members of the house have voted themselves as evidenced by the \$400 "Plum" for the extra session last year.

Town League

Trojans 4—Hoods 4. With a 4-0 loss staring them in the face the H. P. Hood nine suddenly recovered last night in the sixth and seventh innings to score four runs and tie the ball game.

Deke Sweeney had pitched no-hit ball for six innings, the two Hood runs in the sixth stanza being due to errors. In the seventh he weakened to give Mura a double and Gouck a single which, combined with a pass, produced two more runs.

While the Hoods were making four runs on two hits, the Trojans knocked out eleven hits and scored only the same number of runs. Joe Davis continued his hitting streak with three singles, while Sammy Deyermund contributed a long double and a single.

The score:

Table with columns: Trojans, Hoods, and individual player statistics (ab, r, h, po, a, e).

Gouck, c.f. 4 0 1 1 0 0. Wright, p. 2 0 0 2 1 0. Porter, 2b. 2 0 2 0 0 0.

Totals 24 4 2 21 11 4. *Ran for Nelligan in fifth.

Two-base hits: Deyermund, Mura, Sacrifices: Gouck, O'Connor, Hurley, Wright, 2. Stolen bases: J. Davis, 2; Sweeney, Fallon, Porter. Struck out: by Sweeney 5; Wright, 2.

Sherrill Club 2—Trojans 1

In as tight a ball game as has been played at the Playstead this year, the Sherrill club (both of them) shouting for a hit to score the winning run, Ross Keogh proved to be the man of the hour at the Playstead Wednesday night when his lacy single gave a hard fought 8-7 victory to the Townsman over the J. E. Greeley Co.

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Sergeant George Carney of the Field Artillery made the most sensational catch of the year in the third inning, when, after running all the way to Basso's fence to escape being hit by a foul ball, Carney suddenly felt the ball drop into his bare hand.

Manager Alfred Reginald Harris of the Townsman team was found to have gone to Braves' Field in Boston to scout the Pirates and Braves in an endeavor to determine whether those teams had any players good enough for the Townsman nine.

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Totals 33 7 8 18* 8 4. *None out when winning run scored.

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7. Townsman 1 0 4 2 0 1—8. Greeley's 3 0 0 2 0 2—7.

Runs batted in: Bissett 2, Hannon, Zalla, Barrett, Blackburn, Paine, Collins, Keogh. Two-base hits: Higgins, Hannon. Three-base hit: Bissett. Sacrifice: M. Grover. Stolen bases: M. Grover 3; Holt 2; Zalla 2; Hannon 2; Higgins 2; Winters 2; Paine, Westcott. Left on base: Greeley 8; Townsman 8.

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Industrial League

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Johny Nelligan incurred a split thumb when his hand got in the way of one of Jimmy Welch's fast pitches, while Harold Eastwood had his waist line reduced a few inches, when another Welch heave skidded on his stomach.

The mailmen emerged from their batting slump to drive Mattie Chetson from the mound with ten hits which were good for twelve runs. Fran Daly pitched a great game, allowing but four hits and fanning six. Guy Webster and John Daly were the heavy hitters.

The game started late and was called at the end of four and a half innings because of darkness.

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Margaret and Betty Buchan were recent visitors at Hampton Beach. Joseph Bouleau of Main street was at Hampton Beach this week-end.

George M. Collins of the Andover Press is now on his vacation of two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Christy and family spent the week-end in Brockton.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Hulme have returned from a two weeks' stay at Falmouth. Mrs. William J. Doherty enjoyed the boat train trip to Provincetown Sunday.

William Dolan of Avon street has returned after spending a week on Cape Cod. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Mercer have been vacationing at Bar Harbor, Maine.

Selectman and Mrs. Andrew McTernan are vacationing at York Beach, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. David S. Burns of 14 Wolcott avenue spent Sunday on Cape Cod.

John Deyermund, Jr., enjoyed a trip to Hampton Beach over the week-end. George Markey has returned to his duties at Greeley's market after a week's illness.

Edward McCabe was among the local people at Hampton Beach last week-end. Mrs. James Gillespie of Elm street is spending a few weeks at Pine Point, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Casen and family of Lexington visited friends in town Monday. Miss Milly Zalla was the guest of Miss Katherine McCarthy in Ludlow last week.

Joseph A. McCarthy adjutant of the local Legion post, is enjoying his annual vacation. Alan Polgreen of Washington avenue visited at Hampton Beach over the week-end.

Among the visitors in town are Branton and William Wheatley of Germantown, Pa. Miss Julia Daly of Chestnut street has been enjoying a vacation at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Anna Brown of 21 Canterbury street is vacationing at Grafton Neck, Rye Beach. Margaret and David Petrie of Chickering court spent the week-end at Hampton Beach.

Leon Fields is enjoying his annual vacation from his duties at the Tyler Rubber company. Joseph Connolly, formerly of Andover and now of Flint, Michigan, has been visiting in town.

Miss Rosalie Rogers of Summer street has been spending a few days at Sebago Lake, Maine. Miss Beatrice Lyman of Lowell street has been enjoying a brief vacation at Lake Somerset.

Miss Marjorie West has returned to her home at 23 Summer street after a week's stay at Falmouth. Miss Annie S. Lindsay will close her hair-dressing parlors from August 24 until September 6. Adv.

Miss Doris Collins of 36 Summer street has returned from Quebec after vacationing there for a week. Thomas M. O'Riordan of Avon street has returned to his duties in Waltham after his recent vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walsh of 28 Essex street spent the week-end at the Magnolia camping grounds. Joseph O'Connell has returned to his duties at the Hartigan Pharmacy after his recent two weeks' vacation.

Ellsworth Roby will return to his duties at the J. E. Pitman Estate Monday after enjoying a week's vacation. Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of Abbot street are spending a few days with friends in Sherbrooke, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Washington avenue spent the week-end at Great Pond, Kingston, N. H. Charles O'Neill of School street and Robert Cairnie of Baker Lane visited Hampton Beach over the week-end.

Mrs. George M. Henderson of Andover street is entertaining Miss Jessie Cairnie of New York for a few weeks. Ernest Gallant has resumed his duties with the Tyler Rubber company. His vacation was spent at Salem, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parsons of Dufton road were visited last week by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Veit of New Bedford. Miss Maria M. Fairweather of Abbot street has recently returned after spending two weeks at Wells Beach, Maine.

Mrs. Sarah Downs of North Main street and Mrs. John Young of Central street enjoyed Sunday at Salem Villows. James Fairweather of 15 Abbot street visited over the week-end at the home of some friends at Wells Beach, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Dow of Stonehead road have returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation in Sharon, Vermont. Patrick McDonald of Essex street and Cornelius O'Brien of North Main street visited friends in Somerville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Rogers of Summer street have had as their guest for the past few days Mrs. August Anderson of Lowell. Mrs. Kenneth Mozen of Pasho street, a monotype operator at the Andover Press, is now enjoying her annual respite from duty.

Rev. G. Edgar Folk of 75 Chestnut street conducted the morning service at the United Congregational church in Lawrence Sunday. Miss Mary Collins, town accountant, is once again pursuing her duties after spending an enjoyable week touring Maine and visiting Quebec.

William Bodenrader, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Bodenrader of Bartlet street, is convalescing after a recent operation for appendicitis. Miss Catherine McMahon of Main street terrace, after enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation, has returned to her duties at the Andover Press.

Mrs. Maria Manning, Mrs. John Manning and Mrs. Edward Towler and daughter, Mildred, of High street visited in Worcester over the week-end. Chief of Police George Dane is on his annual two weeks' vacation. In his absence, Sergeant Leonard Saunders is serving as acting chief and William R. Shaw as acting sergeant.

Misses Ruth Watson and Doris McDonnell of the local telephone exchange are vacationing at Hampton Beach for two weeks. Miss Helen O'Brien has returned to her duties after enjoying her vacation on the Cape.

BALLARDVALE

Mr. Ormsby of Melrose was a recent visitor here. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Schneider were the recent guests of relatives here.

Frank Drouin and James Kidd enjoyed a fishing trip off Plum Island on Sunday. Miss Elizabeth Herring of Center street is spending a few days with friends in Malden.

John Russell and Rev. E. R. Barrows attended a baseball game in Boston recently. Mrs. George R. Moody has returned to her home after spending a month at Grafton, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hussey of River street were the guests of relatives in Ipswich on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hey of Lowell were the recent guests of Miss Blanche Crawshaw of Marlard street.

Miss Mary Hanson has returned from Camp Gilbert at Amherst where she has been spending a week. Mrs. Joseph Dumont and son Donald of New York have been the recent guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reeves and family of Wilmington have moved to the Saunders house on Andover street. Mr. and Mrs. Cy Anderson of Rye Beach spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dalley of Tewksbury street.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Barrows of Braintree were the recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Barrows of Tewksbury street. Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews spent Sunday with their daughters, the Misses Marion and Nellie Matthews of Boston.

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C. P. Malcolm Smith of Clark road is enjoying his annual vacation. Benjamin Herrick of Marlard street was removed to the hospital on Wednesday. Mr. Herrick has been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Stott of High street have returned to their home after spending a week at Wells Beach, Maine. The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church and friends enjoyed a beach party at Revere on Thursday evening.

George Russo, a former resident here and now living in New York spent a few days recently at the home of Mrs. Ellen McAvoy of Oak street. Miss Shirley Moody of Amesbury returned to her home after spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fone of Clarke road.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cramton spent Sunday at Salem Villows. While there they enjoyed the sail from the Willows to Gloucester. Mrs. Fred Fyler and family of Everett were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans of Dale street. Mrs. Fyler and family will move here shortly and will reside on Dale street.

John Brown and Albert Caswell of Amesbury are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Prudence Brown of Center street. While here they are attending the convention held by the American Legion in Lawrence. The annual picnic held by the Methodist church Sunday school will take place on Saturday, August 20, at Canobie Lake. Special sports are being arranged by the committee in charge and tickets may be secured from any member of the committee.

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Advertisement for Fire Record. August 10—Box 4—Fire on County road. No damage. August 11—Still 2:55—Rubbish on North Main street. August 11—Still 8:35—Public dump.

Advertisement for Getting Back at Him. Amateur Magician: Will the gentleman in the front row kindly lend me his hat? The gentleman: Not until you return the lawnmower you borrowed from me last summer. Poet Pete: "Burglars broke into my house last night." Friend: "Yes? What happened?" Poet Pete: "They searched through every room, then left a \$5 on my bureau."