

# Newmarket News

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## SAW GIRL THUMBING RIDE



Joseph Currier, Wilfred Berube and Wallace Chase, Rochester Highway Department Employees, who testified at the hearing of Ralph E. Jennings, 48, of Rochester, charged with the slaying of Ruth Eisenberg, 22-year-old Newark, N. J., nurse. Two of the three men testified that on the morning of July 21, the date the state contends the murder was committed, they saw a girl whom they identified from pictures as Miss Eisenberg, thumbing a ride in Rochester.

## KILLING OF DOGS TOOK A HOLIDAY OVER CHRISTMAS

The killing of dogs took a holiday over Christmas. One pup owned by John Carmichael died. Whether it was poisoned or had some illness is not known. The New Village has lost more dogs than any other part of the town.

There are a lot of wonders of who it is; some folks have a very good idea but are keeping their opinions to themselves. The police also have a very good idea to who it is and just one slip and this great big killer is all done. May he be caught real soon.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR R. BOISVERT

A very nice birthday party was given to little Richard Boisvert of Exeter on Tuesday evening at his home on Carroll street.

A birthday cake was served with ice cream, pop corn, and all nice things little and "big" folks like.

Those who attended from Newmarket were Mrs. Joseph Hamel of Exeter street, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Fontaine, Theresa and Arm and Fontaine of Railroad street, Jeanette Boisvert, Mrs. Hamel's granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Boisvert, their children, Elaine, Edward and Doloris, of Spring street.

## LABRANCHE'S ENTERTAIN ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Aimee Labranche of Elm street entertained a group of relatives at their home on Elm street on Christmas Day.

The following relatives attended: Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Labranche and son of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roberge and family; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Labranche and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boisvert, the latter from Exeter.

## UNH TO SPONSOR ORATORY CONTEST

High school students throughout New Hampshire will participate in a speech tournament to be held at the University of New Hampshire in Durham Feb. 4 and 5, sponsored by the UNH Extension service. The tournament is an enlargement of the prize speaking contests the university once conducted and will include contests in debate, extemporaneous speaking, impromptu speaking, original oratory, serious and humorous declaration. The three top debaters will be recommended for the university's three Ralph D. Hetzel Interscholastic Debating scholarships—each for \$75 annually for three years.

Cups, plaques and certificates will be given in all divisions.



## MRS. IDA MARTIN, 92, REQUESTS NINE NEW MARKERS FOR GREAT BAY

Christmas had an additional meaning to Mrs. Ida Martin—it was also her birthday.

Mrs. Martin, the town's oldest resident, was 92 Saturday. The spry, gray-haired woman who hopes to live eight more years to celebrate her 100th birthday anniversary, has resided in Newmarket a half century.

Mrs. Martin, a widow, attributes her old age and "excellent health" to a fondness for regular exercise. Residents in the vicinity of her home, 48 Elm street, report that the popular nonagenarian, makes at least two or three trips to the down-town district each day.

Mrs. Martin also enjoys reading, growing flowers, sewing and listening to the radio. An honorary member of the Newmarket Women's club and a member of the Community church, Mrs. Martin has lived through four wars. She comments, "I think they're terrible." Mrs. Martin who looks back to the "horse and buggy days" with a wistful longing, thinks automobiles are "all right" but would much rather do her traveling in a dobbie-powered surrey.

In September, E. Cass Adams of Durham asked the Coast Guard through Congressman Chester E. Merrow for enough buoys to mark out Great Channel in Great Bay, and for a re-survey of the same. These markers are requested to run to the junction of the Exeter and Newmarket Rivers.

The Coast Guard is questioning whether enough people are interested to warrant the cost of installation.

Through the efforts of Alvin Redden of the Seacoast Regional Association and Congressman Merrow the people will have a chance to show that they are interested, as a meeting is expected to be called early in January for that purpose.

It is hoped that all towns that are on the Exeter and Newmarket Rivers, as well as on Great Bay, will be represented at this meeting. It is also hoped that all owners of boats, both private and commercial, will be there.

The date of the meeting will be announced later.

In recent years, about 2.7 acres of cropland have been used to produce what the average person eats.

## LAWYERS FOR DEFENSE



Defense counsel of Ralph E. Jennings, 48, charged with the murder of 22-year-old Miss Ruth Eisenberg of Newark, N. J., are pictured above as they conferred before the municipal court hearing held Wednesday Dec. 15th, at Ossipee. Left to right: Atty. Joseph G. LeCount, of Providence, R. I.; Atty. J. Clifford Clarkson of Springfield, Mass., chairman of the legal redress committee of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and Atty. Arthur J. Reinhart of Portsmouth.

## BAPTIST CHURCH BURNED EIGHT YEARS AGO ON XMAS EVE

The Baptist church of Newmarket was burned to the ground on Christmas eve at nine thirty o'clock eight years ago, in 1940. It has never been determined just what the cause was.

The Christian Baptist society at first used the house at the Plains where Rev. Nathaniel Ewer used to preach; but as their congregation was steadily drifting to Newmarket Village it was thought best to move the building down



there. So, many sturdy yoke of oxen drew the old meeting house over the long road to a site nearly opposite to the Cheswell graveyard on South Main street. Rev. John Osborne was its first minister. The ell of the Joseph a Filion house on Spring street, now the Day nursery, is a part of this Baptist meeting house.

In 1834 Rev. Daniel P. Cilley and George W. Dearborn bought of the Newmarket Manufacturing Company a plot of land on Zion's Hill and erected there a large apartment house. The basement was finished and furnished as a hall or lecture room. It was so used by the Baptist society until their meeting house was completed.

The Baptist church has had many fine ministers such as Rev. Mr. Flood, Dr. Durgin with his long white beard Rev. Ernest Osward and later his father, Rev. Ernest Wiggin and Rev. Mr. Phillips.

At one time there was a large congregation and Sunday school. Wonderful and inspiring prayer meetings were held. Many were the old saints who testified in the meetings, Deacon Doe, Deacon Willey, Ira Dockum and Deacon Scott.

The one hundredth anniversary of the Baptist church was held in 1934, with appropriate ceremonies.

The congregational kept getting smaller and smaller. The last strike took many of our people from the church, as they had to go elsewhere for work.

We kept on as long as we could and then gave up and sold the church to the American Legion for their hall.

Rev. Herman Morrison was last pastor.

A good laying hen produces 180 to 200 or more eggs will eat about 100 pounds.

Retail prices of meat produces are expected about the same in 1949.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Supreme Court Rule Protects Rights of Accused; Salaries of Top U. S. Officials Held Inadequate

EDITOR'S NOTE — When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union news analysts, and not necessarily of this newspaper.

The Supreme court split 5 to 4 on the issue, but the nation's highest tribunal sustained what Justice Black said was "an established rule" in holding that, in the United States, every person accused of crime is considered innocent until proven guilty.

The court ruled that the rights of persons accused of crime extend to the guilty as well as the innocent.

DISSENTERS to the rule were Justices Jackson, Burton and Reed, and Chief Justice Vinson.

The majority opinion held in effect that:

Regardless of whether there is any "third degree," a confession is invalid if it is obtained while a prisoner is being held illegally through failure to carry him promptly before a committing magistrate.

A person accused of serious crime has unqualified right to counsel when he needs that help for adequate defense.

JUSTICE BLACK said the main finding in an earlier case which set the precedent was that prisoners must be taken promptly before a magistrate. He added that the "plain purpose" of this was to "check resort by officers to secret interrogation of persons accused of crime."

As one of the dissenters, Justice Reed held that the court's decision broadly extended the old rule. By his interpretation that rule was that psychological pressure, or, at least, something more than illegal detention, must be present to invalidate a confession.

He summed up: "This decision puts another weapon into the hands of the criminal world."

**INVASION:**

**To the South**

Tiny Costa Rica, erupting in strife, held front page space in the nation's press with charges that an "invasion" was being made from Nicaraguan territory. Who, or what, was behind the Costa Rican muddle? Communists again? That accusation was hurled.

The Costa Rican government charged that dissident exiles, defeated in last spring's civil war, ranged up with "Communists" and Nicaraguan national guardsmen to launch the invasion.

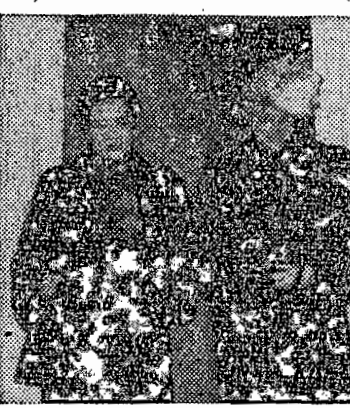
THE COSTA RICAN incident was nothing to be ignored. The little country, smaller than South Carolina, is literally in Uncle Sam's own backyard and the issues involved were serious enough to merit first-class concern.

The problem seemed squarely upon the western hemisphere republics—for, under the Rio Pact providing for American help to repel armed invasion, the foreign ministers of the 21 republics would have to determine whether there really was an invasion, who is to blame, and what to do about it. Their findings could result in the dispatch of American and other troops to the aid of the Costa Rican government.

THERE WERE FEW, however, who felt this would happen. The situation was too muddled to justify any definite forecasts, but some were clear.

For instance, the claimed invasion was incredibly small. Costa Rica, herself, placed the number of invaders at 200 or 300 men. If Communists were involved it was likely that Anastasio Somoza, long-man dictator of Nicaragua, an enemy of the Communists, had anything to do with it. Instead, it now looks more like a post-election quarrel carried on in the dishonored Latin American way of "outs" resorting to bullets and bayonets in efforts to oust the "ins." But, if the invaders were really aided by Nicaragua, then the matter quite properly was a matter for hemispheric concern.

Over the Teacups



Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, first lady of China, and Mrs. George C. Marshall, wife of the U. S. secretary of state, leave Blair house after having had tea with President and Mrs. Truman. Nobody would admit whether or not Mme. Chiang made her plea for more aid to China over the presidential teacups.

U. S. TOP MEN: Need More Pay

Congress would be asked to do something about it. The salaries of top U. S. officials were too low. For example, cabinet officials should get \$25,000 annually, instead of the present \$15,000.

It was none other than Budget Director James E. Webb talking. He told a senate civil service subcommittee that "the need for men of ability in the government has never been more critical. Establishment of more adequate rates of pay for top government positions is an essential step."

WEBB HURRIED to explain that he was not speaking for President Truman when he urged that the President's salary be raised. He said he had not even discussed the subject with the President.

Declaring that any salary paid the chief executive would be low, he added that "\$150,000 a year would be far more acceptable than the present \$75,000.

Webb also suggested that the President be provided with a "realistic" expense account, and that the \$25,000 salary of the vice president be brought more in line with that of the President.

The sub-committee was told: "No job in the world is more grueling than the President's. No soldier fights harder for his country than does the commander-in-chief."

**EXPANDING:**

**Bigger Guard**

The National Guard, expanding, had room for more than 16,000 officers.

The "mobilization day" guard strength calls for 38,463 officers in army units of the organization. Of these, the guard had mustered 21,847 by mid-November.

Here's how civilians could get commissions: ex-officers with at least six months in World War II; anyone up to 32 years with a year of service and who would complete an army correspondence course; college or ROTC graduate; any man offered a commission in the army during war.

Maybe New, Maybe Old

NEW STARTER: For Jets

The navy has announced the first successful self-starter for jet and turboprop aircraft engines.

At present these engines are started with cumbersome storage batteries or other heavy auxiliary units outside the plane.

THE RADICALLY NEW self-starter, which can be used on both fighters and bombers, weighs only 88 pounds and can be carried in the planes.

This, the navy said, will enable jet or turboprop aircraft to use out-of-the-way bases which are not equipped to start their engines.

The turbine engine powering the starter also can be used for air conditioning, cabin pressurization, heating and de-icing, and to operate other power-consuming devices.

The power source of the new starter is a gas turbine engine identical in principle with the engine it serves. It uses fuel from the plane's regular tanks.

IN ANNOUNCING the new starter, the navy hinted at much larger jet engines. It said the new starter is more powerful than is needed for engines now in service, and will not be installed on aircraft types already announced or in use.

There are two versions of the small, multiple-use gas turbine. Both were developed under navy contract by the Air-Research Manufacturing Company, of Los Angeles. They took 3 1/2 years and two million dollars to perfect.

The navy said use of the engines is not confined to aircraft. They may be adapted for ground auxiliary work on power units and in industrial applications.

**EDUCATION:**

**By Congress?**

A national scholarship program for college and university students will be proposed to the 81st congress, according to an announcement by the National Education Association.

DR. RALPH McDONALD, executive secretary of the NEA's department on higher education, said the program will have bipartisan support.

Department officials have estimated the program would require a minimum appropriation of over 100 million dollars for the first year. They said this would open the doors of many colleges to approximately 250,000 able students. The scholarships would be awarded on the basis of ability. Only the highest one-fourth or one-third of high school graduates would be eligible.

As a basis for the legislation, McDonald said, the department will urge these provisions in the bill:

NO FEDERAL CONTROL of either the institution or the student.

A stipend of at least \$400 or \$500 annually.

Freedom of the student to select his own school and course of study.

Safeguards against any discrimination in scholarship awards because of race, creed, sex, or other "social circumstance."

McDonald indicated it was not planned to have the bill take precedence over any measure to give federal aid to the states for elementary or secondary education.

Astronomers Report Discovery of Planet

Perhaps it was new, maybe it was old, but "1948 — AA" had flashed into the ken of astronomers as a "minor" planet. Showing little originality, the telescope-peepers dubbed it with the numeral of the year in which it appeared. It was traveling a route, they said, which brings it within 140 million miles of earth.

Further study will be required to determine whether the object is a new, or just an old-timer planet making a new appearance. Its next close approach will be in July, 1949.

There are about 1,500 known minor planets believed to be remnants of larger celestial bodies which shattered. They vary in diameter from a half-mile to 500 miles.

SEAWAY: 'Round and 'Round

Washington newsmen might have been pardoned had they uttered an involuntary: "Here we go again."

For President Truman, at a news conference, stated that he was going to press again for congressional approval of legislation to authorize the St. Lawrence seaway and power project.

THE OFT-PROPOSED international project has as yet failed to win congressional approval.

The President reiterated his intention to ask for an okay for the proposal after a reporter asked: Mr. President, are you again going to press for development of the St. Lawrence?"

The President replied that he certainly was. He added that he had urged approval for the multi-million dollar project in almost all of his state of the Union messages to congress.

ON ONE of these occasions he termed the proposed project "one of the greatest engineering projects of all times."

At his conference, the President said he did not favor New York's plan to develop jointly with the province of Ontario the hydro-electric part of the St. Lawrence project.

**NOT CLOTHES:**

**But Birthplace**

As the army sees it, it isn't clothes that make the man—it's where he's born.

MAKING PUBLIC a study on the subject, the army declared that a man's geographical background has a lot to do with his muscles.

Experts from Harvard university's department of anthropology compiled the findings for the army.

New Englanders tended to be strong, while the weakest of the males were from the South Atlantic states. The Middle Atlantic states, like New England, abound in "well-muscled types."

SOLDIERS FROM the Pacific states were generally found to be well-balanced in fat and muscle. Those from the mountain states are often medium fat but muscular, or very fat.

Men from the west north central states lean to average build. Their neighbors slightly to the east, however, included a number of hefty and muscular specimens of masculine humanity.

In the south central area, men from the western section appeared to be better muscled than their neighbors to the east.

Still a Dream

The larger car makers may some day build a lighter, cheaper automobile—but not for a while.

Every time the industry announces a price increase, the much-talked-about, lighter-weight car gets another going over.

Aside from all other reasons advanced for not building such a car, the fact remained that manufacturers did not need it now to stimulate sales.

Sign of the Times



Rep. Karl E. Mundt (R., S. D.) acting chairman of the house un-American activities committee, looked like he was trying to put the hex on suspected Communists in the U. S. when he announced that the committee would subpoena 12 important witnesses for questioning in the Red spy inquiry.

Nearer and Nearer

The horror of war was coming nearer and nearer to all peoples. A B-50 bomber completed a 9,400-mile non-stop flight by being refueled in midair from B-29 superfortresses converted into airborne tankers.

The four-engine aircraft flew from Fort Worth, Tex., to the Hawaiian Islands and back in slightly more than 40 hours in the first operational test of its kind.

**'DEATH RAYS':**

**No Dimmers**

As traffic fatality tolls continued to mount, safety directors of the 48 states pondered a possible major cause—with a report from the state of Connecticut serving as indicator.

The federal highway research board, at a meeting in Washington, heard a report that more than 30 per cent of drivers on the heavily-traveled Merritt Parkway in Connecticut fail to dim or depress their lights for approaching traffic.

THE BRIGHT beams were termed "death rays" by some of the researchers, who unqualifiedly stated that the practice of not dimming increases the fatal accident potential.

Burton W. Marsh, director of safety and engineering of the American Automobile Association, declared motorists are less likely to dim or depress lamps when "traveling rapidly."

Safety men have long known that motor accidents based on miles of travel are more numerous at night than in the daytime.

THE ASSOCIATION stated that protection against headlight glare through the use of yellow tinted glass is worthy of further experimentation.

Marsh designated headlight glare as the No. 1 enemy of millions of night motorists and an increasingly important factor in the overall highway fatality toll.

"Far too many drivers," Marsh concluded, "are lax in dimming their headlights for approaching vehicles."

**FIRE BELLS:**

**Some Are Lucky**

With headlines screeching on death and injury in two major hotel fires, the nation's attention was turned again to the potential tragedies lurking in so many of its hostleries.

FIVE LOST their lives, 11 were injured and 187 were forced to flee flames in Chicago's old, 17-story Loop hotel, the Victoria. Two of the dead were Navy men on leave. Three victims were trapped in their rooms. One was found in the blackened fifth-floor hallway. Another died several hours after he was led from his blazing room.

Just three days earlier, fire struck Chicago's Hubbard hotel, but that time all guests escaped the \$100,000 blaze which destroyed the structure.

LUCKIEST GUEST: Mrs. Ann Wells. Twice within the three days she escaped death or injuries from the fires. A guest at the Victoria, she got safely out there, fled unscathed with the 150 guests who escaped the Hubbard hotel blaze.

It was too early to determine cause of the fires, but it was safe to assume that investigations would get underway swiftly as probers sought to eliminate fire hazards. Observers wondered if there were a cycle in the making.

**BOOMERANG:**

**The Worm Turns**

A man boarded a Los Angeles street car, asked Motorman Laurence Smart if he recognized him. Smart said, "No."

"I'm the guy you nearly ran over a block back," said the unidentified pedestrian.

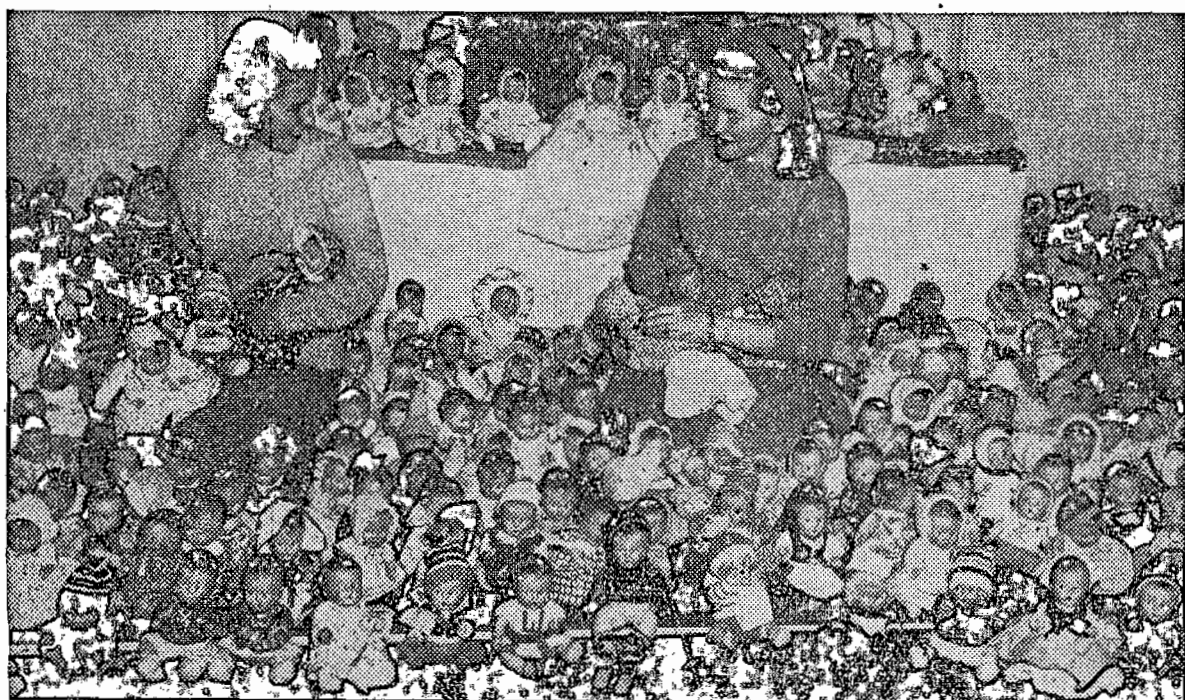
Whereupon he slapped the street car brake handle down on Smart's head, pushed the motorman through the front window of the vehicle, and calmly walked away.

Smart, treated for head lacerations, recalled he barely had missed a jaywalker just before the incident—seemed amazed at the ire of the near-victim.

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# Picture Pageant



**WELLESLEY DOLLS . . .** These dolls made a lot of little girls happy Christmas morning. The traditional charity work of Wellesley college students each year for the Christmas season is always highlighted by hundreds of dolls purchased and dressed by the students and distributed among needy little girls on the day of days. Shown above are students Jean Tinsley, left, of Glencoe, Ill., and Ellen Langdon, of Rochester, N. Y., with some of the hundreds of pretty dolls that were distributed this year.



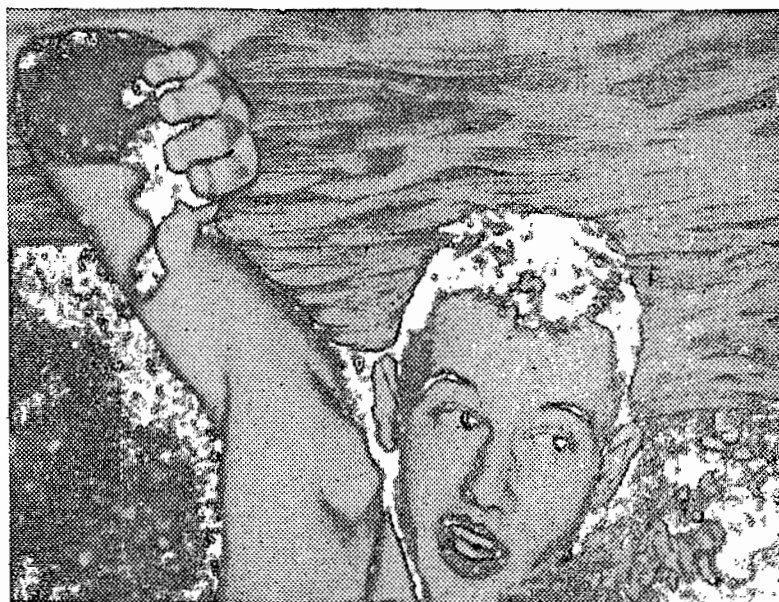
**COAL FOR RED BERLIN . . .** From mines in Saxony, in the Russian sector of Germany, 800 tons of coal briquettes are shown as they arrived in Berlin recently on the first train to use the city's rail lines since the Red blockade of the city was imposed last July. The Russian-dominated government made quite a to-do over the arrival, even garlanding the train with wreaths and slogans reading "We are helping democratic Berlin," a question open to interpretation since the coal will go only to the Red zone of the city.



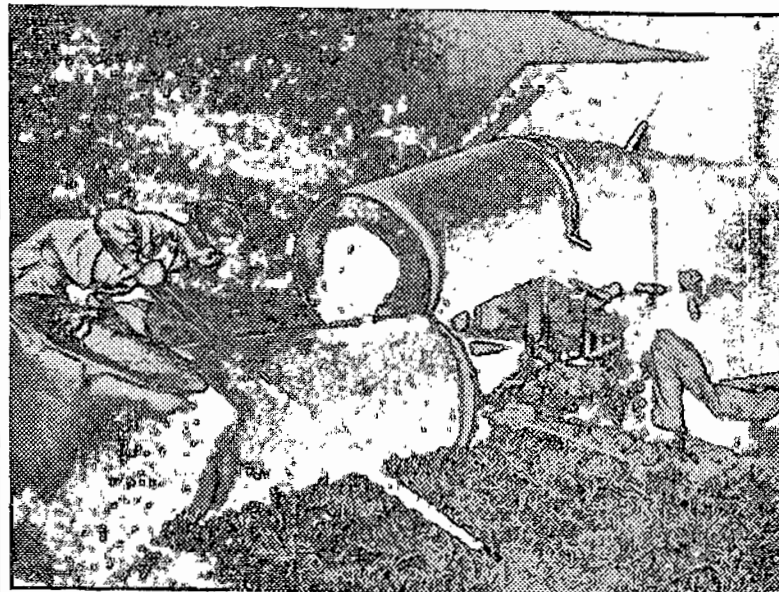
**BASEBALL'S G.O.M. . . .** Eighty-six years old December 23 and still going strong is Cornelius McGillicuddy, better known to millions of Americans as Connie Mack, the grand old man of baseball, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics. Beginning his baseball career as a catcher in 1883, he has been a part of the game ever since. You see him above (right) as he looked in 1906 watching his A's from the dugout. At the left he is shown surrounded by his grandchildren at one of the A's games last season.



**LIFTS BAN . . .** For the records, James Petrillo, head of the American Federation of Musicians, signed a new contract with recording companies in his offices following the decision of Attorney General Tom Clark that clauses pertaining to the musicians' welfare fund were not contrary to law. This means that orchestras once more can begin to make recordings of musical hits. Petrillo is shown giving the victory sign with Samuel R. Rosenbaum who has been named a trustee of the welfare fund.



**SENSATIONAL SWIMMER . . .** This is Ronald Gora, 15-year-old sophomore sensation who recently cracked two Illinois state swim records. He attends Lane Tech high school in Chicago. Against an opposing high school team, Gora raced through the 50-yard backstroke in 28.7 seconds. Then he churned the 100-yard free-style event in 54.2. In practice sessions, Ronald has been clocked in record time in other events.



**OBSOLETE DEFENSE . . .** Huge coastal defense guns became as obsolete as the bow and arrow with the development of the airplane. This big 16-incher at Fort Fuston, built to defend San Francisco bay, is in the process of being cut up for scrap. The gun is 69 feet long and weighs approximately 370 tons. The barrel is being cut into five-foot sections, each weighing about 23 tons.





The lodge has had but two homes. It occupied the hall in the Brooks Block from its organization until October 29, 1873, when it moved into its present quarters in the third story as what is known as Masonic Block. These were dedicated with Masonic honors. The records of the lodge are contained in four volumes and are in excellent condition, the lodge having been favored with good secretaries, who have taken exceptional pride in their work. The important historic events cease here. The lodge has kept steadily on its way making its share of good and true Masons and enjoying a season of Masonic harmony and good fellowship.

Among its later members to whom Rising Star is indebted for much of its progress and position, and whose entrance to the lodge were milestones in its history, are Charles E. Tasker, its present chaplain and Bradford S. Kingman, deceased. One of the chief units of Masonry is charity, and this virtue has been Rising Star's in a marked degree. And wherever the call of the lodge was answered, so there was the hand of those aforementioned brethren, and so long as it lives inseparably entwined with it will be the names of these beloved brethren.

#### ODD FELLOWS

On October 16, 1844, Messrs. Benjamin Brooks, Henry C. Metherby, Thomas G. Peckman, Charles A. Parker and Samuel A. Haley went to Dover and there became Odd Fellows for the purpose of organizing a lodge at Newmarket. Returning here they secured from the grand lodge the necessary dispensation and having obtained from Z. Dow Creighton his hall at the corner of Main and Water streets, they equipped it in becoming manner and there on Saturday, October 30 (44) D. D. G. M. Srances of Dover instituted Squamscott Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F., Benjamin Brooks noble grand; Thomas G. Peckham, vice grand; Samuel A. Haley, secretary; Henry E. Wetherby, treasurer. The first session closed with a membership of eighteen, one of whom deserves more than a passing notice.

Brother Eben Wiggin for over half a century was noted for his devotion to the principles of the order and his regular attendance every meeting, unless prevented by sickness. For forty years he was an efficient member of the board of trustees and at various times filled every office of the lodge. In the first year the lodge acquired a membership of seventy six, and the first ten years increased it to about 150, and it has steadily grown to date, its membership now being about 176.

This lodge has disbursed in those noble charities inculcated by its principles the large sum of more than fifteen thousand dollars, but there is no way in which to estimate the burden it has borne or the good which it has done.

#### BENJAMIN BROOKS

Benjamin Brooks, early in the last century, was a man of great activity and one who rendered most important service to the town. He was born April 22, 1789, being the son of Ephraim and Susanna (Esterbrook) Brooks. In 1823 he came here to serve as master mechanic in No. 1 mill, and, liking the town and its people, settled here and ever afterward made it his home. A man possessed of fine ability, sterling worth and unimpeachable character and public spirited to a high degree, his townsmen elected him to almost every official position in their power to grant, and the records of the town, for a period of almost forty years, show that his services were faithfully and cheerfully given, and to his efforts it is indebted for more than one of the blessings it today enjoys. It was very largely through his instrumentality and influence that Rising Star Lodge of Masons was created, and its first session, as we have seen was held in his house, and for many years the lodge met in Brooks hall, situated in Brooks Block, one of the many monuments erected by him, a lasting tribute to his long and useful career.

—BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS—

Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1948.

#### AFTER CHRISTMAS

Christmas Day is over. Everyone is glad; Now we'll take it easy, But oh, what fun we had, First I'll tell of presents That we got each one, Our house it was loaded, Guess we got a ton.

Father got a necktie And a meerschaum pipe, Also carpet slippers, That was just the type. With the pals down at the shop, Where he tends his work, They all got together And raffled off a Turk.

Pa's a lucky devil, Never said a word; Only paid a cent, they say, Then carried off the bird. Mother got a million things, From her children here, She was well remembered Same as every year.

Johnnie got a train of cars, He wound up with a key. Cousin Will tripped over them, And nearly broke his knee. Brother Bill, the doctor, An apple he received, From a patient's husband, Guess the man was peeved.

Tommy got a pair of skates, And he thought them nice, But he cannot use them, 'Cause there is no ice. Ann got something for her neck, But she wouldn't tell, We found it was a piece of soap, Then all the folks did yell.

Tumbling into bed that night, I had a silly dream; Brought on by the things we did, And strange as it may seem, I thought I was a Christmas tree, And my limbs were shorn Of all the Christmas ornaments So gaily they had borne.

They had pulled the tinsel off, The twinkling light strings, too, Bent and hauled me all about, 'Cause Christmas time was through.

In an ash can was my fate, Long with broken toys, There I stood with drooping head, Forgotten Christmas joys.

AL STEADMAN.

### MRS. FONTAINE GUEST OF HONOR AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Merina Fontaine of Railroad street was guest of honor at a birthday party, which was held at her home on Dec. 22. Three tables of kitty whist were played, with the following ladies winning the prizes: First prize, Mrs. Marie Hamel; second, Mrs. Lydia Trotter and consolation, Miss Helen Clements.

A birthday cake and ice cream were served and a social hour was enjoyed. Many lovely gifts were presented to Mrs. Fontaine by the ladies who attended the party and who were: Mrs. Yvonne Boisvert, Mrs. Jeannette Boisvert, of Exeter, Mrs. Leda Lemieux, Mrs. Alfred Bergeron, Mrs. Albertine Pelletier, Mrs. Beatrice Hamel, Miss Claire Martell, Miss Helen Clements, Mrs. Joseph Hamel, Mrs. Lydia Trotter and Miss Alice Turcotte.

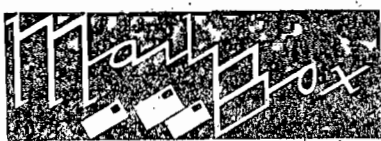
All of Mrs. Fontaine's friends wish her a belated happy birthday, and hope she will enjoy many more.

### CHUCK HOPEY HAS BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Chuckie Hopey was tendered a surprise party recently in honor of his sixth birthday, by his mother at the family home in the Village.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed with a lovely decorated birthday cake as the centerpiece. The guest of honor received many nice gifts.

Those present were Lorraine Cervone, Pam and Barbara Guarino, Sharon and Gail Fournier, Janice and Sheila Sawyer, Ernie and Emery Miller, Jackie MacDonald, Mickey and Gail Vlodka, Sandra and Susan Carter, Steven Pelczar, Michael Rousseau, Sharon Malek and Sandra Bassett.



Following are extracts taken from a letter from Ted Fleming from Arabia to his wife:

Two other fellows, Jim Barry and Bob Martin, and I went to Dhahran yesterday for mass. From Dhahran after we had our lunch at the famous one and three-quarter million dollar dining hall, we went to El Khobar, an Arab city. Words will hardly describe what we saw there. The people there are as primitive as anything you ever read about. They do things there just exactly as they have done them for two thousand years. They are no farther advanced than they were in the time of Christ. There are a few exceptions. The tailor shops have small portable machines that are run by hand. There is absolutely no sanitation. The people get their water at one central well for all purposes. The women take their clothes to the watering place to wash them.

They wring them out by hand, wrap them up in a bundle and put the bundles on their head and start home. The women wear dark clothing, mostly brown and black, with a big cape or shawl affair over their heads, and a mask over their faces. They are not allowed to show their faces in public. We took some pictures and will send some as soon as they are developed. The stores are what they call stalls. They are about eight feet wide and ten or twelve feet deep. What they have for sale, outside of food, is just plain junk. The Americans will buy anything that is for sale and they know it. They reap a harvest on the Americans. We saw an Arab bakery that was the payoff. It was run just the same as their forefathers ran them. The buildings there are all stone and plaster so they build their fires right in the middle of the floor and let the smoke get out any way it can. You would have to see it to believe it. We saw an open air meat market. They had sheep and goats dressed and hung up. You could barely see the meat it was almost completely covered with flies.

The Arabs don't mind a few hundred flies. They never kill a fly because they have no bees in this country, and they think the flies carry the pollen the same as our bees. They believe that without flies they would have no dates, which is their chief food. We were able to take some pictures of the native children. They will pose for you only, if you pay them. They say the "Buckshees Sahib" which means "Money Mister." We took a picture of the cutest little Arab girl. She was as pretty as a little black doll. Before I come home I'm going back there and get some things for each of you. I think you will get a kick out of them.

To change the subject our weather has cooled down to where it is livable. The days for the past week have been not too hot and the nights have been very cool. Our open air theatre is quite cool at this time of the year. I've worn my top coat several times lately.

Nov. 28—Our food is of the best and all you can eat. Some of the fellows who have been here for more than a year, say that on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years they really put on a wonderful dinner. I'm about to find out and will enclose a menu in this letter.

Thanksgiving dinner. Spiced apple juice, beef broth with barley, cream of celery soup with croutons, crabmeat and fresh shrimp salad, sweet relish, pickled onions ripe stuffed olives, sweet and sour pickles, poached lemon sole with capers, roast turkey with oyster dressing and giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, boiled Virginia ham with wine sauce, baked American potatoes, sweet potatoes, browned whole onions, mashed fresh pumpkin, buttered fresh broccoli, creamed cauliflower, grapefruit and orange salad, hot rolls, butter, white bread, pumpkin pie, salted peanuts, assorted cookies, candies, fruit peels, fresh table fruit, coffee tea, and egg nog.

P. S. Just came back from dinner and it was really something. They went to a lot of work to try to make the holiday as pleasant as possible for us. Believe me, I'm full.

Ted would be very pleased to hear from any of his friends and

will answer all letters.

Address: Mr. Edward A. Fleming International Bechtel, Inc. Arabian Division Dhahran, Saudi Arabia.

### POLISH CLUB Notes

John Borodowska, a former New market resident, was found dead in his bed Tuesday morning, having died in his sleep. He had been living in Boston, but will be buried in Floral Village, Mass.

The basket ball players have received their sweat shirts. They played Laconia last Saturday and won 34 to 28.

Walter Shina has the pantry and kitchen in his new home all remodelled. Now the boys are waiting for an invitation to christen it.

Don't forget the New Year's eve dance Friday night at Polish Hall. Dancing from 8 p. m. to 1 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grochmal and daughter spent the holiday week end at the home of Mrs. Grochmal's parents in Lowell.

Miss Katherine Lacvh of Hartford, Conn., spent the Christmas week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gazda and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gorski have moved into their new home on Railroad avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dukawicz, Sr., and son Edward Jr., of Concord and Mrs. Patrick Kenney Mr. and Mrs. Morris McDonnell of Dover, also Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Doucette of Cambridge, Mass. were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Twardus of Beech St.

Miss Helen Sobozenski, R. N., returned to Meridan, Conn., after spending the Christmas holidays with her dad, Mr. Felix Sobozenski, of Central street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gazda and daughter of Lowell, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cassell and family of Central street.

John Ross shot an eight point buck on Lee Hill the Monday before deer season closed.

Miss Ida Sophie Wawrzkiwicz has returned home from the Exeter hospital where she was a patient for a few days.

We hear Teddie Puchlopek of

Packers Falls road gave his girl friend a diamond for Christmas. How about it Teddie?

### TEEN AGERS XMAS PARTY BIG SUCCESS

The VFW Post and Auxiliary sponsored Christmas party for all Teen-Agers proved to be a huge success.

The evening got off to a spectacular start with a grand march led by Mr. Frank Shelton and Miss Doris LeBlanc. This was followed by carol group singing with Miss Lorraine Langlois playing the piano.

Two sets of spot dances were held with gifts awarded to the following: Ted Brisson and Miss Helen Wajda, Miss Carmen Maria and Robert Homiak.

Gifts were placed under the gaily decorated tree and after the committee Mrs. Genevieve Longa, Mrs. Mary Dostie, Miss Ellen Marcelli and Mr. Edward Dostie served the refreshments gifts were distributed. Dancing followed and a great time was had by all.

Just a reminder to all that Teen Ager dances will be held on Monday evenings.

SAME TIME—SAME PLACE.

### DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Evans of Boston spent the Christmas holidays at their cottage at Colony Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Langley have gone to Acton, Mass., to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. William Emerson.

Mr. Wayne Langley of Boston is spending the holiday with his brothers Stanley and Wyman of Durham Point.

Mr. Roland King got a 150 lb. deer the last day of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Poynter have gone to Kentucky to spend the winter.

On January 12 the art needle work department will meet in the Community House to discuss the making of lamp shades. Hostesses will be Mr. Barton, Mrs. Farnam and Mrs. Osgood.

—BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS—



It's a very happy New Year we're wishing for you.

Good Luck in '49!

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— Jeweler —

ROCHESTER AND DOVER



# Hi-School Gossip

by "Salt" and "Pepper"

Hope you are all having a nice vacation. See you all in school Monday. Don't forget to come.

Paul Blackadar and Carol Beaupre came home Wednesday night. Bea was sure glad to see him again. Long time no see, huh kid! Saw Larry Hamilton wandering around school Monday of last week. Seemed good to see him again.

We hear Jackie Rumazza is trying to keep from getting a cold. Is that why you pulled up your socks when you played basketball? What say kid!

Saw Norman M. and Sylvia Carrigan at the basketball game Tuesday night. They sure look cute together.

Walter Nesbitt seems to have a new admirer. Could it be Hazel L.? Comm'on Walter!

Louise French seemed to be in a hurry to go home early after singing Christmas carols the other night. What's up? Are you going to tell us?

Hey Betty F.! Didn't you have any fun at Christmas caroling the other night? Where was Alfred?

The Christmas Concert certainly was a big success Monday night. It was the main topic of discussion at school Tuesday. We want to congratulate all the kids that took part in it.

Hey Grace B.! What was that package you received 6th period Tuesday? Are you going to tell us? Boy was your face red.

Saw that most of the girls wore mistletoe in their hair last week. Kinda cute, how about it boys?

We hear Norma Place broke her mirror when she looked into it. Better luck next time.

Not everyone can tell the Williams apart. Betty can, I guess that is all that matters.

We have reports that Finland P and Hazel C. went skating together Sunday. Did you have fun, kids?

So Betty has a good New Year's resolution. Aren't you going to tell us what it is? Hope you carry it out.

Saw William with a girl Friday night. Are you going to tell us who she is!

We hear Cynnie Martin got a wonderful Christmas gift from Dick. Com'on tell us what it is.

Saw many of the alumnus at the game Tuesday night. Some there were Bobbie Gotz, Wilbur Boudreau, Red Dubois, Johnnie Williams, Norman Mireault, John Casey, Donald Beaudoin, Betty Blair, Lark Palmer, Jack Douglas and Marshall Bird. Every minute of the game was exciting, even though it wasn't a victory for us. All the kids enjoyed it. The team did a swell job.

Seems Tubby Allen is turning his charms on a cute senior girl. What about it Syl?

Saw Gerald Callaghan and Jack Printy roaming around school last week in their navy uniforms. Pretty snappy, we'd say.

I think all the kids were glad to see quite a few of the alumnus and other kids that seem to be strangers by now, around school last week. How about it, kids.

Saw Yvonne and Marshall together after the game Tuesday night. They sure look cute together.

This week we will interview the head cheerleaders:

Marion Witham, J. V., head cheerleader:

Idea of a boy: good personality, good dancer and lots of fun.

Favorite boy: Pete S. Favorite band: Vaughn Monroe. Favorite singers: Vaughn Monroe and Peggy Lee.

Favorite songs: "My Darling" and "Slow Boat to China."

Favorite saying: Want to bet. Favorite pastime: dancing, listening to records.

Thrilling moment: Too many. Caroline Clement—Varsity head. Idea of a boy: tall or medium height, light or dark hair with a good personality, and a good dancer.

Favorite boy: love 'em all! Favorite band: Tex Eereke.

Favorite singer: Frankie Lane. Favorite song: "On a Slow Boat to China."

Favorite saying: How desperate can you get?

Favorite pastime: cheering. Thrilling moment: being chosen head cheerleader for varsity cheering.

The mystery characters last week were: the boy, Morton Leary the girl, Gerie Earle.

Mystery Characters: Idea of a girl: just a girl who is loads of fun.

Year of school: senior. Clue to my identity: I am average height, have black hair and I am always ready to have fun.

Idea of a boy: not too tall and full of fun.

Year of school: senior. Clue to my identity: I am short and have black hair.

Seemed like old times to see Bea and Blackie wandering around school together last week.

Pat Palmer had a party Thursday night. The kids there were: Winnie Cary, Beatrice, Juanita, Jeanne Anne, Lorraine, Elinor P., Sylvia C., Hurd, Betty E., Carol Beaupre, Madeline P., Lois Davis, Larry Wagner, Mike Gotz, Bob Dowst, Elwood Floyd, John Casey, Blackie, Hammy, Mireault, Donald Mills, David Berry, George Hardwick, Rodman D., George Lovejoy and Bill Francis. All the kids had fun. We danced, ate and raised Cain.

The navy was well represented at Spaulding last week.

PRUDENCE WATERHOUSE Idea of a boy: tall, blonde and a good sport.

Favorite boy: just as if you didn't know.

Favorite pastime: watching football and basketball games.

Favorite singers: Dinah Shore and Vaughn Monroe.

Favorite band: Sammy Kaye.

Favorite song: "You Were Meant For Me."

Favorite saying: I don't believe you.

Thrilling moment: being elected Miss Merry Christmas.

PRUDENCE HERSOM

Idea of a boy: good sport, personality, nice smile, and cute.

Favorite boy: not too far away.

Favorite song: "For You."

Favorite singer: Vic Damone.

Favorite band: Fred Waring.

Favorite saying: Cute's a bed bug.

Favorite pastime: no time.

Thrilling moment: too many to say!

(Deferred)

"DIS AND DAT"

We see that Carolyn Smith sat with Cat Shaw at the play Friday night.

Harvey has a couple of girls he thinks a lot of and when he hollers "Hey Beautiful," they both come running.

What has happened to Pat Drew and David Stevens? Haven't heard much about them lately or have we?

Dixie is back to school on crutches. You're doing O. K. kid.

It seems Rochelle Raymond likes a boy from Dover. Could his name be Jimmy Baker? Heard she went to the movies with him one night last week. Is that right, Rochelle?

Bob Wingate feels rather bad because his seat was changed in fifth period study. He doesn't sit beside Barbara any more. We're all very sorry, Bob.

What's happened between Richard Clark and Lorraine Klein? Has Lorraine got a new boy friend? (In Boston).

We hear Dick Auclair got caught last week while he was standing in the hall waving to Lorraine during her third period English class. Were you embarrassed Dick? Your face was red?

Haven't heard much about Jean Smith and Bob Raganan lately. What about it, kids?

We see that Pat Drew has quite a time with Charles DiPrizio during fifth period study.

Marcotte's menu has Bill and Prudy written all over it. Could it be Bill Roy and Prudy Hersom.

Well—what's the story? Joan Palmer likes a certain boy from Dover. Could his name be Norman Watson? Is it true Joan?

We saw Roger Richards making conversation with the new girl in study fifth period the very first day she was here. You don't waste any time getting acquainted do you Roger?

What's this we hear about Geo. Hardwick and Ruth Dennis. We gather they are having an affair. Is it or false?

It seems that Sylvia Cossette gets her boy friends a little twisted. Is that right, Sylvia?

I guess Harvey is taking saxophone lessons. How are you doing Harvey? Can you play Tschawshy yet?

The seniors did a swell job on the play Friday night. Everyone liked it.

Priscilla Flagg went to a party a week ago. The party was over at 10:30. Priscilla didn't get home until 11:30. Nice beach wagon, don't you think so Flagg.

Why is Paul Baker going to the dance at Austin Cate. Could the reason be Gail Johnson?

Eddie Drapeau and Janice Siros are a new twosome at school. Keep it up, kids.

Anna Hersom and her new boy friend are very attentive to each other and in public too; you better be careful kids. We see the bridge is your rendezvous.

Peggy Brownell had two boys to walk her down street Monday. You do O. K. Peggy.

Marlene what has happened to you and Maurice Huppe? Nothing wrong we hope.

Who did we see Glenn Smith at the play with Friday night? Would you know, Edith?

We also saw William Vickery and Natalie Smith together. Keep it up, kids.

Didn't Carroll Ham plant the kiss on the wrong Maynard in the play Friday night?

Priscilla Flagg hes her eye on a certain senior boy. Could his name be Ray Tremblay? Why to give her a break, Joe?

Jean Gamblin always wears a smile when a certain boy comes through the cafeteria line during fourth period lunch hour. You all must know by now that his name is Bob Benton.

Roger Richards got himself in a little mixup by going to the movies with a certain girl. Could her name be Marguerite?

The game Tuesday night kept the kids jumping. Especially near the end. The team played a swell game. Don't you think so, kids?

Jimmy Upham and Gene Poire seems to think that Milton certainly has some interesting sights. (Could her initials be L. T.)

Sylvia Cossette would rather go to Nute than Spaulding!! (Can you imagine.)

Jimmy Burns keeps all the girls

## Two Receive Minor Injuries In Week-end Accidents

Several accidents were reported at police headquarters over the holiday week end, resulting in injuries to two persons.

Edward Fortin, 21 of 8 New Dam Road, Somersworth, was taken to the Frisbie Memorial hospital shortly after 6 o'clock last Friday evening for treatment of injuries received in an accident on Pickering road. He was discharged Saturday morning following observation and treatment for cuts and bruises.

According to the police report on the accident, Fortin was a passenger in an automobile, said to have been operated by Donald J. Rowe of 9 Knight street, Rochester. It is said that Rowe was speeding and the machine failed to negotiate a curve and struck a cement post, went through a fence and landed on its side in a field near the home of Charles Teague.

It was necessary to lift the car up to remove Fortin who was taken to the hospital in the police ambulance.

On Monday morning Rowe was arraigned before Special Judge Hardwick in municipal court on a charge of speeding. He pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay a fine of \$10 and costs of \$7.82.

The accident was investigated by Patrolmen Ernest Levesque

on the run but it looks like a change is being made. She's pretty cute, so we understand.

Raymond Bailey thinks Sanbornville has its possibilities as far as the females are concerned. Is that right, Ray?

It doesn't seem as though Sonny Bean hates the younger generation now. How about that Sonny?

## Your Income Tax

By MAX F. ABELL

Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of Income Tax Facts by Dr. Max F. Abell, University of New Hampshire agricultural economist, prepared especially for New Hampshire farmers, but of interest to other taxpayers.

Income tax returns may be made on a cash or on an accrual basis.

A return on a cash basis includes all cash income received and all allowable expenses paid during the year, regardless of the time the income was earned of the expense incurred. Such income includes sales of farm products whether produced that year or an earlier year, but does not include products sold on credit or changes in the inventory value of livestock and farm produce on the farm. Likewise, expenses include all expenses paid in CASH during the year for that year or any other year, but do not include expenses incurred but not paid.

A return on the accrual basis includes all income earned and all allowable expenses incurred for the taxable year, regardless of whether the income or the expenses were cash or credit. Gross income includes all income received or earned during the taxable year, from that year's business only. It includes cash sales increases in the inventory value of livestock supplies and produce plus any other income earned but not received. The allowable business expenses include all expenses for that year's business only, regardless of whether these expenses were paid, or incurred and unpaid.

What information is needed to report on a cash basis? A classified list of farm cash receipts and farm cash expenses and inventories of buildings, fences, machinery, livestock and tools for the purpose of estimating the amount of depreciation.

What information is needed to report on the accrual basis? The same records for the cash basis with the addition of accounts receivable, accounts payable and an inventory of all farm property including livestock, grain, hay and other farm products and supplies.

and Richard Geary. Miss Pauline Lamper of 53 Prospect street was treated for slight injuries by Dr. Walter Roberts following an accident at the corner of Portland and Signal streets last Friday afternoon at about 3:30 p. m.

It was reported that a machine operated by Wallace F. Angevine of RFD 1, Gonic, was turning into Signal street, when he was blinded by the sun and his right front fender struck Miss Lamper who was walking on the sidewalk and knocked her to the ground. She was taken to Dr. Roberts by Mr. Angevine.

Acting City Marshal Erlon Furbush, Acting Asst. Marshal Hayes and Patrolman Harvey Warburton investigated an accident on the Rochester-Farmington road near the City Dump last Friday evening shortly after nine o'clock.

Police reported that a machine operated by Armand Houde of 8 McDuffee Street, had made a complete turn over onto the left side of the highway damaging the end tire left side, top and front end of the machine.

Houde told police that some fellow he had picked up in Hampton was driving, and when the accident occurred he fled the scene.

Wilfred Campbell, Jr., 25, of 40 Grove street, Farmington, was the victim of two accidents on Thursday and Friday both in East Rochester.

On Thursday a Vickers Electrical company truck of Farmington, operated by Campbell, disrupted electrical service to the Glendon House in East Rochester. Campbell reported to police that the shovel broom caught on a heavy telephone wire that crosses the road and the traffic light cable, telephone wires and electric service wires to the Glendon House were cut.

On Friday the same truck collided with a machine operated by Miss Martha C. Hersom, 18 of 43 Chamberlain street, on Mill St., East Rochester, with slight damage to both machines. The accident was investigated by Patrolman Clarence Woods.

## Local UNH Students Join Fraternities

Two University students from Rochester have accepted bids to join University fraternities, it was announced this week.

They are: Lawrence Martin, Theta Chi and Francis Boyle in the Phi Delta Upsilon fraternity.

Mr. Martin is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Carl L. Martin of 85 Charles street, Rochester. He was a member of this year's undefeated UNH Freshman football team and graduated from Spaulding high school with the class of '47.

Mr. Boyle, who was one of 229 men students who were invited to affiliate with the 13 fraternities, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Boyle of Lowell street, Rochester.

## Ruth Stanhope Engaged To Vet

The engagement of Miss Ruth Stanhope of 18 Summer street to Mr. Earl Congram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Congram of Autumn street, East Rochester was announced this week.

Miss Stanhope attended Spaulding High school and is employed by the J. J. Newberry company of Rochester.

Mr. Congram, a veteran of three years in the Army Air Force also attended Spaulding High school and is employed by the Wyandotte Worsted Company.

There are no immediate plans for the wedding.

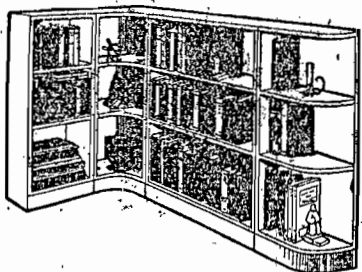
Love is the hardest lesson in Christianity; but, for that reason it should be most our care to learn fulfilled.

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**GREAT START . . .** Frank Stranahan, Toledo, Ohio, amateur golf star on the right and Stan Staszowski of Winsted, Conn., a rank outsider among the professional clan, turned in four under par 66s to pace a star studded field in the first round of the Miami open golf tournament. Here they are in front of the clubhouse scoreboard happily congratulating each other on their unusual opening rounds.

## STAR DUST

### Anna for Bovary?

By INEZ GERHARD

**A**NNA STEN is so pretty (with honey-blonde hair and gray-blue eyes) and so talented that she should never have left the screen. Fortunately her husband, Eugene Frenke, persuaded her to appear in his first independent production, "Let's Live a Little." She has the second lead in the Robert Cummings-Hedy Lamarr comedy. Samuel Goldwyn

to that network January 3 after four years on CBS. Art is still chuckling over the time when one of his school-children guests said she wanted to be a cowgirl, explaining that a cowgirl differs from a cowboy in that she cares for lady cows!

Coleen Gray will make her stage debut opposite Richard Hart, in "Leaf and Bough." Hart was rushed to Hollywood when starring in "Dark of the Moon," and given a long-term contract. You saw him in "Green Dolphin Street" and "Desire Me." But the movies proved a disappointing medium for him, as for so many stage actors—the first time at least.

Women school teachers have usually been shown on the screen as plain, bleak spinsters for far too long. RKO has done something about it. In "The Boy with Green Hair" Barbara Hale, former model, plays a teacher.

Jane and Peter Fonda, Henry's offspring, are going to make a lot of money. They are among the backers of "Anne of the Thousand Days," the new play in which Rex Harrison, as Henry VIII, has scored such a terrific success. The play is one of the best that has opened in New York in a long time and will probably run indefinitely.

Sabu, now in Columbia's "Song of India," has written his own story of the Indian jungle, "The Return of the Elephant Boy," and will make it in the locale where he did "Elephant Boy." It will be done on a colossal scale, in color. Sabu says he can probably make the picture in India for about one-fifth of what it would cost here.

**ODDS AND ENDS**—Gil Stratton Jr., heard on "The Great Gildersleeve" in a variety of roles, has been cast for a featured part in 20th Century-Fox's "Mr. Belvedere Goes to College." . . . Lionel Barrymore's "Mayor of the Town," once on CBS but more recently on ABC, is set to be heard on Mutual. . . . Paul Lavalle's "Band of America" is decked out in uniforms with bright green pea-jackets. . . . Patricia Neal posed for 417 portrait studies while making "The Fountainhead," said to be an all-time high. . . . Bob Hawk averages 264 words a minute every broadcast.

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Ingrid Bergman has a film the general public will never see. It is the story of the making of "Joan of Arc." The principals of the 16 mm. movie are her co-stars. Whenever she was not before the cameras she got hers out and went to work. Her interest in photography dates from her Stockholm childhood when her father photographed her birthday parties.

Art Linkletter says his "House Party" cast will be learning their ABC's when the program moves

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Teacher—Mention 12 animals of the  
Polar regions.  
Student (after racking his brains)—  
Six seals and six Polar bears.

Welcome Suggestion  
An old Irishman collapsed in the  
street and a crowd of neighbors  
gathered around him, all trying to  
help and each making suggestions.  
One, Maggie Riley, kept shout-  
ing, "Give the poor man whisky,"  
but little attention was paid to her  
amidst the excited babble.  
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Irishman rose above the din:  
"Will the lot ov ye hold yer  
tongues and let Maggie Riley  
speak."

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## CHRONOLOGY YEAR 1948



### Foreign

#### January

- 3—522 million-dollar aid program for France and Italy gets under way.
- 6—U. S. aid mission in Athens hands Greek army and national guard an additional 15 million to raise army to 132,000.
- 18—Mohandas K. Gandhi ends 121-hour fast in New Delhi.
- 30—Gandhi shot in New Delhi by Hindu nationalist.

#### February

- 28—Russia gains complete control over Czechoslovakia through Czech Communist party in bloodless coup, in one week.

#### March

- 19—U. S. abandons its support of partition of the Holy Land.
- 31—Russia starts battle of blockades against other allies in Berlin.

#### April

- 1—Secretary Marshall tells ninth international conference of American states in Bogota that ERP must take precedence over aid to Latin America.
- 2—Britain refers Holy Land dispute to U. N.
- 9—Outbreak of rioting interrupts Bogota conference.

#### May

- 13—Arab League proclaims in Damascus that a "state of war" exists between its members and the "Jewish rebels of Palestine."
- 14—Israel, first Jewish state in the Holy Land since 70 A. D., is proclaimed by the Jewish National Council meeting in Tel Aviv.

#### June

- 7—Dr. Eduard Benes, 64, elected Czech president for life in June, 1946, resigns.
- 11—Cease-fire order takes effect on Palestine's fighting fronts under four-week truce.
- 24—Soviet occupation forces ban all shipments from western Germany to Berlin.

#### July

- 6—Britain, France and U. S. demand in nearly identical notes that Russia lift its blockade of Berlin.
- 9—Holy Land truce, which began June 11, expires, and all three principal fronts again flame into action.
- 29—Yugoslav Communists re-elect Marshal Tito as head of the politburo.
- 30—Envoys of Western Big Three begin series of official talks in Moscow.
- 31—Another U. S. tribunal in Nuremberg sentences 11 of 12 Krupp munitions directors to prison.

#### August

- 7—Mrs. Oksana Kasenkina, 52, Russian chemistry teacher, plunges from third-floor window of Russia's New York consulate to escape Reds.
- 12—Anglo-U. S. airlift to Berlin achieves the 4,500-ton-a-day goal.
- 15—Democratic republic of Korea is formally proclaimed.

#### September

- 4—Queen Wilhelmina ends 50-year reign over Netherlands, in favor of daughter Juliana.
- 17—Swedish Count Folke Bernadotte, U. N. mediator for Palestine, assassinated.
- 21—Third annual session of 58-nation U. N. general assembly opens in Paris.

#### October

- 8—Norway, Cuba and Egypt are elected by the U. N. general assembly in Paris to replace Belgium, Columbia and Syria on the security council for two-year terms.

#### November

- 1—Chinese Communists completed their rout of the Nationalists in Manchuria and subdued the last resistance in Mukden.
- 11—A million men locked in battle on a 200-mile front in the Suchow area in the Nationalist-Communist war in China.
- 12—Hideki Tojo and six co-defendants in the principal Japanese war crimes trial are sentenced to death by hanging.
- 14—A son is born to Princess Elizabeth of England and Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh.
- 28—Mme. Chiang Kai-shek announces she will visit the U. S.

#### December

- 1—Mme. Chiang Kai-shek arrives in U. S., allegedly to press for three-billion-dollar military and economic loan to China during next three years.
- 12—United Nations assembly ends its 12-week Paris session by endorsing the Korean government of Dr. Syngman Rhee and continuing the U. N. Korean commission for another year.
- 14—Ernst Reuter, mayor of western Berlin, proposes that western allies reorganize the kommandantura without the Russians and abolish the boundaries between American, British and French sectors.



### Disasters

#### January

- 12—Dominican DC-3 airliner crash between Santiago and Barcelona, kills 31 persons, including entire San Diego baseball team.
- 28—Thirty-two persons killed, including 28 Mexicans, when DC-3 explodes near Coaling, Cal.
- 29—Army funeral ship, Joseph V. Conolly, partly destroyed by fire, sinks while being towed to New York.
- 30—Air Marshall Arthur Coningham, 52, and 31 others killed in plane crash.

#### February

- 22—Two truckloads of explosives are blown up, devastating a three-block business section in Jerusalem.
- 27—Nineteen persons aboard an Indian National Airways plane en route from New Delhi to London killed in crash.

#### March

- 18—Ten A. F. flyers killed when a B-29 crashes at MacDill field, near Tampa, Fla.
- 19—At least 42 persons killed and more than 300 injured in a series of tornadoes which struck nine states from Texas to central New York.

#### April

- 13—More than 3,000 families are evacuated when Ohio river overflows.
- 15—Thirty persons (19 Americans) killed when PAW plane crashes in Erie.
- 20—Cooper mine explosion near Aguas Calientes, Peru, kills 41 miners.

#### May

- 3—Tornadoes kill at least 23 persons in midwestern states.
- 30—Flooded Columbia river claims 23 lives, causes great damage in Oregon, Washington, Idaho. Devastates Vanport City, Ore.

#### July

- 1—Series of earthquakes destroy about 70 per cent of the Japanese industrial city of Fukuk (population 85,000) and surrounding towns of Honshu.
- 27—Thirteen coal miners killed in explosion in Princeton, Ind.

#### August

- 12—Thirteen men killed when B-29 crashes after take-off near Roswell, N. M. A navy weather reconnaissance plane with 12 aboard crashes and burns same day on Rota Island, 50 miles north of Guam.
- 20—Seventeen U. S. air force men killed in B-29 crash at Rapid City, S. D.

#### September

- 6—Labor Day holiday deaths from accidents in the U. S. over three-day period total 407.
- 14—Forty U. S. soldiers killed and 60 injured in troop train wreck in Korea.
- 17—Floods in Japan leave 541 dead and 600 missing.

#### October

- 5—Hurricane causes 11 deaths and 10 million dollars damage in Cuba, then does great damage in Miami.
- 30—31—Twenty persons died and hundreds were made ill, apparently as a result of smog (blend of smoke and fog) which blanketed Donora, Pa.

#### November

- 16—Search abandoned for Air Forces B-29, missing since Nov. 6 en route from Okinawa to Guam.
- 25—Thanksgiving Day accidents take toll of 114 lives, compared with 128 in 1947.



### Domestic

#### January

- 6—80th congress convenes.
- 8—Begin hearings on the Marshall plan. Principal witness is State Secretary George Marshall.
- 23—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, chief of staff, withdraws from Republican presidential race.

#### February

- 3—National Airlines' 145 pilots strike before midnight over dismissal of pilot two years ago.
- 24—Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers goes on trial on charges of suborning perjury in senate investigation.

#### March

- 1—House un-American activities committee accuses Dr. Edward U. Condon, director of the national bureau of standards, of being "one of the weakest links in our atomic security."

#### April

- 2—Both houses of congress override tax cut veto, pass omnibus foreign aid bill and adjourn for week.
- 20—John L. Lewis is fined \$20,000 and UMW \$1,400,000 for contempt of federal court order.
- 30—Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg succeeds Gen. Carl A. Spaatz as air force chief.

#### May

- 2—Gen. Dwight Eisenhower retires from the army.
- 21—N. Y. Gov. Dewey wins Oregon presidential primary over Harold E. Stassen.

#### June

- 2—Senate votes to admit 200,000 European displaced persons to the U. S. during next two years.
- 21—Twenty-fourth Republican convention meets in Philadelphia, Gov. Dewey

of New York nominated for the presidency on fourth day, with Gov. Earl Warren, of California, as his running mate.

- 24—President Truman signs second peacetime selective service bill.

#### July

- 5—Gen. Eisenhower reiterates he will not run for the presidency.
- 8—Soft coal prices rise 46 cents a ton.
- 15—President Harry S. Truman, 64, and Sen. Alben W. Barkley, 70, of Kentucky, are nominated for president and vice-president by the Democratic national convention in Philadelphia.
- 26—Congress convenes in a special session called by President Truman.

#### August

- 7—Congress adjourns its two-week extra session.
- 19—U. S. demands ouster of Jacob Lomakin, Soviet consul general in New York.

#### September

- 2—West coast ports paralyzed when CIO Intl. Longshoremen's union go on strike.
- 8—President Truman launches his re-election campaign.

#### October

- 4—Railroads grant 10-cent hourly wage increase to railway conductors and trainmen.
- 16—President Truman orders reserves brought up to full strength.

#### November

- 2—President Harry S. Truman, 64, Democrat, astounded the political world by defeating Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, 42, of New York, for re-election. The Democrats also swept back into control of both houses of congress and won 20 out of 32 governorships.
- 7—President Truman arrives in Key West, Fla., for a two-week post-election vacation.
- 18—First major blizzard of season sweeps through north central states, killing 13 persons.
- 25—Striking Longshoremen on both coasts return to work as shipping strike ends.

#### December

- 10—Whittaker Chambers, confessed former Communist courier and key figure in Communist espionage probe, resigned his position as a senior editor of Time magazine.
- 14—GOP Sen. Arthur Vandenberg is mentioned as possible successor to ailing George C. Marshall as secretary of state.



### Deaths

#### January

- 4—Dr. Robert Ernest Hume, internationalist known for authority on living relations.
- 8—Charles Michelson, 79, publicity director of the Democratic national committee, 1929-43.
- 15—Josephus Daniels, 85, World War I navy secretary.
- 30—Mohandas K. Gandhi, 78, spiritual

## Top Ten Spot News Stories of 1948

(As selected by nation's weekly editors in Publishers' Auxiliary poll.)

President Truman, and Democratic party score upset election victory.

Russians blockade Berlin, causing inauguration of airlift, heightening the "cold war."

Count Bernadotte assassinated during U. N. mission in Palestine. Southern Democrats rebel to form states' rights or "Dixiecrat" party.

War in China nears climax with Communist troops marching to apparent victory and U. S. officials refusing to grant additional aid to Chiang Kai-shek.

High cost of living plagues Americans and their business with fourth round of wage boosts seen in offing.

Oksana Kasenkina leaps from Russian consulate window in desperate effort to escape impending return to native land, creating international episode.

Mohandas Gandhi assassinated by Hindu extremist, terminating life of service to India and cause of freedom.

United Nations proceedings bring into open many international problems and emphasize conflict between East and West.

Eightieth congress sets legislative background for party positions during election campaign.

leader of the Hindus; slain by Hindu nationalist in New Delhi.

- 30—Orville Wright, 76, co-inventor of heavier-than-air plane.

#### February

- 9—Burns Mantle, drama critic, N. Y. Daily News editor of early collection of best plays.
- 23—Dr. John Robert Gregg, 80, inventor of Gregg system of shorthand.
- 24—Will Irwin, 74, newspaperman, novelist and playwright.
- 29—Robert McCowan Barrington Ward, 57, London Times editor since 1941.

#### March

- 8—Emily P. Bissell, 86, founder of U. S. Christmas seal drive in 1907.

#### April

- 5—Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., 73.
- 15—Manuel Acuna Roxas, 56, first president of Philippine Republic.
- 28—Tom Breneman, 48, star of radio's "Breakfast in Hollywood."

#### May

- 15—Msgr. Edward Joseph Flanagan, 61, founder of Boys Town.
- 27—Rudolph H. Wurlitzer, 74, ex-president of the musical instrument company.

#### June

- 6—George Evan Roberts, 90, director of U. S. mint, 1898-1907, 1910-1914.
- 10—Lewis Schwellenbach, 53, secretary of labor since 1945.

#### July

- 15—Gen. John J. Pershing, 87, commander-in-chief of the AEF in World War I and only man holding rank of General of the Armies.
- 23—David Wark Griffith, 73, pioneer film producer, and producer of "Birth of a Nation."
- 24—Mrs. Eleanor Medill Patterson, 63, editor-publisher of Washington Times-Herald.

#### August

- 16—George Herman (Babe) Ruth, 53, the "Sultan of Swat," who set or tied 76 baseball records.
- 27—Charles Evans Hughes, 86, former chief justice of U. S.

#### September

- 1—Charles A. Beard, 73, historian, author of more than 30 books on American history.
- 11—Mohammed Ali Jinnah, 71, founder of Moslem Pakistan.
- 30—Mrs. Edith Kermit Carow Roosevelt, 87, widow of President Theodore Roosevelt.

#### October

- 3—Thomas Augustine Daly, 77, poet, humorist, lecturer and journalist.
- 10—Mary Eaton, 48, former New York musical comedy star.
- 31—Mary Nolan, 42, film actress and Ziegfeld Follies beauty who won fame as Imogene (Bubbles) Wilson.

#### November

- 9—Edgar Kennedy, 58, film comedian, one of the original "Keystone Kops," of cancer, in San Fernando, Calif.
- 23—Lewis R. (Back) Wilson, 48, all-time National league home run king, (56 for Chicago in 1930), in Baltimore.

#### December

- 3—Carl Lorenz Hagenbeck, 40, head of leading German circus family, in Hamburg.



### Panorama

#### January

- 1—Bing Crosby named top money-making star for 8th consecutive year.
- 11—"Best Years of Our Lives" wins daily film poll as the best 1947 picture.
- 28—Gen. Omar Bradley formally nominated by President Truman to succeed Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as army chief of staff.

#### February

- 9—President urges congress to continue for two more years the 500 million-a-year programs of federal aid to states for highways.
- 23—Pope grants ex-King Michael of Romania dispensation to marry Danish Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma.

#### March

- 9—House grants \$200,000 to un-American activities committee by a 337-37 vote.
- 10—B-29 drops a 42,000-pound non-explosive bomb, largest ever made, in test at Muroc, Cal.

#### April

- 5—President Truman names Paul Gray Hoffman, president of Studebaker corporation, to supervise ERP.
- 20—Walter P. Reuther, president of CIO United Auto Workers, badly wounded by unidentified assailant.

#### May

- 3—Columbia breaks off diplomatic relations with Russia.
- 28—Chrysler ends its 17-day strike. Grants 13c hourly raise.

#### June

- 2-3—Senator Taft of Ohio tours North Carolina in election campaign.
- 5—C.I.O. Packinghouse Workers in Chicago ends its 82-day strike of 8,000 Wilson employees, winning nine-cent hourly raise.
- 10—Air force reveals that rocket-powered Bell X-1 has been flown faster than speed of sound.

#### July

- 13—John L. Lewis and 19 steel companies

- sign a contract ending strike of 40,000 UMW miners.
- 18—President Truman orders all men between 18 and 25 to register August 30 to September 18 for military service.
- 31—Idlewild airport—4,900 acres—dedicated in New York.

#### August

- 6—First around the world flight by B-29's is completed when two of the bombers land at Davis-Monthan base, near Tucson, Ariz.
- 17—Vanport, Ore., devastated by flood May 30, is sold for salvage for \$178,501. Original cost, 26 million.

#### September

- 11—Miss America of 1948 chosen in Atlantic City; Beatrice Vella Shopp, 18, Hopkins, Minn.
- 13—Rep. Margaret Chase (R., Me.) elected to U. S. senate by a record majority.

#### October

- 5—UMW announces beginning of a program to guarantee all 400,000 members and families free medical and hospital service.
- 14—U. S. Judge, Luther M. Swygert of Indianapolis holds the A.F.L. Intl. Typo. Union in contempt.

#### November

- 6—White House was closed indefinitely to social engagements and sightseers until extensive repairs to the mansion could be completed.
- 12—Trial of 12 top U. S. Communist leaders postponed for fourth time because of illness of William Z. Foster, Communist party chairman.

#### December

- 7—Secretary of State George Marshall undergoes appendectomy.
- 22—Princess Elizabeth's son christened.



### Sports

#### January

- 1—Bowl football games—Rose Bowl: Mich. 49, USC 0; Sugar Bowl: Tex. 27, Ala. 7; Cotton Bowl: SMU 13, Penn. State 13; Orange Bowl: G. Tech. 20, Kans. 13. Shrine All-Star, East 40, West 9.
- 8—Joe Louis signs with 20th Century Sporting club to defend his heavyweight title in New York bout June 23 against Joe Walcott.

#### February

- 7—Gilbert Dodds runs fastest indoor mile ever timed in Boston (4.08.1).
- 27—Jersey Joe Walcott signs for a return Joe Louis bout June 23.

#### March

- 7—Willie Hoppe, 60, of Chicago, retains world's three-cushion billiard title defeating Ezequiel Navarra in a challenge series.
- 25—Guy Lombardo sets U. S. goldcup speedboat record of 113.208 MPH at Miami Beach.

#### April

- 17—Harrison Dillard sets world record of 13.6 secs. in 129-yard high hurdles and Charles Fonville a world shotput mark of 58 ft. 4-inch in Kansas Relays, in Lawrence.
- 19—Major league baseball season opens.

#### May

- 15—Preakness Stakes (72nd annual, \$134,870) is won by Calumet Farms "Citation" in Baltimore.

#### June

- 10—Tony Zale, 34, regains world middleweight title by knocking out Rocky Graziano, 26.
- 25—Joe Louis, 34, retains world's heavyweight title by knocking out Jersey Joe Walcott in 11th round.

#### July

- 11—Lloyd Mangrum wins the \$10,000 Columbus open golf championship.
- 29—King George VI formally opens Olympic games in London's Wembley stadium.

#### August

- 9—Home pro Lloyd Mangrum wins \$22,500 in prizes in winning the All-American tourney Aug. 6, a world championship event Aug. 7 and Tam O'Shanter professional tournament Aug. 9, in Chicago.
- 14—Summer games of the 16th modern Olympiad end in London after a 18-day program.



# Milton

by Ruth Sceggell

## NUTE HIGH SCHOOL

The annual Christmas party was held in the Nute auditorium Tuesday afternoon with the eighth graders joining in the merriment. The freshman class gave the party. James Regan was chairman of the entertainment committee, Joan Golden, chairman of refreshments, and Lura Bodwell headed the clean-up committee. The decoration committee worked with the Seniors so that the same decorations might remain for the Christmas Ball. Herbert Marsh was master of ceremonies. Eleanor Jenness led the singing of carols with Janet Tibbetts at the piano. Santa Claus, in the person of Roland Knight, arrived to help distribute the large number of gifts and cards. The freshman class adviser, Miss Chase, helped them make the popcorn balls and lollipops for refreshments, no small task.

Basketball games scheduled for January include a J. V. game at Farmington on Tuesday, Jan. 4; and the following regular games Alton at Alton on Friday, January 7; Austin-Cate there on Tuesday, Jan. 11; Ossipee at Nute on Friday, Jan. 14; Raymond at Raymond on Friday, Jan. 21; Farmington at Nute, Tuesday, Jan. 25; Berwick, Maine, at Nute on Friday, Jan. 28.

Four games are now scheduled for February:

Tuesday, Feb. 1, Austin-Cate at Nute; Friday, Feb. 4, Alton at Nute; Friday, Feb. 11, Epping at Epping; Thursday, Feb. 17, Berwick at Berwick.

## WILLEY-HOWE

Miss Haroldine P. Howe and Mr. Nelson F. Willey, both of Milton Mills, were united in marriage Saturday, December 25. Justice of Peace, Charles E. Tanner performed a double ring service. Mr. Howard Jedrey and Mrs. Mary E. Jedrey were witnesses.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS

Last Wednesday night the Pythian Sisters held a Christmas party for the children of the members. There were around fifty present. Santa Claus came and passed out presents and bores filled with popcorn, apples and candy. Refreshments of ice cream, tonic and cookies were served. Chairman of the committee was Mrs. Isabelle Garnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichols entertained both their families from Mass Saturday and Sunday.

Staff Sergeant Charles Perry is spending an eleven day furlough with his family.

Miss Connie Carey of Boston, Mass., Miss Mildred Tanner and Miss Marion Tanner of Derry spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Mary Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casey spent the week end with both their parents, Mrs. Eva McIntire Horne and Mr. and Mrs. William Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns and son Jas., have gone to Seawaren, N. J., to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with their daughter. While there they will have a chance to gather with their other children and families. Mr. Carlyle Seavey is taking charge of their store with Miss Lola Tanner as his helper.

Mrs. Nettie Mills has returned home from the Frisbie Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray and Charles, enjoyed their Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Piper and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Regan motored to Wolfeboro Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norris Sanborn and family.

The town fire department have flooded the skating rink at the grammar school and a place for skating on the pond.

John Kimball is having a week's vacation from his work. Monday John Jr., Paul and their father went skiing on Mt. Washington Carriage Road. While there they met a Miltonite "Bob" Wilson who

is staying in Gorham this week. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Piper, Mrs. Helen Piper, Mrs. Lillian Pritchard and Charles Gray went to Rochester last Tuesday night to attend the Visitation of the Great Pocahontas at the Council meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stowe of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stowe of Portsmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stowe of Fisher's Island, spent the week end with Mrs. Amy Stowe.

Mrs. Eleanor Nichols and Mrs. Charles Whitehouse spent a day in Manchester recently and visited with Mrs. Whitehouse's daughter Irene.

Miss Geraldine Philpot and Miss Marilyn Nason left Monday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will both work as waitresses. Mrs. Jeanette Philpot went as far as Boston, Mass., with them.

Mr. and Mrs. William Warnecke, Sr., Mrs. Ada Nutter and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Downs and family went to Dover to spend Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Downs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Henderson and daughter Nancy, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenwood.

Mrs. George Dixon went to Berwick, Me., to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Seavey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Regan and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Regan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Otis at Sanbornville. James, Jr., and Bobby stayed for a week's vacation.

Miss Jane Hayes flew home from New York to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hayes. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hayes came Monday for the rest of the week.

Mrs. Ralph Shibles of Laconia visited her sister Mrs. George McIntire over the holidays.

Mr. Guy Hayes is confined to the Frisbie Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Irving Tuttle spent Christmas eve with Mrs. Mary Tanner.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Sharkey had as their guests over Christmas, Mrs. Sharkey's mother, Mrs. Sheridan and daughter Kay, of Lancaster.

Miss Emily Columbus and friend of Brunswick, Me., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. Columbus motored to Brunswick Sunday to take them back.

Mrs. and Mrs. Minnecucci and Miss Anna Minnecucci spent Christmas Day in Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hammon of Massachusetts spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Chamberlain.

Miss Norma Paul is enjoying a vacation from Keene Normal school with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Paul.

Norman Raicat, Robert Canney, Richard Vachon and Ralph Williams, Jr., were home from the army to be with their parents for the holidays.

Mr. Raymond Smith of Trenton spent the week end with his family and parents.

Harry Blair, who has been confined to the Frisbie Memorial hospital, has gone to Sanbornville to convalesce at his son's Mr. Alfred Blair's home.

Robert Mantle of Laconia is visiting with his aunt, Mrs. George McIntire.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stanley went to West Lebanon, Me., Wednesday evening to call on Mr. Ed Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. William Pulsifer.

Miss Helen Hayes of Cambridge, Mass., is spending her vacation from teaching with her mother, Mrs. Lyman Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Piper and family of Milton Mills spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper.

There will be mass at the Sacred Heart church at 8:30 Saturday morning.

Mr. Robert Dupuis is home from Becker College, Worcester, Mass., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Dupuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Slamin entertained Mr. and Mrs. David Parnell and daughter of Hingham, Mass., over the week end. Mr.



The "Lone Ranger"—now heard thrice weekly on ABC — has won many high honors in the program's 15 years on the air. For instance, the National Safety Council has repeatedly given public recognition to his efforts for safety, and the C.I.T. Safety Foundation has awarded its highest annual prize to the "Lone Ranger" several times.

Parnell is their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hayes and family of Berlin, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lover. Nancy stayed for a week's visit with her grandparents.

Patrick Butler spent the holiday week end with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood McIlvaine and family of Watertown, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Garlneau Christmas week end. Linwood Jr., stayed for a week's vacation.

The Misses Kathleen and Mary McGarth spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGarth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenwood motored to Portsmouth Christmas eve to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Drew entertained Mr. Drew's mother of Pittsfield for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wyman of Massachusetts spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lessard. Eddie Casey of Lynn, Mass., was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Tanner, over last week end.

Dinner guests Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Witham were Mr. Richard Witham and Mr. John Wassing of Bridgeport, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shapleigh, Jr., of Eliot, Me., Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Garland and child of Sanbornville, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Nutter and children Miss Claire Cooley and Nat Coung.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Glidden and family have gone to Florida for a month on a business and pleasure trip. While there they will stay with Mrs. Glidden's parents.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sceggell and family Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowell and Mrs. Ruth Hartford of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casey of Exeter, Mrs. Eva McIntire Horne and son Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Everett McIntire and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stanley spent Christmas with Mrs. Stanley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodwin at West Lebanon, Me. Mr. Perkins' mother, Mrs. Emerson of Rochester, and Miss Patricia Perkins of Keene Normal School spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Perkins.

Mrs. Mary Kimball was hostess to a Stanley Brush demonstration last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Sceggell and family visited Mrs. Sceggell's mother and relatives Christmas Day at South Milton.

Fred Kimball has moved to Milton from Wolfeboro for the winter.

## ROCHESTER MOOSE GIVE WHEEL CHAIR TO POLIO VICTIM

The Great Heart of Moosierom swelled with pride this Christmas when the members of the Rochester Lodge 1298, Loyal Order of Moose were presented with an opportunity to help one of our courageous high school students, who had been a victim of Polio.

Attention was brought to bear on the case when young Charles Kondrup of Elm Court, Rochester, called at the home of Gerard A. Beaupre, Past Governor of Rochester Lodge, with a young friend Paul Clark, to borrow a couple of

Miss Viola Weymouth, a teacher in the schools at Malverne, Long Island, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Weymouth of Winter street. Miss Louise Nutter of Middlebury, Mass., also a teacher, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Nutter of Lone Star avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Roberts entertained as guests for the holiday week their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Braga and little daughter Elizabeth, of Hudson, Mass.; also Mr. Roberts' sister, Miss Helen Roberts, and a friend, Miss Miriam Bailey, teachers in the Arlington, Mass., schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nute are entertaining for the holiday week their daughters, Miss Charlotte Nute, a teacher at Derry; Miss Rhoda Nute, who teaches at La Jolla, Cal.; their son Eugene Nute and wife and small daughter, Stephanie of Conway; and Mrs. Nute's two sisters, Miss Frances and Miss Charlotte Wadleigh of Union and Danvers, Mass. Also as guests for the holiday dinner were Mr. Nute's brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nute of No. Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Nye and young son are visiting relatives in Old Town, Me., for the Xmas vacation. Mr. Nye is a member of the faculty at the Farmington High school.

Miss Beatrice Lawrence of Manchester is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawrence, Sr., and her sister, Miss Olive, at the North Main street family home.

Rev. and Mrs. James B. Ford are moving this week to Winchester, Vt., where he has accepted a pastorate with the Congregational church.

Mrs. Ruby A. Chesley and son Thomas G. Chesley spent the holiday and week end with her older son and family, Mr. Donald B. Chesley at their home in Sanbornville. Mr. Chesley is a member of the faculty of the Tilton-Northfield High school. Thomas Chesley is a senior at the University of New Hampshire.

Willis Hanson has closed his home at Place's crossing and is enjoying an extended trip through the western states.

Denzil Thayer, MMPA, USN, son of Mrs. Eunice Thayer, will return to his duties at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station the latter part of the week, following a fifteen day visit with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. Bart-

guns to go hunting deer.

"We have been assured that you would let us take the guns," said young Kondrup, sitting in his wheel chair outside the door.

Astounded at the courage of this young man, Mr. Beaupre invited them in and while Charles and Paul inspected the guns, loaned them, Mr. Beaupre inquired as to how they planned to go hunting in a wheelchair and without a car and was told that Paul would push Charles in his wheelchair out to the woods; and then while he entered the wood in search of game, Charles would wait in his wheelchair watchful that no deer crossed his path and lived to tell about it. In the course of conversation Mr. Beaupre was informed that Charles' present wheelchair was not in very good condition and was very hard to handle, being old and weatherbeaten but that some day Charles was going to earn money enough to buy a new one. And then he would be able to get along very well, although he would never be able to walk again.

With this in mind Mr. Beaupre attended a Moose meeting Tuesday night and on finding out that there were no funds available with a Christmas Tree party planned for the children of Rochester on Thursday night. So Governor Leslie Keene called for volunteers to contact as many members as possible to get contributions from each and thereby raise enough money to buy Charles his new wheelchair for Christmas.

Forrest Dearborn, Arthur Dumont, Steve Proulx, Joseph Guerin Clarence Johnson, Leo Corbell, Norman Hight, Frank Leary, Eugene Sullivan, Leslie Keene, Albert J. Blanchette, William Young and others volunteered and after two days it was seen that the project was going over the top. The

lett of North Main street, entertained Mr. Ivan Golding and son Larry on Christmas Day.

Mr. Frank P. Kearns, the genial manager of Bowl-a-Way, visited relatives in Somersworth for the holiday. His daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lessard of Nashua, were also members of a family party.

The sudden death of "Joe" King on Monday afternoon at Factory No. 3 of the Rondeau Shoe Co. was a shock to his many friends in this community.

Joseph Ernest King was born in Somersworth, March 3, 1881, son of the late Basil Roy and Perpetue Lessard Roy. He had lived in Farmington over 35 years and served as night operator at the local telephone exchange before the days of the dial system. Later he became associated with the H. O. Rondeau Shoe company, and has worked there for more than 15 years.

Although Mr. King had been in his usual good health he was stricken at his work and died almost immediately early Monday afternoon.

He had lived at the home of Mrs. Fannie C. Whitehouse on Orange street for many years and it is there that he will be missed by Mrs. Whitehouse and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Plummer.

Mr. King is survived by three sisters, Miss Mary King and Mrs. Edmond Duprez of Rochester, and Mrs. Tracy Abbott of Wolfeboro.

Funeral services will be held at the Otis Funeral parlors in Farmington, Thursday afternoon. Rev. Myles Blanchard of the Congregational church will officiate. Burial will be at Pine Grove cemetery in Farmington.

The midnight mass at St. Peter's Catholic church was a most impressive service. The mass was celebrated by the pastor Rev. Fr. Arthur Dufour. Assisting in the mass was Rev. Fr. Armand Gonthier of Enfield, a member of the LaSalette order. The church was beautifully decorated. The Mass in F was sung by the choir with Miss Rose Morin of Rochester at the organ. Master Ronald Chagnon rendered "O Holy Night" very splendidly.

The chimes at the First Congregational church, which were recently presented by Mrs. Elmer Francis Thayer, were played for the first time on Xmas eve. These chimes are a distinct and impressive means of bringing to the general public the spirit of the season.

Wheel Chair was ordered through the office of Mrs. Witham of the Rehabilitation Center, Portsmouth where Charles goes for treatment every Tuesday and the wheel chair arrived at the Moose Home on North Main street the night before Christmas and was presented to Charles about 2:00 p. m. on Christmas Day.

Charles did not get the deer he expected when he went hunting, a week before Christmas, but he did get that fine new wheel chair that he did not expect, thanks to the loyal support of the members of the Rochester Lodge of Moose.

The officers of Rochester lodge 1296 were so pleased with the enthusiasm of the members in the worthy enterprise that it is planned to create a fund in the near future with the purpose in mind of better assisting our community.

## SUS. SENTENCE IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT

A Rochester veteran was one of four New Hampshire youths arraigned in U. S. District court at Concord, Monday, for violations of the veterans' readjustment act. The quartet had claimed they were unemployed and collected compensation at a time when they were working.

Prentiss P. Rawson of Rochester pleaded guilty before Justice A. J. Connor on 17 counts and was ordered to serve nine months on each count. The sentences were suspended and Rawson was placed on probation for two years and ordered to make restitution of \$300.

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# City League All-Stars Named To Play Allains January 6

Managers and officials of the City Basketball league have named a ten man All-Star team to tangle with Allain's City Club, Thursday evening, Jan. 6, in the Spaulding high school gym.

Named on the All league team were two members of Allains Jrs., and two from the Bowlaway Alleys team and one each from the other teams in the loop. Players named are as follows: George Alimi and Ken Taylor of Allains; Bob Haller and Bob Breton of Bowlaway Alleys; Bill Arlin of Speco's; Cy Longley of Kendall Ins.; Steve Bickford of Farmer Motors; Bernie Harrity of Puritan; and Art Friedman of Ford Five. Alternates chosen were: "Red" Dubois of Farmers; Bill Marble of Tony's 8; Bob Reynolds of Ford Five and Verne Fowler of Tony's 8.

Frankie Marchand, president of the league and manager of Allains Jrs., was unanimously chosen to direct the fortunes of the All-Stars against the City team.

**Ford Five vs Speco's All-Stars**

Interest in the City League is at a fever pitch for the most important game of the first half as the Ford Five attempts to take the first half title when they tangle with Speco's All-Stars Monday evening. A win for Speco's would put them in a four way tie for fourth place and the Ford Five in a tie for first place with Allains.

## ALLAINS LOSE TO PORTSMOUTH 59-51 JUNIORS CLUBBED BY FARMINGTON 47-31

Unable to halt a last half uprising by the Portsmouth Carroll Cut Rate five, Allain's City club went down to defeat 59-51 before a better than average crowd at the Spaulding gym last Sunday afternoon.

During the first few minutes it appeared that the locals were on their way to an easy victory as they took a 13-4 lead but as soon as the visiting sharpshooters found the range they couldn't be stopped.

It was 23-14 in favor of Allain's at the close of the opening period and although they were outscored 13-6 in the second stanza, they held a slim 29-27 half time lead.

In the third period Portsmouth knotted the count at 38-38 and in the final ten minutes paced by Larry Stone who sent 13 of his 22 markers through the hoop, the Port City clan iced the contest.

Knight and Stone of Portsmouth were the top scorers of the day hitting for 25 and 22 points each. Ken Flood and Bob Arlin were high for Allains with 16 and 10 markers.

The juniors also had a rough day, dropping their first game to Farmington 47-31 in the preliminary tilt.

Big Bob Haller with 18 points paced the Farmington unit to its

## RANGY, HIGH SCORING KEENE CRUSHES SPAULDING, 68-42

(Deferred)

The Spaulding High School Red Raiders were handed their worst drubbing in several years last Friday evening when the Keene high blackbirds, crushed the Raiders, 68-42 before a near capacity audience in the SHS gym.

Lead 31-15 at Half Time

The fast breaking Keene five, coached by Jim Hatch, a native of Dover, never were in trouble after the first period. They held a 15-8 lead at the close of the initial quarter and with guard Dick Abrams popping them in from all angles were out front 31-15, at the half way mark.

Abrams scored seven baskets in the first half to pace his mates. The Raiders played the rangy Keene five on even terms in the third period being outscored 16-14 but in the final eight minutes the visitors sent 21 points through the hoop to only 13 for the locals.

**Abrams Scores 22**

Dick Abrams and Doug Treat both hit double figures for the winners, Abrams scoring 22 markers and Treat hitting for 15.

**Cormier Gets 14 Points**

Dick Cormier was top man for Spaulding, scoring 14 points. He was followed closely by Hap Barsano who tossed in 11 markers.

The Spaulding High Junior Varsity won its second straight handing the "Smokehouse Five" a 30-22 setback in the preliminary game.

It is trial that proves one thing weak and another strong. A house built on the sand is in fair weather just as good as if build on a rock.—Henry Ward Beecher

Farmer Motors, Tony's eight and Bowlaway Alleys are currently in a three way tie for third and fourth places. Tony's eight and Bowlaway Alleys will tangle in the second half of the Monday night twin-bill.

**LEAGUE SET-SHOTS:** The old master-mind of Allains City Baseball team, Pat Green, is now making a name for himself as a basketball mentor. Since taking over as Manager of the Bowlaway Alleys five in the City league Green has had his charges hustling to four straight wins and has yet to taste defeat. This will be one ball club to watch during the second half. Don Lessard has been added to the roster of the Farmer Motors, which will give them more strength during the second half title race. The league has purchased a new basketball. It was agreed to have each member of league teams to pay the usual \$3.50 and insure the league of having a banquet at the close of the season. Irish Berity is leading the point getters with 34 field goals and 12 tries good from the free throw line for a total of 80 points. He is closely pressed by Art Friedman, who, with one more game to go, has 7 markers. Bill Arlin of Speco's has 4 points to his credit with one more game to go.

DICK BOYLE.

victory. The juniors had two bad periods the first and last when they were outscored 12-4 and 13-4. In the two middle sessions the locals held a slight edge of 23-22.

Following Haller in the scoring department were Therrien of the visitors who garnered 11 points as did Bernie Harrity of Allain's Jrs. Bob Davis of Farmington also hit double figures notching 10 markers.

**Portsmouth (59)**

Rf. Knight 9-7-25; lf. Stone 8-6-22; c. Stevens 2-0-4, Dusseault 0-0-0; rg. O'Brien 2-3-7; lg. Bryant 0-1-1. Totals: 21-17-59.

**Allains (51)**

Lg. Douglas 1-0-2; rg. Flood 8-0-16; c. Gilman 1-2-4; lf. Portrie 2-1-5, Edgerly 2-1-5; rg. Breton 3-3-9, Arlin 5-0-10. Totals: 22-7-51.

Portsmouth 14 13 11 21—59  
Allains 23 6 9 13—51

**Farmington (47)**

Rf. Haller 7-5-18, Therrien 4-3-11 lf. Davis 4-2-10; c. Therrien 0-0-0, Baston 1-3-5; rg. Marble 1-1-3; lg. Dolloner 0-0-0. Totals 17-13-47.

**Allain's Jrs. (31)**

Rf. Trafton 0-0-0; lf. Harrity 5-1-11; c. Arlin 1-2-4, Breton 1-0-2; rg. Bickford 1-1-3, Brennan 2-0-4; lg. Seaman 0-0-0, Veno 1-0-2, Taylor 2-1-5. Totals 13-5-31.

Score by periods:  
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William B. Sullivan, pioneer in the development of high temperature alloy castings, is retiring from the Lebanon Steel Foundry at Lebanon, Pa., after almost 50 years activity. And in acknowledgement of his many contributions to the industry, he has been made an honorary life member of the Alloy Casting Institute.

## BOWLAWAY, ALLAINS JRS., COP B B TILTS

Bowlaway rode over Puritans last Thursday evening 31 to 21 to chalk up their fourth straight win.

Big Bob Haller dropped 10 points through the nets before retiring on fouls to pace the winners in the point getting. Bernie Harrity sank 8 markers for the Puritans.

In the nightcap Allain Jrs. scored a 39 to 16 win over the luckless Kendalls to give the "Little Jewels" five in the win column for the first half.

Ken Taylor led the way with a total of 12 points while Cy Longley ran up seven for the Eastsiders.

**BOWLAWAY**

Rf. Hebert 2-1-5, Clarke 0-2-2; lf. Baston 2-0-4; c. Haller 4-2-0; rg. Crockett 2-0-4; lg. Breton 3-0-6, Nealand 0-0-0. Totals: 13-5-31.

**PURITAN**

Rf. Klutz 1-0-2; lf. Harrity 4-0-8; c. Brennan 1-0-2; rg. Bemis 2-0-4, rg. Ludden 1-0-2; lg. O'Brien 0-1-2, Seaman 1-0-2. Totals: 10-1-21.

**2ND GAME**

**ALLAIN JRS.**

Rf. K. Taylor 5-1-13; lf. March and 0-0-0; lf. Trafton 2-0-4; c. R. Taylor 1-0-2; rg. Alimi 3-2-8, Kincaid 3-0-6; lg. Emerson 3-1-7. Totals: 17-5-39.

**KENDALLS INS.**

Rf. Parsons 0-1-1, Newcomb 1-0-2 lf. Blake 1-1-3, Chamberlain 0-0-0; c. Longley 2-3-7; rg. Watson 0-1-1, Gilmore 1-0-2; lg. Harriman 0-0-0. Totals: 5-6-16.

After a slow first period, the J. V.'s rolled up 14 markers in the second period to hold a half time lead of 17-10.

They iced the contest in the third period scoring six points while holding their opponents scoreless.

Jeep Donlon and Tom Burbank with nine points each, shared scoring honors for the winners, while John Rigazio of the "Smokehouse Five" took individual honors with 10 markers.

**Keene**

Rf. Stavrou 3-2-8, Wright 0-0-0; lf. Treat 6-3-15, Shaw 1-0-2, Bushway 1-1-3; c. Sowerby 3-2-8, Travis 0-1-1; rg. Dunlap 3-1-7, Symonds 0-0-0; lg. Abrams 11-0-22, Chakalos 1-0-2. Totals 29-10-68.

**Spaulding**

Lg. Bird 0-1-1, Edgerly 1-0-2, Brennan 1-0-2; rg. Hamilton 1-1-3, Poire 1-0-2, Flaker 0-0-0; c. Barsano 5-1-11, Tremblay 0-0-0; lf. Steeves 0-0-0, Cormier 5-4-14; rf. Shaw 3-1-7, Desmarais 0-0-0. Totals 17-8-42.

Score by periods:  
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Spaulding 8 7 14 13—42

Referees: Alvino and Bozek.

**Spaulding J. V.**

Rf. Donlon 4-1-9, Notkin 2-1-5, Leary 0-0-0, Flaker 1-0-2; lf. Harris 1-0-2, Grenier 0-0-0; Bragg, 0-0-0; Knights 0-0-0, O'Brien 0-0-0; c. Burbank 4-1-9, Carignan 0-1-1; rg. Edgerly 0-0-0, Newhall 1-0-2, Hussey 0-0-0; lg. Ham 0-0-0, Pelly 0-0-0, Hescock 0-0-0, Lewis 0-0-0. Totals 13-4-30.

**Smokehouse Gang**

Lg. Hodgkins 0-0-0, Twitchell 0-0-0, Donlon 1-0-2; rg. Randall 0-0-0, Lovejoy 0-0-0, Scala 0-0-0; c. Walsh 0-0-0, Rigazio 5-0-10, Upham

## JEWELERS COP FOURTH STRAIGHT-- TRIM LACONIA IN FINAL MINUTES 52-36

Allain's City Club ran their victory skein to four straight last Thursday evening when they belted Laconia 52-36 at the Lake City.

Behind at the end of the first quarter, 11-5 the Jewelers came to life to dump in 22 markers in the second canto and held a half time lead of 27-20. Laconia outscored the locals in the third period 10-5 to cut the Rochester lead to 32-30.

But the Jewelers sewed up the contest in the final five minutes when they tallied 14 points while the best the Lake City five could do was four points.

Two ex-SHS stars were the top scorers as Bob Arlin and Gerry Gil

man hit for 16 and 13 points each while Tommy Barrett found the range for 10 to pace the losers.

**Allain's (52)**

Rf. Breton 4-1-12; lf. Portrie 0-0-0, Arlin 8-0-16; c. Gilman 6-1-13; rg. Douglas 1-0-2, Edgerly 2-1-5; lg. Flood 2-0-4. Totals 23-6-52.

**Laconia City Club (36)**

Lg. Provencal 0-0-0, Merkwan 3-0-6; rg. Gozonsky 1-0-2; c. Hubbard 0-0-0, Pearson 0-1-1; lg. Greene 3-0-6, oucas 2-0-4; rf. Mc Grath 3-1-7, Barrett 5-0-10. Totals 17-2-36.

5 22 5 18—52  
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Laconia

## COMMUNITY SKI TOW AT STEARN'S HILL READY FOR SEASON

Through the cooperation of the school department and the city government, the Rochester Community Activities Ass'n has made it possible for the youth of Rochester to play basketball during their Christmas vacation. Executive Director John B. Penney, conducts a basketball program for grammar school age boys at the Maple Street gym during the morning.

Mr. Theodore Lylis, high school teacher, has been hired to supervise the free, open-house basketball program at Spaulding High School gym in the afternoons.

Fred Steadman and Burton "Beaver" MacIver, high school students, have volunteered their services as leaders of basketball activities for grammar school age boys at East Rochester Opera House and the Gonic Town Hall, respectively.

Barbara Nadeau, high school student and play leader at Commons Playground during the summer, has volunteered her services as a leader of girls' activities for grammar school age girls three afternoons a week after school.

On Tuesday and Thursday afternoons she conducts arts and crafts and quiet game activities in the Allen school; on Wednesday she will conduct active-games at the Maple Street gym.

Fred Gray has been hired to run the Community Ski Tow at the Stearn's Slope this season. Improvements being made in the ski tow are nearing completion, and the tow will be ready to go when the snow arrives.

## FARMER MOTORS DRUBBED BY TONY'S

(Deferred)

Farmer Motors practically dropped out of the running as far as the first half is concerned by losing a 39 to 31 game to Tony's 8 last Monday evening at the High school gym.

The win carried Tony's 8 to a vie for third spot and now awaits the outcome of the Allain-Kendall fracas Thursday night.

Tony's 8 got off to a good start with 8 points for their first frame and from there on increased the lead until the final period when Farmer Motors found themselves as Paul Bergeron sparked them to a 13 point period which was not enough to overcome the big lead Tony's piled up in the second quarter.

In an exhibition game Allain's Jrs. outscored Speco's 44 to 31. Both teams wer at a disadvantage as players from each side were missing.

**Tony's 8**

Rf. B. Fowler 3-1-7; lf. V. Fowler 1-2-4; c. Veno 3-1-7; rg. Marble 2-0-4, Rigazio 1-2-4; lg. T. Young 2-7-11, Witherell 0-2-2, G. Young 0-0-0. Totals 12-15-39.

**Farmer Motors**

Rf. Meader 1-0-2; lf. Dubois 0-1-1 Bergeron 1-0-2; c. Kilburn 0-0-0; rg. Ross 3-1-7, Bickford 3-1-7; Gas kell, 6-0-12, Lamontagne 0-0-0.

Tony's 8 8 8 13 7 11—39  
Farmer Motors 5 6 7 13—31

3-0-6; lf. Steadman 1-0-2, DeRoy 1-0-2, Dodge 0-0-0; rf. Grenier 0-0-0, Allen 0-0-0, Palmer 0-0-0.

SHS JV 3 14 6 5—30  
Smokehouse 2 8 0 12—22

## BOWLAWAY FIVE UPSETS ALLAIN'S JRS.

(Deferred)

The Bowlaway Basketeers ran up their third straight win last Thursday night as the Greenmen took Allain Jrs. over the hurdle with a 30 to 28 win.

The loss was the second of the season for Allain's while the win gives the fast moccing clan of Pat Green a 3 to 3 average.

Johnny Hebert collected top scoring honors with a 10 point onslaught while George Alimi tossed in nine points for the losers.

In the opener of the evening Puritan Clothing defeated the luckless Kentdall Insurance 44 to 31. Bernie Harrity took the pase setting over with a 19 point total as the result of nine baskets and making good three out of four foul shots.

**Bowlaway**

Rf. Baston 3-0-6; lf. 5-0-10, Clark 0-0-0; c. Haller 1-1-3; rg. 1-6-8; lg. Merrill 1-1-3, Crockett 0-0-0, Nealand 0-0-0. Totals 11-8-30.

**Allain Jrs.**

Rf. Trafton 0-0-0; lf. Bergeron 1-1-3, Marchand 3-0-6; c. R. Taylor 1-0-2, K. Taylor 1-1-3; rg. Alimi 4-1-9; lg. Emerson 1-1-3, Kincaid 1-0-2. Totals: 12-4-28.

**Bowlaway** 6 9 9 6—30  
**Allain Jrs.** 6 7 8 7—28

**Puritan Clothing**

Rf. Harrity 9-1-19; lf. Klutz 4-1-9; c. Brennan 2-2-6; rg. O'Brien 2-2-6, Seaman 0-0-0; lg. Bemis 1-0-2, Ludden 1-0-2. Totals 19-6-34.

**Kendall Insurance**

Rf. Blake 0-0-0, lf. Parsns 3-1-7, Chamberlain 1-0-2; c. Longley, 7-2-16; rg. Newcomb 1-1-3; lg. Har rison 0-0-0, Watson 0-1-1, Gilmore 1-0-2. Totals 13-5-31.

**Puritan Clothing** 8 6 16 14—44  
**Kendall's Ins.** 8 11 5 7—31

## SPECO'S DEFEAT DOVER IN OVERTIME

Ray Beaudoin's basket in a sudden-death period gave the Speco's All-Stars a thrilling 41-39 win over the Dover National Guard to climax an up-hill battle by the locals who overcame a 27-17 deficit.

"Red" Dubois paced the All-Stars with 17 markers followed by Trafton and Beaudoin with six each.

Sirviris was top man for the "Arties" with 16 points.

**Speco's All Stars (41)**

Rf. Horne 0-0-0, Trafton 2-2-6; lf. Sylvain 2-0-4, Taylor 2-0-4; c. Arnold 1-0-2; rg. Beaudoin 3-0-6, Dubois 6-5-17; lg. Beregeron 0-2-2. Totals, 17-9-41.

**Arties (39)**

Rg. Shea 2-0-4; lg. Vanden-Heuvel 1-1-3; c. Perreault, 2-0-6, Crockett 0-1-1; lf. Huppe 4-1-9; rf. Shibley 0-0-0, Sirviris 8-0-16. Totals, 18-3-29.

**Allain's Jrs.**

Rf. Marchand 3-2-8; lf. Taylor 3-3-9, Breton 1-0-2; c. Kincaid 2-0-4; rg. 7-0-14; lg. Trafton 3-1-7. Totals 19-6-44.

**Speco's Stars**

Rf. Horne 3-1-7; lf. 1-2-4, Boyle 1-0-2; c. Arlin 4-1-9; rg. Sylvain 2-1-5; lg. Beaudoin, 1-0-2, Notkin 1-0-2. Totals: 13-5-31.

**Allain's Jrs.** 11 4 17 12—44  
**Speco's Stars** 12 10 7 2—31

The present is never our object; the past and the present we use as means; the future only is our end. Thus, we never live, we only hope to live.—Pascal



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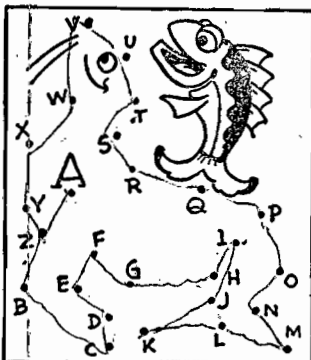
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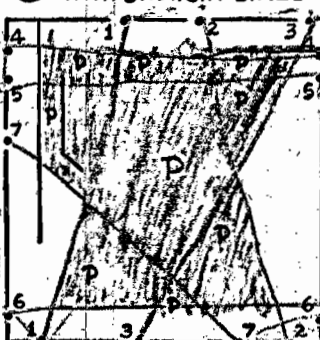
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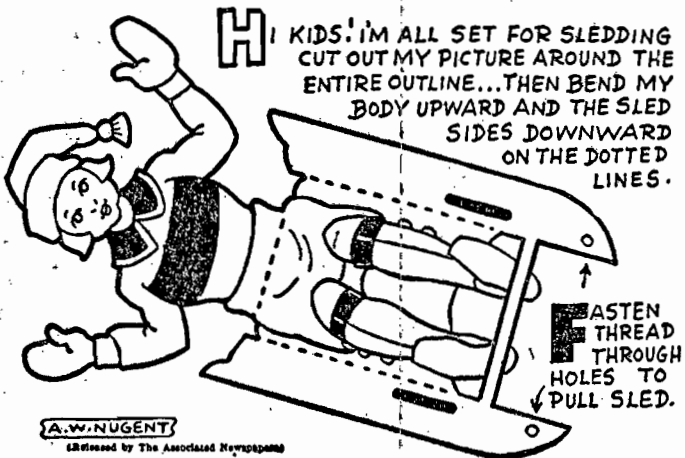
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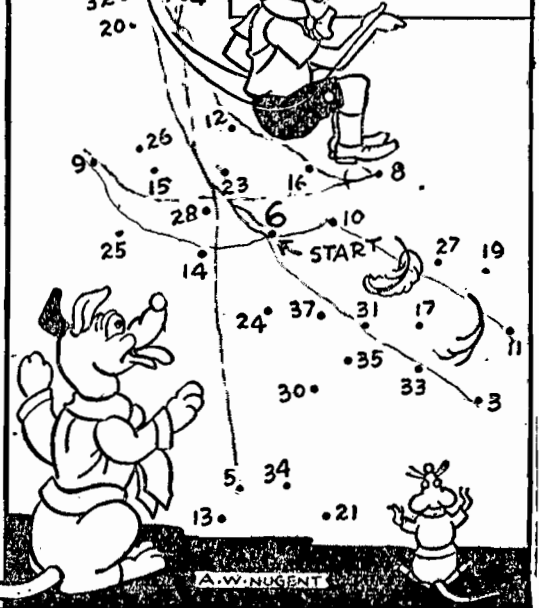
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## Welcome, New Year

**WELCOME** to you, New Year, enter newborn king—  
Can you tell us something of the tidings that you bring?  
Do you carry happiness,  
Enough to last the year?  
Do you sing a song of joy  
To cast out doubt and fear?  
Perhaps a balm for heartaches  
You bring along with you;  
Perhaps a key to friendships  
To buoy us all year through.  
We bid you welcome, New Year—our dreams we trust with you,  
Forgetting ills of all the past, we start the book anew.

## Mummers' Parade Each New Year

The Mummers' parade on New Year's Eve is to Philadelphia what the Mardi Gras is to New Orleans.

The earliest settlers in the vicinity of present-day Philadelphia were English and Swedes. The English cherished the traditional Mummer play "St. George and the Dragon," while the Swedes were fond of masquerading informally on New Year's Eve. The two customs had merged long before the Revolution and it was customary—even among the Quakers—to extend hospitality to the masqueraders or give them a dole for refreshments.

After the Revolution, George Washington replaced St. George as the central figure of the festivities which continued along the path of spontaneity until 1886 when the parade was sponsored by the Silver Crown New Year's association.

The municipal administration officially recognized the parade in 1901, and representative citizenry began turning out to watch and participate in the festivities.

## Facts and Fancies Of New Year's Day

New Year's with its open houses, parties, exchanging of New Year's cards, horn tooting, Auld Lang Syne and New Year's resolutions, is one of the oldest celebrations. As a holiday it has been observed since ancient times, and has been marked throughout history by the giving of gifts and the exchange of greetings and good wishes.

The early Persians said "Happy New Year!" with colored eggs. They regarded New Year's in much the same way we, today, regard Easter—as a time of renewal of all things. And on New Year's Day, pagan Britons received branches of sacred mistletoe from their Druid priests.

According to some authorities the custom of gift-giving at New Year's originated in 747 B. C. when the Romans presented Tatius, king of the Sabines, with boughs from trees consecrated to Strenia, the goddess of strength.

## New Year's Started 50 Centuries Ago

New Year's has been observed as a holiday, either civil or religious, for the last 5,000 years. Nearly everywhere and at all periods it has been a day of rejoicing and of gift giving; and history tells us that in Babylon, 3,000 years before the Christian era, the day was sacred to Marduk, the solar god, of whom it was believed that all other gods were but various manifestations.

The Babylonian New Year was called Zagmuk, and like that of the Egyptians, Phoenicians and Persians, ushered in the autumnal equinox—September 21. The nearest modern counterpart to this is the Abyssinian New Year which falls on September 10. The discrepancy is probably due to the changing fashions in the calendars from Julian to Gregorian. Had it not been for this, the Abyssinian New Year would not coincide with that of those other nations now mere names with big ruins to attest their one-time power.

### HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

## Menus Are Many For Leftovers

By Lynn Chambers

**SMART HOMEMAKERS**, instead of looking on holiday leftovers with scorn, will welcome having them because they save time in meal preparation as well as conserving time in marketing.

Who doesn't welcome succulent slices of ham, turkey or roast beef when served with slices of bread or rolls? They're the refrigerator raiders' delight!

Then, too, there are excellent dishes which Mom can prepare quickly from vegetables and roast. Everything's cooked and needs just a bit of ingenuity and heating to make them ready for the table!

To make leftovers palatable, it's best to disguise them completely. With the right recipes, it isn't much of a trick, and it's fun, too, to test your ingenuity.

### \*Chicken Rice Loaf (Serves 6)

2 cups diced, cooked chicken or turkey  
2 cups cooked green peas  
2 cups cooked rice  
2 tablespoons chopped pimiento  
2 egg yolks, beaten  
1/2 cup milk  
1 tablespoon minced onion  
1 teaspoon salt  
Dash of pepper

Combine chicken, peas, rice and pimiento. Add milk to egg yolks, then fold into chicken-vegetable mixture. Add onion, salt and pepper. Place in a greased loaf pan and bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for one hour. Serve with cream or mushroom sauce. Place pan of Cranberry Peach Taffies in same oven during the last half hour of baking time.

### \*Cranberry Peach Taffies

4 canned peach halves  
1/2 cup jelly: cranberry sauce  
2 tablespoons butter  
6 tablespoons brown sugar

Drain peach halves. Cut cranberry sauce into one-half inch slices, then cut each slice in cubes. Crumble butter and brown sugar together. Place cranberry sauce cubes into hollows of peach halves, allowing at least two cubes to each peach half. Sprinkle with butter-sugar mixture. Place in shallow pan and bake during last half hour with Chicken Rice Loaf.

IF YOU HAD HAM for Christmas, you're undoubtedly looking for a smooth way to get rid of the ham shreds.

This main dish loaf stretches the ham with unflavored gelatin and cheese and will make nearly as big a hit with your family and friends as the whole ham. Serve it for a buffet meal or snack with a green salad.

### Ham Loaf (Serves 6)

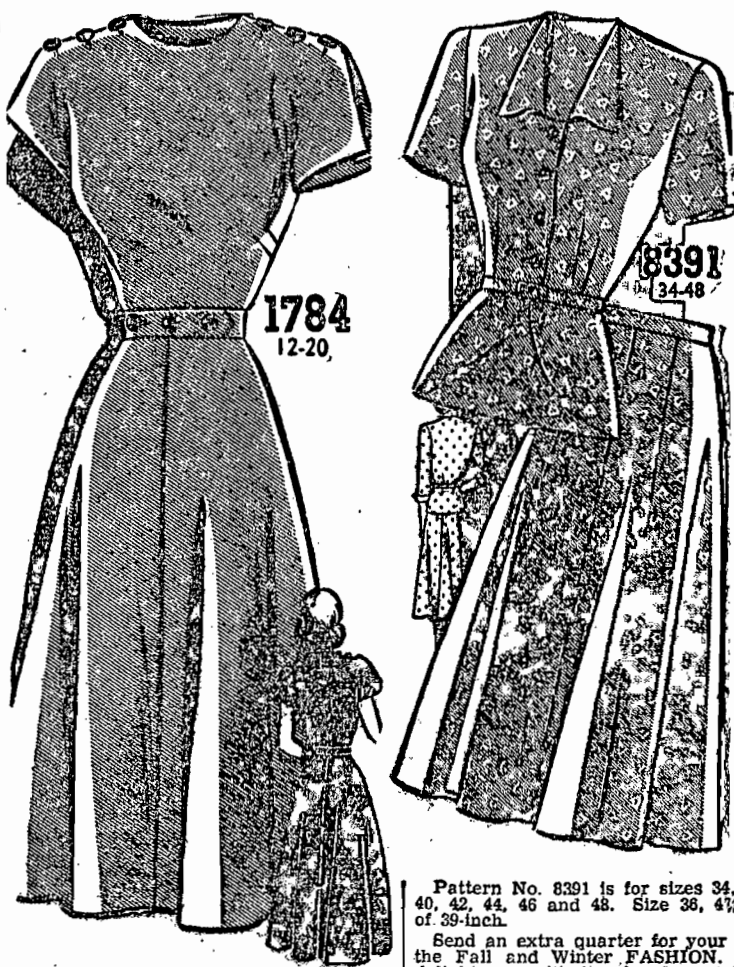
1 envelope unflavored gelatin  
1/2 cup cold water  
1/2 cup hot water  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1/4 cup vinegar  
1/4 cup diced celery  
1/4 cup diced sweet pickle  
1 cup grated American cheese  
1 cup diced cooked ham

Soften gelatin in cold water. Add hot water and salt and stir until dissolved. Add vinegar. Chill until the mixture is the consistency of unbeaten egg whites. Mix in celery and pickle; divide mixture into two parts; to one, add the grated cheese, to the other, the diced ham. Turn ham mixture into loaf pan and chill until almost firm; add cheese mixture and chill until firm. Unmold on crisp greens and serve with tomato wedges.

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### SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

## Daytimer Has Shoulder Closing Tailored Two Piecer for Women



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### Simple Daytimer

**THREE** buttons on each shoulder make a smart finish for this simple daytimer. Youthful and slimming, it features an easy to make skirt with a snug belt. Pattern has few pieces, goes together smoothly.

Pattern No. 1784 comes in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 14, 4 1/2 yards of 39-inch.

### Neat Two Piecer

**NEAT**, becoming and versatile. Make this tailored two piecer for the matron in an all-over printed fabric and use interesting novelty buttons for trim. Three-quarter cuffed sleeves are provided, if you prefer.

## FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

**QUESTION:** I have taken all the paint off a wicker set down to its natural color. Now I would like to know what I can put on it to preserve it, as it is very dry. Should I varnish it or leave it as it is?

**ANSWER:** If you have used a commercial paint remover to clean off the old finish, you should go over the surfaces with turpentine in order to take off every trace of the remover; otherwise your new finish will fail. If you like the color, you can finish the pieces with spar or quick-drying varnish. This should protect the furniture, especially if it is to be exposed to sunlight. Otherwise you can use clear lacquer, which would give a lighter finish.



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## YOUR HOME-TOWN GUIDE

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## JOHN WILLEY CELEBRATES THIRD BIRTHDAY DEC. 27

Little John Willey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willey of Maple avenue, celebrated his third birthday, on Monday, Dec. 27, by having a party. There was an eautiful pink and white birthday cake with three candles, which John blew out. Each child received a box of candy and a pretty favor. John received some fine presents. Games were played and considering the noise that was made it must have been a grand party.

Those who attended were Paul Blanchette, Sandra La Framboise, Kenneth and Chester Willey and Robert Turcotte. David Loiselle was not able to come as he was ill with a bad cold. Of course, John's little sister Carol, was present. She will celebrate her birthday next Tuesday, when she will be five years old.

Mr. Fred Malo and Mrs. G. Marcelli have the same birthday which comes on December 26. Mrs. Willey invited them to come to her home to celebrate. There was a large birthday cake with candles which Mr. Malo and Mrs. Marcelli took turns blowing out.

Little Carol and John provided the entertainment and John became so hoarse singing "Happy Birthday" he couldn't sing a note at his own party.

## PRESENT WATCH TO COUNTY AGENT

At the recent county wide poultry meeting held at Brentwood, Rockingham County Poultry Growers honored James A. Furlington, who has served them for 26 years, by presenting Jimmie with a gold watch. R. C. Bradley of Kingston presented the watch on behalf of Rockingham County Poultrymen at a supper poultry meeting attended by 175. With the watch Dr. Bradley said, went a "thank you" to Jimmie from every poultryman in the area.

Jimmie was described by Dr. Bradley as a real plugger who was ready to go to any corner of the county at any time to be of service to a farmer. Typical of Jimmie's devotion to his work, he said is his willingness to stay around after any meeting to answer questions no matter how late the hour. The presentation was made at a meeting of many Jimmie has arranged for poultrymen, that is, a full program with topics varying from farm wiring to what's new in poultry.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY AT THE CILLEYS

A Christmas party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cilley of Epping road last Sunday, instead of Saturday as some of the guests weren't able to attend Saturday.

There were nine at a table to partake of the bountiful Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Cilley, their sons Richard, Roger and little Bobbie, Mrs. Emma Cilley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cilley of Portland, Me., and Mr. Warren Caswell of Newburyport.

## LEGION NEWS

The Robert G. Durgin post, A.L., will hold a social and dance on New Year's eve at Legion hall. The television set is in operation. If you don't dance come and watch the television show. Dancing will be from nine until one o'clock.

Our quota for 1949 is 263 men and our barometer shows 58 per cent of quota. We hope to have 100 per cent by Saturday, January 1st. The regular meeting of the post is January 3. The next whist party is on January 7 and the district meeting is on January 14. This is a meeting of the third district and at this time there will be a social.

The officers and members of the Robert G. Durgin post wish every one a Happy New Year.

Love of God and man is love of good and its expression, —Yoder

Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1948.

## Births

Dec. 27, To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Labranche, a son.

Dec. 27, To Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Valliere, a daughter.

Both of these are of Newmarket.

## HELEN PUCHLOPEK ENGAGED TO WED WAYNE F. RUSSELL

Mr. and Mrs. John Puchlopek of Packers Falls road announce the engagement of their daughter, Sophie Helen Puchlopek to Wayne Frank Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of 11 Cedar street.

Miss Puchlopek is a graduate of the Newmarket High school in 1947 and is now employed at the Sam Smith Shoe Corp.

Mr. Russell attended Newmarket High and left in 1943 to join the Navy where he served two years, seven months, and ten days where he received his equivalent of a high school diploma and is now employed at the Kingston Mfg. Company.

No date has been set for the wedding.

## MRS. ROSS HOSTESS AT WHIST PARTY

Mrs. Michael Ross of Durham side was hostess last week at a whist party held for the benefit of the Polish Girls' choir of St. Mary's church.

There were five tables in play with Michael Ross winning first prize; Mrs. Tillie Gazda second; Mrs. Mary Pelczar low, and Michael Ross floating.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

## GABRIEL BLANCHETTE ENGAGED TO EDWARD PORTER OF DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blanchette of 12 Elm street announce the engagement of their daughter, Gabriel Blanchette, to Edward Porter of Durham.

No date has been set for the wedding.

## TEEN AGERS CLUB FORMED

Officers were elected for the newly formed Teen-Agers club at a recent Monday evening dance.

More detailed information in the next issue of this paper. Watch for the details.

## HOME ECONOMIC DEPT. MEETS

The Home Economics department of the Woman's club met on Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Albina Labranche of North Main street. Although it was a Christmas party it was in the nature of a swap party.

## VICTOR E. ROY

Private services for Victor E. Roy of Ocean Park, Old Orchard Beach, and a former Newmarket resident, who died Friday night at the Maine General Hospital in Portland, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Clarence Meehan Funeral Home in Portland.

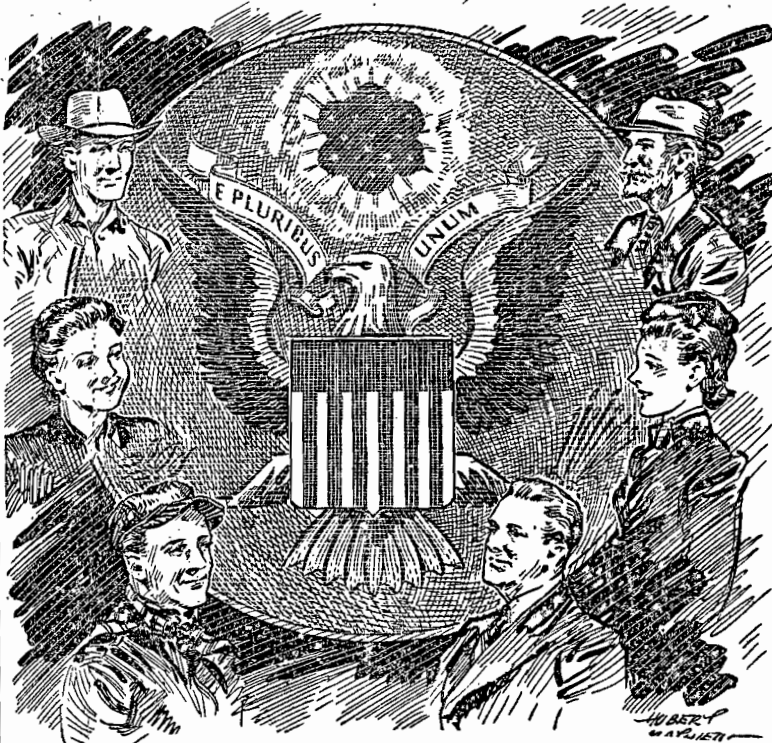
Mr. Roy, a well known plumbing contractor, was proprietor of a plumbing concern. He was prominent in religious and social organizations in Ocean Park.

In the mental collisions of mortals and the strain of intellectual wrappings, moral tension is tested, and, if it yields not, grows stronger. —Mary Baker Eddy

It is the hardest thing in the world to be a good thinker without being a good self-examiner. —Shaftesbury

## Our National Motto E PLURIBUS UNUM —ONE OUT OF MANY—

WITHIN A FEW HOURS AFTER THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE WAS SIGNED, OUR FOUNDING FATHERS ORDERED A SEAL FOR THE UNITED STATES DESIGNED. IT BORE THE MOTTO E PLURIBUS UNUM. SINCE THEN, THESE WORDS HAVE APPEARED ON ALL AMERICAN TREATIES, PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATIONS AND OTHER IMPORTANT FEDERAL DOCUMENTS... WE LITERALLY CARRY THE MOTTO WITH US—ON THE COINS IN OUR POCKETS.



"ONE OUT OF MANY"... IT IS THAT SPIRIT OF UNITY AMONG OUR PEOPLE WHICH HAS GIVEN US THE SOLIDARITY THAT KEEPS US STRONG— "ONE NATION INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE, FOR ALL."

## RED RAIDERS MEET PORTSMOUTH AT SHS GYM. TUES.-HRH TAN GLES WITH NUTE

Coach Harold Thompson has planned rugged drills for his Spaulding high school basketball team as they prepare for the invasion of the Portsmouth high school clippers next Tuesday evening at the Spaulding gym.

### Lookign for the First Win

The Raiders are still looking for their first win of the season having lost squeekers to Laconia (28-27), Cathedral (24-22) and being drubbed by Keene 68-42. They will also be looking for their first win over a Portsmouth high varsity basketball team which, according to Port City records, have never been beaten by a local high school team.

### Holy Rosary vs Nute

Meanwhile across the river the Holy Rosary high hoopsters, fresh from their 44-33 win over Austin-Cate mark time until they tangle with Nute High of Milton at Milton next Tuesday evening.

### Larochelle Leads HRH Scorers

A look at the records of the HRH players in the first two games show that Larry Larochelle is pacing the scorers with 20 points, followed closely by Ray Gravel and Harvey Paquin with 18 markers each.

### Cormier Tops Raiders

Dick Cormier with 28 points to his credit heads the SHS varsity scoring while Tom Burbank with 30, Jeep Donlon and Arnie Notkin with 23 each pace the J. V.'s. Below is a list of the scoring by members of the Spaulding varsity and junior varsity teams.

SHS Varsity Scoring			
	G	P	Tp
Dick Cormier	10	8	28
Hap Barisano	8	2	18
"Cat" Shaw	6	4	16
Dick Hamilton	4	1	9
Dick Brennan	3	1	7
R. Edgerly	3	0	6
"Slim" Bird	0	1	1

## Lamprey River

On January 5, Lamprey River Grange plans an installation of officers, at Polish hall. Mrs. Martha Green of Hampton, Master of East Rockingham Pomona grange. Guests will be members of Piscassic Grange of Newfields. The officers of this grange will also be ers of Lamprey River grange, talled at this time with the off s o Lamprey River grange.



Dorothy Sarnoff stars as a fiery Colombian Indian princess who falls in love with a wayward bus driver, in "Magdalena," musical hit now being premiered on the west coast. Her superb singing and acting are major assets of the opera, which critics predict will have a long run when it reaches New York's Broadway on Sept. 20.

## DEMOCRATS PLAN JACKSON DAY DINNER JAN. 27 IN SOMERSWORTH

At a meeting of the chairmen of the Strafford county city and town democratic chairmen Tuesday night in Rochester, it was decided to hold a Jackson Day banquet for Strafford county democrats in the V. F. W. Hall in Somersworth on Thursday, January 27th. Chairman Thomas Burbank and vice chairman Romeo St. Laurent of the county Democratic Ass'n are to act as a committee of two to arrange for a prominent speaker and obtain a caterer for the occasion.

Chairman Burbank and St. Laurent said that they hoped to obtain either Secretary of Navy John Sullivan or Mayor James Curley of Boston as speakers.

## Betty Hamilton To Wed C. Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Hamilton of 4 Spring street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Anne Hamilton to Mr. Charles Ellsworth Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of 63 Washington street.

Miss Hamilton is a graduate of Spaulding high school, class of '48 and is studying to be a nurse at the Peter-Ben Brigham hospital in Boston.

Mr. Johnson, also a graduate of Spaulding high school in the class of '45, served two years in the U. S. Navy and is employed by the General Electric Company of Somersworth.

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# AROUND TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hilton of Epping road had Christmas dinner with their son George and his wife and other relatives at Brentwood County Home.

Mrs. Leda Garneau and Mr. Leo Turcotte had dinner Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Geoffrion of Packers Falls road.

Our friend, Mrs. Royal Smith of North Side didn't have any news this week but has promised us some for next week.

Mrs. Ida Martin spent Christmas and had dinner with Mrs. Alice Kingman.

The North Side has the prettiest Christmas decorations in town the residence of Mr. John Stevens is especially attractive. In every window down stairs is a cluster of lights and upstairs has a light in each window even the attic. Mr. and Mrs. Moisan also have a fine display and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zwiercan and many others.

Mrs. Kate Towle and Miss Lucy Varney of Spring street attended the funeral of Mrs. Georgia Staples, which was held at Tasker and Chesley Funeral chapel in Dover, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bergeron of Exeter street entertained the following relatives and a friend at a Christmas dinner: Mrs. Rondeau, the aged mother of Mrs. Rondeau, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lambert and Mrs. Mae Robinson.

Richard Turcotte, a medical student at a college in Montreal, is enjoying the holidays at his home on Spring street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher of Bronxville, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. George Edgerly and daughter Susan, Mr. John Edgerly, Jr., of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCarthy and daughter Nancy of Woburn, Mass., were Christmas guests of Mrs. John Edgerly, Sr., of Exeter street.

Miss Claire Rodman of Boston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rodman of South Sutton Christmas day and Saturday. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Preston motored to South Sutton and brought Miss Claire and Mrs. Rodman back with them for a short visit. Claire has now returned to Boston and Mrs. Rodman will remain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turcotte of Maple avenue entertained the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Turcotte, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Geoffrion and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Geoffrion.

Mrs. Leona Foster of Exeter St. will have a choir rehearsal Saturday and also a party at 6:30 in the evening.

After the Christmas vacation Burleson McKenzie, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest McKenzie of the Community church, will return to the college in Indiana.

Theodore Barton of 180 South Main street is a patient in the Exeter hospital.

The Wachacha 4-H club toured the neighborhood of Epping and Ash Swamp road singing Christmas carols.

Mrs. Lucy Sewall has returned from Exeter hospital to her home on Ash Swamp road.

Mrs. Theodore Coolidge and two

sons, Kenneth and Clyde are spending the week with relatives in Manchester and Beverly, Mass.

Ida Belle Matthews, M. D. of Keo, Arkansas, was married to Harry Clinton Mathes of Bellingham, Washington, at the First Methodist Episcopal church of No. Little Rock, Arkansas, on Sunday, Dec. 12, the Rev. R. E. Wilson officiating.

Mr. Mathes was a former resident of Durham, graduating from Newmarket high school and from the University of N. H. with the class of 1898 which in June had its fiftieth reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nesbit of Elizabeth, N. J., visited Mr. Nesbit's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nesbit of North Side over the week end.

Ralph Waugh will leave next week for Savannah, Ga., where he expects to work till spring.

George Dyer, storekeeper 2-c, returned Saturday to Norfolk, Va. He is stationed on the USS Missouri which leaves Norfolk after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson have returned home from Miami, Fla., where they spent several months.

Mrs. Myron Reardon and infant daughter have returned to their home from the Exeter hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mulhall of Bay road have moved to Everett, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nesbitt and family returned from Rochester where they spent the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Filion returned to Hartford, Conn., with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Filion.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jenkins and son spent Christmas in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young and daughters of Cork Village, Me., and Mr. Jack Leal of Worcester, Mass., spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Larabee.

Mrs. Emery Miller and infant son have returned home from the Exeter hospital.

Mrs. Florence Stapelford and son Walter hope to motor to Florida, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Walker. They plan to leave January 5, and on the return trip Mr. Stapelford will report to Fort Jackson, S. C., following his two months' leave.

Mrs. Luida Farrington has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending a week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Waugh.

Mrs. Jeannette Crooker and sons of Beech street spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Peterboro.

Atty and Mrs. Robert Shaw and family spent Sunday in Boston with Mrs. Shaw's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cervone and family have returned home after spending a week in Medford, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rondeau and Miss Birdie Foote of Allentown and Mr. and Mrs. John Sinclair and son were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lambert and family of Beech street spent the holiday week end with relatives in Natick, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Markey and

family of Dover were holiday

guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Carmichael of Forest street.

Mrs. Ernest Langelier of Central street was operated on Friday morning at the Exeter hospital.

Mrs. Grace Camire of Exeter road is reported quite ill at the Exeter hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cashman and family of Exeter street were guests over the week end in Saco, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Patriquin and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Elliott of East Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of East Lebanon, Me., over the holidays.

Mrs. Carl Millette is caring for the two Griswold children during the day.

Dean and Harvey Russell were home for the holidays. Dean will report back for duty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beauchesne and family were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCarthy of Manchester spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Longa of Beech street. Mrs. Longa has been confined to her home with a cold.

Bernard Sullivan of Beech street recently had his foot X-rayed at the Exeter hospital and is still confined to his home.

Joseph Schanda who has just finished a yeoman's school in Newport, R. I., is home and will report for duty in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rousseau and daughter Diane, spent the Christmas holiday with Mrs. Rousseau's parents in Waltham, Mass.

Mr. Frank Russell will enter the White River Junction Veterans' hospital the second week in January for a tonsilectomy.

Thurman Priest, Jr., is home from Tri-State college, Angola, Ind., and will return after the New Year holiday.

Mr. Albert Beauchesne of Chapel street got a deer just before the deer season ended.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brandt of Grape street attended the wedding of their niece in Boston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaBranche are the proud parents of a son born Monday at the Exeter hospital.

Roger Stanley Shepherd, son of Roger Shepherd of this town, has been visiting relatives here. He has returned to Camp Leconte, No. Carolina, where he is stationed and where he is fitting himself for the duties of a marine.

A friend recently received a letter from Alice Mitchell, formerly of Newmarket. Her father Robert Mitchell was truant officer for many years, and also was on the police force. Miss Alice is residing with her sister, Mrs. Marion Cutts of New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Proctor recently visited Dr. and Mrs. Matthew Corr of Hingham, Mass. Mrs. Carr, the former Mildred Stevens of Newmarket is a registered nurse. Dr. Carr is a veterinarian and has a hospital of his own. He is at the Animal Rescue League hospital part of each day.

Mrs. Alice Magoon and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spencer of Chapel street enjoyed a Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Magoon at their home on Creighton street.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Bernier of Exeter and Mr. and Mrs. John Tolman of Hampton visited Mrs. Louis Desroches of Poor Town road.

Mrs. Laura Stackpole recently motored to Haverhill with Miss Eliza Laderbush and Miss Lulu Evans and visited Mrs. Stackpoles mother, Mrs. Jesse Rand who is keeping house for her son, Jesse Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tebbetts of Main street entertained nine rela-

tives at a Christmas dinner. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tebbetts' daughter Miss Roberta Tebbetts of Manchester, who has a beauty shop and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belanger. Mrs. Belanger is Mrs. Tebbetts' sister, the former Cora Tebbetts.

One of my friends, who doesn't want to give her name, went to church Sunday. She thinks she gave everyone a surprise because she hadn't been for so long.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be on January 4th. After the business is taken care of there will be a grab bag party and all the members are asked to bring donations for the grab bag. Don't forget it is time to pay your dues.

Mrs. Dorothy Jordan, for the first time in five years, cooked and served a Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson visited Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Branch of Exeter road Tuesday. Mrs. Anderson is the former Myrtle Branch and she and her husband are now living in Amesbury.

Recently, Mrs. William Burkett of New Jersey, the former Olive Brachn, visited her parents.

Mr. William Hazeltine to Exeter road is in the Exeter hospital where he had his appendix removed. He is getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. William Proctor, Mrs. Ruth McKenna, Mr. George McKenna, Mr. Percy McKenna and Mr. Harry Stackpole were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKenna of Nichols avenue Christmas day. A beautiful Christmas tree and loads of gifts were enjoyed by all.

George Dame of Packers Falls road, riding in his wagon and driving his faithful old horse, came to town Tuesday to do some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sinclair of Packers Falls road had Christmas dinner with their daughter-in-law Mrs. Eloise Sinclair and three children of Dover.

Mrs. George Edgerly, former Newmarket resident, who is now living in Middleboro, Mass., has been named district nurse of that city.

Mrs. Laura Stackpole held open house Christmas.

Mr. Percy McKenna of Dover spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKenna and his two grandchildren.

John Carpenter of South Main street has sold nearly all his Christmas trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Allen and little son Barry of Everett, Mass., spent Christmas with Mrs. Allen's parent, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lewis of Lee road.

Charles O'Connor of Spring St. is very ill in the Exeter hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. George and two children enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. George's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Stevens of North Side.

Word has been received of the death of Charles J. Davis, a former Newmarket resident. He leaves a sister, five sons and a cousin, Mrs. John H. Stevens of this town.

Paul and Louis Peeltier of Nichols avenue, students at St. Francis High school in Biddeford, Me., are home on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haley of Medford, Mass., spent Christmas with Mr. Haley's mother, Mrs. Genevieve Haley and sister, Miss Minnie Haley of No. Main street.

Miss Lulu Evans was a guest of her sisters, Mrs. Edna Hardy and Miss Rhoda Evans of Durham on Christmas.

Mrs. Joseph Hamel and Miss Jeanette Hamel of Exeter street spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boisvert of Salmon Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Boisvert and family motored to Salmon Falls and had supper with the above persons on Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Huckins and



ALICEMARILYN LANGMAID

Miss Alicemarilyn Langmaid, graduate of Spaulding High school Class of 1945, is one of 32 students, at Boston University, selected for listing in the 1948-1949 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Miss Langmaid, a daughter of Rev. Norman J. Langmaid, former pastor of Bethany Methodist church in East Rochester, was an honor student at Spaulding High school, winning the Dartmouth medal for excellence in scholarship in her sophomore year with a rank of 95.5.

two children of New Hampton were week end guests of Mrs. Huckins father, Mr. Fred J. Durell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bassett and son Norman were visitors in Concord, Vt., over the holiday.

## XMAS PARTY HELD AT DESROCHES HOME

A very joyous Christmas party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Desroches of Poor Town road. There were two Christmas trees, one for Mr. and Mrs. Louis Desroches, who live in the lower apartment and the other for Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Desroches who reside in the upper.

The party was held upstairs with Mr. and Mrs. Desroches. Presents were exchanged and all of the guests who were able partook of the fine dinner.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Desroches and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Desroches and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Desroches and five children of Exeter, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Desroches and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Desroches and three children of Exeter, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Desroches and two children of Haverhill, Leo Desroches of the Great Lakes Training Station and Harry Desroches of Fort Dixon were able to be present as they had a furlough of ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Desroches of Exeter were also present.

We must not forget Santa Claus was there in all his glory.

There is a sad part to this story. Wilfred Desroches of Exeter, who is Louis Desroches twin, was able to attend but not his wife, as she went to see her sick mother in the hospital, and as they were returning home the car skidded and turned over and Mrs. Desroches and her friend were taken to the Exeter hospital, Mrs. Desroches with a broken ankle and the other lady with a fractured leg.

## MARY RYAN ENGAGED TO CARL POWLE

Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan of Beech street announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ryan to Carl Powle of Exeter.

Miss Ryan graduated from the Newmarket High last June and is now employed by the Kingston Co. Mr. Powle is a graduate of the Exeter High and served from one and one-half to two years with the army and is now working for a construction concern in Exeter. No date has been set for the wedding.

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## The FICTION Corner

### WALTER BUTTON GOES HUNTING

By JOHN SHARDA

Walter wasn't the hunting type but, encouraged by his wife, he decided to try his luck. He thought he cut quite a fetching figure in the togs he rigged up, but unfortunately, he learned that a man needs more than appearance to bag some game.

EMMA BUTTON laid aside the sweater she was knitting and cleared her throat. Her husband, Walter, instantly snapped to attention. His lean frame had been comfortably sprawled in his favorite chair, but now he was sitting up straight.

"We could save a lot of money on our meat bill," began Emma, "if you'd get out and do some hunting." Walter remained silent. He was accustomed to being mildly startled by his wife's remarks.

"Zeke Smith goes hunting nearly every Saturday," she continued. "And he always comes home with two or three rabbits. Sadie says they save a right smart amount each week."

Walter thought it was time he said something. "I've never done any hunting, Emma. Zeke's been doing it all his life."

"Humph!" Emma snorted. You can learn, can't you? And there's a perfectly good shotgun rusting away up in the attic because nobody uses it." She was referring to a weapon of questionable age and condition that Walter had been given by his grandfather.

"But I'd have to buy a hunting license," remonstrated Walter, weakly. He saw his line of defense being methodically torn down by his wife.

Emma regarded him deliberately. "One little cotton-tail rabbit would more than pay for a license."

Walter surrendered. He might as well make the best of it now.

"Yes, that's true," he agreed. "And the exercise might do me good."

"Of course it would, dear," Emma beamed. As usual she had emerged the victor. "Today's Thursday, why don't you go Saturday?" she queried. Emma was not one to put things off once she had made up her mind.

"That's awfully soon," said Walter, even though he knew it wouldn't do much good to stall. "I'll have to give the gun a thorough cleaning and buy some shells."

Emma glared at him. "You can think of more silly excuses," she scoffed. "Now let's hear no more about it. Come Saturday, (here she paused significantly) you're going hunting!" With these parting words she bundled up her knitting and stalked haughtily out of the room.

As Walter heard her heavy footsteps echoing up the stairs he addressed himself to the empty room. "Well, that's that." He, too, went upstairs to find solace in a good night's sleep.

The next day, after work, Walter went up to explore the attic. He found the shotgun standing in a well-cobwebbed corner. It was covered with a thick coat of dust, and in spots it had begun to rust. Walter shook his head sadly. Nevertheless, he carried it downstairs and set to work. Emma nodded approval.

When he had finished, Walter could not help being a little proud of his efforts. The gun gleamed from the tip of the barrel to the end of the stock.

In spite of himself, Walter began to feel somewhat excited. This was his first hunting trip, and he intended to make it a successful one.

On his way home from the office that afternoon he had stopped in at the hardware store to get some shells. The proprietor had been most helpful, Walter thought. Not only had he advised him concerning the proper type of ammunition, but he had recommended a particular corn field where, according to him, the rabbits were incredibly plentiful.

Walter that evening, Walter surveyed himself in front of the full-length mirror in the hall. He had donned some khaki trousers which he had bought a year ago at a war

surplus store but had never worn. A green jacket and red cap completed his costume. He practiced aiming the gun at imaginary targets, glancing out of the corner of his eye to see the handsome reflection he made in the mirror. Not bad at all, he thought.

Emma caught sight of him through the open doorway as he was preening himself. "My, my," she intoned sarcastically, "aren't you the sportsman, though." Her husband hung his head in silence. A fiery blotch of red appeared at his neck and rose rapidly upward until it covered his countenance. He attempted to beat a hasty retreat, but Emma wasn't finished.

"If I were you, Walter Button, I'd wait until I brought home some big game before I started play-acting in front of a mirror." This powerful verbal blast shook Walter visibly.

Finally he managed to blurt, "I guess I'll go to bed. Got to get up



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early in the morning." Upstairs he scrambled at a reckless pace.

Saturday morning dawned bright and cold. A light snow had fallen. Walter bounded out of bed with unusual vigor when the alarm sounded. "It's a wonderful day to go hunting," he said as he peered out the window. Without waiting to awaken Emma he dressed hurriedly and stole downstairs.

Quickly he fixed himself a breakfast of bacon and eggs and coffee. While he gulped the food he thought about the adventure which lay ahead. Maybe he'd get half a dozen rabbits! Perhaps a pheasant! Why hadn't he gone hunting before, he asked himself. This was a real he-man sport.

The sun was just a weak, red ball in the eastern sky as Walter headed his little pre-war coupe toward the city limits. About two miles out, he found the corn field which was to be the scene of his debut as a modern nimrod. He parked the car carefully just off the road in a little grove of trees. He clambered out, laden with shotgun, knapsack, binoculars and a great quantity of shells which were distributed among his pockets. He gave the car door a nudge but it failed to shut. However, rather than set down his burdens he disregarded it. The snow had stopped. It wouldn't hurt to leave the car door open.

Off across the field he started, his head held high and shoulders squared. If only Emma could see him now!

The corn field looked extremely long, but Walter wasn't daunted.

The bigger the field, the more rabbits there would be, he figured with logic. He wondered idly if he'd be able to carry all his furry victims back to the car in one trip.

By the time he was half way to the end of the field, the bitterly cold wind had chilled him to the bone. His gun had grown surprisingly heavy and it was an effort to move his feet. But still he plodded on. The corn stalks lay like white branches on the uneven soil. And as yet, no rabbits had appeared. Not a single one. They're probably all down at the end of the field, thought Walter.

But at the end of the field, there were no rabbits. Nor did he encounter any on the way back. When he finally observed the car in the distance, Walter felt as though he had tramped a thousand miles.

"What will I tell Emma?" he asked himself out loud. She would scarcely believe that he hadn't even seen a single rabbit. Instead, she'd accuse him of being a poor shot, or of forgetting to load his gun. Hastily he checked. Yes, it was loaded.

If only he would see one rabbit. Just one. Close enough to get a shot. But none appeared.

He was nearing the car now. His spirits had fallen to a new low. His footsteps had slowed considerably as he anticipated the tongue lashing which awaited him at home. Emma was not always an understanding wife. The most disconcerting fact was that this expedition had not been his idea. Emma was responsible but Walter knew that it was he who would suffer. At least he'd get to rest a little as he drove home.

He was within a few feet of the car when he stopped dead still. The sight that met his eyes was a remarkable one.

"For gosh sakes!" he exclaimed. Seated on the seat of his car was a rabbit! A real, live rabbit that eyed Walter with surprise, but certainly not with fear. It evidently had hopped in the car through the open door.

Walter's hand shook as he raised his gun. This was his big chance, he told himself. He mustn't miff it! Then he lowered his weapon as he realized that a blast of shot would ruin his car.

"I've got to get that bunny out of the car," he muttered. "Then I'll shoot him." His day wouldn't have been spent in vain, after all.

"Shoo!" said Walter. The rabbit didn't stir. If anything, it settled down more leisurely on its haunches. This infuriated Walter. Stepping closer he lunged at the bunny. This time it moved, and fast. But Walter swung into action also. With a jerky motion he brought the gun to his shoulder. Sighting rapidly, he fired. As he picked himself off the ground he glimpsed the white bob of the rabbit's tail as it bounced unhurt toward the corn field.

"There goes my rabbit!" Walter wailed. He stamped upon the ground with rage. Suddenly a sound of escaping air drew his attention.

He gaped with open eyes at his left front tire. It was sinking rapidly. Numerous small holes showed only too clearly what had happened. Walter went to the trunk and brought out a jack and tire tools. Warily he sat down on the running board to rest.

It had been a trying day.

### Saint Sylvester's Feast Day Marks End of Year

The feast of St. Sylvester, who was Pope from 314 A. D. until his death in 335, is observed by the Roman and Anglican churches on December 31.

In Germany, and Belgium the morning of St. Sylvester's Day is commemorated religiously, while the afternoon and evening are devoted to various kinds of horseplay in anticipation of the coming New Year.

## HINTS FOR A HAPPY HOME

### Returning to Prayer

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

NEW YEAR'S EVE seems a good time to talk again about Betty McCoy. Betty McCoy's trouble was that she couldn't find God; she just didn't believe. It all seemed pretty enough to her—the churches and the prayers—but not convincing.

Not in years have I had as many letters in answer to any article as I had to that one. Hundreds of women and a few men, several clergymen and priests and lecturers, from places in my own town and from Canada and Australia, wrote me their own experiences in this most delicate and personal of all adventures.

And some 20 persons, including a college dean and two college instructors, assured me scornfully that there is no God. The contrast between the believers' eager, helpful letters and the discontent of the teachers was marked. The latter not only didn't believe but they resented anyone's believing.

In the mass of these letters more than a few were directed to the Betty McCoy who had written me "from Salt Lake City." One fine woman wanted to meet Betty, to befriend her, to try to interest her in church and church work. The difficulty of this situation was that the name of the writer of the original letter was not Betty McCoy, nor was her town Salt Lake City.

#### Spiritual Hunger

In all my 20 years of writing these little talks, I never have used a real name nor described a situation so closely that anyone could be embarrassed by being recognized. It is the human value of the story that I try to preserve, very often by exact quotations from actual letters.

Well, anyway, I sent a dozen letters on to the real Betty and she may have answered some of them by this time. Her great hunger was for something more than just the everyday material of life—the waking and sleeping, eating and working, washing dishes and washing clothes.

Isn't there something, Betty demanded, that lifts life out of the commonplace, puts light behind the drab realities that all of us have to face?

Yes, all of us. Rich and poor, young and old, life presents us all

with dreadful hours. We push them into the background, but they come back again. Sometimes they come in the dark wakeful stretches of the night, sometimes while one is sitting wearily in an odorous lunchroom, sometimes in a market when a sweet, weary woman with an anxious face, eyes the meats and the bread and fingers a few folded bills.

In those hours a sort of terror may take hold of one. What's it



Where is the meaning?

all about? Why isn't life easier? Why is even childhood checkered with humiliations and disappointments and despairs? Why is the short sweet deceptive time of youth and love and mating so blind and so brief, so soon encroached upon by disillusionment and tedium?

#### Courage for Middle-Age

As for middle-age it takes supernatural courage to get through it. Fatigues, failures, gray hair, baldness, headaches, losses, dental replacements, hearing aids, indigestion, corns—isn't it a frightful summary of ills! To some persons, that is. To others it is the pleasantest time yet.

A week ago the astounding Baby was born in our hearts again. New Year's is a good time to determine to keep Him there. New Year's is a time to slip into some dark church and get started toward that comfortable philosophy that will convince us that life is a privilege, that the old world is a good place in which to be and that familiar delights are in reach of us all—a walk in country lanes or city streets, an appetizing dinner, plans for the next holiday and the car, music, a good book, a turned down smooth bed, work and friendly contacts.

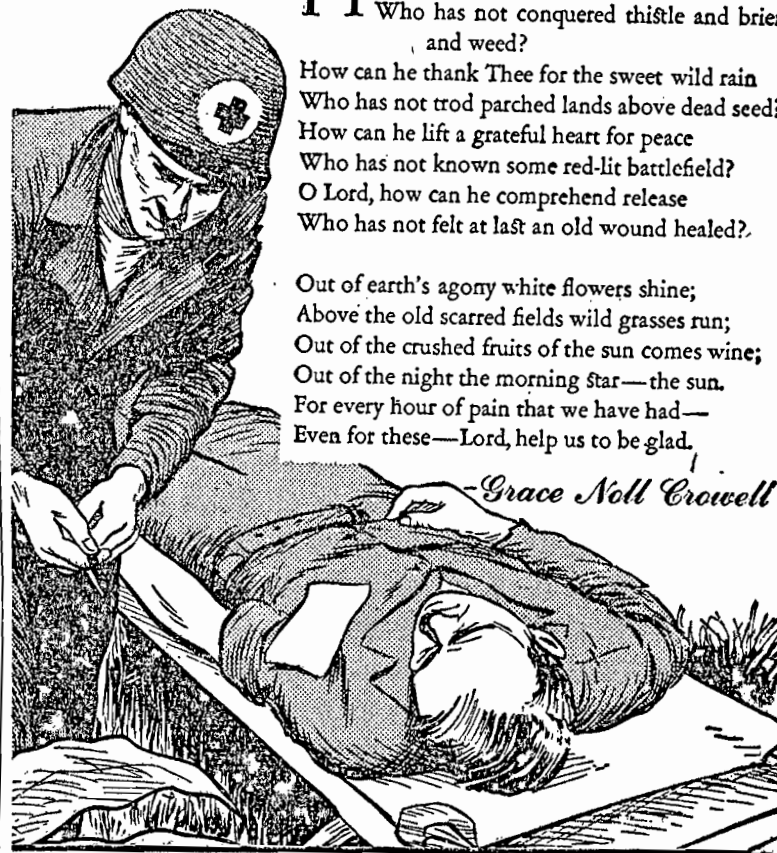
## Prayer After Pain

HOW can he thank Thee, Lord, for the good grain  
Who has not conquered thistle and brier  
and weed?

How can he thank Thee for the sweet wild rain  
Who has not trod parched lands above dead seed?  
How can he lift a grateful heart for peace  
Who has not known some red-lit battlefield?  
O Lord, how can he comprehend release  
Who has not felt at last an old wound healed?

Out of earth's agony white flowers shine;  
Above the old scarred fields wild grasses run;  
Out of the crushed fruits of the sun comes wine;  
Out of the night the morning star—the sun.  
For every hour of pain that we have had—  
Even for these—Lord, help us to be glad.

—Grace Noll Crowell





# To Get a Laugh Out of You!

## MUTT AND JEFF

By Bud Fisher



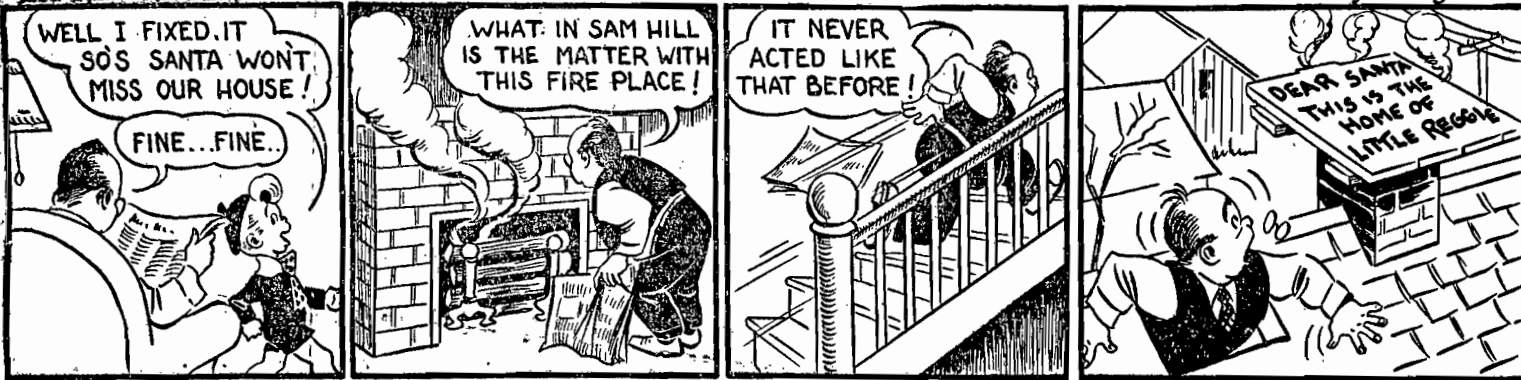
## NANCY

By Ernie Bushmiller



## LITTLE REGGIE

By Margarita



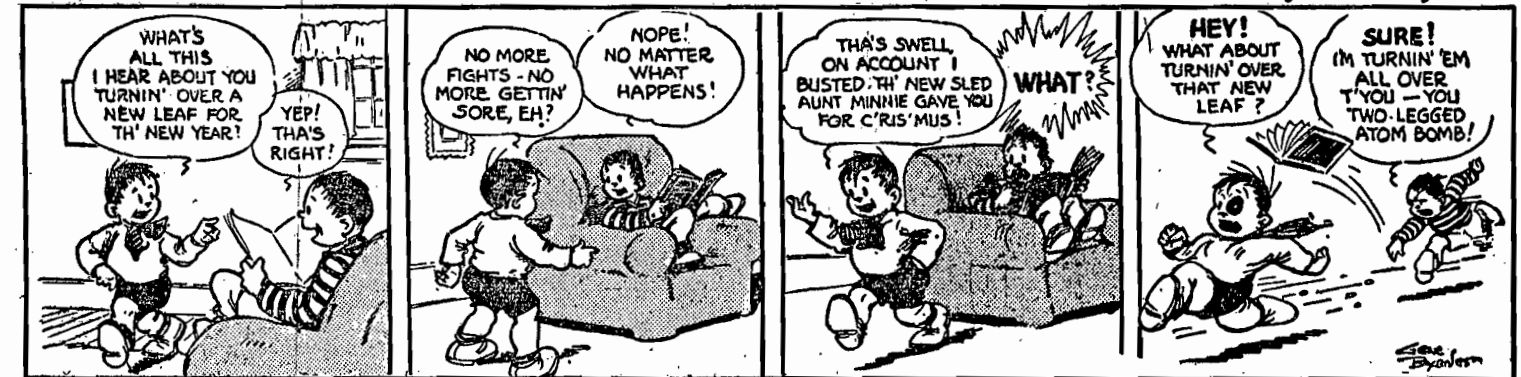
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By Arthur Pointer



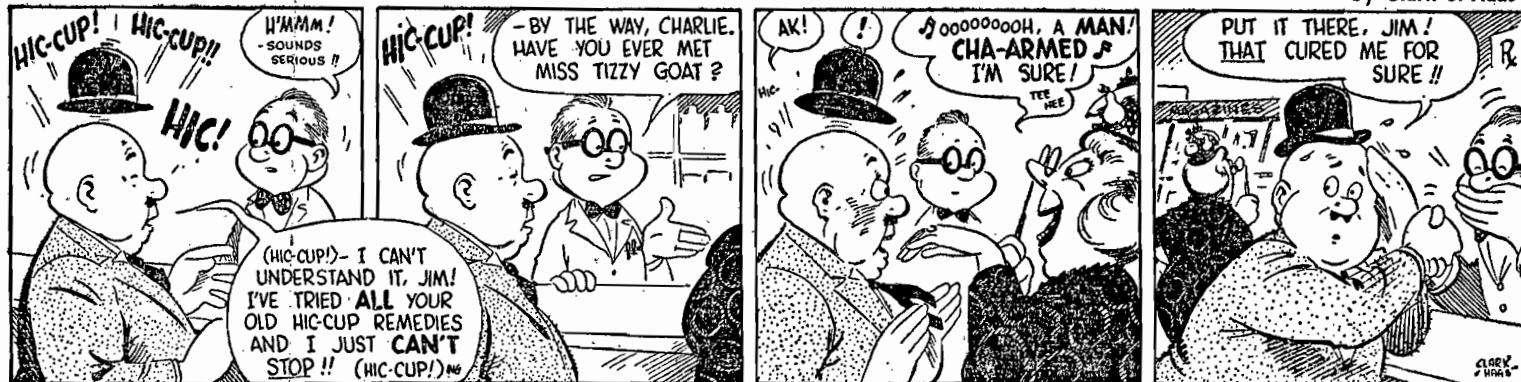
## REG'LAR FELLERS

By Gene Byrnes



## SUNNYSIDE

by Clark S. Haas



**PRODIGY . . .** Susan Lois Schwartz, 6, is shown rehearsing for her appearance with the Philadelphia symphony orchestra December 11. She has been studying the piano since she was four and was the youngest soloist ever to appear with the orchestra.



**BACK HOME . . .** Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is shown as she arrived from Paris aboard the airliner Star of Michigan. Landing at La Guardia field, she pooh-poohed reports that she was a possibility for secretary of state.



**WINNER . . .** Otto Matthes of Philadelphia is pictured at the Roney Plaza hotel in Miami after he won the national open individual bridge championship for 1948.



**SILVER CRADLE . . .** Peter Milton, engraver and polisher, puts the finishing touches to the silver cradle for the christening cake of Britain's royal baby. The work is the creation of Col. J. W. Bell, a wounded English veteran.



## CHURCHES

### Community Church

The Church School, 9:45  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Mrs. Walter Foster  
Choir Director  
Thomas R. Rooney  
Organist  
6:30 P. M. The Youth Fellowship will meet in the vestry.  
The church school for the last three months has had a good attendance. It is hoped that stormy and cold weather will not change

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JANUARY 2-3  
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JANE POWELL  
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#### Tues.-Wed.

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the record. The Saturday night mental attitude plays an important part with Sunday morning vigor and enthusiasm.

Next Sunday, the first in the New Year, will be observed as Communion Sunday. What could be more fitting for Christians to gather in the house of worship for Holy Communion. All members of the church should plan to be present next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

O God, before Thee we look back over the year that is ending and forward toward the year so soon to begin. It is of Thy mercy that we are alive, and of Thy goodness that we have prospect of another chance to do better. We look back with sorrow and shame to our failures, our missings, of the mark and the doing of things we ought not to have done, things that we meant not to do. We ask Thy forgiveness out of long experience of Thy pity and knowledge of Thy fatherly love. Help us to look forward with hope born of that same experience of Thee, our God. Teach us how to live, our Father a large, full, joyous life and may Thy peace that passeth understanding garrison our hearts and minds in Jesus Christ. Amen. The year is gone. I thank Thee God.

For all the blessings I have known For pleasures rich, the onward sweep

Of daily trials that served to keep My mind and heart turned to Thine own.

The New Year waits. O help me, God To make each swiftly passing hour A time to pray and serve and bless And thus find life's true happiness Through love's far reaching power.

Willard, S. Smith.

### St. Mary's Church

Rev. H. A. Halde, Pastor  
Sunday, 7, 9 and 11, Mass.  
Saturday 3 & 7 p. m. confessions.

### Durham Catholic Church

The Catholic parish of St. Thomas Moore will hold masses next Sunday at Murkland Hall at 8 and 11 a. m. The Rev. J. Desmond

O'Connor will officiate. Daily mass will be conducted at 7 a. m. in the rectory on the Dover road.

## Between the TROOK ENDS

The following books will soon be in circulation:

ADULT FICTION  
ALL HALLOWS EVE (Williams)  
Sort of supernatural novel.

BRIDE OF FORTUNE (Kane)

Story of Varina Howell, who became First Lady of the Confederacy, when she married Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederate States.

DINNER AT ANTOINE'S (Keyes)

Romantic and extraordinary novel about New Orleans; also has a good mystery murder included. Author of "Came a Cavalier."

ROANOKE HUNDRED (Fletcher)

Story of action, adventure, and high romance, with great names from history, including Sir Walter Raleigh, Sir Francis Drake and others.

## RUNNING OF THE TIDE

(Forbes)  
Best selling novel about Salem, Mass., in the days of the spice trade; a tale of romances and adventure; pirate junks, blockade running, a typhoon and a murder.

YOUNG LIONS (Shaw)

Story of three soldiers, two Americans, and one German. Considered the best novel to come out of World War II. Recommended highly for adult readers only.

## NON-FICTION

JUNGLE MAN (Pretorius)

Adventure and life of the author; killing lions, elephants, etc.

PLAGUE AND I (MacDonald)

Story of the author's experiences when she was a patient in a tubercular hospital. Better than the "Egg and I."

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—Thomas Hobbes

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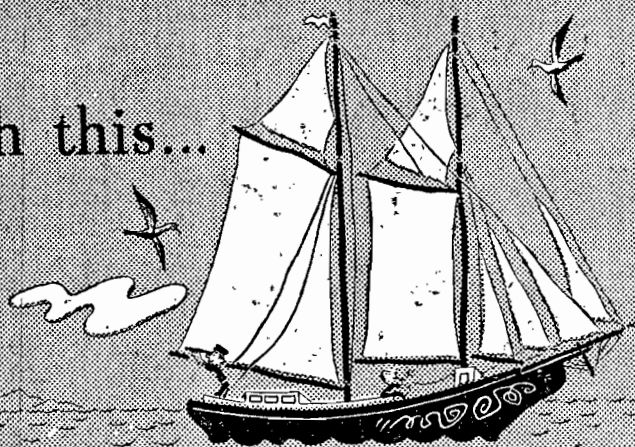
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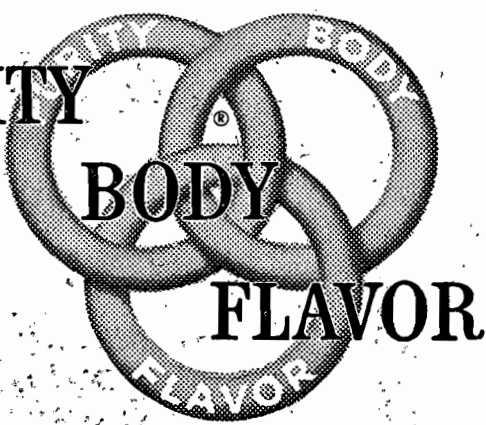
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