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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Opening Service of Holy Week Mission at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Palm Sunday
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a.m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Candlelight Service at 7 p. m.

MONDAY

P. T. A. Concert in Memorial Hall at 7 p. m.
Mission at Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Lions Club.
Legion Auxiliary.
Mission at Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.—Men's Night.

WEDNESDAY

B. H. S. Senior Class Play.
Cub Scout Leaders' Meeting at American Legion Home at 8 p. m.
O. E. S. Meeting.
Mission at Methodist Church—Ladies' Night—Supper at 6.30 p. m.

THURSDAY

Holy Thursday Mass at St. Francis Church at 7 p. m.
Maundy Thursday Communion Service at Congregational Church at 7.30 p. m.
Maundy Thursday Communion Service at Methodist Church.

FRIDAY

Good Friday services in St. Francis Church at 3 p. m.
Missionary Group with Mrs. Ada Staples at 7.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Holy Saturday services in St. Francis Church at 11 p. m., Mass at midnight.
Senior P. F. Car Wash.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Girl Scout Minstrel Show at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Apr. 20
Square Dance Club Annual Meeting in Legion Hall.
Police Association Record Hop.

Apr. 26
Cub Scout Food Sale on Common.
O. E. S. Installation.

Apr. 27
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Apr. 29
Annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association.

May 3
Square Dance in Legion Hall.
Legion Variety Show.

May 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.

May 19
C.W.C. Annual Communion Breakfast.

May 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper

June 8
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.

June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

AMHERST CIVIL DEFENSE MEETING

Just a few weeks back this writer had the pleasure of attending the meeting of Civil Defense Directors at the Student Union building, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. The main speaker was Daniel J. Finn, State Civil Defense Director.

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P. T. A. MEETING

Musical groups under the direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, music supervisor in the local schools, will present the annual P. T. A. concert on Monday evening at 7.30 in Memorial Hall. The event is open to the public.

The program, in which 100 members of the 5th and 6th grades will take part, will include calypso numbers, baton twirling, square dancing, specialty numbers by small groups, and hi-fi-lo-fone selections.

The P. T. A. business meeting and election of officers will be held at 7 p. m. in the hall.

Refreshments will be served in the recreation room after the concert.

GRANGE COMMUNITY NIGHT

Community Night was observed at Union Grange Tuesday evening. The guests were welcomed by Worthy Master Judkins, who then called on the heads of the various departments—selectmen, schools, firemen, police of the town and of the State School.

Earl Henrichon responded for the selectmen, Donald Geer for the schools, Preston Atwood for the Police Association, H. F. Peck for the firemen, and William Lacey for the school department at the State School There was a good representation from the latter institution, but probably the mid-afternoon fire curtailed the attendance of the local firemen.

The entertainment was furnished by the Pizzitola Plectro Accordion Orchestra, with thirty taking part. The program, which lasted an hour, included:

The Triumphal March—(Aida)
Blue Tango
The Old Oaken Bucket
Now Is The Hour
Yellow Bird
Colonel Bogey

For several years the Grange has hosted the firemen, police and school personnel—now the selectmen are included.

Hampshire County Pomona Grange met here last night. The program consisted of slides by John Collis.

LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES

Th next meeting will be Tuesday, April 9, at the Legion Hall.

Our president asks all members who possibly can to bring an eligible guest as a prospective member. We now have 22 paid-up members. If we all bring a guest and sign them up at this time, we will go way over our quota by May 1st.

All last year's members who have not paid their dues, please do so at this time.

SUPERINTENDENT SOUGHT

The School Building Committee is accepting applications for superintendent for construction of the proposed Junior-Senior High School. Those who wish to be considered for the position are requested to notify the School Building Committee and make arrangements for an interview. Applicants must have had good previous experience in supervising major construction projects.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

About 70 girls are rehearsing diligently for the Girl Scout Minstrel Show to be held this Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Joan Poole is serving as director, with Mrs. Lillian Whipple as pianist. Mrs. Barbara Field and Mrs. Margaret Atchison are serving on the ticket committee, while Mrs. Nancy Bock and Mrs. Christine Davin are in charge of scenery.

Mrs. Rose Sroka, Mrs. Jean Wadsworth, Mrs. Ruth Dowd, Mrs. Alma Fay and Mrs. Rita Lapointe have gathered togethed the costumes, while Mrs. Carol Hubbard, Mrs. Rioux, Mrs. Lorena Brighenti, Mrs. Esther Carr and Mrs. Lorraine Faulkins are in charge of make-up. Mrs. Davin is candy chairman. Bruce Czapla has made posters, and Mrs. June Henneman is publicity chairman. Tickets are priced at 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children.

This is the first money-raising program sponsored by the Scouts for several years and proceeds will be used to further the camping program.

All members of the cast for the Girl Scout Minstrel are asked to be at Lawrence Memorial Hall at 6 p. m. sharp.

All Intermediates and Brownies are reminded that registration for both day and for overnight camp begins on Monday, April 8th. Applications may be taken to the Girl Scout office in Springfield, or they may be mailed in. Overnight camps for our girls are Bonnie Brae and Edith G. Newell, both in East Otis, while this year for the first time there will be a Mobile Day Camp for Belchertown and Ware Scouts to be located at Quabbin, July 1-12. All camps are well staffed by trained leaders.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION NEWS

The Belchertown Historical Association will hold its annual meeting on Monday, April 29, instead of April 28 as is customary due to it falling on a Sunday this year.

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ANNUAL MEETING DWIGHT CHAPEL

The annual business meeting of Dwight Chapel was held Monday evening at Dwight Chapel. The following persons were elected to office:

President	Lawrence Jenks
Clerk	Robert Jenks, Jr.
Collector	Elsie Bleau
Treasurer	Evelyn Kimball
Assessors	

Henry Dreist, Win Fay, Clara Clark

Voted that the Assessors appoint a committee of two or three couples every month to plan and carry out fund raising activities for the month to which they are appointed.

It was also voted to change the date of the monthly business meeting from the first Thursday of the month to the last Thursday evening of the month.

The Dwight Youth Fellowship will hold a candlelight service Sunday evening, Palm Sunday, at Dwight Chapel at 7 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

REPORT ON RED CROSS DRIVE

Returns are not complete on the Red Cross drive, but over $400 has been collected. Any who wish to contribute and have not been contacted, may do so directly to Miss Helen Lister, Main St., Belchertown.

The name of Mrs. Kenneth Collard was not included in the list of canvassers. She solicited Park Street.

The co-chairmen, Miss Lister and Mrs. Lindquist, wish to thank all those who participated in the annual drive.

GIRLS STATE DELEGATE

The Auxiliary to Chauncey D. Walker Post 239, announces that Miss Joanne Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gould, has been chosen to represent Belchertown at Girls' State, June 14 to 21, at Bridgewater State College. Alternate delegate is Miss Susan Miner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Miner.

The American Legion Auxiliary considers it especially important to give young people inspiring experience in self government at a time when democracy is seriously challenged and, therefore, finances this mammoth undertaking as its contribution to good citizenship.

The young ladies who will make up the Nineteenth Annual Session will be a section of thousands of students who will be participating in similar government study programs on campuses in every state, including Hawaii. Alaska, too, is formulating plans to join this great youth citizenship program.

The Steeple Soliloquizer

New Collegiate Dictionary Arrives To Help Spelling Cripples

At school this week we are holding our annual "Spelling Bee Assemblies", one session for each of the three classes (Freshman, Junior, and Senior) and a final assembly at which the nine winners spell down to determine the "school champion."

The manner of selection is not very scientific, as the method used is for each English class or division to determine its own champion (with an alternate) and these winners take part in the "bee" at assembly, before an audience of their own classmates. Our classes are homogeneously grouped according to courses taken, which usually means according to the academic ability possessed. Consequently it is fair to assume that a youngster who is way down the list in a College Prep division might be a better speller than the one chosen as winner in a General Course class room.

But the fact that each English division regardless of classification has its own "champ" on the stage to defend the reputation of say, Room 226—Period 4 serves to create a lot of interest. Surprisingly enough, too, there is no tremendous correlation between general intelligence and spelling performance.

There are seventy-four English class divisions, so about 25 kids compete at each of the three assemblies.

The G. and C. Merriam Company, publishers of *Webster's Dictionary*, and one of the finest companies in Springfield, sponsors these bees to the extent of providing gold, silver, and bronze medals to the winners in each class. In return, we use the Webster's *International Dictionary* to settle any question of correct spelling.

When the nine medal winners meet this morning, the Student Association presents the champion of this group with a copy of the *New Collegiate Dictionary*.

This presentation takes on an added interest this particular year, as the *New Collegiate* is indeed new, having gone on sale for the first time only on Wednesday of this week.

The newly-crowned Tech Spelling Champ will find in his award "anti-missile missile, carbon 14, epoxy, and nose cone." He will also find post-nasal drip and eye bank, along with polyunsaturated, trampolinist, and ski tow.

When the *Third International Dictionary* was published in September, 1961, a great storm of argument arose about it. Practically every magazine in the country ran an article or more condemning (mostly) or defending (less frequently) it.

One of Merriam's former employees, William Morris, renewed the battle last week: Speaking of the "Third", he wrote:

"This latest in the long line of Webster's unabridged dictionaries has been the target of widespread attack, chiefly from critics of its 'permissive' attitude toward the language. Many authorities decried the almost total elimination of usage labels like 'slang', 'vulgar', and 'colloquial', which in previous editions had served the reader and writer as guides to correctness of usage.

"Others noted with stern disapproval the addition to the dictionary of many 'gutter' terms which had never before appeared in dictionaries designed for general readership."

G. and C. Merriam vigorously defended the "New Third."

The controversy has been renewed with the publication of the New Collegiate. Mr. Morris asserted last week that this desk dictionary, always the Merriam best seller, had been "made in the images of the old (1934) Second International" and that "most of the Third International's innovations . . . have been abandoned."

Dr. Philip B. Gove, Merriam's editor-in-chief, hotly denied this and said last week Thursday that "This newest Merriam-Webster is the only desk dictionary based on Webster's Third."

Well, it's good to have discussions about dictionaries. Good, too, to have them around and being used.

It does seem to some of us old settlers that a weakness in spelling is a handicap possessed by altogether too many students of this generation.

One morning recently four boys came to school an hour or so late because their car had broken down. Each made out his tardy slip independently in the office and specified "car trouble" as the cause. Not one of the four spelled "trouble" correctly. I think I have told you about the boy who "wript his pance" and another who had been "Paul barrer" for a friend.

Some of the words created by kids (and others!) are hilariously funny if you want to be amused. However, when one considers that correct writing, like correct speaking, is one of the few "quick measures" of intelligence, it can be downright unfortunate to be unable to spell.

Actually, bad spelling is largely a matter of indifference on the part of the speller. Most writing, unlike speaking, can be checked and corrected "before delivery." Constant use of the dictionary, constant checking with those who do spell with a measure of correctness, constant awareness of words as they flash before us, correctly spelled at all hours of the waking day—a bad speller can become an adequate speller if he so desires.

Those who care for a person's appearance and preparation should help him if he misspells. Time will come when no one will be around to help and then he will be afraid to write for fear of the impression he will make on the one who receives the message.

Spelling should be stressed in all sorts of ways all through school. Old-fashioned spelling bees are really new-fashioned fun!

By the way, no high school or college student should be without a *good* desk dictionary. In no field are there more bad substitutes for the best. Partly because it is of proven worth, and partly because it is a product of Western Massachusetts, we recommend Merriam's *Collegiate*! Accept no substitute!

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"A pretty dear is dear to me,
A hare with down hair,
A hart I love with all my heart,
But barely bear a bear."—*Anon*

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"It is possible to spell a word correctly by chance, or because someone prompts you, but you are a scholar only if you spell it correctly because you know how."—Aristotle, c. 340 B.C.

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"Let all the foreign tongues alone
Till you can spell and write your own."—*Isaac Watts*—1721

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Orthography is so absolutely necessary for a man of letters, or a gentleman, that one false spelling may fix a ridicule upon him for the rest of his life; and I know a man of quality who never recovered the ridicule of having spelled *wholesome* without the *w*."—Lord Chesterfield—1750

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Clinton Rhodes has been awarded the contract to convey the school children from Laurel district to the Center school; Clifton Witt from the Franklin and Liberty districts; Donald Hazen from the Holyoke district; and Harold Hazen from the Lake Vale district.

The choir of the Federated Church on Easter Sunday evening rendered the cantata, "The First Easter" to a large audience in the Congregational Church.

F. D. Walker was elected Pres. of the Park Asso. April 19 has been designated Clean-Up Day.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Guy C. Allen, Sr., was elected President of the Park Association, and April 19 (as 15 years ago) was designated Clean-Up Day with J. Howell Cook in charge.

The Home Department of the Congregational Church held a "sumptuous" supper with Mrs. Edward Hunter in charge. Her associates were: Mrs. J. V. Cook, Mrs. Evelyn R. Ward, Mrs. Frank Rhodes and Mrs. Winslow Piper. Among those attending were people who recently lived in Enfield or Greenwich. Following the supper there was a program under the direction of Mrs. A. H. Hope.

83 attended the "Fun, Food and Foolishness" Church Night party in charge of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Kinmonth. Dr. Kinmonth concluded the program with a "Ventriloquist Act."

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Jackson left town for a 10-day Havana and Nassau cruise. Mr. Jackson was awarded this trip as a result of winning a contest sponsored by the Durand Co.

TEN YEARS AGO

The 39th year of the Belchertown *Sentinel* began with an eight page paper.

The Senior Class Play "The Inner Willy" played to a responsive house.

Isaac A. Hodgen was a guest of Gov. Herter.

The Easter Sunday morning service at the Congregational Church was largely musical. There were four organ numbers, anthems by the Senior Choir and also the Junior choir and Easter hymns by the congregation.

ELISHA MUNSELL

Elisha Munsell, 69, who it is believed formerly lived here, possibly having some connections with Munsells once living on Munsell Road, died in Florida, and was buried here in Mt. Hope Cemetery last Saturday afternoon with military honors. Particulars do not seem to be available.

MRS. F. DUDLEY WALKER

News has been received of the death on Wednesday in South Weymouth of Mrs. F. Dudley Walker of that place. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery on Saturday at about 3.30. Mr. Walker's father, Fred D. Walker, was once postmaster here.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Thec club dance this week will be at Memorial Hall. Jack O'Leary will be our caller.

Host and hostess will be Jean and Julian Hussey and Royal and Jessie Gay.

Refreshment committee will be Ruth and Betty Modenski, Fred and Edith Owen, Joseph and Helen Lecours, Al and Ruth Boicourt, and Elaine Armstrong.

The Carousers will be appearing in the Village Squares in Williamsburg April 17, the Arch Eighters in Easthampton Longmeadow April 18. They also are appearing at the Methodist Church in Belchertown April 27.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

On Saturday, March 30th, "D" building was once again given a party by the Women's Fellowship of the South Hadley Falls Congregational Church. Music and games were enjoyed, and refreshments of cookies, ice cream and punch were served. Each boy received a coloring book, crayons, and two comic books. This party has become a yearly affair and something that the boys look forward to with great relish.

Dr. Lawrence P. Bowser hosted the monthly meeting of the State School and Hospital Superintendents on Monday, April 1st. During their visit the superintendents visited the new Merry-Go-Round building, saw the progress being made on the "McNew-ly" decorated horses and had a peek at the Birthday Bus. (What happened on the return trip, Dr. "B"?)

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	116	46	47870
Henneman's	112	50	48574
Park Lane	100	62	47354
Independents	99	63	47669
Salvage	98	64	47765
Turkey Hill	74	88	46604
Longview	59	103	45225
Cook's	57	105	45355
Reece	55	107	46580
Cole Contractors	40	122	44811

Total pinfall will decide winners of semifinal Roll-off April 8, 1963.

Schedule
(Division A)
Jackson's vs Independents
Henneman's vs Park Lane
(Division B)
Salvage vs Cook's
Turkey Hill vs Longview

Winners in each division to meet in the Finals to be held April 15.

The regular bowling season has ended and there remains the roll-offs which begin next Monday, April 8—A Division is made up of the first 4 teams, and B Division the next 4, so that 8 teams will participate in the semifinals, and the two winning teams in each division will bowl the finals Monday, April 15th. Total pinfall to decide the winners for each rolloff.

As expected, the match of the week was between Park Lane and Salvage, with Park Lane taking the honors 4 to 2, and dropping Salvage from a third place tie to fifth place in the standing, despite the sterling bowling of J. Tolpa who hit 345 for three strings to take high three away from R. Hill in class C.

Other high scorers for the evening were: H. Squires 368, F. Grover 319, E. Field 304, P. Ketchen 327, L. Small 304, J. Rush 306, H. Cook 302, P. Menard 347, B. Ross 310, T. Bleau 327, R. Bronner 338, M. Blaine 341, H. Main 313, E. Vadnais 305, A. Sears 303, W. Terry 316, A. Henneman 322, and R. Pratt 358. Twenty-two members joined the century club this week.

To the league members who have a choice of trophy, please make your choice known to the committee, so it can be engraved as soon as possible—As in the past, only one trophy will be presented to an individual bowler who may have finished up, by having for example: High Average and High Three Strings—he must decide which trophy he will take, so the next highest can be awarded a trophy. The secretary will try to have the complete list of trophy winners in all 4 classes, by next Monday. Remember, to qualify for average, you must have bowled at least 48 strings in league competition. Only two bowlers have rolled every string through the season (81). Congratulations MM. Earl Henrichon and R. Hubbard, Sr.

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WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Rollettes	179	29	34767
Pin Pickers	170	38	34499
Congo's	143	65	33092
Butter Fingers	140	68	33270
Woodchoppers	138	70	33744
Jolly "5"	128	80	32867
Gay Rollers	118	90	32698
Hit or Miss	112	96	32347
Fancy Flingers	90	118	32229
Outskirters	82	126	31314
Pin Spinners	46	162	30355
Bowl Aires	43	165	29823
Harmony "5"	39	169	30496
Nite Outers	28	180	30302

These were the final standings after this week's bowling of which the results were: Hit or Miss 8, Bowl Aires 0; Woodchoppers 8, Jolly "5" 0; Gay Rollers 8, Outskirters 0; Harmony "5" 4, Pin Spinners 4; Pin Pickers 8, Butter Fingers 0; Congo's 6, Fancy Flingers 2; and Rollettes 8, Nite Outers 0.

Team high three for the week was Rollettes 1392 and 1362 by the Pin Pickers. High single was 481 by the Rollettes and 466 by the Pin Pickers.

The Rollettes being first place team also hold high team single and high team three with 522 and 1439 for the year. Second place team is the Pin Pickers who are also holding second high single and second high three with 510 and 1427.

Patsy Bronner of the Gay Rollers took high three for the evening with 310 and Lorena Joyal with the Rollettes was right behind with 301. Eleanor Tolpa was high single for the evening with 116 and she bowls for the Woodchoppers. Second high single was a tie between Joan Perham of the Congo's and Rose Scott with the Pin Pickers with 115.

Others on the "100" Club for the evening were: P. Bronner 111, E. Sporbert 109, C. Casey 107, L. Joyal 106, D. Fitts 105, C. Hubbard and J. Poole 102, J. Reilly 103 and B. Hanifin 101, and A. Bronner 100.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for 4th marking period ending March 15, 1963

First Honor Roll

Averages of 90-100

Seniors

Joanne Barrett
Thomas Krol
Lee Lamoureux
Elaine Tetrault

Juniors

Sandra Field
Joanne Gould
Sandra Richards
Rosemary McLean
Jane Peterson
Merle Green

Sophomores

Christine Gould
Linda Martin
Michael Mathras

Freshmen

Harriet Cunningham
Marjorie Officer

Second Honor Roll

Averages of 85-89

Seniors

Barbara Alden
Richard Ferenz
Frances Goodrow
Carol Hurd
Dexter Ketchen
William Krause
Barbara Marshall
Frank Pietryka
Susan Shattuck
Carl Theroux
William Zobka

Juniors

David Depot
Edith Hurd
Richard Merrell
Susan Miner

Sophomores

Carol Beaudoin
David Conkey
Keith Farrington
Marie McLean
David Scott
Mary Terault
Linda Wright

Freshmen

Catherine Barry
Linda Ann Capen
Carol Dana
James Dahlgren
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Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Palm Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Philippians 2, 5-11.

The Epistle* of St. Paul the Apostle to the Philippians.

* Letter of an Apostle written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit and recognized by the Church as part of the Bible, concerning a matter of doctrine, morals or discipline, and addressed to particular groups of Christians or Christians in general. Of the 21 Epistles, St. Paul wrote 14.

Gospel—Matthew 26, 36-75; and 27, 1-60. (*The Passion of our Lord*)

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew.

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Sunday School classes following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

The 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass.

Joy and sorrow are found closely joined in this Sunday's Mass. The Triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem and the sorrowful recollection of His Passion are both expressed in the Liturgy of Sunday. The Hosannas of the people will soon yield to the "Crucify Him," It is safer for us to follow Christ along the hard way of fulfilled duties than to walk along the easy road of the world.

HOLY WEEK: During Holy Week the Church invites us to ascend Calvary and follow in the footsteps of Him Who chose to become the Lamb and Victim of Sacrifice. She asks us to carry our cross willingly in union with Him, in a spirit of expiation and atonement, and offer our life together with Him.

— HOLY WEEK SERVICES —

On Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday—Confessions from 7 to 7.20 a. m., Mass at 7.30 a. m. There will not be any Rosary, Sermon or Benediction on Tuesday evening, just the Mass at 7.30 a. m.

Holy Thursday—Mass at 7 p. m.

Good Friday—Services at 3 p. m. The Annual offering for the Holy Land will be taken up Friday.

Holy Saturday—Services will begin at 11 p. m. High Mass Saturday at midnight. Confessions will be heard from 10-12, 4-6, and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. Saturday. This day is a day of fast only.

Easter Sunday—Masses will be said at the regular Sunday hours: 7, 9.30 and 11 p. m.

— LAST SUNDAY'S FIRE —

Father Dudley and Father Collins are very grateful to the Belchertown Fire Department for their quick action in saving the church from possible loss by fire last Sunday afternoon. The fire destroyed some books, a bookcase, damaged a piano and charred a portion of the pine paneling in the Pine Room, and some smoke damage in the upper church.

They also wish to extend thanks to: Lt. Brennen, MDC; Sgt. Keeley, State Police; Chief Gay and other officers of the local police, parishioners and others who assisted.

Their heartfelt thanks especially go out to the Volunteer Fire Dept.—Deputy Chief Carl J. Peterson and his wife who discovered the fire and turned in the alarm.

To the ministers Rev. Varga, Rev. Green, and Rev. Suhm for their calls at the rectory following the fire, Frs. Dudley and Collins wish to express their appreciation and thanks.

— CHARITY DRIVE —

Chairman Harold Mellin, is now enlisting more workers, captains and clerical workers for the Catholic Charities Drive to be held in May.

Other officers for the drive: Mrs Andrew Sears, Jr., Secretary; and Francis Longtine, Treasurer.

— EVENING RECOLLECTION —

On Monday, April 8, women of the C.W.C. and other ladies will depart from the church at 5.15 p. m. for an evening of recollection to begin at 6 p. m. at the Marian Retreat House, Northampton St., Holyoke. If interested, call Mary Scialla, 3-6203 before noon today.

— SUNDAY BULLETINS —

Sunday Bulletins to be distributed in church starting on Palm Sunday, are now being prepared at the printers. It is hoped that they will be a regular service.

The Month of April is dedicated to the Holy Eucharist*. The events of Holy Thursday, commemorated in 1963 on April 11, give this month its dedication to the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.

* The dedication of months of the year to certain saints and mysteries in the life of Christ is more the result of popular piety than of official action by the Church.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 7—Palm Sunday

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, meeting in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

Communion Meditation by the Pastor.

There is a Nursery during the Hour of Worship for those who wish to leave pre-school children—cribs and nursery facilities for even the smallest or youngest child. All under expert supervision.

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6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.30 p. m. The opening service of the Holy Week Mission. Judy and Cay will lead a Mission through Holy Week. They will speak at each service except the Holy Thursday Service. Music by Miss Judy Dewhurst and the combined choirs.

MONDAY, APRIL 8

2.15 p. m. The last session of the Pastor's Class will meet in the Church.

7.30 p. m. The Evening Service with special music—Fred Very on the trumpet, with the Methodist Youth Fellowship choir.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

10 a. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion—a day of Prayer and Meditation.

7.30 p. m. Men's Night at the Mission—music by Robert Wilson, who will play the trumpet and sing a solo.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

6.30 p. m. The women of the local Church will have a supper meeting with Cay and Judy.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

The Traditional Maundy Thursday Communion Service with the classes of new members being received into probationary and full membership in the Church.

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group will meet with Mrs. Ada Staples. There will be an Easter program, and it is hoped all will attend.

SUNDAY, APRIL 14—Easter Day

5 a. m. The Annual Sunrise service at Quabbin Tower—refreshments at the Belchertown Methodist Church after the service

All services of the Church—Sunday School, Morning Worship and Evensong, and Methodist Youth Fellowship, will meet at the regular times on Easter Day.

COMING

SUNDAY, MAY 5

3.00 - 9.00 p. m. The Annual Spring District Conference at First Church Pittsfield. The Business session will be in the afternoon and the evening session will hear Dr. Channing Lien, former Ambassador from Korea to the United Nations. Dr. Lien is also a Methodist Minister.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Victory Over Temptation."

This is Palm Sunday in the Christian Church, when we remember Jesus' Triumphant Entry into the Holy City. During the coming week, which is Holy Week, we follow Him through the last days of His ministry on earth.

Family Sunday

Family Sunday will be observed at the service of worship on Sunday morning, when children will attend church with their parents during the early part of the worship service. Children are reminded to bring their little churches for "One Great Hour of Sharing," which they will place on the altar as they leave the church.

Church Meeting

A meeting of members of the church will be held immediately following the service of worship.

Junior High Fellowship

"Are There Miracles?" will be the subject for discussion at the meeting of the Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship on Sunday afternoon at 5.30 at the Parish House.

Senior High Fellowship

"What Must I Do To Be Saved?" is the subject for discussion at the meeting of the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the Parish House.

Fioneer Valley Council

The Pioneer Valley Council for Weekday Religious Education will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30.

Parish Representatives

The Parish Representatives Committee will meet on Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ketchen on Maple Street.

Home Department

The Home Department will hold its first meeting of the spring on Tuesday, April 16, instead of next Tuesday, as originally scheduled.

P. F. Worship

The Pilgrim Fellowship will have a service of Holy Communion on Thursday morning at 7.30 in the chapel.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.

Maundy Thursday Service

A special service of Holy Communion will be held on Thursday evening at 7.30. The service is an adaptation of the fourth-century Service of Tenebrae, with eight deacons of the church—Harold Peck, William Shaw, George Poole, Arlan Skinner, Belding Jackson, Kenneth Main, Fred Lincoln and Donald Geer—assisting the minister in the service. New members will be received into the church.

Car Wash

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a car wash on Saturday of next week, April 13, at the Congregational Church parking lot. The young people will work under the supervision of adults. A work plan is being determined to give the best job possible.

Grounds Clean-up

Men of the church will clean the church grounds on Saturday of next week at 9 a. m. We hope many men of the church will plan to be there.

P. F. Bowling

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will leave the Parish House at 7 o'clock tonight for an evening of bowling in Ware.

Parsonage Visitation

The Board of Trustees will make their annual parsonage visitation tomorrow morning.

Easter Sunrise Service

The Annual Easter Sunrise Service of the Meetinghouse Fellowship will be held on Pelham Hill at 5 o'clock on Easter morning. Rev. Darrell Holland of Hadley will bring the Easter message, and will be assisted by other ministers from the area. Special music will be provided by the Amherst College Brass Choir, under the direction of Mr. Clement Schuler. The public is invited to attend.

Meeting in Granby

"Gambling, Crime and Corruption" will be the subject of an address to be given by Dr. Myron Fowell tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Parish House at the First Church of Christ (Congregational), in Granby.

Dr. Fowell is Secretary of the Massachusetts Congregation Christian Conference, and has been extremely active in promoting legislation dealing with his subject.

The meeting is sponsored by the Married Couples Club of the Granby Church. The public is invited to attend.

Chinese Dinner

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a Chinese Dinner on Friday, May 17. The food for the dinner is provided by women of the Chinese Christian Church in Boston. Many will remember the delicious food provided at a similar dinner two years ago.

Tickets may be purchased from members of the Senior High P. F.

Easter Flowers

Anyone desiring to give lilies or other Easter plants for the Easter Service should speak to Mrs. Houghton Snow or another member of the Flower Committee.

Deacons

The deacons will prepare for the Maundy Thursday service on Sunday afternoon at 2 at the church.

Joining Church

Individuals planning to join the church will meet on Sunday afternoon at 3 at the Parish House.

AMHERST NATURE CLUB

The Amherst Nature Club will meet next Tuesday evening, April 9, at 7.30 at the Skinner Auditorium, University of Massachusetts, when the program will be "The Magnificent Eye," when Leslie Campbell of this place will show how photography can be an indispensable tool, a powerful force and a priceless extension of our vision. This time with a nature theme.

SUPPER MEETING—HOLY WEEK

The public is reminded of the Holy Week services beginning Sunday evening in the sanctuary of the Methodist church. A complete schedule appeared in last week's Sentinel.

A highlight for the women is the supper meeting Wednesday in the vestry of the church. Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Anna Witt, Mrs. Blanchette Parmenter, Mrs. Ruth French, Mrs. Marian Landers, Mrs. Barbara Gay, Mrs. Ruby Martin, Mrs. Helen Plant, Mrs. Virginia Green, Mrs. Pearl Very, Mrs. Carrie Wall, Mrs. Loretta Gay, Mrs. Eleanor Dewhurst, Mrs. Doris Trombly, Mrs. Patricia Witt and Mrs. Bernice Bellerose. Chairman of arrangements is Mrs. Dorothy Green.

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MEETING ABOUT PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

On Thursday, March 28, Dr. Harry Phillips, Director of the Division of Cancer and Chronic Diseases of the Massachusetts State Department of Health; Miss Marion Wray and Miss Catherine Sullivan, Consultant Nurses in Public Health for Hampden and Hampshire County, respectively; Miss Alice Davis, Nurse-Specialist for the Division of Cancer and Chronic Diseases; Miss Ann Thompson, Director of Public Health Nursing for the Massachusetts State Department of Health; and Mrs. Elizabeth Caso, Community Coordinator for the State, met with members of the Advisory Committee to the Belchertown Board of Health and several citizens to discuss setting up a public health nursing program for Belchertown.

Dr. Phillips brought out the following facts:

1. There is a rise in the cancer and chronic diseases of the nation. This rise has accompanied the increased life expectancy of man, with its increasing the demand for nursing care in the home. Massachusetts has set up a special division in the State Department of Health to cope with the problem.

2. In a community the size of Belchertown there are 60 chronically ill persons on any given day. This number of persons need nursing care in their homes.

3. A public health nursing service would prevent unnecessary institutionalization of sick persons who could be taken care of better in their own homes. This would save the family or taxpayer money.

The per diem cost of hospitalization in 1961 was $34.98,* an increase of 272% since 1946,**, and it is climbing higher!

4. Institutionalized patients could be returned home earlier provided there was a public health nurse out in the community to give them care. This again could save the family or taxpayer money.

5. A public health nurse could help prevent great expense to the town in the case of premature infants, because prenatal nursing care would help lessen likelihood of premature birth. (One person present reported an instance where the town had paid $800 for the care of one premature infant).

6. A public health nurse renders nursing service to all people: the poor, the middle classes and the rich. She would not merely serve those persons on the public relief rolls.

7. A public health money grant to Belchertown would in no way whatsoever affect the financial reimbursement by the State for welfare recipients in Belchertown. It is a Federal grant, not connected with the state's treasury.

8. Before attempting to launch a public health program in Belchertown, both the local physician and the Board of Selectmen must stand solidly behind it. Only with their vital support, according to Dr. Phillips' experience, could such a program ever succeed. Dr. Phillips expressed real pleasure in the written approval by Dr. K. L. Collard in behalf of the nursing program.

9. A $7,000 grant is available for Belchertown. In the event the people of Belchertown vote against accepting the grant, the money will go to another community in the Commonwealth.

Now, beginning my fourth year as clerk for the Belchertown Board of Health, I underscore the need of a public health nurse in the town.

Figuratively speaking, I closed the year of 1962 by filing away two premature infant death report forms, and I opened 1963 by filing away another premature infant death report form. In March 1963 I filed away—they don't distress anyone but the sick persons who are suffering from the disease—16 positive reports for bacillary dysentery of the Sonne type. Files do hide a great deal!

Now in both these instances, the communicable disease and the premature infants, a public health nurse would be a real asset for: 1, she could help in the control of communicable disease by tracking down the source from which it had sprung; by finding the persons whom it might affect; 2, with the approval and under the direction of the physician, she could render nursing care and health instruction to those expectant mothers who have histories of or a tendency toward premature delivery.

Public health nursing or community nursing, call it what you will, it seems to me, is as right and as necessary as rain in April—even in Belchertown.

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SERVICE NOTES

San Diego, Calif. (FHTNC)—Marine Private Ronald C. Salois, son of Mrs. Anita McInnis of Allen Rd., Belchertown, Mass., was promoted to the present rank, March 15, while serving at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

FORT GORDON, GA. (AHTNC) —Army 2d Lt. Robert E. Stacy, whose wife, Eleanor, lives in Belchertown, Mass., recently completed an eight-week officer orientation course at The Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

Lieutenant Stacy was instructed in the duties and responsibilities of a newly commissioned officer in the Signal Corps.

The 25-year-old officer, son of Philip H. Stacy, 191 Merrimack St., Haverhill, Mass., is a 1955 graduate of Haverhill High School and a 1960 graduate of Northeastern University in Boston.

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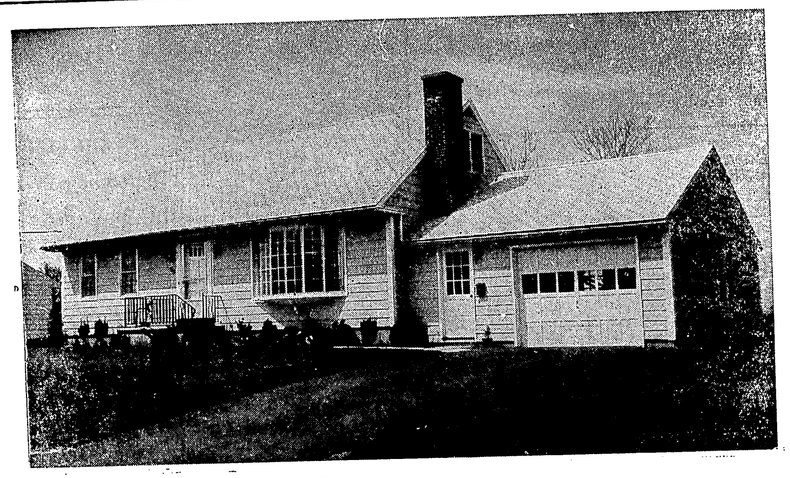
LAFAYETTE W. AYERS

BELCHERTOWN — Lafayette W. Ayers, Sr., 62, of North Main St., died last week Thursday in Mary Lane Hospital, Ware. He was born in Springfield, Dec. 26, 1900, son of Charles H. and Hattie F. (Bishop) Ayers and lived here for 40 years. Before his recent illness he was a bricklayer and a school bus operator. He attended the Methodist Church and was a member of Vernon Lodge of Masons. He leaves two sons, Charles E. and Lafayette, Jr., both here; three grandchildren, a nephew and two nieces. The funeral was held Saturday at 2:30 in Belchertown Methodist Church with Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetery, Ware. Bearers were W. Paige Piper, Harold Allen, John Cook, Isaac Hodgen, Everett Plant and Robert Tilton.



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GRANGE CARD PARTY

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This week's party will be in charge of the insurance committee, H. Peck, chairman, B. Peck and R. Johnston.

FIRES

The fire at St. Francis Church on Sunday afternoon (reported in that church's column) and the fire at Piper's on Maple St. on Tuesday afternoon, could both have been disastrous had they occurred in the night time. The Piper barn fire coincided with the starting of a tractor in the building. The firefighters confined the loss to a small amount of hay.

The epidemic of forest fires has started with the fire chief periodically calling the public's attention to the fact that permits must be secured for all outdoor burning.

WON COUNTY CONTEST

Frederick Fitzgerald, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, Sr., of North Washington St., won the Hampshire County Science Count-down contest, televised Saturday in Boston.

Fitzgerald originally won an oral count-down contest at Center Junior High School, which qualified him to take a written count-down examination. On the basis of his performance in the written examination, he was one of four contestants in Hampshire County chosen to appear on television for the final round of the county count-down contest.

The count-down examination and contest which tests participants' knowledge in science and mathematics are judged by faculty members of Lowell Technological Institute.

Fitzgerald was awarded a book entitled "Our Environment," and a Lionel weather station. Books were given all the contestants through the courtesy of Allyn & Bacon, Inc.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

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Attention of members is called to the Bay State Historical League spring meeting to be held on Saturday, April 20, to be hosted by the Danvers Historical Society. The meeting will be held at 11 Page St., just off Danvers Square. Free municipal parking is available. Routes 1, 62, 114 and 128 all pass through Danvers.

C. D. MEETING

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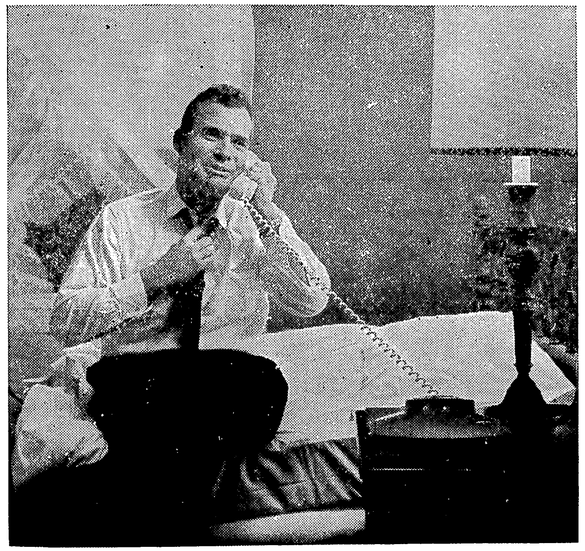
I accompanied Everett Sporbert, Sector 4C Director (presently located at the Tadgell building on State School grounds) of Federal St., Belchertown.

Mr. Finn spoke on all areas in the State C. D. program. He underlined the fact that no matter how much the C. D. people did, or what bills passed by the Legislature for financial support in Civil Defense—it would be worthless if the people themselves didn't take interest and use this aid. Going on, he warned of the imminent danger when in the next decade, many nations will have nuclear capabilities, hence the danger of small nations touching off a war—a war nobody wants—but must be prepared for. This he said is where each and every citizen must assess his own needs for survival—first aid courses, home fall-out shelter, etc.



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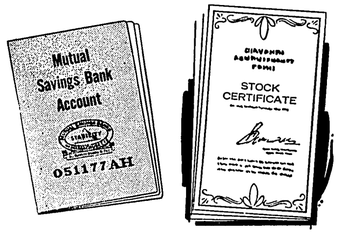

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A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that ROBERT THORNE JONES, also known as ROBERT T. JONES, of Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator of said estate.
If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.
Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.
Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
Apr. 5-12-19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampshire, ss. Probate Court
To all persons interested in the estate of STANLEY J. STOKOSA of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.
The guardian of said STANLEY J. STOKOSA has prescented to said Court her twelfth account for allowance.
If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.
Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampshire, ss. Probate Court
To all persons interested in the estate of LAFAYETTE W. AYERS, SR., also known as LAFAYETTE W. AYERS, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by CHARLES E. AYERS of Belchertown in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.
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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Sunrise Service at Pelham at 5 a. m.
Men's Class at 9.30 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunrise Service at Quabbin Tower at 5 a. m.
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Easter Sunday
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a.m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Home Department at Congregational Parish House at 2.30 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

W. S. C. S.
Women's Guild at Parish House at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.
Camera Club.

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

Youth-For-Christ Breakfast at the Methodist Church.
Square Dance Club Annual Meeting in Legion Hall.
Grange Card Party.
Police Association Record Hop.

TODAY

Good Friday services in St. Francis Church at 3 p. m.
Missionary Group with Mrs. Ada Staples at 7.30 p. m.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Krupka of 73 Lydia St., Providence, R. I. announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Patricia Krupka to William H. Hennemann, Jr., son of Mrs. Barbara C. Hennemann of Belchertown, and the late William H. Hennemann, Sr.
September 14th has been set as the wedding date.
Miss Krupka, a graduate of Hope High School, Providence, is employed by the Providence Public Library.
Her fiance, a graduate of Belchertown High School, is employed as a Lab. Tech. by Technifax Corp. of Holyoke, Mass.

TOMORROW

Senior P. F. Car Wash at Congregational Church Parking Lot from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Grounds Clean-up at Congregational Church at 9 a. m.
Holy Saturday services in St. Francis Church at 11 p. m., Mass at midnight.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Apr. 26
Cub Scout Food Sale on Common.
O. E. S. Installation.
Women's Guild Public Project Supper at Congregational Parish House.
Apr. 27
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 29
B. H. S. Fourth Annual Spring Concert in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Men's Bowling Banquet.
Annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association.
May 2
Annual meeting and Luncheon of the Garden Club at the Homestead Inn at 12.30 p. m.
May 3
Square Dance in Legion Hall.
Legion Variety Show.
May 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.
May 20
P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper.
May 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper
June 8
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

HEADED TOWARDS HOME

Vesuvius Lake
March 1, 1963

Dear Don & Fred,
It's Vesuvius Lake because there is an old iron plant furnace of that name here.
This place is four or five miles north of Horton, Ohio, so you see I am on my way home from my wanderings. They have taken me criss-cross over most of the southern halves of Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, and a little way out into east Texas.
In the last week I have come from Newton, Mississippi along a line east of the middle of Missouri thru a place called Ripley, across western Tennessee to Clarksville, Tennessee, corner ways in Kentucky thru the blue grass to Maysville, Kentucky. Then across the Ohio and upstream to Horton.
All that is quite a ways for one week, but the robins had left central Mississippi where I was, and I was trying to catch up with them. Saw a couple one place in northern Mississippi, but none since, so maybe I am ahead of them. Perhaps I should go east now instead of north for a few days. I think tomorrow I will go up along the Ohio to Marietta and see what happens.
Yours truly,
Harold

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

The Annual Easter Sunrise Service, sponsored by the Meeting House Fellowship, will be held on Pelham Hill on Easter morning at 5 o'clock. The Rev. Darrell Holland, minister of the Congregational Churches in Hadley and North Hadley, will bring the Easter Message. Other ministers participating in the service include: The Rev. Karl Andersen, Second Congregational Church, Amherst; The Rev. Francis Drake of the Congregational Churches in Leverett and New Salem, and Mr. Varga.
The music for the service will be provided by the Amherst College Brass Choir, under the direction of Mr. Clement Schuler.
Coffee will be served in the old town hall by the Women's Guild of Pelham after the service.

CAR WASH

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a car wash tomorrow from 10 to 4 o'clock. The young people will work under the careful supervision of adults. The price will be $1.00, plus 25 cents for whitewall tires.

SUNRISE SERVICE

A Sunrise service will be held at Quabbin Tower at 5 a. m. on Sunday. For details, see Methodist Notes.

B. H. S. SENIOR CLASS PLAY

Within a few days of the Academy Award night, the seniors at B. H. S. made their bid for stardom.
"It's Great To Be Crazy," a three act comedy, was presented to a full Memorial Hall this last Wednesday—the first time (in my time) when not presented on a Friday.
The Class of '63, one of the largest yet, under the direction of the "Play Advisors," Miss Barbara Ernest, and Mrs. Marie Pepin, surely did their all—as all the past classes have.
The cast, fifteen in all, led by the innocent antics of the teenage set included: JoAnne Barrett, Barbara Marshall, Lee Mullane, Don Kempkes, Pat Hayward, Frank Pietryka, Carol Fielder, Daniel Dobson, Susan Shattuck, William Fielder, Lee Lamoureux, Kenneth Hale, Sandra Shaw, Linda Crisafulli, and Kathy Dunn.
Poets and family trees dominated the first act. It seemed, too, that the costumes themselves were a hit—but it wasn't until Aunt Mary, played by Carol Fielder, left the stage that the audience let go with a round of applause.
The plot began to unfold when the much awaited letter from a genealogist arrived and Mr. Maxwell (Daniel Dobson) learned that his family tree was not of the highest caliber.
Just when it seems that his wife, Pat Hayward, is about to "crash" the society click, and Mr. Marshall may make the board of directors of the firm by which he is employed, disaster strikes! The letter containing the ancestry, gets switched with a contract—and is now in the possession of his boss Mr. Mallory (William Fielder). Then came the refreshment and stretch intermission.
Returning to our seats, the second act opened and the comedy really got going. Dad found that he didn't have a leg to stand on—nor did a leg on a couch on the stage hold up very well—when the whole world seemed to have gone against him at such an important time.
For a while, this comedy held the audience breathless and tense—would Grover (Lee Lamoureux) sit down on the about to collapse couch? Had he done so, it would have dropped him to the floor. Wilbur (Don Kempkes) and his bosom pal Hercules Nelson (Frank Pietryka) should have utilized those tools they carried in the first act. (Some of this not in the script).
Act three opened after a bouquet was presented to the class advisors, the night's play advisors as well. Starting the action in the closing act were Betty Lou Maxwell (JoAnne Barrett), and her best friend Bernadine, played by Barbara Marshall who were discussing the odd characters who now seem to be everywhere in the house including the sleep-walking maid (Linda

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BOY SCOUT LEADERS' MEETING

Troop 507 held its first patrol leaders' meeting since its reorganization in March of this year. Mr. Bailey, scoutmaster, and Jim Nolan, his assistant, felt the cheery atmosphere of Crystal Spring would do the leaders a world of good.
Their plans for first meetings and outdoor hikes, camping, etc., seemed to blend right in with their banana splits, floats, etc.
It was a pleasure to Mr. Bailey and Mr. Nolan to see the enthusiasm the boys had for both the future and the present.
Patrols represented were:

Whippoorwill	Douglas Camp
Quabbin Rangers	Kenneth Nolan
Eagle	Craig Farrington
Panther	John Wadsworth
Woodchoppers	John Fletcher

The main reason for these meetings is to coach the boys in leadership.
Questions of all types were answered by both boys and leaders.
One of the great plans is for an overnight camp-out the week after Easter. This will be the first for the troop this year.

CAMERA CLUB NOTES

The Camera Club meeting scheduled for today is being held next week Thursday instead, when John Collis of this place, a past president of both the BCCC and the Amherst Camera Club, will be the speaker.
The "Developing Tray" says of him:
"A skilled and prolific worker in many fields of photography, John is perhaps best known for his outstanding nature pictures and for his mastery of the sandwich technique of photomontage. In 1958 he was awarded the Vogan Award by the Photographic Society of America in recognition of his outstanding progress in the field of nature photography.
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ELECTED TREAS.

Matthew J. Sliwa of Three Rivers road, Belchertown, a junior majoring in electrical engineering at Lowell Technological Institute, on April 3 was elected treasurer of the Student Council for the coming year. He served as secretary of his class this year and is active in the Newman club, Phi Psi fraternity, and the student chapter of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Sliwa, he is a 1959 graduate of Belchertown High school.

Hope of The First Easter
Still Best Hope For World

We are home from church on a beautiful warm Palm Sunday with the mercury in the sixties and not a sign of any snow from the study window, though it still lurks under northern shrubbery and on shady hillsides. The siren blows every little while for a brush or grass fire.

It hardly seems possible that a short two weeks ago we really made a ceremony out of seeing our first robin, which had flown onto a wee patch of lawn and flower bed on the south side of the house. Everywhere else the snow lay rather deep, some of it having lain there since long before Christmas.

The snowdrops have now come and gone in that same bed, and presently dwarf iris, crocuses, tiny tulips and chionodoxas are in bloom there.

We know better than to be sure of anything in this matter of spring New England weather, but we are certain that we have had less mud and general wetness from the melting snow this year than any year I can readily recall. Evidently the water sank silently into frostless ground.

It may be that we shall have serious setbacks, possibly even a snowfall or two, but from the looks of things and in spite of a very blustery cold wind a day or two ago, we are plunging into spring. The ice is not yet off Quabbin or Lake Arcadia, though. No swimming!

No recent word on the sap runs. We have ordered a batch of that lovely Morgan, Vermont, maple syrup made by Cecil Gray, as we have for a number of years. This gets delivered right to the door, and we get it for a number of friends, too. Also we have ordered a gallon mailed to Margie by the Berrys of Ryegate, who make wonderful syrup, too. It's expensive to mail it across the continent, but no one seemed to be going that way at this season!

Birds and bees are all around the place, and there is a real call for the rake and the basket all across our lawn and unkempt beds. We are glad that the school vacation starts a little earlier this year. You have probably noticed that Washington's Birthday and Patriot's Day now come in vacation weeks.

It always seems appropriate to have Easter and spring come together. Wintry Easters just seem out of place, like fifty-degree Christmases. We need springtime to fit with the strange mixture of resurrection, rabbits, and resplendent outfits that make up the greatest day of the Christian year.

The very word Easter comes to us from the name of the old German goddess of the dawn and the spring, and is connected with the *east*, where we watch for the sunrise day after tomorrow. The festival in honor of that goddess came at the spring equinox. So, by strange confusion, the great religious holiday bears a pagan name.

Lent, too, has for its origin an Old English word *lencten*, which means spring, is related to *length* and refers to the lengthening of the days.

So it is good to welcome Easter with crocuses and narcissus actually blooming outdoors while the lilies are lovely in the sanctuaries.

This *Sentinel* comes to you on Good Friday. This is the anniversary of the day when the cries of "Crucify him!" followed so closely upon the joyful shouts of "Hosanna!" which had filled the streets on Palm Sunday.

Whatever your religious belief may be, or even if you think you have no religious belief at all, there is much to be meditated on, in the story of Holy Week.

The impact of the life and teachings of Jesus Christ changed the course of humanity. Although His message was never clearly received or accepted, in its entirety, yet, it left a warmth and a light that have been the hope of the individual soul down the centuries. Despite horrible interludes and awful perversions in the name of Christ, the hope-filled message still goes forth. Easter does mean more than hats and eggs, than ham and corsages.

In 1963, unless the people of the world accept for their own guide something like the philosophy of Christ in their dealing with each other, there will be no people of the world in the not too distant future.

Unless we become more concerned with the welfare of the millions of suffering people in many a "less-favored" country, and less concerned with hating the leaders of Cuba, Russia, and others, we shall never be free from the fear of the day when the blast will come.

Some of us can now remember fifty years of varying hates and violent emotions which have not led us very close to contentment. We have been almost absurd in our shifting suspicious and affections. One generation has been taught to hate peoples whom the next generation has been urged to love and admire. We have fought great wars and won great victories with few lasting results of peace and harmony.

Once we were sure that when Hitler, Mussolini, and Hirohito were crushed we should have a fine new world. Now the peoples that these men led a short time ago are our best friends. Now we are sure that if Russia, China—and Castro's Cuba were to change, the world would be good.

Earlier in the century someone wrote a couplet that should be brought up to date:

After two thousand years of mass
We've got as far as poison gas.

The Message that has made Holy Week remembered so long may yet save a mankind that seems increasingly bent on its own destruction.

If we pray today, let it be not so much for the end of Communism or for the collapse of Castro, but for the Easter Resurrection of the Spirit of Jesus. If that resurrection come, indeed Communism and Castro would wither and pass.

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Belchertown Sentinel Begins
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Without fuss or flurry, the *Sentinel* changed its dateline a week ago, from *Volume 48, No. 52* to *Volume 49, No. 1!*

Please accept our belated best wishes, Editor Lewis. We are mighty proud of you and your paper and very glad that help came down Cottage Street to give you a real lift.

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Messed-Up Metaphors
Add Zest To Language

In a recent issue, *Life* has a fine article about Walt Schoenknecht, who has so spectacularly developed the great ski area of Mt. Snow in southern Vermont.

It seems that Walt has a lovely habit of mixing metaphors and is credited with some corkers.

Of his 1962 Lincoln he is supposed to have said, "It's known all over the state like a hot potato."

His credo for ski-area promoters is: "Most ski areas don't know you have to use all the brain power you have stored at your fingertips. They don't use a tenth of it. In skiing you can't stand still. You have to graduate into the resort field. You have to bite off large chunks and branch out in the food and design areas.

I have always enjoyed mixed imagery in language. If you have any choice samples, please send me some. Something like this, maybe?: "He has been a black sheep ever since he got off the water wagon."

Perhaps you have a "malapropism" on hand. Those are the ridiculously misused words that got their name from Mrs. Malaprop, "the weather-beaten she dragon" in Sheridan's play, "The Rivals." One of her best was: "She's as headstrong as an allegory on the banks of the Nile."

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"God does not send strange flowers every year.
When the spring winds blow in pleasant places,
The same dear things lift up the same fair faces,
The violet is here." *Adeline Whitney*

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Homer Couture has sold Park View to P. V. Snow.

The great event of the week was the "Get-Together Social" which took the form of the presentation of a district school. A. R. Lewis was the "stern" teacher who rang the bell at 9 o'clock. Mrs. Henry Witt was one of the members of the "august" school committee. Among the pupils were "Faithful Snooks, Stuttering Dorcas Doolittle, Abraham Small with a dog chain and 'teacher's pet' ". The morning session nearly wrecked the school, the dinner hour was a perfect bedlam, and the afternoon session was a medley of the sublime and the ridiculous. A. R. Lewis actually survived the ordeal. The editor said: "If any social could 'carry over' for a spell, this one could.'

Rev. D. L. Hilliard, pastor of the Federated Church, preached a sermon on "Preserving the Community". He maintained that "good church attendance was a sign of life in a community."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The records of the Quabbin Club of Enfield which held its final meeting last week, will ultimately be placed in the Stone House.

A week-end conference for young adults between the ages of 25 and 35 will be held in the local Methodist Church next week from Friday to Sunday. The object of the conference is make a study of the place of the adults in the program of the church. The Social Union will furnish luncheon and dinner, and the members will entertain about forty from out of town.

Mrs. Nellie Stebbins after 10 years of service at the State School leaves Belchertown to make her home in Saugerties, N. Y.

The Peter Rabbit and Wideawake 4-H clubs are selling thread to make money for next year's expenses.

TEN YEARS AGO

The tenth of April issue (1953) of the *Sentinel* was quite largely taken up with events about to happen: the thrills and variety of the Showboat Minstrel next week, the pageant of Wedding Gowns to be held on May 15, the open meeting of the Women's Guild with address by Mrs. Clifton Johnson, the P. T. A. meeting next Monday with Dr. C. R. Gadaire as speaker, the auction in June by The American Legion, a public supper at the Methodist Church (65¢ and 35¢) and the engagement of Virginia Booth to Irving Hislop.

Mrs. Andrew T. Sears announced that the Red Cross membership drive amounted to $862.72 ($137 over last year).

It was Model night at the Camera Club. Rev. Walter R. Blackmer posed as bacteriologist, and later as preacher. Miss Beverly Dorey posed in an evening gown and then in a snow suit and Miss Elizabeth Low in a play suit and later in more formal attire.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

In the Semifinal Rolloffs last Monday night in A Division it was Jackson's who eliminated the Independents 1800 to 1742. Henneman's did likewise to Park Lane by a pinfall of 1873 to 1837; and in B Division it was Salvage over Cook's by 1763 to 1689; and Turkey Hill with only five men bowling the first two strings, took the measure of Longview by 1744 to 1665. T. H. had their anchor man for the last string, and every man got a little easier and more settled, and bowled much better than they had the other two strings. It was quite a change when Earl H. showed up. Top bowlers for the evening were: R. Pratt 343, with a 138 single; A. Henneman 323, and a single of 133; W. Terry 113 single, and a 303 total; A. Sears 307, and a 122 single; G. Smith an even 300; M. Blaine 313, with a high single of 119; G. Leclerc 131 single, and 324 total; N. Bronner 319, and a 123 single; T. Pereira had 311 total. W. Dickinson had the high single for the night at 144, and a 343 total. E. Bock 318, T. Piekara 307, F. Grover single 119, and 313 total; R. Hubbard Sr. 321, and a 118 single; J. Rush 304; Ed. Henrichon Sr. 315, and 116 single, A. Fish 314, and 116 single; Earl Henrichon bowled only one string and got 118.

Next week's finals will be between Henneman's and Jackson's in A Division, and Salvage vs Turkey Hill in B Division. The match of the evening should be the Henneman's-Jackson's final. Who will be champs?

Trophy winners in class A—High Average, R. Pratt 106 plus, 2nd High Average, H. Main 103 plus; High Single String, H. Squires 149; High Three Strings, R. Dana 380. Class B—High Average, T. Bleau 103 and 53/59ths; 2nd High Average, A. Henneman 103 and 59/74ths; High Single String, E. Vadnais 142. High Three Strings, L. Waite 367. Class C—High Average, F. Grover 98 plus; 2nd High Average, D. Perham 96 plus; High Single String, E. Lowe 133; High Three strings, J. Tolpa 345. Class B—High Average, T. Piekara 92; 2nd High Average, H. Judkins, 91 plus; High Single String, L. Geoffroy 121; High Three Strings, R. Reece 330. High Team Single string—Henneman's 681. High Team Three strings—Henneman's 1931.

The Banquet date is set for Monday, April 29, 1963 at the Quabbin Club—Refreshments before, during and after dinner. Come prepared to eat and.....talk about bowling and if I only got that strike in the last box, etc.

l. a. g.

GIRL SCOUT MINSTREL

Different organizations in town have taken turns putting on minstrel shows through the years until they sort of petered out, so one wondered if the Girl Scouts would make a go of it last Friday night, but they did. The attendance reminded one a little of the days when some patrons used to sit on the radiators.

The two end men, blacked up, and Rev. Mr. Green, the interlocutor, with his stove pipe hat, lent a minstrel show touch to it all. Sometimes Mr. Green wore his hat with a jaunty tilt, sometimes he held it, and sometimes he discarded it altogether.

The specialty numbers were varied, and the color squad added dignity and color to the occasion.

At the final curtain, those who had helped engineer the show, also went on stage, where Mrs. Jack Poole, the main spoke in the wheel, was presented flowers, and all got a big hand.

One added reason for success was probably that people do have a warm place in their hearts for the Girl Scouts.

REALTOR WINS AWARD

Mr. Ralph W. Trombly, local realtor, was presented a Multiple Listing Service Award for the first quarter of 1963, at a recent meeting of the Hampshire County Board of Realtors. The award was presented on the basis of the largest number of sales and listings made in the first quarter by an individual.

"SEWERS FOUR"

The Sewers Four held their regular meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. Wm. Lincourt last Friday. Everyone has finished their scarfs and are working on their skirts. Yvonne Cisneros was judged last week and received an excellent. The rest of our club will be judged sometime in May. A few of the girls that have met the requirements by making a skirt and scarf will start to make blouses this week, however, this is not a requirement and they are only doing the blouses because they have extra time.

Beth Ann Powers, Reporter

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ANNUAL MEETING AND LUNCHEON

The annual meeting and luncheon of the Belchertown Garden Club will be held at the Homestead Inn, Rte. 21, Ludlow, on Thursday, May 2, at 12.30 p. m.

SERVICE NOTES

USS Intrepid (FHTNC)—John C. Cook, Jr., aviation boatswain's mate airman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cook of Mill Valley Road, Belchertown, Mass., is serving aboard the anti-submarine warfare support aircraft carrier USS Intrepid, currently participating in warfare training in the Caribbean.

The training includes gunnery exercises, fire drills, air operations, general quarters drills and man overboard drills. The ship is homeported at Norfolk, Va.

COLD SPRING SCHOOL NEWS

Glee Club Program

On Monday evening, April 8, the 5th and 6th Grade Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, presented a choral program in Lawrence Memorial Hall.

Dr. Fred C. DiFriesse of Amherst taped the entire program in stero and presented the tape to the Cold Spring School. Dr. DiFriesse is a Consulting Engineer for R. C. A.

Room 3A—Mrs. Wadhams

Mrs. Wadhams has listed the objectives of third grade Arithmetic, since this is one of the most important subjects of the third school year.

The concepts and skills include notation and numeration, denominate numbers, addition, substraction, multiplication and division, the meaning of fractions, estimating and mental computation, the recognition of geometric figures, and—the major objective, problem solving.

Because of the emphasis on practical Arithmetic, the third grade pupil will benefit if allowed to take part in situations that call for measuring or computing. Counting coins, making change, measuring cooking ingredients, helping to measure materials for a home workshop project, telling time, and reading outdoor thermometers are a few of the home activities that will help the child understand the reasoning and meaning behind his daily lesson.

Room 3B—Mrs. Fox

Main Street School third grade pupils are enthusiastically developing the essential study skill of globe and map reading.

A major objective for teaching this skill is to lead the children to the realization that maps tell an interesting story. Before they can "read" the story, it is necessary to understand map legends, direction, and the use of colorations.

Pictorial maps of their classroom, bedrooms, homes and bus routes constitute our initial activities. Further practice is provided to develop and extend their interpretive skills in the use of various kinds of maps.

Frequent reference to the classroom globe extends their concept of the world—its roundness, its land and water forms, its rotation and revolution, and its size. At all times, they think of their own "place" on the globe when it is used to interpret or gain information.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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— FRIDAY —

Good Friday—3 p. m. Veneration of the cross. The annual offering for the Holy Land will be taken up today. Confessions will be heard from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 10-12 a. m., 4-6, and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. Services start at 11 p. m., with High Mass at midnight. Remember, today is a day of fast only (meat allowed once on this day), and that the Lenten Fast ends at midnight, Holy Saturday.

— SUNDAY —

Easter Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 5, 7-8. (*O! Christians Unleavened with Malice*)

The First Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Mark 16, 1-7. (*The Women at the grave—relates the Resurrection of Christ from the dead.*)

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Mark .

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There will not be any Sunday School classes this Sunday, April 14.

There will not be any released time religious classes this Thursday, due to school vacation.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

The 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass.

The Resurrection of Christ is a historical fact. When His enimies believed that they had destroyed Him, His real triumph began. To die to sin and to live with Christ is our way to victory and glorious resurrection.

Tid-Bits of Catholic History in Mass.

1630: New England made a prefecture apostolic in charge of French Capuchins.

1788: First public Mass (in Massachusetts) said in Boston on Nov. 2 by Abbe de la Poterie, first resident priest.

1870: Diocese of Springfield established.

POSTER and ESSAY CONTESTS

(Contestants clip out and save)

The fifth annual Catholic Charities Appeal, Diocese of Springfield, will be held in May. In conjunction with it, there will be two contests in which every pupil in grades 7 through 12 in the Diocese can compete.

Theme: "Gratitude: best motive for giving"

(Contestants either in the poster or essay competition should portray Our Lord in an incident of His Life in which He performs some act worthy of our gratitude—He gives us the Sacraments; He suffers every humiliation, even death for us; etc.)

Time: Both contests opened April 5 and close on May 6.

Contestants may enter *either* the Poster or Essay Contests—Not both.

The Essays & Posters:

Essays: no more than 250 words written or typed on one side of the paper.

Posters: on heavy paper or cardboard, in color, not to exceed 14" by 22".

Prizes: Winners in each Area shall be presented suitable prizes, awarded from Headquarters, at a Parish Mass in the winner's Church on Sunday, May, 19th.

Those participating in this Area:

Freshmen (B. H. S.)
- Pat Mann
- Daniel Ducharme
- Karen LaPlant
- Susan Hayward

Sophomores
- Mary Ann Brennen
- Mary Tetrault
- Robert Labrecque
- David Scott

Juniors
- Gayton Hebert
- Jeff Carr
- Cathy Ferenz

Seniors
- Veronica Hebert

— VISITOR TO ST. FRANCIS —

Rev. John J. Collins, S. J., M. A., S. S. L., will be here in Belchertown Saturday of this week. Our curate's brother is a professor of Sacred Scripture, Greek and Hebrew, at Weston College. He is also editor of New Testament Abstracts. He will assist in services during the weekend.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head of Ushers

SUNDAY, APRIL 14—EASTER

5 a. m. Sunrise Service at Quabbin tower. Special music, with message by the Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor of the local Methodist Church. Refreshments following the service at the Methodist Church. Then worship on this High Holy Day in your own Church.

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship Service. Sermon, "Incredible Joy"
Junior Sermon
Prelude, "The Easter Song" Perry
Anthem, "Open the Gates of the Temple"—the combined Methodist Youth Fellowship and Senior Choirs
Offertory, "Easter Lilies" Clark
Postlude, "Joyous Processional" Stairs

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.45 p. m. The Evensong will meet in the Church. This will be a fitting way to end this glorious Easter Day. Come and sing the Gospel Songs and hear a Gospel Message.

MONDAY, APRIL 15

8 p. m. There will be a meeting of the Vacation Bible School Committee of the Methodist and Congregational Churches at the Methodist Parsonage.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Stewardship and Finance will meet in Fellowship Hall.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will have a supper meeting in the Vestry. Earle Martin, James Lodge and Everett Sporbert are in charge of the supper. All men of the church are invited.

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

8 p. m. The Hitched and the Unhitched will meet.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

There will be a Youth For Christ Breakfast in the Methodist Church. The hour will be announced later.

COMING

MAY 5

3 p. m. The District Conference will meet at First Church, Pittsfield. Reservations for the supper will need to be in by Friday of next week.

MAY 12

The Rev. Clarence F. Avey will be the preacher at a combined service of the Belchertown and Bondsville churches.

MAY 24

The local church will have an Aldersgate Day in the local Church. This will be both a service of dedication and memorial to the Experience that shook the world and started the Evangelical Revival in the mid-18th century.

JUNE 5-9

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Easter In Us"

The Men's Bible Class will meet as usual on Sunday morning. However, other church school classes will not meet. Nursery care will be provided for very small children.

Pilgrim Fellowships

Both Pilgrim Fellowships will attend the Easter Sunrise Service on Pelham Hill. They will meet at the Parish House at 4.30 a. m. and will attend as a group. The service begins at 5 o'clock. The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will return to the Parish House for breakfast together. The Pilgrim Fellowships will not meet on Sunday evening.

V. C. S. Meeting

A Vacation Church School planning meeting will be held at the Methodist parsonage on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The planning committee is composed of representatives from the Congregational and Methodist Church Boards of Christian Education.

Home Department

The Home Department will hold its first meeting of the season on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 at the Parish House.

Women's Guild

Professor-Emeritus Vera A. Sickels, of Smith College, will talk informally on New England Folklore at the meeting of the Women's Guild on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House. Since she comes from Nantucket, many of the tales and anecdotes will have a flavor of the sea and will come from the period when Nantucket was one of the great whaling ports of the world.

Mrs. Roger Merrell will be in charge of devotions.

Hostesses for the evening include Mrs. Herbert Wood, Miss Helen Lister and Mrs. Frank Towne.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Parish House.

Grounds Cleanup

Men of the church will clean the church grounds tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. We hope many men of the church will plan to be there.

District Meeting

The annual meeting of the Hampshire District of United Church Women will be held at the Williamsburg Congregational Church on Thursday, April 25. Cars will leave from the church at 9.15 a. m. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Stanford Harrington by April 21.

Special Project Supper

The Special Women's Guild Project Supper will be held on Friday, April 26. Proceeds from this public supper will go towards the supper of Chung Yuk Sian, the Chinese orphan girl who was "adopted" by the Women's Guild.

Dates to Remember

April 28—Association P. F. Rally
May 5—Hampshire Association Annual Meeting, North Amherst
17—Chinese Dinner
17—Junior High P. F. Dance
19-21—State Conference Annual Meeting, Wellesley

WHIST PARTY

Carl Bowles of Ludlow, formerly of this town, is chairman of a committee having in charge a progressive whist party to be held in Grange Hall, Ludlow, May 17.

WASHINGTON TRIP

Tuesday, April 16

The Senior Class will leave Belchertown by bus at 9 a. m. for New York City. While in New York, the group will be staying at the Hotel Sheldon Towers, Lexington Avenue at 48th-49th St. Events while in the city will include the Radio City Music Hall, Observation Roof of Rockefeller Center and the tour of the N. B. C. Studios. Rest of the evening is free.

Wednesday, April 17

8 a. m. Leave New York City via the Lincoln Tunnel and New Jersey Turnpike for Washington, D. C. Stops to be made enroute are Philadelphia, Pa. to visit Independence Hall. A luncheon stop. Afternoon, visit U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland. Arrive Washington, D. C. late afternoon. They will be staying at the Hotel Raleigh, 12th Street, N. W. Evening is free.

Thursday, April 18

Special arrangements have been made to tour the FBI Building at 11 a. m. Plans for early morning, 8-11, as yet indefinite. Afternoon will perhaps be spent visiting Mt. Vernon and museums. 7 P. M. Board buses for night tour, visiting Ford Theatre, Lincoln Memorial, Washington Monument, Congressional Library and Archives Building.

Friday, April 19

7.45 a. m. Leave hotel to visit Bureau of Printing and Engraving, White House, guided tour of Capitol Building. See Supreme Court Building. Class picture taken in front of Capitol Building. Afternoon, visit National Cathedral, Franciscan Monastery, and if time permits, the Zoo. Evening is free.

Saturday, April 20

8 a. m. Leave Washington, D. C. for home.

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Mrs. Winslow Piper is to be congratulated on having won a Bible for answering a question correctly on the Bethany Hour, sponsored by The Assembly of God.

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P. T. A. MEETING AND CONCERT

Musical groups under the deft direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, music supervisor in the local schools, presented the annual P. T. A. concert on Monday evening at 7.30 in Memorial Hall.

The program in which 100 members of the 5th and 6th grades took part, included calypso numbers, baton twirling, square dancing, specialty numbers by small groups, and hi-fi-lo-tone selections.

The varied program was presented with the customary clock-like precision characteristic of our schools. It ended on a religious note—a Prayer, and "Oh God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand."

At the conclusion of the presentation, Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, elected president about an hour previous in the recreation room, did the honors, but Mrs. Cook had gotten ahead of everybody when she stated that the program would not have been possible without the cooperation of the teachers.

Following the program, refreshments were served not only to the P. T. A. members, but to the group of people who had presented the program, which was quite an undertaking, in view of the fact that the organization must raise money for the $100 scholarship it awards at graduation time.

Other officers elected at the business meeting were:

Vice-President Andrew Ketchen
Secretary Mrs. Robert Armstrong
Treasurer Gerald Tremaine

Mrs. Austin's room won the attendance banner.

It was announced that approximately $31 was realized on the food sale, and about $7 had been contributed to the movie deficit.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Kenneth Thayer has returned from Springfield Hospital.

Mrs. Pearly LaJoie is a patient at Providence Hospital.

Miss Katherine Bassett is a patient at Westfield Hospital.

Mrs. Frances Moore is a patient at Mary Lane Hospital.

Mrs. Louis Fuller, who has been a patient at Holyoke Hospital, returned home Wednesday, as did Miss Gertrude Riley from the same hospital.

Mrs. Carl Bowles of Ludlow, formerly of this town, is in Western Massachusetts Hospital in Westfield. Hours: Sat. and Sun., 2.30 to 4 and 7 to 8; Mon., Wed. and Fri., 7 to 8; Tues. and Thurs., 2.30 to 4.

GAINS AT LUDLOW BANK

Deposits at the Belchertown branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank at the end of the year's first quarter totaled $1,607,180, a gain of 15.7 per cent over the $1,388,286 on deposit a year ago, according to William E. Shaw, branch manager.

Deposit accounts showed an increase of 6.6 per cent—1518 accounts, as opposed to 1423 a year ago.

The mortgage portfolio at the Ludlow Savings branch was up 6 per cent. The branch, Mr. Shaw said, was servicing $648,433 in mortgages at the end of the first quarter of 1963; the corresponding figure for last year was $611,019.

GRANGE NOTES

Next Tuesday will be Neighbors' Night at Grange, with a 3 "S" program. Hardwick, Holyoke, Amherst and Loverett Granges have been invited. The refreshment committee consists of Mrs. Rose Dewey, Mrs. Helen Towne and Mrs. Agnes Samson.

The play contest run-off will be held at Ludlow Grange Hall at 8 o'clock, Saturday, April 20, when the Belchertown team, which won over Amherst, will compete with the winner in the Ludlow area.

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SERVICE NOTES

McMurdo Sound, Antarctica (FHTNC)—Roger J. Vallee, construction electrician third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vallee of Route 1, Packardville Rd., Belchertown, Mass., celebrated the 21st anniversary of the Navy's Seabees, March 9, while serving in Detachment "A", Antarctic Support Activities at McMurdo Station, Antarctica.

The Seabees are famous for their World War II exploits, when they were landed in combat areas to build support facilities under fire. They participated in every major Pacific action, clearing islands and doing the needed construction work. Since the war they have built several overseas stations, working under all conditions, from jungle heat to Arctic cold.

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You are hereby notified that on Friday, the twenty-sixth day of April, 1963, at 3 o'clock P. M., at Lawrence Memorial Hall - Collector's Office, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 53, and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Collector of Taxes, it is my intention to take for the Town of Belchertown the following parcels of land for non-payment of the taxes due thereon, with interest and all incidental expenses and costs to the date of taking, unless the same shall have been paid before that date.

LIST OF PARCELS TO BE TAKEN

Claire T. Brisbois—Taxes of 1961, $35.25. A certain tract of land containing 4.05 acres, more or less, situated on Stebbins Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1331, Page 208, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Daniel J. & Loretta M. Clifford—Taxes of 1961, $176.25. A certain tract of land situated on Warren Wright Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1336, Page 164, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Robert Simpson—Taxes of 1961, $9.40. A certain tract of land containing 13 acres, more or less, located off Munsell Street in the northerly part of Belchertown.

George L. Rainville and Francis Cambigne—Taxes of 1961, $37.60. A certain tract of land containing 40 acres, more or less, situated near Munsell Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1292, Page 210, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Annie & Franklin Fleming and Hazel F. Nichols—Taxes of 1960, $6.45. A certain tract of land containing 25 acres, more or less, known as the Chapman Lot and located in the northerly part of Belchertown.

Annie & Franklin Fleming and Hazel F. Nichols—Taxes of 1960, $4.30. A certain tract of land containing 6 acres, more or less, known as the Warner Lot and located in the northerly part of Belchertown.

ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.
Collector of Taxes
for Belchertown
April 8, 1963

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PUBLIC HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Dr. Stephen Smith, a young intern at Bellevue Hospital, New York City, N. Y., in the years 1850-1852 had his initiation into the complexities of public health problems. At this time, large numbers of typhus cases were treated. He was placed in charge of the improvised tent hospital on Blackwell's Island by the Commissioners of Charities. Although earlier while a medical student he had nearly died of typhus, the memory did not deter him from taking the new assignment. He noticed that the patients were continually being admitted from a tenement building on East 22nd Street. Upon a personal investigation of this tenement, Dr. Smith described the conditions he found. The building was in an extreme state of delapidation generally—doors and windows broken. The cellar was filled with filthy sewage. Floors were littered with decomposing straw which the occupants used for bedding. Every available place from cellar to garret was crowded with immigrants, men, women and children. The whole establishment reeked with filth and the atmosphere was heavy with the sickening odor of typhus. I found that the house was never visited by anybody who claimed to be either agent or owner, but that it was a resort of vagrants, especially of the more recent and destitute immigrants, and that they came and went without let or hinderance, generally remaining until attacked by the prevailing epidemic fever, when they were removed to the fever hospital.

I brought the condition of this tenement to the owner's attention and explained its menace to the public health as a fruitful fever nest. But the prominent man was very angry at what he declared was an interference with the management of his property, and asserted in the most emphatic manner that as the house yielded him no rent, he would'nt spend a dollar for the benefit of the miserable creatures who had so wrecked the building.

Then I visited the office of the *Evening Post* and explained the matter to Mr. William Cullen Bryant, then editor of that newspaper. He was at once interested in the failure of the city government to remedy such a flagrant evil. In the absence of *laws* and *ordinances*, Mr. Bryant proposed to make the case public in all its details, and for that purpose, suggested that the police should cause the arrest of the delinquent owner, and he would send a reporter to make notes of the case. The charge was made against the landlord, and he was required to appear at the Jefferson Market court.

On entering the court he was confronted by the reporter, pad and pencil in hand, who pressed him with questions as to his tenement house. Greatly alarmed at his situation, the owner inquired as to the purpose of the reporter and was informed that Mr. Bryant intended to publish the proceedings of the court in the *Evening Post* and to expose his thiovishness.

The man begged that no further proceedings be taken and promised the court that he would immediately make all the necessary improvements. He promptly vacated the house and made such a thorough reconstruction of the entire establishment that it became one of the most attractive tenements in the East side district. For many years that house continued to be entirely free from the ordinary contagious diseases of the tenement houses of the city. It's an interesting fact that the landlord subsequently thanked me for having compelled him to improve his tenement house where he had secured first-class tenents who paid well.

Thus, Dr. Smith early discovered the key to public health reform—the power of Public Opinion. Henceforth he realized that if he could enlist the aid of people with enough influence and intelligence to force their will on an indifferent City Hall, there was no limit to what he could accomplish. At that moment he began a planned campaign which started to bear fruit eleven years later.

This public-spirited doctor drafted the famous Metropolitan Health Law which was passed by the State legislature in 1866, due to the wave of public indignation which ensued Dr. Smith's investigations. He became Commissioner of Health from 1868-1875. His National campaign resulted in the formation of the American Public Health Association in 1871. By now Stephen Smith was attracting international attention. During the Cleveland administration he was sent to Paris to represent the United States at a World Public Health Conference.

The above article is taken from the pages of the book, *Hospital City*. A work which furnishes an outline on the growth of Bellevue Hospital and its influence on public life down through the years.

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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the insurance committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Lee Bush, Diane Pilsworth, Joy Wright and Mary Judkins; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Swann, Fred Fuller and Linda Wright; 3rd, Marion Harrington, Ruth Kempkes, Emma Grover, and Leon Geoffroy; door, Fred Fuller and Elsa Haller.

This week's party will be in charge of the membership committee, I. Shirtcliff, chairman; W. Aldrich and D. Kempkes.

PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 8.30 p. m., April 30 in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Herman Minkley for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a parcel of land owned by him at the junction of North Liberty and Bardwell Sts.

The Planning Board

A12-19

PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 8 p. m., April 30, in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Ralph Pittsley for a change of zone from Agriculture to business of a parcel of land owned by him at the junction of Amherst and Gulf Roads.

The Planning Board

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CHOSEN TO REPRESENT SALEM STATE

Miss Jane Pietryka daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pietryka of Franklin Street has been chosen to represent Salem State College at the 66th Annual Eastern Business Teachers Convention to be held at Buffalo, New York.

The Convention will be held at the Statler-Hilton Hotel in Buffalo on April 10, 11, 12, and 13. The theme of the Convention is "Business Education for the Challenge Ahead."

Miss Pietryka and one other student from Salem State will represent the College throughout the Convention. The program includes such prominent keynote speakers as Dr. James R. Taylor of Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan, who is widely known in educational, business, and professional circles.

Miss Pietryka will leave from Logan Airport by First-class and will stay at convention headquarters, Statler-Hilton Hotel. All expenses will be incurred by the organization sponsoring Miss Pietryka.

In addition to the fine professional program that will keep everyone up to date in business education, the local committees have planned a variety of activities for the convention delegates pleasure and convenience—included a tour of neighboring Niagara Falls and Canada.

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PLAY

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Crisafulli), Louie and his partner in crime wife, portrayed very well by Kenneth Hale and Sandra Shaw. Connie Maxwell (Lee Mullane) tries her best to subvert Grover Jennings into asking her to the freshman "flingding," only to be tricked by Wilbur and his ever present bosom pal "Here".

As if forgotten, the couch returned as the center of excitement when unsuspecting Lee Mullane slid gracefully to the floor as it collapsed under her.

Closing the play, the family tree is found to contain no blemishes for the Maxwell family and Betty Lou (Jo-Anne Barrett) who started it all, receives the information she has awaited so long—she is related to Elizabeth "Barrett" Browning, the famous poet!

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MRS. FRED D. WALKER, JR.

Mrs. Grace (Harris) Walker of 67 Pleasant Street, South Weymouth, Mass., died on Wednesday, April 3, after a prolonged illness.

Born in Calais, Me., she moved to Belchertown, Mass., after marriage to Fred Dudley Walker, Jr., in 1914.

She made her home here while her husband served overseas during World War I. Following the war, she joined the Order of Eastern Star, Mount Vernon Chapter, No. 97. She had the distinction of being the first President of the American Legion Auxiliary here in town.

She spent the greatest part of her life in Roslindale, and became active in the Eastern Star and Rainbow Girls, serving as Worthy Matron and Mother Advisor.

She is survived by her husband, Fred Dudley Walker, Jr., a son, Fred Dudley Walker, 3rd, of South Weymouth, and a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Walker Wolfe of Wollaston, 10 grandchildren and one great grandson.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 6, at 11 a. m. at the Folsom Funeral Chapel, Roslindale. The Rev. Herbert M. Worthly of the Roslindale Congregational Church officiated. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Belchertown.

TOWN ITEMS

Word has been received in town of the birth of a son last week Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Barker of Springfield. Mrs. Barker is the former Carol Menard, formerly of this town.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT NOTES

Three members of the School Department were authorized to attend conferences during the month of April by the School Committee at the recent meeting.

Supt. of Schools Carl Peterson will attend the 48th annual conference for Massachusetts superintendents of schools at Bridgewater State College on the 17th and 18th. The theme of the conference will be "A century and a quarter of educational achievement." There will be panel discussion on educational developments and educational financial problems.

Mrs. James Mullane, cafeteria manager, will attend a spring school lunch workshop at Ludlow High School from the 16th through the 18th. Mrs. Arlan Skinner of the cafeteria staff will also attend the workshop.

These two conferences fall during the spring vacation. Edward F. Burgess, guidance director at the high school, will attend the National Convention of American Personnel and Guidance Association in Boston on the 8th and 9th. Mr. Burgess is a member of the association and its two subsidary affiliates, the American School Counselor and the American Vocational Guidance Association.

The committee granted the marbles tournament committee permission to construct outdoor rings at Cold Spring, Franklin and Center Schools.

The board has appointed Mrs. Isaac Hodgen as a third grade teacher to replace Mrs. Anita Kirk, who has resigned because of health reasons.

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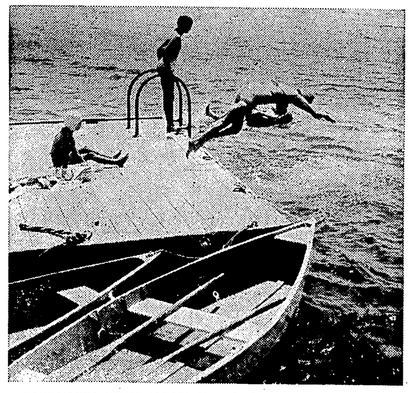

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **ROBERT THORNE JONES**, also known as **ROBERT T. JONES**, of Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tu't, II, Register

Apr. 5-12-19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **STANLEY J. STOKOSA** of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.

The guardian of said **STANLEY J. STOKOSA** has prescented to said Court her twelfth account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this c'tation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tu't, II, Register

Apr. 5-12-19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **LAFAYETTE W. AYERS, SR.**, also known as **LAFAYETTE W. AYERS**, late of Be'chertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **CHARLES E. AYERS** of Be'chertown in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esqu're, Judge of said Court, this second day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tu't, II, Register

Apr. 5-12-19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ELIZABETH L. LYON**, also known as **E. LOUISE LYON** and **LOUISE LYON**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **KENNETH B. BOWEN** of Williamsburg, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esqu're, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of April, 1963.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
First Sunday After Easter
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m..
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Club Open Meeting in Parish House at 8 p. m.
Evening Group of WSCS with Mrs. Anna Witt.
C.W.C. Meeting at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room.

WEDNESDAY

Lions Club at Daisy Mae Restaurant.
C. C. D. Executive Board Meeting at 7.30 p. m. at St. Francis.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Story Hour at Library at 3.15 p. m.
Cub Scout Food Sale on Common.
O. E. S. Installation.
Women's Guild Public Project Supper at Congregational Parish House.

SATURDAY

Square Dance in Memorial Hall. Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Hitched and Unhitched with Mrs. Alice Wildey at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Youth-For-Christ Breakfast at the Methodist Church.
Square Dance Club Annual Meeting in Legion Hall.
Police Association Record Hop.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Apr. 29
B. H. S. Fourth Annual Spring Concert in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Men's Bowling Banquet.
Annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association.

May 2
Annual meeting and Luncheon of the Garden Club at the Homestead Inn at 12.30 p. m.

May 3
Square Dance in Legion Hall.
Legion Variety Show.

May 4
Marbles Tournament at Parsons Field.

May 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.

May 19
C.W.C. Annual Communion Breakfast.

May 20
P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper.

May 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper

June 8
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.

June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

OPEN TOMORROW

It is announced that the mooring areas at Quabbin will open tomorrow, although it had not been thought possible by reason of ice near those areas. Warm days evidently made a difference.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Jane Flaherty is on the dean's list at Westfield State College, where she is a Senior.

SENIORS ON CLASS TRIP

The following are the members of the Senior Class who left Tuesday, April 16, on the annual Washington Class Trip:

Alden, Barbara	Hurd, Carol
Barrett, Joanne	Kempkes, Donald
Barry, William	Ketchen, Dexter
Bergeron, Russell	Kilpatrick, Jean
Carmody, Francine	Kimball, Richard
Cook, Sharyn	Krause, William
Crisafulli, Linda	Krol, Thomas
Croteau, Sandra	Lamoureux, Lee
Cutting, Robert	Malmstedt, William
Daigle, Lorraine	Marshall, Barbara
Dobson, Daniel	May, Joan
Dunn, Kathleen	Mullane, Lee
Dupuis, Ann	Pietryka, Frank
Ferenz, Richard	Piper, Linda
Fielder, Carole	Shattuck, Susan
Fielder, William	Shaw, Sandra
Goodrow, Frances	Sroka, Michael
Hale, Kenneth	Tetrault, Elaine
Hawkins, Byron	Theroux, Carl
Hayward, Patricia	Wheble, Ronald
Hebert, Veronica	Zobka, William

Chaperons for the group included: Mr. James O'Leary, Mrs. Ruby Martin and Mrs. Claire Oberly.

MARBLES TOURNAMENT

The last Belchertown marble clinic was held last Saturday, April 13. Winners were Glen Armstrong—75; Corbin Armstrong—25; and Fred Fitzgerald—25.

So far, 21 boys have signed up.

Saturday, the 20th of April, work will start on three new rings at Parsons Field. Anyone interested in joining in the fun of helping to erect these rings is cordially invited.

It is proposed that one ring will be built at a later date at Franklin School, and one at Dwight.

The marbles tournament will be held at Parsons Field on Saturday, May 4, time to be announced.

This entry form must be filled out by all newcomers and returned to John Bailey, Russell Robinson or Barney Tolpa by Monday, April 29, 1963. Winner and runner-up of this tournament will be required to submit birth certificate to enter the finals at Springfield, Mass.

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CHAMBER CONTRIBUTES CONTAINERS

The Chamber of Commerce has purchased six rubbish containers, which have been installed in the center of the town—one at the new post-office, one on the tree belt, opposite Morey's, two at the south end of the common, and two on what was once post-office row.

We understand that the town agreed to keep the containers emptied if the Chamber would purchase them.

The Chamber purchased containers some years back, but these smaller ones were later discarded.

GARDEN CLUB ANNUAL MEETING AND LUNCHEON

The annual meeting and luncheon of the Garden Club will be held at the Homestead Inn, Ludlow, on Thursday, May 2, at 12.30. Members please make reservations with Mrs. Blake Jackson or Miss Ethel Corliss before April 23. Transportation will be provided and cars will leave the Library at 12 noon.

The Club has received an invitation from the Amherst Garden Club to attend their meeting this afternoon for a talk on "Arrangements."

RED CROSS REPORT

Belchertown people have responded well to the Annual Red Cross Drive. A total of $602.77 has been received and turned in at headquarters at Northampton. About 45 people served as canvassers. Thank you one and all.

Helen F. Lister
Alma S. Lindquist
Co-Chairmen

PUBLIC SUPPER AT PARISH HOUSE

The special Women's Guild Project Supper will be held on Friday, April 26 at 6.30 p. m. in the Parish House. Proceeds from this public supper will go towards the support of Chung Yuk Sian, a little Chinese girl located in Hong Kong, who was "adopted" by the Women's Guild. The cost for her support is $120 per year.

The committee in charge of this supper is Mrs. William Chevalier, Chairman; Mrs. Harold Cook, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. Conrad Kirby, Jr.; Mrs. William Cook, Mrs. Howard Knight, and Mrs. Martha Heilmann.

The menu consists of scolloped potato, casseroles, beans, cole slaw, pickles, rolls, pie and coffee. Prices—60 cents for adults, and 40 cents for the children.

STORY HOUR AT LIBRARY

In observance of National Library Week, next week, Clapp Memorial Library invites all children of the first six grades to a story hour next week Friday, April 26, at 3.15, when Mrs. Marianna Rowe of the Greenfield Regional Library Center at Greenfield, will be the story teller.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The club dance this month will be at the Legion Hall. This will be a closed dance, so we can start off our annual meeting early. The committee for the banquet to be held at the Chateau Harmony in Granby is Royal and Jessie Gay, Cal and Dot Ewell, and Elimore Courigan. It is necessary to ask $1.00 a person to reserve your seat at the banquet. This is to be paid to Royal or Jessie Gay by April 20.

The refreshment committee is Frank and Claire Nute, chairmen, the Maurers, the Bowens, and the Tetraults.

TALENT WANTED

Talent is wanted for the American Legion Variety Show to be held May 3. Anyone interested, please contact one of the following:

Mabel Depot	323-6358
Everett Plant	323-6255
Frank Goodrow	323-7415
Mitchell Sroka	323-6393

FIRES CAUSED HECTIC DAY

Monday was a hectic day for the fire department, as there were fires all over the place, one after the other, and all thoroughly covered by the daily press.

The worst was the loss of the Loftus barn with a loss of 8 heifers, 10 tons of hay, and farm machinery, all valued at $20,000 to $25,000.

Had it not been for water from a pond dug by Loftus two years ago, it is believed that the house might not have been saved. After four hours of pumping, the water level went down only a half-inch.

Another bad fire, of the many that day, was a fire which burned over nearly 60 acres of scrub land off of Hamilton Rd., which runs along the area bordering the tracks of the Central Vermont Railroad, and was no doubt started by sparks from a passing train on these tracks.

With some wonderment about Chief Fuller being able to continue as chief, due to the new "conflict of interest" law, one can at least sense the fact that with days such as Monday, there would be plenty of conflict with his insurance business, and he could be excused if he wanted to get out from under.

Nation's Progress In Twenty Years: From Ration Books To Stamp Books

If you think you have lots of problems this spring, consider what folks had on their minds a short twenty years ago.

While thumbing through some *Sentinels* this weekend, I came across these gems from the column of March 12, 1943. Can you remember your ration books and your red and blue points? Now we have trading stamps instead!

Rational Rhymes

I have a little Ration Book that goes
in and out with me,
And what can be the use of it is more
than I can see.
I took it forth from home one day
and over to the store;
It got me two small pounds of prunes,
and left me eight points more.

* * * *

Multiplication is vexation
And so is A B C,
For two times two is sauerkraut
And peas is ten plus three.

* * * *

Eight and forty blue points
Looking proud and plenty,
Mother got some Lima Beans—
Then there were twenty.
Twenty healthy blue points
Dreading now the worst,
Mother got some Raisins—
No more till April first!

* * * *

Sing a song of six points,
Will you buy anything?
A little can of Campbell's Soup
To set before the king.

* * * *

Poor old Pop-Eye,
Saddest of champs!
His size in spinach
Will take all his stamps.

* * * *

Has It Been Twenty Years Since "Hamburg Club" Met Here?

Further along in the same 1943 bound volume of *Sentinels* (August 13) I rediscovered a versified account of a summer activity quite different from any you are likely to have this year. It is really not exaggerated, but a faithful "copy from life." Mr. Quink was then proprietor of the Belchertown Market, where Mike now sells his meats and hands out his green stamps without fuss or flurry. There is still often a "club-like atmosphere" in the Market, but no formally appointed time of meetings!

The Hamburg Hour

Oh Belchertown it is the town
And Friday is the day
When all good dames for miles
aroun'
Give up their work and play,

And though the time is only two
They start upon a run;
Their housework only half-way
through,
Their dishes just begun.

They jump into the family car
(For *pleasure* this is *not*)
And leave their men-folk where they
are,
Contented with their lot.

Or if they live in easy reach
They gallop up the street—
The maples echo with the screech
Of brakes, the clomp of feet.

And some there be of tender age,
And some of full three-score;
And some who stalk in angry rage,
And some with smiles galore.

And some be thin and some be fat,
And some half-way between;
But all know what they're aiming at
In this half-crazed routine.

And some there be who softly damn
Both Roosevelt and Brown
For causing such a warlike jam
In such a peaceful town.

But spite of all their blistered heels
And sundry sorts of grief
(Each one will tell you how *she*
feels!)
They join the race for *beef*.

And soon they gather, short of puff,
Outside a fast-closed door,
Where they must stand in growing
huff
For several minutes more.

Until at last right up the road,
With face all rosy pink,
Here comes the owner with his load,
The once-so-jolly Quink.

Yes, he *was* once as nice a chap
As any in the nation,
Before there landed in his lap
This ration regulation.

He'd always greet you with a smile
Whatever your position,
But that was back a little while—
His ruined disposition

Is due to meeting *her* and *her*
Who cause his head to ache
With "They've got it up to Amherst,
sir."
Or "Ain't there no more steak?"

"You *said* I could have bottom round
And all you've got is flank!"
"Please just give me one more pound;
You know *me*, dontcha, Frank?"

Or "What the heck!" or "Why in
—!"
Or "Hang the luck!" or "—"!
Or "No more pot roasts? Well!
Well!! "Well!!"
Or "Ain't they *making* ham?"

He's heard 'em smooth, he's heard
'em rough,
(He's been here since Depression.)
So now he simply serves his stuff
With no change of expression.

He stands behind his counter there
And cuts and weighs and counts
And waves his keen knife in the air
And slices off an ounce.

Unchanged his face, his smile is set,
He's neither gay nor vext.
Each dame may take what she can get
And then he murmurs, "Next!"

By now the gals are all inside,
To waiting they're resigned;
For they have learned how to decide
Who's first and who's behind.

And each one has her ration books,
And each one has her purse,
And each one checks her neighbor's
looks,
And thinks, "I might look worse."

So now there isn't much to do
But stand and lean and chat,
With "Did you hear?" and "Is it
true?"
And "What do you think of that!"

This "Friday P. M. Hamburg Club"
Is quite a sight to see,
A gathering one might well dub
An "Afternoon Beef Tea!"

It is besides a little school,
With order well preserved,
For those who need to learn the rule
Of "First Come and First Served."

For she who thinks she has the right
To swipe another's place
Will meet the angry public might
And earn a reddened face.

So one by one they reach the goal
For which they've long been bound,
Some take it sliced, some take it
whole,
But most, they take it ground.

And any cow should well be proud
And modest pleasure take
To see this eager, hungry crowd
All waiting for her steak.

So one by one they seize their prize
And squeeze back out the door,
And look at watch and realize
That it is almost four.

But what is time and what is sweat,
And what are aching feet?
As long as we can sometimes get
Our share of beef to eat!

And Quink he sees the last one go,
Surveys his counters bare,
Arranges cold-cuts in a row,
And takes time out to swear.

For now he faces Saturday
With nothing much to sell,
With "No, I'm sorry, ma'am," to say,
And "Yes, Joe, war is hell!"

But he is sure, whate'er betide,
Like drouth or frost or shower,
When Friday comes, he will provide
The weekly "Hamburg Hour."

* * * *

Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * * *

"Growth of Man-like Growth of
Nature—
Gravitates within—
Atmosphere, and Sun endorse it—
But it stirs—alone—
"Each—its difficult Ideal
Must achieve—Itself—
Through the solitary prowess
Of a Silent Life—
"Effort—is the sole condition—
Patience of Itself—
Patience of opposing forces—
And intact Belief—
"Looking on—is the Department
Of its Audience—
But Transaction—is assisted
By no Countenance—"

Emily Dickinson

Bob Jackson

LIONS CLUB

The next meeting of the Lions Club will be at the Daisy Mae Restaurant, Wednesday, April 24, when there will be election of officers.

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Sophomore Patriots' Day wi[illegible] Belding Jackson in charge of the pro[illegible]gram was "largely attended" and "[illegible] great success." These parties are some[illegible]thing new in town for students onl[illegible] (although parents are invited) wi[illegible] the purpose of drawing the pupils to[illegible]gether for social purposes. The Fresh[illegible]men will have charge of the party fo[illegible] next month.

The Common received a goo[illegible] cleaning. After one man found [illegible] fifty cent piece, some one scattered [illegible] few pennies around to encourag[illegible] more active raking. The cleaning ha[illegible] one new feature. There was "stump[illegible] pulling or rather stake pulling" (th[illegible]operation was a "bit amusing"). Th[illegible] Grange served a "most bountiful[illegible] dinner."

Forty boys from the Center Gra[illegible]mar and Intermediate rooms beautifie[illegible] the grounds of the school building.

Addison D. Moore, Sr. died at [illegible] ripe old age at the home of his elde[illegible] daughter in Palmer. For many yea[illegible] he lived in the Turkey Hill distr[illegible] and carried on his "famous mo[illegible] decoration business". He was also [illegible] authority on Astronomy and Ancie[illegible] History. He and his wife celebrat[illegible] their golden wedding anniversary [illegible] 1915.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Twenty persons participa[illegible] ("More or less") in the raking of t[illegible] Common. The new job this year w[illegible] the clearing away of the gravel b[illegible]rier, bounding the skating rink.

Harold B. Ketchen resumed [illegible] garage business on Everett Aven[illegible] This business was lately run by Alb[illegible] Markham.

The Congregational Church ent[illegible]tained the Hampshire Associati[illegible] The Moderator of the meeting w[illegible] the Rev. Albert Penner of Northam[illegible]ton.

TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. Mary A. Cook who had li[illegible] in Belchertown for forty years died [illegible] the age of 85. She was a loyal me[illegible]ber of the Congregational Church [illegible] a 25-year member of Union Grange.

"Grandma" Mrs. Clifton John[illegible] spoke on her "Round the world" [illegible] with "true Johnsonian color." [illegible] gave many delightful word picture[illegible]

Miss Ella Griggs Smith who w[illegible] born in Belchertown, died at the [illegible] of 96.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sessions c[illegible]brated their 40th wedding anniv[illegible]sary.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

Basketball has come to a close and the Blue Eagles came out with a 500 average: 9 wins—9 losses. The last game was played on April 6, and the Eagles topped the New Braintree Swishes to finish on a victorious note. According to their coach, Jon Rose, the boys deserve a round of applause for their concerted team effort for the season.

The Mothers' Club from Emmanuel Church in Springfield met at B. S. S. on Wednesday, April 10, to listen to your reporter talk on Volunteer activities. Although many of these people cannot come to school to work directly with the children (due to little ones at home), they were delighted to learn about many projects that could be done in an out-service way, and left here full of enthusiasm and plans for the future.

The Belchertown State School members of the Massachusetts State Employees' Association met in the Employees' Club Room on April 11 at 8 p. m. Harlan Rhodes, institutional representative, presided. Mr. Rhodes listed bills of interest to state employees and their current status, and announced that the list of bills would be posted at the canteen. A petition asking support of the proposed salary increase for state employees was signed by all present.

Favorable consideration was given to the appointment of committees to increase efficiency in the fields of membership, legislation, by-law revision and distribution of the Newsletter. A social hour followed the business meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Marie Carmody. A May meeting is planned.

"Grandma Longears" and "Twinkle-nose Grover", aided and abetted by Volunteer groups, delivered 693 Easter baskets, plus place-mats, fancy bonnets and tray favors to the youngsters this year. Speaking of Easter—if the rainy season ever arrives, and Lou Fuller can come up for air—ask him to tell you his "Ether thtory" !

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Another bowling season has ended and the Champions of the League in A Division is Henneman's; they beat Jackson's team by a score of 1813 to 1751—with some fine bowling by G. Smith, who had a 334 three string total against R. Robinson's 323 for Jackson's. Other bowlers to hit the "300" mark were A. Sears 313, R. Pratt 312, P. Menard 302, K. Main 301. In B. Division Roll-off, Salvage had an easy time with Turkey Hill. Salvage got a total pinfall of 1728 compared to 1689 for Turkey Hill—J. Bodzinski was high three strings for this match with a 310, followed by T. Knight with 305. B. Ross just missed by 1 pin, while no one hit "300" for the "chicken pluckers."

Trophies will be properly engraved and will be presented to the winning teams at the banquet April 29th, which will be held at the Quabbin Club.

Many bowlers have asked for a one ball tournament. Next Monday, April 22, has been set as the date for such a tournament and the prize is a very handsome trophy donated by Mr. J. Rolla and will be awarded to the bowler having the highest total for three strings. The nominal fee of $1.00 (One Dollar) will be charged each bowler taking part in the event.

l. a. g.

BACK FROM ARKANSAS

The Loflands returned recently from a winter spent mostly in Hot Springs, Arkansas, and are now back in business here. The Bait shop operator claims to have taken hot baths and is now washed up and ready to go. He says that with 43 days of horse racing where he has been, folks could get washed up in more ways than one.

Some of the stops of the Loflands were at South Bend, Indiana; Pattonsburg, and Kansas City, Missouri; and Memphis, Tenn.

TO ATTEND OPEN HOUSE

Mr. E. H. Burgess, of B. H. S., will be among over 300 New England school officials to attend the third biannual "Open House" at East Coast Aero Technical School, Hanscom Field, Lexington, Mass., Thursday, May 2nd.

Registration will be at 11 a. m., and a luncheon will be served in one of the large hangars at 12 noon. There will be a brief speaking program, but in the main, the day will be devoted to exhibits and demonstrations in the various classrooms and shops utilized in the school's training program. There will be a "static" display of four or five of the newest Air Force planes and equipment. Also planned are flight demonstrations of modern aircraft.

POULTRY CLUB

The 4-H Poultry Club met at the home of Thomas Krol recently. The meeting was called to order by Krol. There was discussion about having a chicken barbecue this summer, and also having another roller skating party on April 24.

Mrs. Wenzel read a letter from the 4-H Chicken Club of Massachusetts. We had three orders signed. We separated into two groups. The meeting closed at 10 p. m.

Raymond Breton, Jr., Secretary

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

Mrs. Jack Poole, director of the recent Girl Scout Minstrel Show, wishes to thank all who in any way contributed to the success of the show—the people who loaned costumes; the various committees, such as make-up, scenery, stage, costume, candy and tickets; the end men and Rev. Green; the pianist, Mrs. Whipple; the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts; the girls themselves and the public in particular.

During the recent cookie sale, the Girl Scouts sold more than 149 cartons of cookies, 1,789 individual packages. More than $70 will be returned to the troops for their individual needs and program. Of the share retained by the Council, a large portion is reserved for campersships. This year, of the $1,500 allotted by the Council, about $150 is reserved for campersships to Belchertown Girl Scouts. This is an unusually high percentage, as there are nearly 200 girls applying for campership aid.

Mrs. John Hubbard was the Neighborhood Cookie Chairman for Belchertown. Mrs. Arthur Henneman was the Area Cookie Coordinator, and is chairman of the Pioneer Valley Girl Scout Council Campership Committee.

B. H. S. NOTES

An Awards Assembly was held at the High School on Thursday, April 11, when Varsity letters and certificates were presented to the Varsity and Junior Varsity Basketball and Cheerleading teams.

Francine Carmody, Captain of the Varsity Cheerleaders, presented awards to the cheerleading team as follows: Varsity—Joanne Barrett, Patricia Very, Joanne Gould, Linda Martin, Jane Skinner and Sandra Dunbar. Junior Varsity—Ann Marie Dupuis, Lee Mullane, Carol Fielder, Sandra Field, Mary Samson, Nancy Lonczak and Carol Dana.

Mr. O'Leary presented Varsity and Junior Varsity Basketball awards to the following:

Varsity—Dexter Ketchen, Captain; Byron Hawkins, Merle Green, Gayton Hebert, Michael Oberly, Warren Barrett, Todd Gentile, Andrew Juskalian, Joseph Lemire, Michael Mathras, David Supczak and Richard McCallum; Managers Carl Theroux, Robert Cutting, David Depot, Jeffrey Carr and Ernest Gay; and Statisticians Frances Goodrow and Carol Fielder.

A trophy was also presented to Michael Mathras, captain of the Intramural Basketball Championship Team.

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

First Sunday After Easter
(Low Sunday)

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 John 5, 4-10.

The First Epistle of St. John the Apostle.

Gospel—John 20, 19-31. (*Relates the appearance of Jesus Christ to the Apostles after the Resurrection.*)

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

The 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass.

Despite all convincing proofs, many doubting Thomases are still saying, "I will not believe." We should repeat the words of the believing Thomas, "My Lord and My God," as often as we lift our eyes up to the Blessed Sacrament.

— SPECIAL COLLECTION —

This Sunday, April 21, the second passing of the basket will be for the work in Africa of the White Sisters. Two of the Sisters will be with us on this day. A little about them and their work—Founded in 1869, at Algiers, Algeria, by Cardinal Lavigerie; in the United States in 1929. Their General motherhouse is located in Rome, and in the U. S., Metuchen, New Jersey. They work in the Educational field in both the U. S. and Africa with hospital work as well.

— RELEASED TIME CLASSES —

There will be Released Time classes on Thursday, April 25, from 12.30 to 1.45 p. m.

— HOLIDAY DISPENSATION —

Meat may be taken today, April 19, Patriot's Day. This dispensation was granted by Bishop Weldon for the Springfield Diocese.

POSTER and ESSAY CONTESTS

Additional names of those participating in the Essay & Poster contests held in conjunction with the fifth annual Catholic Charities Appeal in the Springfield Diocese are: 7th grade, Essay—Louise Austin, Margurite Brennen, Margaret Langevin, Diane Lepine, James Lovett, Patrick Mann, Robert Mongeon, and Wayne Willey; 8th grade, Essay—John Civello, Louise Barry, Joe Spooner, George Opalenik, Donna Wadsworth, Phil Dahlgren, James Joyal, Dennis Leja, Robert Forest, Earl McCallum, and Kenneth Miron—Poster, Donald Vanasse, Becky Davin, Linda Lagrant, Linda Martin, Patricia Tageroux, and Edw. Zawistowski.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 21

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship.
Sermon, "Easter Vistas"
Junior Sermon
Prelude, "Tree of the Wood" Clarke
Anthem, "O Jesus I Have Promised" Walter
Offertory, "Song of Peace" Overholt
Postlude, "Grand Processional" Sergisson

5 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall. All Junior Highers are welcome to join this Fellowship. Mrs. Bruce Pierce and Mrs. Earl Henrichon are leaders of this group.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.45 p. m. The Evensong will meet in the Church. Preaching from the Book of Romans will continue. Gospel singing and preaching. All welcome.

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet at the home of Mrs. Alice Wildey on South Main Street.

MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY, APRIL 22-27

Mr. Green will deliver the Morning Devotions over Radio Statio WHMP, Northampton.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

Evening Group of WSCS with Mrs. Anna Witt. Note change from program book.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will meet in Fellowship Hall.

COMING

APRIL 30

9.45 a. m. The Annual Spring Meeting of the District Women's Society of Christian Service will be held at the First Methodist Church in Pittsfield. Reservation deadline for the luncheon is April 23rd. Baby sitting care will be provided.

MAY 5

3 p. m. The District Conference will meet at the First Methodist Church in Pittsfield.

"Our youth now loves luxury. They have bad manners, contempt for authority, disrespect for older people. Children nowadays are tyrants . . . They contradict their parents, chatter before company, gobble their food and tyrannize their teachers."

—Socrates, 400 B. C.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "The Art of Going to Church"

The preacher for the morning will be the Rev. Leslie Wadsworth, minister of the First Church of Christ (Congregational), in Granby. This is a pulpit exchange, as in previous years, with Mr. Varga preaching in Granby.

Junior High Fellowship

"The Meaning of Hymns in a Worship Service" will be the subject for discussion at the meeting of the Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship on Sunday afternoon at 5.30.

Senior High Fellowship

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the Parish House.

P. F. Officers

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship officers will meet on Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the Parish House.

Board of Christian Education

The Board of Christian Education will meet on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Double or Nothing

Miss Winnifred Curtis, of Greenfield, will present "The Passion Play of Omerammergau" at the meeting of the Double or Nothing Club on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting will be held in the Parish House. All parish members are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served following the program.

Women's District Meeting

The annual meeting of the Hampshire District of United Church Women will be held at the Williamsburg Congregational Church on next Thursday. Cars will leave the church at 9.15 a. m. Reservations for transportation and luncheon should be made with Mrs. Stanford Harrington by Sunday.

Project Supper

(see front page article)

Laymen's Council

The Hampshire County Laymen's Council will hold its annual banquet and annual meeting at the Hadley Congregational Church on next Friday, April 26, at 6.15 p. m. The speaker will be Mr. William Stringfellow, outstanding New York lawyer and layman, who will speak on "The Simplicity of the Christian Life."

The cost of the chicken pie supper is $1.50, and tickets may be purchased from Sidney Wheeler or Earl Gray, our Laymen Representatives.

Baptisms

Parents desiring the Sacrament of Baptism for their children on Mother's Day, May 12, should speak to Mr. Varga as soon as possible.

Dates to Remember

April 28—Association P. F. Rally
May 5—Hampshire Association Annual Meeting
May 17—Junior High P. F. Dance
17(?)—Chinese Dinner
19-21—State Conference Annual Meeting

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SERVICE NOTES

Great Lakes, Ill. (FHTNC)—Walter F. Leja, Jr., 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Leja, Sr. of Turkey Hill Rd., Belchertown, Mass., completed recruit training, March 15, at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the nine-week indoctrination to Navy life, recruits are trained in physical fitness, basic military law, military drill, customs and etiquette of the naval service, swimming and survival, first aid, and seamanship.

Each recruit receives tests and interviews to determine future training and assignments.

Seoul (AHTNC)—Pfc. Clarence E. Robinson, Jr., whose parents live on Springfield Rd., Belchertown, Mass., recently attended a five-day religious retreat at the Eighth U. S. Army Religious Retreat Center near Seoul, Korea.

The purpose of the retreat is to provide the soldier with the opportunity to meditate and discuss religious matters with a chaplain of his faith.

Robinson, a supply specialist in the 7th Quartermaster Company, entered the Army in September, 1961, and completed basic combat training at Fort Dix, N. J.

The 24-year-old soldier is a 1956 graduate of Springfield (Mass.) Trade High School.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. Earnest E. Chamberlain of Rockrimmon Road, has returned home after being a patient at the Noble Hospital, Westfield.

Mrs. George Carpenter is a patient at Ludlow Hospital.

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PUBLIC HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Second article on the untiring efforts put under way, with the goal to bringing about better health for all.

This move started about ten years before the Civil War and gained momentum when it became realized as the one great thrust essential for clearing the way to the portals of progress.

—From the pages of *Hospital City* —the story of Bellevue Hospital, New York City, N. Y.

Meanwhile, Dr. Smith became a visiting surgeon at Bellevue. He quickly became known for his courtesy and gentleness with his patients, at a time when a brusque, or even forbidding bedside manner was considered proper.

Among other things, Dr. Smith was early converted to the doctrine of surgical asepsis as expounded by Lister, and stuck to his guns despite witticisms and mordant comments from many of his colleagues. He found, after experimenting with asepsis, that his incisions remained relatively free from pus, and healed quickly and cleanly. Others, convinced by the evidence of their eyes, followed suit.

But, all this while, he never lost sight of what privately had become his larger objective: to reduce the incidence of disease in New York by cleaning up the city. The very sight of fat politicians, he once confided, made his hackles rise. He sensed that first they must be subdued before the physical situation could be dealt with. His first serious step toward this end was to recruit interested doctors and laymen into a group who called themselves the Sanitary Association.

Just prior to and through the Civil War years, the Sanitary Association regularly introduced health bills in the city legislature, bills which were as regularly defeated or tabled. Chief source of opposition was the city inspector's office, which would have had no jobs to sell had Dr. Smith's proposals gone through. However, far from discouraging Dr. Smith, this resistence only steeled him to greater effort.

Coming out even farther into the open, he became prime mover in the organization of the Citizen's Association, which had a membership of a hundred of the city's most prominent figures, and Peter Cooper as its president, Dr. Smith saw to it that two investigating committees were appointed, one on law, the other on medicine.

He now ran headlong into the Tweed ring. This was Boss Tweed's heyday, the most corrupt period in New York history, when five men were hired to do the work of one, with all growing fat on the municipal payroll. Dr. Smith's inquiries soon revealed the fact that New York had no effective sanitation administration at all. There were several departments with health-connected duties, but all were staffed by politicians without the least knowledge of public health, or even interested in it. There was a board of health only when the aldermen were summoned to meet as such. And Mayor Fernando Wood had so poor an opinion of this board that when a cholera epidemic was threatening, he is reported to have said, "I will not convene the Board of Health, for I consider it more dangerous to the city than the cholera itself." In addition to the board, there was a health commissioner with practically no well-defined duties. The city physician attended a few cases of sickness among the poor.

The real boss of the city's sanitation setup was the head of the street cleaning department. This fortunate fellow had an appropriation of slightly less than a million dollars a year. One of the duties of his department was to make a periodic sanitary inspection of the city, and for this purpose he appointed a full-time crew of "health wardens" complete with badges and special privileges. At the insistence of the Citizen's Association, a committee of the legislature tested the qualifications of these ubiquitous gentlemen, and found that 20 per cent of them were tavern-owners and more than half of the rest had trained for their work by serving drinks in New York's bars. One health warden was asked to define the word "hygiene" and responded with this gem: "The vapor which rises from stagnant water." Another was asked to describe his procedure when he was called to examine a case of contagious disease. "I make everybody come out in the street," he answered, "and I give my orders there, which are to burn sulphur. I never go into the house: it might spread the disease."

—Adelyn B. Stacy, R. N.

AFFILIATE FORMED HERE

At a gathering of 60 adult campers at the Robin Farm camping area here, a chapter was born to affiliate with the New England Family Campers Association. Dick William, executive director of the NEFCA and editor of the organization's magazine, "Campfire Chatter," was in charge of the meeting until the campers voiced approval in joining the union and set in motion the task of electing the first slate of officers.

The new chapter of NEFCA will be henceforth recognized in the records as the "Site-Seekers" and constitutes the 51st chapter of its kind to organize and become affiliated with the New England Family Campers Association.

The first officers of the new chapter are: Presidents, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Tetrault of Palmer (they were the ones who originated the idea to form a camping unit in the area, and urged everyone to get behind the project); vice-presidents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gurecki of Wilbraham; secretaries, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Leandro of Three Rivers; and treasurers, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carpenter of Amherst. The directors will be Mr. and Mrs. James Moriarty of Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shea of Wilbraham, and Mr. and Mrs. Fran Reim of Palmer. It was voted to charge annual dues of $1 per family, per year. Members who want to sign up at the next meeting can do so by submitting their names and dues to the Carpenters at 108 High Street, Amherst.

The first official business meeting of the "Site-Seekers" will come on Sunday, May 5, at the Robin Farm camping area at 7.30 p. m. The meeting will be recognized as the "charter meeting," at which time the Pioneer Valley Chapter, sponsors of the "Site-Seekers", chapter 51, will present the charter. Those enrolled at the time will be put on the list as charter members. Dues will be accepted, and others who wish to join a group which enjoys outdoor life and camping, are invited to call Alpine 3-7978 for more information, or come to the next meeting.

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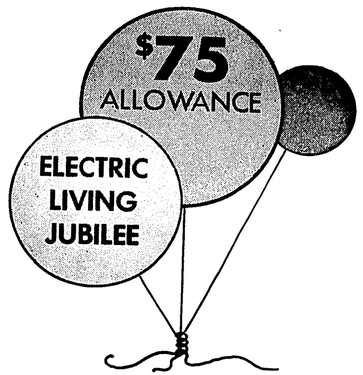

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee has organized with Gary Whitlock as chairman; Sidney Wheeler as vice-chairman; and John Collis as secretary. Meetings will be held on the second Monday of the month at 8 p. m. in the recreation room at Memorial Hall.

The committee has announced that since January 1, the sum of $11,647.91 was spent for snow removal out of the March meeting appropriation, also $5,242.13 out of Chapter 81, leaving a balance of $2,457.87 for the remainder of the year.

HARVEY A. LINCOURT

Harvey A. Lincourt, 48, of George Hannum Rd. died Monday at his home, after a brief illness. He was born in Holyoke June 26, 1914, the son of Mrs. Rose (Theroux) Lincourt and the late Edmond L. Lincourt. He was the owner and operator of H. A. Lincourt and Son Trucking Co. here. He was past president of the Chamber of Commerce and served two terms on the Cemetery Commission.

Harvey was a Chamber of Commerce enthusiast, and a hard worker wherever you put him, no matter how menial the task. The Lincourts were the heart and soul of the Christmas Village that used to grace the common at the Christmas season.

He was a member of St. Francis Church. Besides his mother, he leaves his wife, Mrs. Marguerite (Harrington) Lincourt; a son, Harvey W. of this town; a daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Barbara Goulette of Ware; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held from the Beers & Story Funeral Home Wednesday morning at 9, followed by requiem high mass at St. Francis church at 10, with Rev. Joseph T. Collins the celebrant. Burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery, where Fr. Collins officiated.

Bearers were James Joyal of this town; Roger Gregoire and Michael Ackerman of Ludlow; James Platonitis of West Springfield; Wilfred Bessette of South Hadley; and Lonnie Ireson of Saugus.

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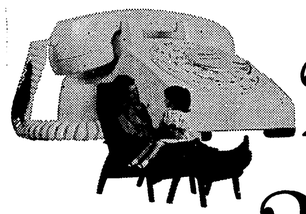

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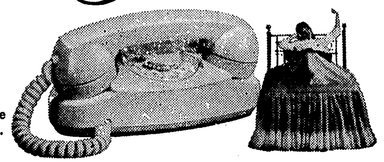

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **LAFAYETTE W. AYERS, SR.**, also known as **LAFAYETTE W. AYERS**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **CHARLES E. AYERS** of Belchertown in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tu't, II, Register

Apr. 5-12-19

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

NOTICE OF TAX TAKING

To the owners of the hereinafter described land and to all others concerned:

You are hereby notified that on Friday, the twenty-sixth day of April, 1963, at 3 o'clock P. M., at Lawrence Memorial Hall - Collector's Office, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 53, and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Collector of Taxes, it is my intention to take for the Town of Belchertown the following parcels of land for non-payment of the taxes due thereon, with interest and all incidental expenses and costs to the date of taking, unless the same shall have been paid before that date.

LIST OF PARCELS TO BE TAKEN

Claire T. Brisbois—Taxes of 1961, $35.25. A certain tract of land containing 4.05 acres, more or less, situated on Stebbins Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1331, Page 208, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Daniel J. & Loretta M. Clifford—Taxes of 1961, $176.25. A certain tract of land situated on Warren Wright Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1336, Page 164, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Robert Simpson—Taxes of 1961, $9.40. A certain tract of land containing 13 acres, more or less, located off Munsell Street in the northerly part of Belchertown.

George L. Rainville and Francis Cambigne—Taxes of 1961, $37.60. A certain tract of land containing 40 acres, more or less, situated near Munsell Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1292, Page 210, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Annie & Franklin Fleming and Hazel F. Nichols—Taxes of 1960, $6.45. A certain tract of land containing 25 acres, more or less, known as the Chapman Lot and located in the northerly part of Belchertown.

Annie & Franklin Fleming and Hazel F. Nichols—Taxes of 1960, $4.30. A certain tract of land containing 6 acres, more or less, known as the Warner Lot and located in the northerly part of Belchertown.

ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.
Collector of Taxes
for Belchertown

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ELIZABETH L. LYON**, also known as **E. LOUISE LYON** and **LOUISE LYON**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **KENNETH B. BOWEN** of Williamsburg, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Apr. 12-19-26

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JOHN H. McKILLOP

John Henry McKillop of New Haven, Conn., died last week Wednesday in his home. He was born in Belchertown, son of the late Henry and Margaret (Doyle) McKillop, and was educated in the schools here. He had resided in New Haven for several years.

He leaves five sisters, Margaret E. Kelley, R. N.; Roselian Lincoln, Katherine M. Hilton, R. N.; Isabelle C. McKillop, R. N.; and Helena G. McKillop; also three brothers, Michael J. McKillop, Walter F. McKillop, and Henry E. McKillop; also many nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held last week Friday morning from the Dillon Funeral Home in Holyoke. Burial was in St. Jerome's Cemetery.

GRANGE NOTES

Tuesday night at Grange was 3 "S" Night—Songs, Stunts and Skits. A youth play, a skit, "Betting Even," by H. F. Peck, Howard Judkins and Franklin Wenzel, and "Hard Wheeling" by Glendon Stillings featured the program.

There was an Easter Hat Parade that was really something. This was accompanied by "Easter Parade" by Pearl Very and Marion Plant.

The most original entry was "Space Man" by Raymond Breton, Jr.; prettiest was a pink and blue creation (really pretty) by Ruth Kempkes; the best idea was by a man, Fred Lincoln, whose entry was made entirely from carpenter's tools.

"Easter Lilies" was by Joy Wright; while the most seasonal entry was by Linda Wright.

Union Grange has been invited to neighbor with Hope Grange of Hadley on April 22, when they observe "International Night."

PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 8 p. m., April 30, in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Ralph Pittsley for a change of zone from Agriculture to business of a parcel of land owned by him at the junction of Amherst and Gulf Roads.

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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Nine tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Membership Committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Cora Hubbard, Kelly Hubbard, Joe Berube and Howard Judkins; 2nd, Catherine Germain, Blanche Bader, Doris Belanger, Eva M. Webb; low score, H. West, Anna Larzazs, Mildred Waid and Mildred Hartmann; door, Rose Canavan and Elsie Bleau.

This week's party will be in charge of the Educational Aid Committee, George Poole, Chairman; H. Curtis, G. Baker, E. Truell and R. Renouf.

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PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 8.30 p. m., April 30 in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Herman Minkley for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a parcel of land owned by him at the junction of North Liberty and Bardwell Sts.

The Planning Board

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PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office at 8:00 o'clock p. m. on May 2, 1963, to act on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an All Alcoholic Club License. This business to be conducted on the premises located on the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and the Club House to be located approximately 1800 feet from the southeasterly side, approximately 400 feet from the southerly boundary and approximately 3000 feet from the northern boundary. The premises to be licensed consist of a one-story building of wood frame and stone construction. There will be a main dining room, lounge, pro-shop, and ladies' and men's toilet areas. Full cellar to be used for storage area only.

Board of Selectmen
Earl F. Henrichon, Ch.
Walter Tolpa, Jr.
Michael S. Mathras

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **STANLEY J. STOKOSA** of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.

The guardian of said **STANLEY J. STOKOSA** has prescated to said Court her twelfth account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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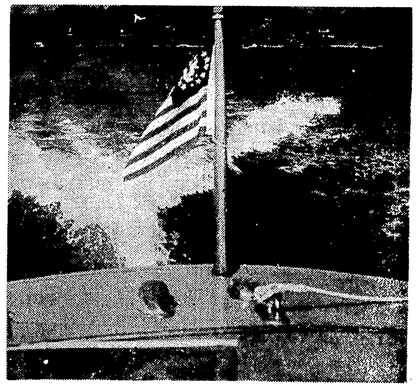

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ROBERT R. JONES, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that ROBERT THORNE JONES, also known as ROBERT T. JONES, of Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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The Lincourt Family

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Mrs. Florence Pierce

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 3.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Second Sunday After Easter
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m..
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.
Open House for High School Boys St. Hyacinth, 1.30 to 4.30 p. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

B. H. S. Fourth Annual Spring Concert in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Firefighters' Association.
Democratic Town Committee in Lower Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Men's Bowling Banquet.
Annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association at Stone House 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Parent-Teacher Conference Program at Cold Spring School.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service Meeting at the Parish House at 10..30 a. m.
Parent-Teacher Conference Program at Cold Spring School.

THURSDAY

Annual meeting and Luncheon of the Garden Club at the Homestead at 12.30 p. m.

Parent-Teacher Conference Program at Cold Spring School.
Official Board in Fellowship Hall at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Square Dance in Legion Hall. Legion Variety Show.

SATURDAY

Marbles Tournament at Parsons Field.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Story Hour at Library at 3.15 p. m.
Cub Scout Food Sale on Common at 1 p. m.
O. E. S. Installation.
Women's Guild Public Project Supper at Congregational Parish House.

TOMORROW

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

May 10
Nursery School Pre-School Day.
May 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 12
Organ Recital at Congregational Church at 3.30 p. m.
May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.
May 18
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.
May 20
P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper.
May 24
Elementary Science Fair.
May 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper.
June 8
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

HEARING TUESDAY

It was announced this week that the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission of Boston, to whom was referred the matter of the Robin Farm Inc. club license, which was O. K'd by a majority of the selectmen here, are holding a public hearing in Boston next Tuesday, April 30, at 12 noon, at their offices on 24 School Street.

All concerned were happy over the development of the Quabbin Farm Camping Area, but divisions of opinion arose over the granting of an all-alcoholic club license at the Lodge, the focal point at the camping area.

Two of the selectmen, Messrs Tolpa and Mathras, went along with the

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ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT

The Belchertown High School Band, under the direction of John Maggs, will present its 6th Annual Spring Concert, April 29th at 8 p. m. in Lawrence Memorial Hall. Classical music, folk music, and marches will appear on the program. Tickets are available from any of the 35 members.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

A volunteer is needed to care for a few small children in her own home on Monday from 9.30 to 2.30, while Girl Scout adults are taking a training course at the Methodist Educational Building. If you wish to be of service, please call Mrs. Robert Atchison or Mrs. Lillian Whipple by Sunday evening.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association will be held at the Stone House on Monday evening at 8.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Herbert H. Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Barrett, Maple Street, Belchertown, is on the Dean's List at the Western New England College, Springfield, Mass., where he is majoring in mechanical engineering.

Barrett is a 1958 graduate of B. H. S. and completed three years of duty with the U. S. Navy before entering upon his studies at Western New England.

PUBLIC SUPPER

The Project Supper, sponsored by the Women's Guild, will be held this evening at 6.30 at the Parish House. This is a public supper, with proceeds to be used for the support of Chung Yuk Sian, the little Chinese girl, in Hong Kong, who was "adopted" by the Women's Guild.

The menu consists of scalloped potato, casseroles, beans, cole slaw, pickles, rolls, pie and coffee. The price is 60 cents for adults, and 40 cents for the children.

CUB SCOUT FOOD SALE

Announcement is made that the Cub Scout food sale today will begin at 1 p. m., and will last until sold out. The sale will be at the south end of the common, or on the Morey Block porch if it rains. Anyone wishing to donate home-baked goods, it would be much appreciated.

VARIETY SHOW

Chauncey D. Walker Post 239 calls the attention of the townspeople to their 9th annual Variety Show to be held on Friday, May 3, at Lawrence Memorial Hall.

It is expected that there will be two groups putting on Western Music and that there will be several singing and danting acts, also a balancing act by Jimmy Dominique, who teaches dance here, and his young daughter, who is a rather outstanding performer. It is expected that other pupils of Mr. Dominique will perform.

Prices are again 75 cents and 50 cents. As usual, this is a main source of revenue for the Post.

INSTALLATION TONIGHT

Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 97, O. E. S., will hold its installation tonight in Memorial Hall at 8, preceded by a dinner in the Methodist Vestry at 6.30 served by the W.S.C.S. Following are the installing officers, the ones to be installed, and the various committees:

Installation Suite

Installing Grand Matron
Sister Mildred A. Calverley, A. G. M.
Installing Grand Patron
Brother John Rigby, Jr., A. G. P.
Installing Grand Marshal
Sister Doris Grover, P. M.
Installing Grand Chaplain
Sister Marion Lyman, P. M.
Organist
Mrs. Anna Buss
Soloist
Dr. Kenneth L. Collard, M. D.
Floral Marshal
Sister Doris K. O'Connor, P. M.
Floral Adah
Harriet U. Hill, P. M.
Floral Ruth
Iola G. Shirtcliff, P. M.
Floral Esther
Ruth C. Johnston, P. M.
Floral Martha
Alice H. Whittaker, P. M.
Floral Electa
Helen M. Rhodes, P. M.

Officers to be Installed

Worthy Matron Evelyn R. Lodge
Worthy Patron James R. Lodge

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ORGAN RECITAL

Kenneth L. Collard, M. D., chairman of the music committee of the Congregational Church, announces that there will be an organ recital at the church, Sunday, May 12, 1963, at 3.30 p. m., with Marie G. Forde, at the organ. There will also be a guest baritone soloist, the Rev. Paris, of Plainville, Conn.

Admission is free, but an offering will be taken during intermission.

EXPRESS SERVICE TO BOSTON

The Peter Pan Bus Lines announce a new express service to Boston and intermediate points, Fridays and Sundays, starting Friday, May 3.

Information, timetables and tickets are now available at Jackson's Store, the local agent.

Points to be served are Westboro, Framingham, Natick, Wellesley Hills, Newton Highlands, Brookline and Boston, via Rt. 9, going through Ware, the Brookfields, Worcester and on.

The schedule:

Friday and Sunday, lv. Belchertown at 10.20 a. m.; arrive Boston 12.35 p. m.

Friday and Sunday, leaves Boston at 9 p. m.; arrives Belchertown 11.18 p. m.

NURSERY ASSOCIATION

The Belchertown Nursery School Pre-School Day will be held May 10, 1963, from 10 to 11.30 a. m. Parents who are interested in enrolling their children next year, please call President Mrs. Bertha Loftus, 7557, or Treasurer Mrs. June Kimball, 7463.

Those who are not on this list may miss out on next year's enrollment, for only a limited number are accepted.

Belchertown Nursery Assn.

HERE FROM AFRICA

Dr. Newell S. Booth of Elisabethville, Congo, Africa, visited this week Tuesday at the home of his brother, George Booth, and his sister, Alice Booth Suhm. He expects to return to town on June 16, preaching here on that date.

Dr. Booth is on a more or less world girdling trip. He left Elisabethville March 8, went to Pakistan, New Delhi, India, Hong Kong, Toyko, and Hawaii, preaching at the latter place on Easter Sunday. He arrived at San Francisco April 15 to attend a conference of bishops.

He stopped at Oxford, Ohio to baptise a granddaughter, the daughter of Newell Booth, Jr.

He preached at New Britain, Ct. this week Monday night, and at New Canaan, Ct. on Tuesday night. On Wednesday he went to New York.

Although Dr. Booth was depressed by the situation in India, he said things were booming in Japan—no unemployment—and conditions were good in Hawaii.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

Daylight Saving Time goes into effect Sunday morning, which means putting clocks ahead an hour.

One Simple Soliloquizer

Progress in the Bay State
Changes History at the Head

This week I received a blue notice from the Belchertown Collector of Taxes indicating that my Poll Tax of two dollars was due within thirty days of April 18.

Seems to me, if I am remembering correctly, this will be the last time I shall be required to pay this traditional charge, which came to me as a reward for arriving at the voting age a few years back.

This tax has been levied on "males between the ages of twenty and sixty-nine" and has brought in about three million dollars of revenue annually.

It is a remnant of a tax which once "made up one-third of the revenue from direct taxes." (*Massachusetts State Government*—League of Women Voters).

It was an obviously unfair tax, as it was never levied against the ladies, whose "polls" became exactly as important during this century as those of the male: in the voting booths as well as on the pay rolls, and about everywhere else.

It has ceased to be directly connected with the right to vote, as the non-paying lady could go to the polling places and cast her ballot. Few dared risk their political future by advocated adding women to the list of poll-tax payers, and, until recently, few apparently cared to lose the revenues.

The word "poll", by the way, comes to us from the Scandanavian, and of course refers to the *head*.

Another change seems about to take place in the Bay State, where "capital punishment" may soon become a thing of the past. Here is another change at the "head", as "capital" comes to us from Latin *caput*. The traditional death penalty was the removal of the head.

In 1961 life imprisonment was the maximum penalty in nine states, *including* Hawaii and Alaska. In New England, Maine and Rhode Island have no death penalty.

There have been no official electrocutions in this state for a number of years. When a jury has voted the death penalty, the pressures, the postponements, and the endless legal maneuverings have been utterly bad for the general public as well as for the condemned.

The argument about the value of the death penalty and its enforcement as a deterrent of crime will go on forever.

Times are changing. But not entirely. We shall continue to have taxes, poll or not—and crime and its punishment will continue to be a problem wherever people live together. In short, we shall have to keep using our heads!

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New Names Keep Appearing
In Lists of Mass. Schools

It is a real test of the memory to be able to locate all the new secondary schools in this area, and to put town names to the Indian titles which some of the "regionals" have adopted. It is nice to know where a baseball team or a school chorus comes from!

There are Pioneer and Mahar and Tantasqua and Minnechaug and Mt. Greylock to mention only a few. Can you put a town with each school?

Another group of new schools are in towns where the kids once went somewhere else to high school. In this classification are Longmeadow (once went mainly to Springfield), East Longmeadow (ditto), Granby (South Hadley), and Southwick (Westfield).

Huntington, one of our traditional rivals, will soon be a 500-pupil six-year school with Montgomery, and Worthington included, and a new name of "Gateway Regional."

Williamsburg (with Chesterfield, Cummington, Goshen, Plainfield, and Westhampton going along) will be the site for a regional junior-senior high school, which should make for increased athletic strength.

A new regional school is coming to the Hardwick-Barre section, too.

New Salem Academy, having lost its academic classes to Mahar, has changed greatly and has found it increasingly hard to field athletic teams.

Smith Academy in Hatfield and Hopkins Academy in Hadley have stood up down the years, and apparently are going to keep their independence.

We can look for more rather than fewer changes in the years ahead.

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Longer May It Wave!

I love to see Old Glory in place on the new pole on the common, where it adds real beauty to the hilltop and calls attention to the superior memorial which was dedicated there in September, 1961.

Like the churches, the old homes, the Town Hall, the bank and the bandstand, the flag "goes with" a typical New England small-town "center", which we still have in spite of changes.

It would be good if the flag could be flown there more frequently than it now is, though it is probably a matter of finding someone to raise and lower it. We would not want it fluttering at midnight, like Christmas tree lights on April first.

William F. Kimball, Jr., who takes care of three public-school flags, has told me he would be willing to take care of the one on the common as a public service — whether for five or seven days, I am not sure. Someone might like to take him up on his offer!

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Post Office Parking Problem

We note that the selectmen are calling attention to the adequate parking area provided at the rear of the new post office, and urging that it be used, and that cars improperly parked elsewhere be tagged.

At one time I wondered if that area were really large enough to take care of many cars. Now I think that it is large enough if it could be marked or otherwise laid out to economize the space. Mail-delivery trucks and employee cars could take spaces near the platform, where there would be no harm if the delivery truck happened to block oft an employee for a few minutes.

Customers for the post office certainly should be limited to, say, ten-minute parking. Clear directions should be put up for entrance and exit to and from the area. Cottage Street is a hazard from the Post Office to the intersection with 202.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"There is nothing more frightful than ignorance in action."

Goethe

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Two young men in Boston University have come in for honors lately. One was Newell Booth, who has been appointed first senior man proctor and who also has been elected as Associate editor of the Beacon, the college paper. The other was Robert Moody, the son of a former Methodist pastor who was elected Sleepy Hollow Fellow by the trustees, and will likely study abroad next year.

The April 27 issue has six pages, but one of them was blank.

Daylight Saving goes into effect Sunday despite the effort to have the law repealed.

J. Raymond Gould will move to town to assist H. B. Ketchen in his garage business.

One of the largest crowds ever at Park View, was on Patriots' Day, when a ball was given by the American Legion.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The following graduation honors of B.H.S. have been announced: Charles Geer, valedictorian, and Rosemary Ryther, salutatorian.

The Senior Class of B.H.S. inaugurated a worth-while graduation feature, when it planted a 16-18 ft. rock maple on the school grounds. Ruth Chamberlain, the President of the class, presented the tree at special exercises.

May 15-21 has been designated as "Air-Mail week" in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the air mail service. Ten committees have been appointed to care for the different items in the celebration.

Twenty Seniors are planning to start tomorow on their Washington trip.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Fifth annual Showboat minstrel, sponsored by the Methodist Church, was played to a packed house at Memorial Hall.

The new curtain for Memorial Hall is so nearly assured as to warrant the committee to meet with the selectmen to make arrangements to order the curtain.

Mrs. Alice Whittaker has been installed Worthy Matron of O.E.S.

The Revised Zoning Laws occupy more than two full pages of the *Sentinel*.

HEARING TUESDAY

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idea, but Earl Henrichon, chairman, was opposed. Henrichon protested the single entrance at the Lodge, and gave other reasons.

The others on the board thought the location of the area appropriate to a license. Mr. Renouf, interested in getting the license, was quoted at the hearing as willing to turn over proceeds to conservation work, and gave assurances that he would hardly do anything he thought might be detrimental to his own interests, especially as he has given his life to conservation.

Isaac Hodgen, who spoke against the project at the hearing, and who maintained that alcohol did not fit into such a situation, was instrumental in getting a hearing in Boston this coming Tuesday, in view of the concern on the part of those opposed to the granting of the license.

As few seem to have any knowledge of a club license, we quote:

LIQUOR CONTROL ACT

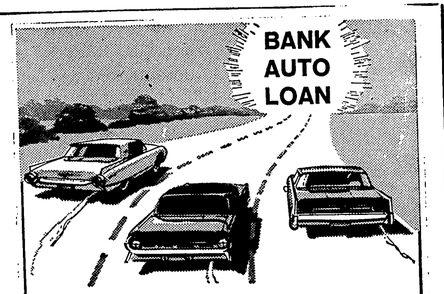
Chap. 138, General Laws

"Any club in any city or town where the granting of licenses to sell alcoholic beverages, or only wine and malt beverages, as the case may be, is authorized under this chapter (Chapter 138, Section 12, General Laws) may be licensed by the local licensing authorities, subject to the approval of the commission, to sell such beverages to its members only, and also subject to regulations made by the local licensing authorities, to guests introduced by members, and to no others."

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night, in charge of the Educational Aid Committee, George A. Poole, Chairman. Prize winners were: 1st, Catherine Germain, Doris Belanger, Blanche Bader, and Eva Webb; 2nd, Cora Hubbard, Kelly Hubbard, Joe Berube, and Fred H. Fuller; 3rd, Rachel West, George West, Herbert West, and Ethel Sanderson; Door, Christine Henry and Aline H. Powers.

This week's party in charge of the Relief Committee, E. Grover, Chm., K. Butler, H. Lister, and N. Wetmore.



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WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

A night of fun and frolic was had this past Thursday night at DeMarco's Restaurant, at which the Women's Bowling League wound up another year. This is the night when everyone got their hard earned trophies. If you didn't get one this year, try again next year!

Trophies for high average in Class A, B. Boucher 94.7; Class B, D. Fitts 92.1; Class C, C. Davin 84.9; Class D, R. Dowd 81.1; Second high average in Class A, L. Joyal 93.3; Class B, R. Lapointe 91.2; Class C, P. Staples 82.8; and Class D, H. Hill 79.3.

Trophies for high single and second high single went to: Class A, B. Boucher 132 and 131; Class B, E. McHaffie 128, D. Fitts and R. Lapointe 127; Class C, M. Chadbourne, and J. Cook 107, A. Burke, M. Chadbourne, C. Davin and L. Faulkins 106; Class D, H. Hill 117 and R. Dowd 106.

Trophies for high three and second high three were: Class A, B. Boucher 333 and 325; Class B, P. Bronner and D. Fitts 321; Class C, P. Staples 289 and C. Davin 287; Class D, H. Hill 286 and R. Dowd 276.

Other trophies were for high team averages:

Pin Spinners, J. Hutchinson	86.6
Jolly "5", R. Lapointe	91.2
Pin Pickers, D. Fitts	92.1
Woodchoppers, E. Tolpa	89.4
Harmony "5", M. Dunbar	86.1
Rollettes, B. Boucher	94.7
Outskirters, A. Bodzinski	82.6
Butter Fingers, E. Pierce	89.6
Fancy Flingers, J. Poole	89.8
Hit or Miss, C. Hubbard	89.0
Congo's, C. Skinner	86.9
Nite Outers, C. Davin	84.9
Gay Rollers, J. Stone	89.1
Bowl Aires, S. Dzuris	82.0

Most improved bowlers on each team were: I. Sutcliffe, R. Dowd, D. Fitts, B. Hanifin, D. Gray, M. Trombly, A. Burke, F. Pierce, P. Staples, H. Hubbard, D. Snow, C. Davin, P. Bronner and P. Hubbard.

There were seventeen "300" Club pins given out to: B. Boucher, P. Bronner, C. Casey, D. Fitts, S. Fitts, B. Hanifin, C. Hubbard, H. Hubbard, L. Joyal, R. Lapointe, E. McHaffie, C. Pierce, E. Pierce, J. Reilly, R. Scott, J. Stone, and M. Trombly.

There were also thirty-two who received perfect attendance tokens, and 57 bowlers who received "100" Club plaques.

The Rollettes took the team trophy with 179 wins and 29 losses and a total pin fall of 34767.

This year we were proud to present the "Good Sportsmanship Award" to Mrs. Priscilla Ketchen.

CHOSEN DELEGATE

Merle R. Green has been selected to represent Belchertown High School at Boy's State in June under the sponsorship of the Chauncey D. Walker Post # 239, American Legion.

This program is conducted each year at the University of Massachusetts by the American Legion Department of Massachusetts.

Mr. Green is a member of the Junior Class at Belchertown High, has been an honor student during his four years and has played on the baseball and basketball teams. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle R. Green of Jackson Street.

John Carr has been selected as the alternate.

SCHOOL DEPT. NOTES

In recent action the School Committee elected two teachers for the coming school year and accepted the resignations of two present members of the teaching staff.

Elected to the teaching positions were Miss Jane Flaherty and Mr. Alan Hurlburt. Miss Flaherty is a graduate of the Belchertown High School in the class of 1958 and in June she will receive her Bachelor of Science in Education Degree from Westfield State Teachers College. She did her practice teaching at the Cold Spring and Center Schools. While in College she has been on the Dean's List and active in school affairs. Mr. Hurlburt is a graduate of Holyoke High School and he also will receive his Bachelor of Science in Education Degree from Westfield State Teachers College, in June. His practice teaching was done at the Cold Spring School. While attending Holyoke High School he played Varsity Football, Basketball and Baseball, and at College he played Varsity Basketball and Baseball.

The resignations of Mr. Louis Verani, teacher of Commercial Subjects in the High School, and Mr. Raymond B. Smith, Jr., teacher of Grade 6 at Cold Spring School were accepted. Mr. Verani has accepted a position in the Minnechaug Regional High School.

In other business it was voted to close the schools on Friday, May 31, 1963. This action was possible because no school days were lost during the current school year due to stormy days.

GIRL SCOUT DAY CAMP

The Pioneer Valley Girl Scout Council offers Mobile Day Camping at Quabbin.

WHAT?

Something new for the girls of Ware and Belchertown.

WHERE?

The Day Camp to be held at Quabbin Reservoir, will be open to Scouts and non-Scouts.

WHEN?

Dates: July 1, 2, 3, 5 and 8 through the 11th.

Time: 9 a. m. to 3.30 p. m. daily.

COST

Fee: $9.00 for the eight days. This fee includes health insurance and milk.

TRANSPORTATION

A car pool will be organized.

PROGRAM

"Camping with Winnie The Pooh," will be our theme for Mobile Day Camp this year. Do you know the story?

Imagine exploring in Quabbin's "100 Aker Wood", or going on an "Expotition to the North Pole".

What fun we are going to have!!

HOW TO REGISTER

Register now on the application card that came with your camp folder, by mail or in person at the Girl Scout office. Mrs. Robert Atchinson and Mrs. James Davin have extra application cards.

The registration fee of $3.50 must accompany the application. This deposit is applied toward the total camp fee. Once a girl is accepted as a camper, the registration fee cannot be refunded. Balance of fee is due at the Girl Scout office at least 10 days before arrival at camp.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The 4-H Dog Training Club will commence meeting again on Tuesday, April 30 at Mr. Chevalier's home on Sargent Street. In case of rain, members will attend without dogs for a program planning session indoors in preparation for the coming dog show in June.

Doug Kimball of Belchertown entered his airdale puppy Kim in the Airdale Puppy Breed class at the Farmington Kennel Club Dog show in Conn. Sunday and won first place in his class. Karol Kimball also entered her poodle Bambi in the Open A Obedience class and placed 4th. Karol is a member of the Belchertown 4-H club.

SOFTBALL PRACTICE

Any wishing to take part in the softball games this season are asked to sign up and practice Sunday, April 28, at 2 p. m. at Parsons Field.

WILLIAM P. KLEEBERG

William P. Kleeberg, 48 years old, of 400 Maple Street, Holyoke, who died at the wheel of his car last week of a heart attack, was the brother of Mrs. Alex F. Ross of Boardman Rd., Belchertown. He also left his mother, wife, two children, and six brothers and two sisters, besides Mrs. Ross.

He was buried in Forestdale Cemetary. The bearers were all nephews of the deceased, John Kleeberg, Jr., Donald Kleeberg, Richard Kleeberg, Ronald Brodeur, Louis Goulet, and Alex F. Ross, Jr.

The Rev. William Heinrich, Jr. of New Hampshire, formerly of So. Hadley Falls, officiated at the services. He is a nephew of the deceased and Mrs. Ross.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. William Schoettler, the former Nancy Farley, and daughter, Joanne, of Seattle, Washington, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Schoettler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Farley of Cottage Street.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Our guest caller for this Saturday, April 27, is George Dumas. We will be dancing at Memorial Hall in town.

Last week was our annual meeting. Old business consisted of—Secretary's report, Mrs. Jessie Crisafulli; Treasurer's report, Mrs. Gloria Tetrault; and Refreshment report, Mrs. Areline McCray.

New business consisted of election of officers—President and Co-President, Robert and Jackie Keyes; Treasurer, Chris and Jessie Crisafulli; Program Chairman, John and Barbara Ericson; Secretary, Mingo and Betty Martin. There was some discussion on our banquet, to be held June 8th.

The Refreshment Committee: George and Yvette Trudell, Chairman, Herb Squires, Armand and Doris Theroux, Phil and Doris Gerenon, Pete and Bev Carpenter. Host and Hostess: Julian and Jean Hussey, Chairmen, Frank and Arlene Goodrow.

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— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions for First Friday will be heard from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m. Friday. There will be two Masses—one in the morning at 7.30 a. m., and the other in the evening at 7.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Second Sunday After Easter

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Peter 2, 21-25. The First Epistle of the Apostle St. Peter.

Gospel—John 10, 11-16. (Relates the parable of the Good Shepherd.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

The 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass.

Our good example and prayers must help to bring the "sheep going astray" back to Christ, that there may be "one fold and one shepherd."

— GRANBY OPEN HOUSE —

An Open House at the St. Hyacinth College and Seminary in Granby will be held this Sunday, April 28, from 1.30 to 4.30 p. m. for boys, 8th grade through High School.

—HOLY CROSS CAMP —

The Second Annual Retreat Camping Weekend for High School age boys at the Holy Cross Camp, Goshen, Mass., will be held Friday evening through Sunday afternoon, June 7 to June 9, 1963. It is sponsored by the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, East Hampshire Deanery—includes parishes in Amherst, Belchertown, Granby, South Hadley, South Hadley Falls, and Ware. Cost per person is $5.00.

Holy Cross Camp is one of the Diocesan facilities that have been continuously improved through the Annual Charities Appeal. The camp is located on Highland Lake and is adjacent to the DAR State Park grounds.

Transportation will be arranged by the individual parish groups to arrive at the camp on Friday evening June 7 around 7 p. m. We will "camp out" in cabins on cots. Meals will be taken in the Dining Hall, prepared and served by the Camp Staff.

The program will be under the direction of Fr. Matthew O'Connor, Director of the Camp. The Retreat Master will be a priest from the Cathedral High School faculty. The program will include talks, spiritual exercises, and meditation periods plus ample recreation periods for swimming, boating, fishing, hiking, basketball, baseball, volley ball, etc.

For further information, or to make reservations, call Francis Longtine, Tel. 323-7758, or contact any Holy Name officer.

— PRE CANA CONFERENCES —

Another series of Pre Cana Conferences for engaged couples will be given at the St. Francis Chapel, 254 Bridge St., Springfield. For couples planning on marriage between June 17th and November 3rd, 1963, it will be given five Monday evenings at 8 p. m., starting April 29th, finishing May 27th. A letter of recommendation from Fr. Dudley is required for admission to the Conferences.

— JUDGES CHOSEN —

Judges chosen thus far, for the Poster and Essay Contests are: Poster, Mrs. John Avery; Essay, Mrs. Paul T. Austin.

NEXT WEEK—

Next week, look for the article dealing with the coming Catholic Charities Appeal to start May 19.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon, "Your Faith Has Made You Whole."

Family Sunday will be observed at the service of worship on Sunday morning, when children will attend the first part of the worship service with their parents.

Don't forget the change to Daylight Saving Time!!

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet on Sunday afternoon at 5.30 in the Parish House.

Senior High Fellowship

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the Parish House. The Association P. F. rally originally scheduled for this Sunday will be held on May 12.

Deacons

The Board of Deacons will meet on Monday evening at 7:30 at the Parish House.

Friendly Service

The Friendly Service meeting of the Women's Guild will be held on Wednesday morning at 10.30 at the Parish House. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

All clothing or blankets for the United Clothing Appeal should be in by that date to allow time for packing.

Bible Study Group

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Parish House.

Leading Retreat

Mr. Varga will help to lead a retreat for members of the P. F. of Pelham and Second Church, Amherst on Friday evening and Saturday of next week. The retreat will be held at Woolman Hill in Deerfield.

Project Supper

(Separate article on page 1)

Laymen's Council

The Annual Dinner Meeting of the Hampshire County Laymen's Council will be held at First Congregational Church in Hadley this evening at 6.15. The speaker will be Mr. William Stringfellow, of New York, who will speak on "The Simplicity of the Christian Life."

Bowling

Members of the Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will leave the Parish House tonight at 6.30 for an evening of bowling in Ware.

Hampshire Association

The annual meeting of Hampshire Association of Congregational Christian Churches will be held on Sunday, May 5, beginning at 2.45 in the afternoon at North Amherst Congregational Church.

The program will include a presentation on "Manifestations of Spiritual Vitality in Our Churches." In the evening, Dr. Leonard J. Kramer of New York will speak on "The Church, The Christian and Our Revolutionary World."

Official delegates from this church include: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shattuck, with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dickinson as alternates. However, the meeting is open to anyone who may wish to attend.

Carillon Due

Material for the May issue of "The Carillon" should be in the church office by Friday of next week.

Change of Dates

The Chinese Dinner, sponsored by the Senior High P. F. will be held on Saturday, May 18, instead of Friday as originally scheduled. Reservations are required. Tickets may be purchased from P. F. members.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of the Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir.

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes—a Sunday School where Jesus Christ is taught as Lord and Saviour. All are welcome. Classes in the Educational Building at the rear of the Church. If you have not seen these facilities, we would like to arrange to show you through the building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "The Hour is Come"
Junior Sermon
Prelude, "Hymn to Joy" Beethoven
Anthem—Youth Choir
Offertory, "Morning Song" Overholt
Postlude, "Postlude in F" Nordman

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall. The program will be a panel discussion, "Does it matter what I as a Christian Read?"

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry. The program will start with a film strip called "The New Testament Church." All Junior High youth are invited to these meetings.

7.45 p. m. Evensong—a service of Gospel singing and Gospel preaching. All are welcome.

MONDAY, APRIL 29

This is Collection Day of Church World Service. The truck will be in Belchertown the last of the afternoon, and all clothing and blankets should be at the Methodist Church by noon. This will allow time to prepare the shipment. The truck does not keep a tight schedule and it will be appreciated if collections are in early. The church doors will be open from early morning till dark each day for those who wish to bring their collection to the church. You are asked to put any collection with that which is already there. Thank you.

7.30 p. m. A special sub-committee of the Area Council will meet at the parsonage in Belchertown. The representatives of the churches are urged to have their delegates attend.

TUESDAY, APRIL 30

9.45 a. m. The Annual Spring Meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service, Springfield District, will be held at First Methodist Church, Pittsfield. The morning session will be used for business, reports, election of officers and a special recognition service for the presidents of the area.

The afternoon session will be the presentation of a play, "Breaking the Ripple," dealing with the problem of segregation. This play was first presented at the National Meeting of the Women's Societies in Atlantic City.

12 Noon. The Hearing at the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission, 24 School Street, Boston.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Prayer Meeting in Fellowship Hall.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

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THURSDAY, MAY 2

7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in Fellowship Hall.

FRIDAY, MAY 3

7.30 p. m. The Commission will meet at the Parsonage.

SATURDAY, MAY 4

10 a. m. The Northeast Regional meeting of the International Order of St. Luke, the Physician, will meet at the First Congregational Church in Amherst. There will be an induction service for new members in the afternoon. This service will be under the leadership of the Rev. Marvin R. Green, Convenor of the Western Mass. Chapter. All are invited to this meeting. The Order of St. Luke is dedicated to the return of the healing ministry to the historic Churches.

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 5

3:00 p. m. District Conference at First Methodist Church in Pittsfield.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

APRIL 24

Opening ceremonies were presented by Den 5. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all. This evening the program started off with the skits on the theme of the month, "Up Above and Underneath."

Den 5 led off with the Cub Scout Garden of Virtue. Den 7 followed with a lesson in natural science on the rotation of the earth. This was followed by a brief on animals.

Den 9 presented readiness for space, with complete space ship checkout, and they prepared to take off for Mars. They suited up and boarded the ship.

The tickets for the camporee are now available; look for the Cub Scout in your neighborhood to get yours.

In the course of the evening, Spaceship 9 returned to inform us that there are Cubs on Mars.

Awards

Wolf—Richard Moreau, Raymond Peetz, David Rogers, Richard Bleau.

Arrows under Wolf—Glen Armstrong, Gold; Mark Jackson, Gold; Richard Bleau, Gold; Steven Greenwood, Silver.

Arrows under Bear—David Ketchen, Gold and Silver.

Arrows under Lion—Steven Hershberger, Gold and Silver.

Webelos—Richard Cole and Steven Hershberger, who also received graduating certificate into Boy Scouts.

Denner—Ethan Dickinson, Paul Leclerc.

Assistant Denner—James Hayward, George Berard.

Cubby was awarded to Den 9. The next pack meeting will be May 22. The Assistant Scoutmaster gave a closing thought on Scouting. They closed with the Living Circle and their Pack Motto.

DOUBLE OR NOTHING

The Double or Nothing Club planned to have the showing of slides on the Passion Play during Lent but the showing on Tuesday night was so near to that season that it was not too inappropriate.

Miss Winnifred Curtis of Greenfield (no relation to the Harold Curtises), who with a friend saw the Passion Play in 1960, showed slides not only of the Play, but of places in Switzerland which they visited just previous to going to Oberammergau —views of mountains, lakes, castles, gardens, etc.

The Switzerland scenes were marvels of beauty, and her accompanyin descriptions were in keeping. As for the Passion Play, Miss Curtis not only showed slides of the scenes, but told of the atmosphere permeating the performance, and told something of the actors. It was good to get an on-the-spot report.

Following a business meeting afterward, presided over by President Harold Curtis, delicious refreshments were served in the dining room by the Pecks, the Victor Blackmers, the Nelsons, the Bresetts and the Vargas.

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The new Conservation Commission, which was approved at the annual town meeting, held its first meeting last week Thursday evening at the Robin Farm Lodge.

Henry Renouf was elected chairman; Richard Cook, secretary and Preston Atwood, treasurer. The other members are Dr. Edward Bartlett, Albert Brown, Royal Gay and Albert Brighenti.

The group which will meet on the second Monday of each month at the Robin Farm Lodge, will hold its next meeting on May 13, to which it has invited the members of planning boards and conservation commissions, from Amherst, Granby, Pelham, Hadley and South Hadley and the directors of the Hampden and Hampshire Soil Conservation Districts.

The laws concerning conservation commissions were read and discussed Thursday and a program for the year was planned. The group will make a preliminary inventory of Belchertown's resources, including such items as the right-of-way to Lake Metacomet, which it hopes to improve and mark.

It aso plans to install a right-of-way to Lake Arcadia.

Renouf also wished to point out to the townspeople that the commission would be happy to receive gifts of property, which it will have developed for the use of all. Renouf said that he has been approached by an Amherst resident who owns a section of property in Belchertown which is woodland and unused farmland, who is considering donating this property to the commission for this purpose.

SPORTS NOTE

According to Monday morning's paper, Art Henneman had low net of 76 to win the Nassau tournament at the Amherst Golf Club, Sunday, but Art said if someone called it in, not to mention it. Thank goodness, no one did.

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BOY SCOUT FUND

There will be a meeting on May 7 for those interested in campaigning for the Boy Scout fund this year. They need your help and support to keep going.

RE-OPENING

Mrs. Harvey Lincourt, who operates Marguerite's Shoppe, announces that she will reopen on a fulltime basis begining next Tuesday, April 30 at her new location on Mill Valley Road.

For some time now she has been closed more than she has been open, by reason of the illness of her late husband.

GARDEN CLUB LUNCHEON

The Garden Club annual meeting and luncheon will be next Thursday, May 2, at 12.30, at the Homestead Inn, Ludlow. Cars will leave the Library at 12 noon.

Our President, Mrs. John Topping, and several members, attended the Amherst Garden Club meeting last week Friday.

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BURMA NEWSLETTER

The following newsletter has been received from the Hacketts in Burma, telling of the safe arrival of Mrs. Hackett from this country and of their getting back into the work again. The letter is written by "Bill."

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Greetings for the remainder of 1963 from Pang T' Kwa! The Hacketts are "at home" together again, and mighty happy about it. We are convinced more than ever that God has work for us to do here in the Shan State of Burma.

There is a postcript on the letter which Marion wrote in November that "word has come that Mrs. Hackett will be leaving on Christmas day." That's the way it worked out. She left Hartford, Conn., and I left Rangoon on the same day. Of course, since it's only four hours by Jet from Rangoon to Hong Kong, I was there ahead of time.

Hong Kong is a wonderful town in which to spend a few days. It looks so prosperous, in spite of the refugees who come in by the hundreds each day. It is a shoppers' paradise; you can buy almost anything made in the world, and usually at a price cheaper than in the country of origin. Because Burma is short of consumer goods, we like to go there to pick up a few needed articles. And we have good friends in missionary work there, and enjoyed the five days with them. Of course, five days together without any responsibilities were welcome after five months of separation.

We spent New Year's Eve in the Hong Kong airport. It is the mark of the air-age that you spend many hours in airports waiting for planes that, as often as not, run late. We had expected to arrive in Rangoon shortly after midnight on New Year's Day, but it was 3.50 a. m. before P. A. A. put us down. We were flabbergasted to find about 20 friends on hand to welcome Marion back after her medical emergency.

Missionary Conference—We were literally plunged back into our missionary program. After about 1½ hours' sleep and some coffee and toast, we were on hand for the 8.30 a. m. meeting of the missionary conference. We must admit that we were not at our brightest and best on that day, but we did recover to enjoy the discussions and fellowship of the rest of the week.

In spite of her aversion to chickens (she grew up on a chicken farm and has always wished for eggs without the birds), Marion had to share the front seat of the truck with me and four hundred day-old baby chicks. The trip from Rangoon in a loaded truck takes two days, and we had some clutch trouble to make it more complicated.

However, the Hacketts, 400 day-old chicks, a Ferguson tractor and plow, Bibles, hymnbooks, and miscellaneous other items of feed and equipment arrived home at 9.30 p. m. on January 9. (Progress report on the chicks:—they are now seven weeks old, and in spite of extremely cold nights and a balky kerosene burner brooder, there are 315 remaining.)

Within a few days of our return we had visitors. The Burma Christian Council, the cooperative organization of all the Protestant churches in Burma, is planning for a large farm school for training poor village boys in better techniques of farming. This is a part of the "Bread for the World" program which is being sponsored by many churches from many lands. Because the project is very new, the World Council of Churches in Geneva sent a man here to give us advice. This advisor, Tom Harris of Sarawak, on the island of Borneo, came here and we spent nearly three weeks together, working out the basic plans and the budget for this project. The site chosen is only 25 miles from Pang T Kwa, and because I have had experience in this type of work in this area, I am bound to get involved in it, as advisor and helper. John Thet Gyi, general secretary of the Burma Christian Council; U Thoung Tin, chairman of the Relief Committee of the B. C. C.; Tom Harris and I spent hours together on layout of the farm, the program and the budget.

Pastors' and Laymen's Conference—For about ten days beginning January 27, I was up north near the Red China border for a pastors' and laymen's Bible Conference. We were right up in the point of north Burma, and we could see snow-covered peaks of Red China on one side and of India on the other. My course, in which I gave nine lectures, was on the Biblical basis for "Christian Villagers." I received a very good hearing, and already have an invitation to go back next year. These folks, who live in the high mountains, have been somewhat neglected. So they were most gracious to receive me and gave me rapt attention.

Recently Marion and I went to the Kayah Baptist Association. Kayah State is one of the constituent states of the Burma Union, but it is the smallest, with only 80,000 people, and the most backward because it is isolated from the rest of Burma by a very rough mountain range. It is joined to Shan State by a very rough road, and to Burma proper by an even rougher one. Before the war there was a mission family stationed there, but since the war it has been an added responsibility for me. We have about 45 churches, and a large number of what might be called mission stations—places where churches are in process of being formed, as more non-Christians are converted.

The meeting this year, which lasted three days, was smaller than usual because of an epidemic of Asian flu; but even at that we had 2,500 people present. Not many associations could match that in the U. S. I provided the loud-speaker system and the electric lights for the large temporary tabernacle built of bamboo, and roofed with cornstalks. We were entertained royally and had a chance to give advice on a number of problems.

Our next move is to go to Rangoon for some quarterly meetings, and then to tour in the delta of the Irrawady River, and especially to speak to the boys at the graduation exercises about our Agricultural Training School. This will be the largest class ever, and there are boys from all over the country from many tribes and racial groups, all of whom will go back to their various areas with new ideas for improving agricultural practices, which we hope will raise economic levels and thus strengthen the church.

We cannot close without sending you all thanks for your love, your interest and your concern for us and the Lord's work. Many of you have sent us personal gifts for the work, and we thank you all very much. May God bless you through this year 1963. Pray for us, as always, especially in these periods of rapid change in this area.

Your colleague in Christ's service,

William D. Hackett

Pang T'Kwa Farm, Taunggyi,
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February 26, 1963

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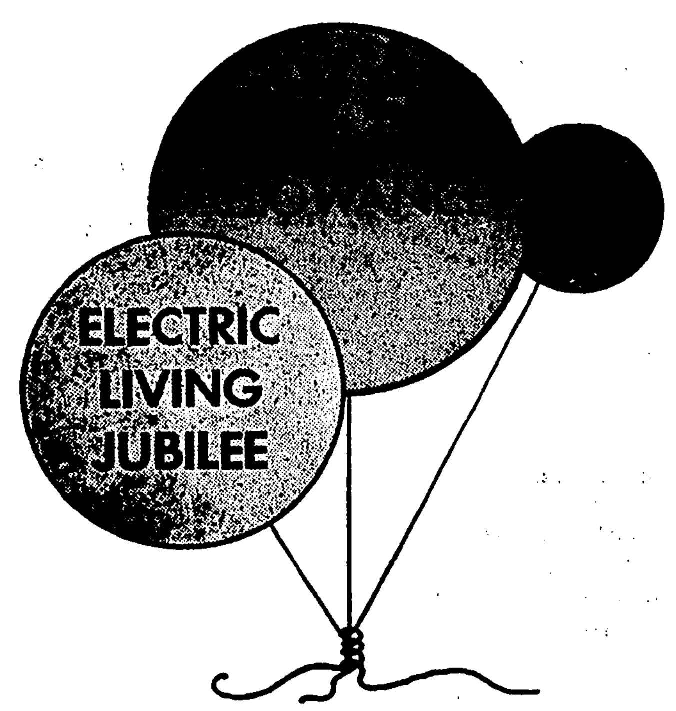

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In the meantime he had traveled ough 19 states and gone some 000 miles. He had seen a lot of country, but still has the lure of road, so he might breeze out a- n some day, who knows?

He says that for the most part he d wonderful weather, and his new k, for the most part, behaved O.

Once he did get stranded in the ddle of the road in traffic, but it ved to be just a loose connection. His home-made wood-burning ve, which he made from a grease m, was a success and caused considerable comment. When he set it up back of the driver's seat, he lowered the window at the left and slid in a sheet of asbestos, with a small aperature in it, out of which he ran the smoke pipe. He didn't fancy kerosene, and bottled gas was not always procurable. One time he did burn hunks of soft coal.

He ran into no one from this particular area that he knew on his travels, but one day in North Carolina, a car from New Hampshire breezed up beside him, containing people who were anxious to hear a voice from Yankee land.

When he reached Mississippi, it dawned on him that he was quite a ways from home, so he decided to follow the robins. When he got up this way, the stopping areas hadn't opened, so he breezed along home, possibly a week early.

It was a colorful trip. He thought the Blue Ridge Mountain area was about as appealing as any.

The letters he wrote to his buddies, Don Hazen and Fred Lincoln, water commissioners (and which somehow got into print) were gems of interest. Yes, we hope he'll go again.

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Hospitality Committee
Mary S. Dunbar, P. M.
Stanley Rhodes, P. P.

Guest Book
Emily Edgerton, P. M.

Dinner
Evening Group W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church
Mrs. Barbara Gay, Chairman

Refreshments
Sister Suzanne Piper and Committee

The installation will be open, but by invitation of the Worthy Matron elect only.

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LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club at its meeting Wednesday evening elected the slate of officers as presented by the nominating committee.

President John Carr
Secretary Donald Cole
Treasurer Richard Pratt
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2nd Vice-President David White
3rd Vice-President Arthur Henneman
Lion Tamer Roy Kimball
Tail Twister Sidney Wheble
Board of Directors
Mitchell Duda Term expires 1964
Eugene Vadnais 1964
Rudolph Smola 1965
Samuel Berger 1965

The installation will be June 8 at 7 p. m. at Lis Cafe in Ludlow. This will be open to Lions and guests. The lucky number for April was said to be 91.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

The Belchertown Elementary Schools will conduct an Educational Parent-Teacher Conference Program on Tuesday evening, April 30, Wednesday afternoon, May 1, and Thursday evening, May 2.

This type of program, which was so successful in the fall, is designed to promote an exchange of views between teacher and parent to enable both to further the educational development of the children of our community.

The appointments have been set up in the afternoon between 1.24 and 4.34 p. m., and the evening appointments will be held between 7.00 and 10.00 p. m. It is hoped that we may see both parents of the children.

Because of a limitation in time, and our desire to include every parent, conferences will be limited to ten minutes duration. This time is short, but is sufficient if both parents and teachers will consider the subjects each wishes to discuss. The limitation on time also makes it necessary to begin and end conferences on time, as each teacher will be on a definite time schedule. This manner of scheduling will enable parents with more than one child in school to see all teachers.

Elementary schools will be dismissed at 1:00 p. m. on Wednesday, May 1 to facilitate the afternoon conference program.

LAST CALL

Those interested in playing marbles in the coming tournament, May 4, and of age 7-15, should contact Mr. Bailey of Jabish St. no later than April 29. The merchants have given out approximately $50.00 in prizes. Thanks for the fine cooperation in this matter which has pleased the boys and the committee. The committee, Barney Tolpa, Russ Robinson and John Bailey, have put many hours of their spare time in bringing about this chance for the winner to compete with other towns and communities. The merchants have made it possible for the winners to be rewarded for their efforts. Thanks again. —The Committee

BIBLE PRESENTED

At the Morning Worship on April 21, a Memorial Pulpit Bible was presented to the Methodist Church here. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Seymour gave the Bible in memory of Otis E. Seymour, Lawrence's father; Paul E. Aldrich, Mrs. Seymour's father; Minnie Dunakin, Mrs. Seymour's grandmother on the Maternal side, and Charles and Hattie Aldrich, grandparents on the paternal side.

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PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 8 p. m., April 30, in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Ralph Pittsley for a change of zone from Agriculture to business of a parcel of land owned by him at the junction of Amherst and Gulf Roads.

The Planning Board

PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office at 8:00 o'clock p. m. on May 2, 1963, to act on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an All Alcoholic Club License. This business to be conducted on the premises located on the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and the Club House to be located approximately 1800 feet from the southeasterly side, approximately 400 feet from the southerly boundary and approximately 3000 feet from the northern boundary. The premises to be licensed consist of a one-story building of wood frame and stone construction. There will be a main dining room, lounge, pro-shop, and ladies' and men's toilet areas. Full cellar to be used for storage area only.

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Mrs. Leon Antonovitch

MEMORIAL BIBLE

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The Bible, a King James Version, was presented to E. Clifton Witt, local Church Lay Leader and Chairman of the Official Board. Mr. Witt in accepting the Bible pledged the Church to use it and hold it in sacred memory of those in whose memory it was given. Rev. Marvin R. Green received the Bible from Mr. Witt and consecrated it at the Altar. The morning lessons were then read from it. This is another step in the onmoving renewal of the local Church.

CAMERA CLUB

In the salon class at the meeting of the Camera Club last week Les Campbell of this town rated First with "Queches"; and Third with "Little Boy on Snow Shoes."

The Camera Club's annual field trip to Rockport and Gloucester is scheduled for the week-end of May 17, 18 and 19. This is always one of the highlights of the year.

The NECCC annual outing is to be held July 12, 13 and 14 at the University of Massachusetts.

In addition to the feature programs, the "How to do it Camera College" will also be presented. There will be model shooting and the famous NECCC Beauty Contest, slide and print contests, and outdoor activities.

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Gert Riley

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [.] p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [.] p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Third Sunday After Easter
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.,
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 [M]ass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Church Cabinet in the Ryther Room 7.30 p. m.
Trustees of the Historical Assn. to [me]et at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Worker's Conference in Fellowship [H]all at 7.30 p. m.
Grange Meeting.
Church School Staff Meeting in [Pa]rish House at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men Supper Meeting at [6.3]0 p. m.

FRIDAY

[C]amera Club
[C]ard Party at Dwight Chapel.
[N]ursery School Pre-School Day.
[M]issionary Group with Mr. & Mrs. [Wi]lliam French.

BOSTON A. B. C. C. HEARING

The hearing in Boston on Tuesday, scheduled by the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission, on the petition for an all-alcoholic club liquor license for Robin Farm Club, Inc. was attended by Earl Henrichon,

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PAPER DRIVE

The Dwight Youth Fellowship will hold a paper drive tomorrow from 10 a. m. till dark.

SATURDAY

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Square Dance in Legion Hall.
Legion Variety Show in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Dwight Chapel Paper Drive.
Marbles Tournament at Parsons Field.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

May 12
Organ Recital at Congregational Church at 3.30 p. m.
First Communion at St. Francis.

May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.

May 18
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.

May 19
Annual Catholic Charities Appeal starts in St. Francis Parish.
C.W.C. Annual Communion Breakfast.

May 20
P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper.

May 24
Elementary Science Fair.

May 25
Baked Bean Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper.

June 8
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.

June 15
Strawberry Supper at Dwight Chapel.

June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

MARBLES TOURNAMENT

The Marbles Tournament Playoff is to be held Saturday, May 4th. Preliminary matches are scheduled for 9 a. m., Semi-finals for 1 p. m., Finals for 3 p. m., and the playoff for the Championship at 4 p. m.—weather permitting.

The system to be used will be double elimination—where each individual must lose two games to be excluded from further play.

The Tournament will be conducted at Parsons field, adjacent to the baseball diamond on the newly constructed ring. All Townspeople are cordially invited to attend the games. The two winners will be sent to the Western Mass. playoffs at Forest Park, Springfield, May 18, 1963. There will be two trophies and over $50.00 in prizes. The two trophies will be awarded immediately following the tournament. Awarding of other prizes will be held Saturday a. m., May 18 immediately prior to the trip to Springfield.

The Tournament Committee wishes to thank the following named individuals:

Mr. Robert Armstrong, James McGinnis, Joe O'Niel, Dick Burford, Al Brown, Don Cole, Jim Lemon, Ed Conkey, Bob Tilton, Charles Choquette, Charles DeWitt, Lionel Guillette, Fred Fitzgerald, Joseph Tolpa, Bruce Fitzgerald, Dan Shea, Kenneth Main and Don Hazen.

We would also like to express our thanks to the Fire and Highway Departments for their services, material, and equipment, with which they were so generous — making this tournament possible.

In case of inclement weather, the tournament will be postponed to Saturday, May 11. There are 19 boys who have submitted their names for play. Best of luck kids!

—The Committee

JR. - SR. HIGH BAND CONCERT

The Belchertown Jr. - Sr. High School band presented its 6th annual spring band concert in Memorial Hall on Monday evening at 8, under the direction of John Maggs, substituting for Joseph Contino.

Mr. Maggs himself participated in the group of numbers titled as "Short Classics."

Jane Peterson of the Class of 1964, student director, directed the number, "The Great Gate of Kiev," which was enthusiastically received, as in fact were most of the numbers. Mr. Maggs called attention to the quartet number, "Slowly," as being rather difficult.

Following the program, punch and cookies were served downstairs by the school personnel.

VARIETY SHOW TONIGHT

Chauncey D. Walker Post, A. L. is getting its program in shape for the 9th Annual Variety Show tonight. Fred Very will be the M. C.

Numbers in Part I include the "Irish Steppers;" baton twirling by Lorraine Plant; a voodoo dance by Marge Dominique; a solo by Kathy Dyer; a tap duet by JoAnne Bersell and Debbie Verrier; a jazz dance by Cheryl McKillop; and "Wonder Child" by Mona Dominique.

Mona is the daughter of Jimmy Dominique of Ludlow, teacher of dance here, and is a talented performer. She was with the Champs Circus last season on its summer circuit, and has toured with the U. S. O. She will appear with her father in a dancing and balancing act. About a dozen pupils of Mr. Dominique will appear on the program.

"Steppers" appear again in Part II; there will be a tap dance by Danny McKillop; magic by our citizen of former days, Dr. Kinmonth of Northfield; a tap duet by Mary Opalenik and Gary Lyons; acrobatic dance by Carol Kimball; the Dominique Dancers; a Latin tap by John Pinkos, and western music by the Drifters.

It looks like a full evening of interesting entertainment. Prices are 75 cents and 50 cents.

The Auxiliary will dispense refreshments during intermission.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL DRIVE

The Annual Catholic Charities Appeal Drive of the Springfield Diocese will soon be under way in St. Francis Parish here in town. The Drive will open Sunday, May 19, and close Monday, May 27, 1963.

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor, is the Parish Director, with Father Collins as his assistant. Harold E. Mellin is Lay Director, Victoria T. Sears, the Secretary, and Francis Longtine, Treasurer.

There are twelve teams, each assigned a certain area of the town.

Team #1—Uptown—Mrs. Geraldine Baker.

Team #2—Stebbins St., Bay Rd.—Mrs. Mabel Depot.

Team #3—Sargent St., Enfield Rd., East side of Rte. 202—Mr. Richard Pratt.

Team #4—Springfield Rd. (Westerly side), Three Rivers Rd., State St. —Mrs. Helen Robinson.

Team #5—Ware Rd. (South side), Three Rivers Rd. to Swift River— Mrs. Jeanne Wadsworth.

Team #6—Federal St. (No. side), Rte. 202 (West side)—Mrs. Helen Besner.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE BANQUET

The Men's Bowling League banquet, described by one of its members as the one big blowout of the year, was held at the Quabbin Social Club on Monday evening.

The awarding of trophies was preceded by an excellent steak dinner.

When the awards were passed out, the retiring president, Earl Henrichon, interspersed some personal comments.

There was quite a congregation of trophies at the table where sat Henneman's prize winning team. The main prize was contributed by Mr. Rolla of the Ware alleys and was surely a work of art for Art and his teammates, the names of team members being prominently engraved.

There was a big argument when certain members advocated a 14 team league, using all the alleys. The opposition doubted if the several teams would relish a re-scheduling of their members. It was also stated by those who had interviewed Mr. Rolla that he was averse to the Belchertown group monopolizing all the facilities, as he felt he had an obligation to the general public.

New officers, elected by voice vote, were:

President	Roland Lapointe
Secretary	John Hubbard
Treasurer	Roy Reece, Jr.

The new officers took the mike in turn, and expressed hope for a good year. The new secretary only hoped that he could do as fine a job as Leon Geoffroy, who put in so many hours at this time-consuming task.

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HISTORICAL ASSN. ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association was held at the Stone House on Monday evening, April 29. The regular date is April 28 (the anniversary of the first town meeting held here) but since April 28 fell on Sunday this year, the meeting was held on the next evening. President George A. Poole presided.

Reports were given by Mrs. E. T. Broadhurst, recording clerk, Mrs. Arthur Henneman, corresponding clerk; Isaac Hodgen, treasurer; Blake Jackson, auditor; and Mrs. Jessie Tremaine, custodian (her report is appended).

Reports were also given by several committees: Isaac Hodgen for the grounds committee; Rev. Harold Curtis for the library committee; Gerald Tremaine for the museum committee; and Belding Jackson for the essay committee. It was the sense of the meeting that the essay contest should be continued, and ten dollars was voted for prizes. It was voted that full authority should be given to the

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The Purple Soliloquizer

Why Are Many Of Us Americans So Clean and Yet So Messy?

During Winnifred Curtis' excellent lecture on Switzerland and Oberammergau in the Parish House last week Tuesday night, she remarked on the spotless cleanliness of the Swiss and German towns and cities.

No papers or other litter messed up the streets or gutters. If the police saw anyone tossing rubbish onto the ground, he was made to pay a fine on the spot. If he preferred to go to the police station for a hearing, the chances were that he would there be fined a larger amount.

In the light of our beliefs concerning "personal rights", and our experiences with official corruption, such a system of imposing cash penalties might seem unwise in much of the U.S.A. However, that is not the point. I suspect not many people pay fines in Germany or Switzerland for "littering". The people want clean cities and towns. They demand cleanliness of their children and of their fellow citizens.

We Americans, by and large, just do not feel that way about litter. We doubtless have better plumbing and more waterclosets and bathtubs per capita than the Swiss or Germans—and use them neatly and frequently. We boast of our soaps and cleansers, our shiny cars and dustless hair-dos—but we put up with dirty cities, and with all sorts of junk scattered over the countryside. Why? That is a hard question to answer.

It isn't that we are absolutely indifferent. Many of our surroundings we keep in faultless condition. And we talk a good litterless line. Even while I have been writing this with FM background, the radio has made one appeal for more litter bags and less desecration of the beauty of the American highway-side. On all our principal and even secondary routes, there are neat and very legible signs with warnings of fines to be imposed on violators.

What's more, I doubt if you could scare up three persons, young or old, who would declare themselves as sympathetic to the proposal that we have the right to litter public or private property with our discards.

Sometimes, in the midst of our sloppiness, there is the trace of a code. We throw out of cars a relatively small amount of actual garbage. Our surroundings seldom fester with decay. Also we toss away little that will puncture tires.

When pneumatic tires first came into use, nails and tacks on roadways were a menace, and broken bottles a threat. Considering the present possibilities, we have little to worry us on that same score these days. We drive confidently over strange roads on dark and foggy nights, dreading nothing in the way of barriers or scattered sharp objects. Americans have demanded that their highways be safe—free from bad potholes, for instance—and the demand is satisfied—occasionally with some delay! Perhaps in return the American motorist is careful not to encourage the presence of puncturing materials by being careless himself with bottles or nails.

It may be that I simply fail to believe that the little littering I do, when multiplied by thousands or millions, will result in the awful mess we have. Let's admit it. Most people just don't like to fuss with litter bags or to drop papers on the bottom of their cars and clean them up when they get home. It's so much easier to open the car window a bit, hold the litter very delicately and let the breeze waft it from our grasp. The fact that most of the stuff we throw out will take months or years to decay into nothingness never enters our minds.

Neither do most people like to put candy wrappers, gum wrappers, empty cigarette boxes and the like back into their pockets for later discarding. The very idea is repugnant. Just take the empty wrapper of the slightly used bit of Kleenex in the hand, hold it lightly as you walk along—relax—let 'er drop.

Paradoxically, our very cleanliness leads to more messiness. Our confections are well wrapped. Our ice cream is hygienically packaged. Our beer—well, let's not talk about beer cans. Suffice it to say, the TV emphasizes the opening more than the tossing away. We buy much more of this well-wrapped stuff than do the Swiss or Germans. Hence we have more litter potential.

As for our prodigality with printed materials—why bring that up! Old newspapers constitute a large percentage of our roadside trouble.

One of our worst offenses we commit with our car ashtrays. Folks who wouldn't think of littering with papers will dump a pint of burnt matches, long butts, and assorted ashes into a parking lot or onto a curbside and apparently think that the sunshine will absorb it! (or them!)

Let's face it. For a really clean and perspiration-odor-free people we do have a few nasty streaks.

And so far we refuse to get rough about it. Have you *really* ever known a person who paid a fine for littering? Until we are aroused, we'll go on being messy.

By the way, where do *you* spit out *your* gum?

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Fish, Flowers, and Frogs Help Make a Springtime!

Slowed down by cold nights and chilly daytime breezes, the latest edition of a New England spring is nonetheless meeting most of its appointments and is living up to expectations.

The fishing and baseball seasons are off to enthusiastic starts, golfers are on the fairways as much as they can manage to be, and new flutterings are observable among the birds, the boys, and the babes.

The frogs are peeping in every little pond, and the noise of their song is a cheerful one to him who has longed for spring.

Hepaticas are blooming again on shady hillsides for those who are willing to seek them out. After the pussy willow they are probably our first wildflowers to bloom, discounting an occasional dandelion that got itself next to a warm cellar window, or an arbutus that is out in a dry pasture or burial ground.

A week ago when we went to see if the arbutus could be in bloom so early, we found that it was indeed, as wide-starred and spicily fragrant as ever. We broke a law a very little to cut a sprig to send to California and another to Florida, to prove to our frostless friends that we are in the clear again.

Along with the arbutus, in the place where there have been "mayflowers" for almost sixty years according to my own personal knowledge, we found a lot of very delicious checkerberries that had gone safely through the winter and were as "wintergreen-flavored" as ever! These ripen in the late autumn but persist on the aromatic evergreen plants until about time for new flowers to appear.

Here is something that still stays as we remember it in our boyhood. I have chewed these leaves and berries on my childhood walks with Mother and Dad, I have refreshed myself with their tangy flavor on mountain hikes, and I have stored them always in my memory along with the long-disappeared chestnut, and the now-scarce butternut and hickory nut.

Last fall I greatly enjoyed an editorial in the Springfield *Union* from which I shall now "quote myself" to a close:

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"A word is dead
When it is said,
Some say.

"I say it just
Begins to live
That day."

Emily Dickinson (1872)

Checkerberries and Recollections

Do you remember the spicy, bright-red berries that grew thickly on creeping stem vines in the woodland? Remember how you went to the edge of the woods on a sunny September afternoon and filled a box with the round, tart-sweet fruits and kept them hidden from brothers and sisters?

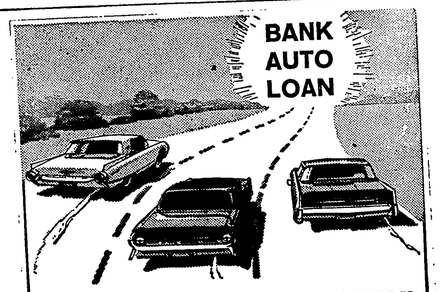
Botanical authorities tell us we should use the word wintergreen when speaking of Gaultheria procumben. The early settlers gave the running vine with its erect three to five-inch branches many folk names; deerberry, gingerberry, grouseberry, foxberry, spice berry, Jersey tea, and wavy plum. A half century and more ago, Grandmothers believed tea made from the leaves had a beneficial effect on fevers and colds.

In spring, the checkerberry patches are carpets of white, waxy flowers that grow in angles of the leaves. From Maine to the southern states and west to Michigan, farm boys and girls crush the petals and inhale the tangy, bracing fragrance. This is one of the few plants on our planet in which one can find a distinctive aroma in flower, leaf and fruit.

Commercially, the aromatic oil is used in candy, gum and medicine. It is interesting that this plant has an oil almost identical with that of the sweet birch. There are those who think wintergreen, or checkerberry, and peppermint are the same; but the peppermint belongs to the mint family.

A farm lad may like wintergreen flavor in candies, but as men now working in teeming cities remember, the flavor of the ready, chewy fruits was best when picked in a woodland on a blue-sky ninth-month day. A few checkerberries in a pocket helped pass time in District School, and one liked a few to savor as he read Horatio Alger by the light of a kerosene lamp.

Bob Jackson



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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Willard A. Stebbins was re-elected President of the Historical Association at the annual meeting. The members voted to charge an admission fee of 15 cents for anyone residing in Belchertown, but 25 cents for any non-resident. Mrs. D. P. Spencer arranged the program for the evening.

A dozen or so men and boys did a through job in cleaning the grounds around the Congregational Church and Chapel.

F. A. Stone, Tailor and Clothier of Holyoke, advertises suits of clothes from $20.00 to $37.50. Two pair of trousers go with each suit.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Belchertown boys and girls in the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades to the number of 34, won prizes in the first Connecticut Valley Youth Day program held at the State College in Amherst.

Mrs. Dora Bardwell, widow of the late Dea. Martin Bardwell, and a long-time resident of the town died at Needham at the age of 71. She was very active in the Congregational Church, teaching a S. S. class for many years. She was the mother of three children, Isabel, Eleanor and Watson.

Herman C. Knight, President of the Historical Association, presided at the annual meeting. A very interesting report for the year was given by Mrs. Leila Curtis, Custodian.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Camera Club is still working on the Album of Belchertown in the 1950's.

In co-ordination with plans of the Massachusetts Audubon Society, a bird walk, led by Leslie Campbell, will take place on Saturday, the 11th, beginning at the Clapp Memorial Library.

President George A. Poole presided at the annual meeting of the Historical Association. Inez L. Brown presented her sixth annual report as custodian.

The issue of the *Sentinel* came out on May 1. Very appropriately Mr. Steeple celebrated May day by presenting favorite spring poems in his column.

The Methodists repeated the Minstrel Show at the State School.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

On Thursday evening, April 18th, the B. S. S. Blue Eagles held their basketball award night. Doctor Samuel Berger, Mr. Donald Deschamp, Mr. John McDermott, and Miss Judith Barrett presented the awards to the boys. Each member of the team received a medallion. Trophies were given for the most valuable player, good sportsmanship, and high scorer. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, ice cream, chips, and soda helped to make the evening one the boys will long remember.

We wish to thank Mr. Charles Dowd, owner of Daisy Mae's, for donating the refreshments plus the use of his establishment for such a worthy occasion.

The Russ Jackman Musical Revue gave the children at B. S. S. another delightful evening on Monday, the 29th. This is a Volunteer Group who spend their off hours entertaining at all the area hospitals. A group of Belchertown youngsters under the direction of Dominique danced several numbers; John Smith, magician extraordinaire, amazed our children (and us) with his mystifying feats; Joanne and Linda Bushey sang; Donna Withee and Danny Dubour tapped their way through the evening, while Dick Lacasse and Roger Lacross, accompanied by The Ambassadores, really ripped out the accordian selections. All in all it was a wonderful evening and once again we are deeply indebted to Mr. Jackman.

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B. H. S. NOTES

Two recent acceptees to the University of Massachusetts from the present Senior class at Belchertown High School are William Krause, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Krause of Stebbins Street, and Russell Bergeron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Bergeron of Federal Street. Both boys will be entering the College of Liberal Arts in September.

Russell was president of his class in his Freshman year and has been active in the class activities throughout his four years. He was a member of the Glee Club and the District Chorus in his Sophomore year.

Bill played baseball during his Freshman and Sophomore years. He was in the Glee Club and was chosen as a member of the District Chorus in his Senior year. He plans a career in high school teaching after graduation from the University. Russ hopes to use his studies at the University as a prelude to law school and a career as a lawyer.

BOWLING NEWS

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CLASS A

1st High Average
Richard Pratt 106 & 43/58
2nd High Average
Howard Main 103 & 54/68
High Single String
Herbert Squires 149
High Three Strings
Raymond Dana 380

CLASS B

1st High Average
Thomas Bleau 103 & 53/59
2nd High Average
Arthur Henneman 103 & 59/74
High Single String
Eugene Vadnais 142
High Three Strings
Len Waite 367

CLASS C

1st High Average
Frank Grozier 98 & 14/49
2nd High Average
Donald Perham 96 & 65/73
High Single String
Ernest Lowe 133
High Three Strings
Joseph Tolpa 345

CLASS D

1st High Average
Theodore Piekara 92
2nd High Average
Howard Judkins 91 & 40/56
High Single String
Leon A. Geoffroy 121
High Three Strings
Roy Reece 330

High Team Single String
Henneman's 681
High Team Three Strings
Henneman's 1931

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Henneman's

A. Henneman, Capt., G. Smith, A. Sears, D. Perham, W. Terry, J. Hubbard, A. Skinner, and R. Pratt.

DIVISION B CHAMPIONS
Belchertown Salvage

B. Ross, Capt., T. Knight, F. Bodzinski, N. Bullough, J. Tolpa, J. Bodzinski, T. Bleau, and D. Cowher.

2nd PLACE TEAM
Jackson's Store

D. Bock, Capt., W. Dickinson, R. Robinson, K. Main, R. Doubleday, E. Bock, P. Menard, R. Hubbard, Jr., T. Piekara, and R. Knight.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, has sold for Mr. & Mrs. Louis Schroeder, their farm on Kimball Rd. to Mr. & Mrs. C. C. White of Agawam. Mr. Schroeder is being transferred, in the near future, by Monsanto Chemical Co., to their main plant in St. Louis. Mr. White is employed by Chapman Valve Mfg. Division of Crane, his wife is a teacher in the Agawam school system. The Schroeders purchased this property from Mr. & Mrs. Harry Conkey approximately 13 years ago. This property was at one time the Kimball homestead.

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APRIL FIRE DEPT. CALLS

April was surely a month for fires. Below is a list of all the calls to which the department responded. Monday, the 15th, was the frightful day. Thank goodness, May came in with a drizzle, so fire permits were resumed.

Mon., 1st—Armand Tanguay, Eskett Rd., grass fire.

Ketchen Apartments, So. Main St., grass fire.

Tues., 2nd—Elizabeth Piper, Maple St., Barn.

Louaine Squires, Fletcher Avenue, grass fire.

Fri., 5th—Pike Cafe, C. Walker St., grass fire.

Hagan, Liberty St., grass fire.

Sat., 6th—Thomas Ashton, Federal St., grass fire.

Ferris, Jabish St., Brush fire.

Sun. 7th—Rioux, Washington St., grass fire.

Mon., 8th—Daisy Mae Restaurant, State St., grass fire.

Tues., 9th—Automobile (Carroll Lynge), Bay Rd., Auto fire.

Sat., 13th—Max Sliwa, Three Rivers Rd., grass fire.

Robert Hankins, Daniel Square, a grass fire.

Mon., 15th—Former Howland Farm (Rear, along R.R. tracks), Bay Rd., Brush fire.

Property of M. Wood, E. Schmidt, Thomas Ashton, along R.R. tracks, Hamilton St., Forest fire.

Francis Loftus, Old Springfield Rd., Barn.

Dump, River Rd., Dump fire.

Richard Kost, Granby, Chicopee St., & Dressel Ave., Forest & grass fires.

Bel. State School, Hay Barn, Hay.

William Aldrich (Road-side), Gulf Rd., Brush fire.

Saturday, 27th—Vera O'seep, Cold Spring Rd., Grain & Storage Shed.

A FAREWELL MESSAGE

To The Belchertown Women's Bowling League

We, the Rollettes, having reigned as Champions for the past four years, wish to announce that we are withdrawing from the Belchertown Women's Bowling League.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Rolla of the Rolla-Way Lanes in Ware for the championship trophy which was presented to us at the Banquet last Thursday night.

May we wish next year's officers and bowlers the Best of Luck, in particular the new champions. Believe us when we say, "The price of glory is rather high!"

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Sumner E. Chapin, Bondsville builder, his new ranch home located on Jim Ashe Road, Bondsville, to Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dansereau of Gilbertville, who will occupy shortly.

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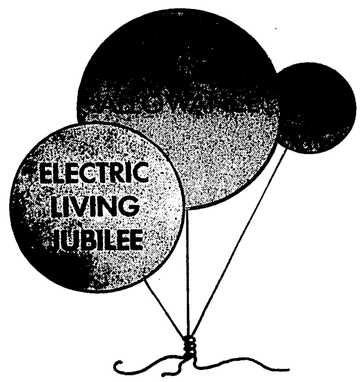

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— TODAY —

First Friday Services—Confessions will be heard from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m.; Mass at 7 p. m.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Third Sunday After Easter

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Peter 2, 11-19. The First Epistle of the Apostle St. Peter.

Gospel—John 16, 16-22. (Christ comforts the Apostles, who would be saddened at His going to the Father at the Ascension.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

The 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass.

All those who resolve to live up to their Christian principles will meet with opposition and persecution, but our life on earth is only "a little while," and our "sorrow shall be turned into joy."

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

(See the front page article.)

— HOLY NAME MEETING —

All Holy Name Men are asked to attend an important meeting to be held this Tuesday, May 7th, at 7.30 p. m. in the Pine Room.

— CAPTAINS' MEETING —

The captains for the Charity Drive opening May 19, will meet in the Rectory Friday, May 3, at 8 p. m.

— DEDICATED TO MARY —

The month of May, is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Blessed Virgin Mary, daughter of Sts. Joachim and Anne, spouse of St. Joseph, and mother of Jesus is especially honored during this month as in October, when in her honor, many of the faithful recite the rosary daily.

COMING—

Ascension Thursday (May 23), a Holyday of Obligation.

— FIRST COMMUNION —

Following the 9.30 Mass on Sunday, May 12, Mother's Day, the children of St. Francis First Communion class will make their first Holy Communion.

—C.W.C. CARD PARTY—

The Catholic Women's Club will be the sponsors of a public card party to be held on Wednesday, May 22, at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room.

The C. W. C. Communion Breakfast will be on Sunday, May 19, following the 9.30 Mass. More on this next week.

FOUR - H DOG CLUB

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 7. If it rains, the meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 8. The meeting will be at the home of Wallace Chevalier.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Communion Meditation by the Pastor.

Association Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shattuck and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice are the official delegates to the annual meeting of Hampshire Association of Congregational Christian Churches on Sunday afternoon at 2.45 at North Amherst Congregational Church. Alternate delegates are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dickinson.

In addition to regular business, the program will include a presentation on "Manifestations of Spiritual Vitality in our Churches." In the evening, Dr. Leonard Kramer of New York will speak on "The Church, The Christian and Our Revolutionary World."

The meeting is open to anyone who may wish to attend. Those planning to attend the supper should notify Mr. Varga immediately.

Pilgrim Fellowships

Mr. Sunki Choe, of Korea and a student at the University of Massachusetts, will be the speaker at a joint meeting of the Junior High and Senior High Pilgrim Fellowships on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Members of the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Church of Christ (Congregational) in Granby will be guests for this meeting.

Church Cabinet

The regular monthly meeting of the Church Cabinet will be held on Monday evening at 7.30 at the Parish House.

V. C. S. Meeting

There will be a joint meeting of Vacation Church School committees of the Congregational and Methodist Churches at 8 o'clock on Monday evening at the Methodist parsonage.

Training Meeting

The Rev. Donald Overlock, Minister of Christian Education at Second Congregational Church in Greenfield, will speak on "Theological Basis in the United Church Curriculum," at a meeting of the Church School staff and Board on Christian Education on Tuesday evening at 7.30 in the Parish House. The meeting is open to anyone who may wish to attend.

Trustees

The Board of Trustees will meet on Wednesday evening at 7.30 at the Parish House.

Bible Study

The Bible Study Group will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Parish House.

Leading Retreat

Mr. Varga will help to lead a retreat for members of the P. F. of Pelham beginning this evening at Woolman Hill in Deerfield.

Curriculum Workshop

Mr. Varga will be the leader for Senior High Church School teachers at a workshop on the United Church Curriculum at the Congregational Church in Florence on Saturday of next week. Teachers in the church school and any others who may desire are urged to attend one of these workshops.

Carillon Due

Material for the May issue of "The Carillon" should be in the church office today.

Chinese Dinner

Tickets for the Chinese Dinner, sponsored by the Senior High P. F., on Saturday, May 18, are available from members of the group or at the church office. Attendance at the dinner is by reservation.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Gary Gay, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, MAY 5

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship

Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.
Communion Meditation by the Pastor.
Prelude, "God's Garden" Wilson
Anthem, "In God's Own Garden" Harbridge
Offertory, "Sabbath Bells" Drew
Postlude, "Sing Unto the Lord" Cooke

The Sacrament of Baptism for children or others of riper years desiring to affiliate with the Church.

1 p. m. Cars will leave the Church for the Spring District Conference in Pittsfield at the First Methodist Church there.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Church Vestry.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall. The discussion will center around the Filmstrip, "The New Testament Church."

7.45 p. m. The Evensong will meet in the Church. All are welcome.

FRIDAY, MAY 3

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

SATURDAY, MAY 4

10 a. m. The Spring meeting of both the Northeast Regional and Western Mass. Chapters of the Order of St. Luke, the Physician, at the First Congregational Church in Amherst.

MONDAY, MAY 6

10 a. m. The Springfield Clerics will meet at the Methodist Church in Wilbraham.

TUESDAY, MAY 7

7.30 p. m. The Workers Conference will meet in Fellowship Hall. Please note that there is a change in this meeting date. Also there is a change in the meeting date of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism. This Commission will meet next Tuesday night.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in Fellowship Hall.

THURSDAY, MAY 9

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will have a supper meeting.

6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.

7.30 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.

FRIDAY, MAY 10

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group will meet with Mr. and Mrs. William French. This is the month for the annual thank offering, so please remember to bring your thank offering gift.

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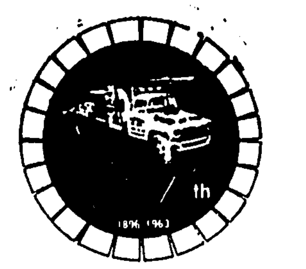

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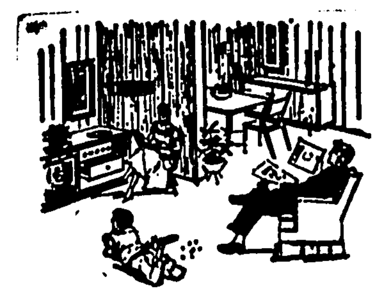

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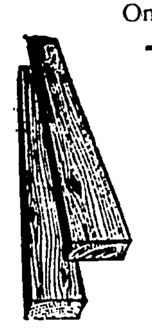

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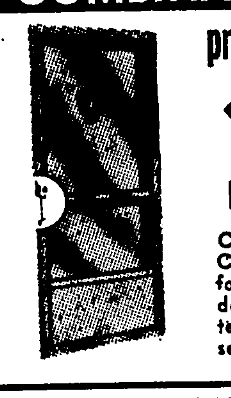

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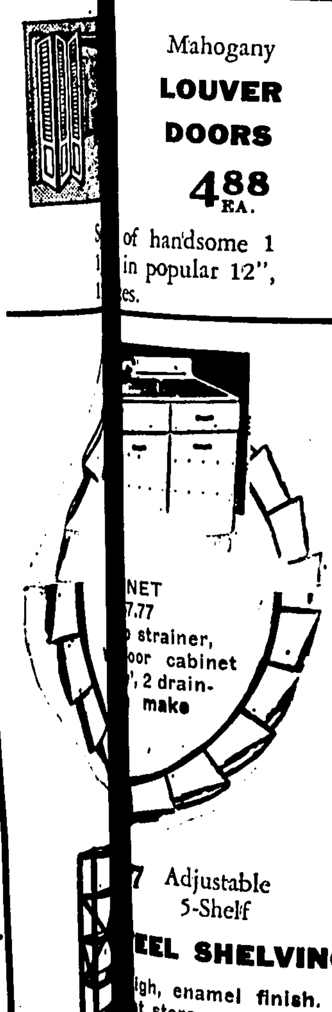

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HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION NEWS

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library committee for the disposal of books no longer needed.

The nominating committee, consisting of Harold Peck, Mrs. Fred Farley and Mrs. Arthur Henneman, submitted the following names of those whom the Association as such, is empowered to fill, as follows:

Recording Clerk Mrs. E. T. Broadhurst
Treasurer Isaac Hodgen
Trustees for three years—Belding Jackson, Isaac Hodgen, Lewis H. Blackmer, Mrs. Richard Pratt, Mrs. Elliott S. Cordner

and they were elected.

Announcement was made that the trustees will meet next Monday evening at the Stone House to elect the other officers and committees and transact any business.

Much interest was shown in the proposed addition to the Stone House, but the group voted that the matter be referred to the trustees. Also there was interest in a parking lot. Mr. Hodgen presented his ideas, and as a result he was voted as a committee of one to investigate and report to the trustees.

Several who attended the Bay State Historical League spoke of the value of such a gathering to the historical associations of the state. The president reminded the group that this was the time for the payment of the annual dues.

CUSTODIAN'S REPORT

I have looked back thru the Custodian's records and from those, and my own experience, I find the Stone House seasons follow quite a definite pattern—about the same number of registered visitors from about the same number of states.

This year 233 registered and they came from 18 states.

The House was open on all the regular days (Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2-5) and several other times by appointment.

One such was on April 11th, Miss Dorothy Cogswell of Mt. Holyoke College called, asking to bring two guests. One was Mrs. Miriam Dwight Walker of New York City. She wanted especially to see the doll house which is in the children's room. Her mother had played with it and had told her all about it.

Another special day was Sunday, July 8th, when Mrs. Lawrence Bowser brought 22 members of the Boston Branch of the National Old Lace Club. They enjoyed seeing our laces and needlework and found the Stone House a cool and interesting haven, after their long trip and outdoor picnic.

Mrs. Pero brought two groups of Seniors. A number came for research.

The society received several gifts during the year.

One day Mrs. Edward Bartlett stepped in and placed a colorful antique rug in the hall at the foot of the stairs, making the entrance much more attractive.

In September, during the 225th Anniversary Celebration of the Congregational Church, Rev. Herbert F. Loomis, of Springfield, great great grandson of Rev. Justus Forward (who served as its second minister for 58 years) came and gave to us Rev. Forward's personal Bible and one of the Communion plates presented to him when he had served 50 years as pastor.

Mr. Frederick Lincoln brought a box of old time tools and two old maps of Belchertown.

Mr. Blake Jackson gave us 94 pictures of the Bicentennial celebration, taken by him and Mr. John Collis.

There were pictures of the milestones and the old bridge from Mr. Russell Robinson.

Mr. Hodgen kept the grounds looking their best and Mr. White made it possible for us to have two rows of tulips across the front of the house.

I hope more Belchertown people will come this year to see the treasures that are in our Stone House.

Jessie S. Tremaine

The trustees of the Belchertown Historical Association will meet at the Stone House next Monday evening, May 6, at 7.30.

PUBLIC HEALTH ORGANIZATION

ARTICLE III

From the pages of Hospital City—the story of Bellevue Hospital, New York City, N. Y.

The Gigantic Task Begins

Under pressure from the Citizens' Association, yet another commission was appointed to make a sanitary inspection of the city. But this time the commission consisted of a team of competent physicians supervised by Stephen Smith, together with such prominent men as August Belmont, John Jacob Astor, Dr. Willard Parker, and Hamilton Fish. The politicians did not dare interfere.

Under Smith's plan they divided the city into twenty-nine districts. For nearly a year, flying squads of physicians swooped down on the tenements of the East Side. The slaughterhouses, the pestilential dark alleys, and the dead ends where disease flourished. They brought in information that rocked the city and threatened to topple the administration. This volunteer sanitary inspection of a great city was regarded by European health authorities as the most remarkable in the history of municipal reform.

Dr. Smith struck while the iron was hot, The Association, in 1864, published his report in a 500 page volume, and Smith saw that it got widest distribution possible. Publication costs were $22,000, but it was to save the city billions, to say nothing of countless human lives.

The memos from the commission's inspection teams on which Dr. Smith based his famous report made shocking reading in any age.

The inspector of the Eleventh Ward says: "As a rule the streets are mainly dirty and offensive and the gutters obstructed with filth. The filth of the streets is composed of house slops, refuse vegetables, decayed fruit, store sweepings, ashes, dead animals and even human excrement. These putrefying organic substances are ground together by the constantly passing vehicles, and are driven by the wind in every direction. This street filth and domestic garbage is a well recognized cause of diarrheal diseases and fevers.

The privy at the rear of a tenement house on West 22nd Street is used by 42 persons. It has five subdivisions, one for every two families. The compartments are so small that a person can scarcely turn around in them and so dark that they have to be entered in artificial light. Under such circumstances, the emanations of the excrementious matter of 42 persons can find no escape. The privy cellar is worse than a Stygian pit."

The Inspector of the Sixteenth Ward says: "New York has a vast number of special nuisances which are a constant danger to its public health. There are nearly two hundred slaughterhouses, many of which are in the most densely populated districts. To these places droves of cattle, hogs, and sheep are constantly driven rendering the streets filthy in the extreme, and from the slaughterings flow blood and refuse of the most disgusting character. In certain popular sections of the city are fat-boiling, entrails-cleansing, and tripe-curing establishments which poison the air for squares around with their stifling emanations. To these must be added hundreds of unclean stables, immense manure heaps, etc."

It is estimated by the City Inspector that 18,000 persons live in cellars, many of which are below tide water.

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Ragpickers' Row is described this way: The houses are of wood, two stories with attic and basement. The attic rooms are used to deposit filthy rags hug up to dry, sending forth their nauseous stench to all the neighborhood.

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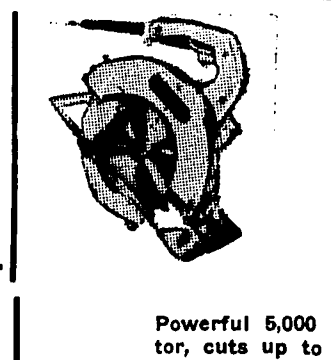

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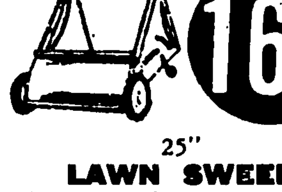

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Team #8—B. S. S., Hamilton St., George Hannum Rd., Jackson St. — Mr. Aubrey Lapolice.

Team #8 A—Mr. John Carr.

Team #9—Boardman St., Eskett Rd., Rural St.—Mr. Roland Lapointe.

Team #10—Bay Rd., Metacomet St., Poole Rd.—Mr. Oswald Perron.

In the weeks following, there will be more information made available to all, concerning the Drive. Some of it will be found in the St. Francis Church Notes and in the Sunday Bulletin, which may be procured following any Mass on Sunday in the rear of the church.

EARLY COPY PLEASE

LUKE F. BURNS

Luke F. Burns, 81, of State St., a former school custodian in Springfield, died Sunday in Mercy Hospital after a brief illness. He lived on Littleton St. before moving to Belchertown nine months ago.

He worked as a steamfitter for 27 years, 11 of them at W. J. Hyland Mfg. Co. of Springfield; worked as a school custodian there for 23 years, retiring in 1952; and then worked for Wesson Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Fitchburg, Feb. 1, 1882, but lived in Springfield for 50 years.

He leaves two sons, John F. and F. Joseph Burns, both of Springfield; three daughters, Miss Madeline Burns of Belchertown, with whom he made his home, Mrs. Howard Merchant, Jr., of Springfield, and Mrs. Anne M. King of East Hartford, Conn.; two brothers, James H. Burns of Springfield and John F. Burns of Fitchburg; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the T. P. Sampson Co., Liberty St., with a solemn high mass of requiem in Our Lady of Hope Church at 10 a.m. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Thirteen tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the relief committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Fred Lincoln, Walter Pease, Carl Bowles, and Helen Lister; 2nd, Nellie Jenks, George Jenks, W. W. Smith and Rose Canavan; 3rd, Mrs. George West, George West, Erla Wright, Ethel Sanderson; door, Mrs. Harold W. Swann, Lyman E. Hubbard.

This week's party is in charge of the legislative committee—Lyman Hubbard, chairman; H. Shirtcliff and J. Davis.

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BOSTON HEARING

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chairman of the selectmen, Rev. Paul Varga and Rev. Marvin R. Green, local clergy, Fred Very, and Isaac A. Hodgen, who had petitioned for the hearing. These appeared in opposition, with Henry Renouf, president of the Robin Farm Club appearing in favor of the license.

After a statement by Hodgen and questions asked by Commission Chairman Lloyd of the interested parties, the Commission stated that they would hold the subject open, but referred the matter back to the local board of selectmen to make sure of compliance with local by-laws, about which there was some question, before further consideration and action would be taken by them.

TOWN ITEMS

Miss Dorothy Kindley, who has been at Mary Lane Hospital, has been transferred to the Falls Nursing Home in South Hadley Falls.

Mrs. James Collard is a patient at the Holyoke Hospital.

ENROLMENT FILLED

Belchertown Nursery School announces its enrolment is filled. In the event some drop out, your name may be put on a waiting list only. Thank you.

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CLOVER CLUB

Six members of the Four Leaf Clover Club attended the county demonstration day at Amherst Regional High School on April 27.

Marjorie Officer received an "Excellent" award on her illustrated talk, "Germination of Seed," Lawrence Breton received a "Very Good" for a demonstration on splicing ropes.

4-Hily,
Sandra Henrichon, Secretary

LETTER TO THE "SENTINEL"

The following friendly letter was received recently from K. Merton Bozoian, one-time principal of our Center Grade School here.

56 Hawthorne Street
Belmont, Mass.
April 14, 1963

With so many things one must do these days, for one reason or another, it's pleasant to sit down and do something you really want to do.

That little paragraph in the Steeple's column recently about Volume 49, No. 1, started me thinking about how long I have been away from Belchertown and how much I have enjoyed my contact with the town through your newspaper.

I have enjoyed reading about those whom I have known, and others who have been in the news. It's been a thrill to hear about former residents and to read about what they are doing now.

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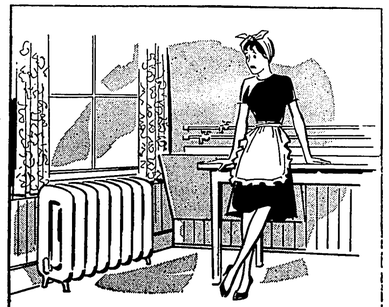

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4-H CLUB NOTES

ON THE HILL POULTRY CLUB

The meeting was called to order by Thomas Krol. We discussed last week's tractor driving contest in which Franklin Wenzel of this club placed third. Also discussed, was the Dairy Tour to be held Saturday, May 11. The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were given.

Secretary & Reporter
Marie Malmstedt

LETTER TO THE SENTINEL

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Hardly a day goes by without Belchertown being in the "news" for me one way or another.

In these few words, may I thank you for the countless pleasures I have enjoyed through the medium of your *Belchertown Sentinel.*

Sincerely yours,
K. Merton Bozoian

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Organ Recital at 3.30 p. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Union Meeting with Bondsville Church.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fourth Sunday After Easter
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m..
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

B. H. S. Baseball, B. H. S. vs Williamsburg, at Williamsburg.
Democratic Town Committee in Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

B. H. S. vs Hardwick, home game.
Home Department Annual Luncheon at Parish House at 12.30 p. m.
Legion Auxiliary.

WEDNESDAY

Bowling Captains' Meeting at Daisy Mae Restaurant at 7.15 p. m.
W. S. C. S.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

B. H. S. vs Sanderson, at Sanderson.
Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry.

SATURDAY

Marbles Tournament Awards at Crystal Spring Dairy Bar at 9.45 a. m.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Dwight Chapel Food-Apron Sale at Bolles Shoe Store at 11 a. m.
B. H. S. Junior Prom.
Camera Club
Card Party at Dwight Chapel.
Nursery School Pre-School Day.
Missionary Group with Mr. & Mrs. William French.

TOMORROW

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

May 17
Junior P. F. Dance.
May 18
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner.
May 19
Annual Catholic Charities Appeal starts in St. Francis Parish.
C.W.C. Annual Communion Breakfast.
May 20
P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper. Supper at 6.15 p. m.
May 24
Elementary Science Fair.
May 25
Baked Bean Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper.
June 7
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.
June 8
Grange Dairy Public Supper in Grange Hall.
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
June 15
Strawberry Supper at Dwight Chapel.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

P. T. A. DOUBLE PROGRAM

A pot luck supper and white elephant auction will be special attractions at the final P. T. A. gathering of the year on May 20 at Cold Spring School.

A complete course of dog obedience lessons is among the "articles" already promised for the auction. Mrs. Richard Thomas, owner and operator of the Lindsey Collie Kennels on State Street, is the donor. Several local businesses are also contributing items

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B. H. S. CLASS HONORS

Lee Lamoureux has been named valedictorian and Elaine Tetrault salutatorian of the graduating class of 1963 of Belchertown High School.

Mr. Lamoureux has been an outstanding member of his class during his four years in High School. He was a co-editor of the School's paper, correspondent for "Spotlight on Youth," a member of the Glee Club, member of the District Chorus, on the Student Patrol, and took part in the Senior Play.

He was accepted at the University of Massachusetts during his Junior year and plans to enroll in September.

Miss Tetrault was treasurer of the Student Council, a member of the Yearbook and School paper staffs, Business Manager of the magazine drive, and on class dance committees.

In September she will enter the Dental Assisting Program which is a post graduate program at the Springfield Trade High School.

AUX. FIRE DEPT. NOTES

The Auxiliary Fire Department will wash and wax cars again this summer at a base rate of $10 a car. Appointments may be made with William Squires between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m.

The monthly meeting of the Auxiliary Fire Department was held on Tuesday night, when the following officers were elected:

President	William Squires
Vice-President	Larry Bowser
Treasurer	Loren Shumway
Secretary	Donald Kempkes

METHODIST SPECIAL SERVICE

The local Methodist Church will honor Rev. and Mrs. Clarence F. Avey at a special service on Sunday, May 12. Mr. Avey will be retiring from the office of District Supt. when the new District Supt. is elected at the Annual Conference, which will meet June 5-9. Mr. Avey will be the preacher for the day. The Methodist Church in Bondsville will join in this service and will not have worship services in the Bondsville Church on this occasion. The Morning Service will be at 11:00. Mr. Frederick Very is Chairman of the day and will be assisted by a committee composed of E. Clifton Witt, Lay leader of the Belchertown Church, Mr. Edson Carnahan, Lay Leader of the Bondsville Church, and Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mrs. Burt Collis, Russell Weeks, Merle Green, and the Pastor, Rev. Marvin R. Green serving Exofficio. Greeters for the day will be Col. and Mrs. Benton Fielder, Jr., for Belchertown, with Mrs. Arthur Allen and Mrs. James Gathro for Bondsville. Ushers will include Joseph Kempkes, Jr., and

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CHINESE DINNER

The Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a Chinese Dinner on Saturday evening at 6.30 in the Parish House. The food will be provided by members of the Chinese Christian Church in Boston. They will be in charge of the kitchen, with members of the Senior High P. F. waiting on tables.

Proceeds from the dinner will support the work of the Chinese Christian Church, and also will help to provide scholarships for P. F. members to summer camps.

Reservations are required for the dinner. Tickets may be purchased from P. F. members or at the church office.

LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES

At our last meeting, April 9, an Auxiliare Department citation was read and shown to the members.

It was voted to have a Get Acquainted Tea for District 2 Girls State delegates. The tentative date set was May 19, but due to a conflict in dates (the District meeting was already scheduled for that day) our president changed the date to May 26.

Winner in the sale of a stole donated by Mrs. Romeo Joyal was Mr. Edward Joslyn of 53 N. Summer St., Holyoke.

Winner of the Chinese Auction was Mrs. John Reed, winner of same to bring gift for our next meeting on May 14.

Mrs. Henry Depot wishes to thank all Unit and Legion members for their donations of home-made candy and popcorn, and the help they gave her at the recent Legion Variety Show.

ANTI-LITTER POSTER CONTEST

The Garden Club is sponsoring an Anti-Litter Poster Contest in the Belchertown Public Schools this month.

Mrs. Preston Atwood is the chairman for the schools and will be in charge of presenting the matter to the grade schools, Miss Jane Wardwell to the Junior High, and Mrs. Belding Jackson to the Senior High School.

In order for contestants to be competing with their own age groups, there will be four classes of posters: I, Grades 1, 2, 3, & 4.; II, Grades 5 & 6; III, Junior High; IV, High School. Prizes will be awarded and winning posters will be displayed in the stores.

THE IDEA'S THE THING. YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE AN ARTIST.

Contestants are urged to use their imaginations to present the subject of anti-litter in any attractive way they choose—using cardboard or paper cutouts, lettering from magazines, crayon or painted designs—even litter.

SIZE OF POSTERS. For the Jun-

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CATHOLIC CHARITY DRIVE PERSONNEL

One week from this Sunday, on May 19, the Fifth Annual Catholic Charities Appeal will open. During the drive, each parishioner will be contacted by a worker, who will solicit funds for this very worthwhile annual project. If you are not contacted and wish to contribute—call Fr. Dudley or Harold Mellin. What the drive is, what it does, and how it was started will be elaborated on in your newspapers during this coming week.

Officers for the Drive—Harold E. Mellin, Lay Director, Victoria T. Sears, Secretary, Francis Longtine, Treasurer, and Mr. & Mrs. Peter M. Dearness, Publicity.

Typists—Jean Noel, Barbara Henneman, Susan Menard, and Victoria T. Sears.

Team 1 Mrs. Geraldine Baker, Captain. Workers—Walter Papp, Mrs. Susan Menard, Mrs. Clare Oberly, Mrs. Agnes Samson, Mrs. Mary Avery, James Boyko, Mrs. Margaret Clark, and Mrs. Anne Blazo.

Team 2 Mrs. Mabel Depot, Captain. Workers—Mrs. Dorothy Carpenter, Paul Choquette, Donald Laporte, John Milner, and Mrs. William Lequin.

Team 3 Mr. Richard Pratt, Captain. Workers—Mrs. Laurina Brighenti, Mrs. Joseph Ferenz, Mrs. Dorothy Brennen, and Theodore Piekara.

Team 4 Mrs. Helen Robinson, Captain. Workers—Yvette Archambault, and Paulin Rioux.

Team 5 Mrs. Jeanne Wadsworth, Captain. Workers—Raymond Breton, Sr., Mrs. Rose Sroka, Mrs. Betty Digris, and Mrs. Connie Bergeron.

Team 6 Mrs. Helen Besner, Captain. Workers—Claire O'Donnell, and Ellsworh Forgue.

Team 6 A Mr. Arthur Hebert, Captain. Workers—Mrs. Jessie Crisafulli, and Mrs. Lawrence Lovett.

Team 7 Mr. Andrew Sears, Jr., Captain. Workers—Joseph McCrea, Barbara Adams, Julie Anderson, Veronica Dana, and Mrs. Betty Belmont.

Team 8 Mr. Aubrey Lapolice, Captain. Worker—Romeo Joyal.

Team 8 A Mr. John Carr, Captain. Workers—Mary Newell, Anne Healey, and Jon Rose.

Team 9 Mr. Roland Lapointe, Captain. Workers—Rose St. Jean, Bella Munn, and Mrs. Rita Lapointe.

Team 10 Mr. Oswald Perron, Captain. Workers—Mrs. Eugenie Perron, Belle Pelchat, Mrs. Arlene Goodrow, Rose Scott, Mrs. Christine Davin, Mrs. Florian Czupkiewicz, and Mrs. Ruby Kosiba.

FOOD AND APRON SALE

Dwight Chapel ladies are sponsoring a food and apron sale today, May 10, at 11 a. m. at Bolles Shoe Store in Amherst.

Our Steeple Soliloquizes

"The Stomach-Turning Point" Could Stimulate Some Thinking

A couple of weeks ago my friend Claude Smith, representative for Hallmark Greetings and a resident of Belchertown, mailed me a copy of an interesting pamphlet that is being circulated by people in his company.

It is a speech delivered a year ago to the American Society of Newspaper Editors by Jenkin Lloyd Jones, editor of the Tulsa, Oklahoma, *Tribune*.

Entitled "The Stomach-Turning Point", the address calls the attention of the editors to several aspects of the American "moral climate" and urges them to help restore some of our older standards by holding them up for examination and for comparison with some of the substitutes that have been permitted to take their places during these latter days of our experiment in human freedom.

Mr. Jones admits that his speech is a jeremiad. He is distressed by the signs of the weakening of American self-discipline and by evidence of dangerous moral relaxation.

It further bothers him that our rivals, the Communists of Russia, believe implicitly that we are "in an advanced state of moral decline—a Sodom and Gomorrah, ready for the kill", and that they are morally superior.

"Do you know what scares me about the Communists? It's not their political system, which is primitive and savage. It's not their economic system, which works so badly that progress in a few directions is purchased at the price of progress in all the rest. It is their puritanism."

He briefly considers "the national insanity known as 'progressive education.' This is the education where everybody passes, where the report cards are non-committal lest the failure be faced with the fact of his failure, where all move at a snail pace like a trans-Atlantic convoy so that the slowest need not be left behind, and all proceed toward adulthood in the lockstep of togetherness."

"We have produced tens of thousand of high school graduates who move their lips as they read and cannot write a coherent paragraph. While our Russian contemporaries, who were supposed to be dedicated to the mass man, have been busy constructing an elite, we have been engaged in the wholesale production of mediocrity. What a switch!"

Mr. Jones finds disciplines pretty well neglected in art and sculpture, but is of the opinion that this is less serious than "the blunting of our capacity for righteous indignation."

Our Puritan ancestors were too preoccupied with sin, but their philosophy rested on a "granite rock": "Man was the master of his soul" . . . "You could and should be bettter. And if you wanted to escape the eternal fires, you'd damned well better be." Now sin is largely imaginary. There are no lazy bums any more—only the deprived and the underprivleged."

"The state will give a mother a bonus for her illegitimate children, and if she neglects them sufficiently she can save enough out of her ADC payments to keep herself and her boy friends in wine and gin."

"The welfare state that taxes away the rewards for responsible behavior is building on a foundation of jelly."

Finally he comes to entertainment and literature.

"Can anyone deny that movies are dirtier than ever? . . . Isn't it plain that the financially-harassed movie industry is putting gobs of sex in the darkened drive-ins in an effort to lure curious teen-agers away from their TV sets?"

He takes the president of the Motion Picture Association of America to task for having said: "I have yet to run across a movie ad so subtle that a concerned parent would not know whether the film was suitable for childhood."

Mr. Jones has felt so strongly about the highly suggestive illustrations and prose in many movie ads that his paper once "decided to throw out the worst and set up some standards. We thought that this belated ukase of ours might cause some interruption in advertising some shows. But no. Within a couple of hours the exhibitors were down with much milder ads. It seems that exhibitors are supplied with several different ads for each movie. If the publishers are dumb enough to accept the most suggestive ones, those are what they get. But, if publishers squawk, the cleaner ads are sent down. Isn't it time we all squawked?"

After finding the American stage charging $8.80 for the skits you used to be able to see at the Old Howard for six bits, and leaning much too heavily on the homosexual in plot and personnel, he speaks thusly about one of our old TV favorites:

"We are drowning our youngsters in violence, cynicism, and sadism piped into the living room and even the nursery. Every Saturday evening in the Gunsmoke program Miss Kitty presides over her combination saloon and dance hall. Even the five-year-olds are beginning to wonder what's going on upstairs. The grandchildren of the kids who used to weep because the Little Match Girl froze to death now feel cheated if she isn't slugged, raped, and thrown into a Bessemer converter."

And literature: *"Lady Chatterley's Lover* and *Ulysses* are on the paperback shelves next to the comic books. They can close the bookstalls on the Seine. It's all over at your corner drugstore where the kids hang out."

Mr. Jones feels the time has come to dust off the rule book. "Much juvenile delinquency springs from a deep hunger for rules."

"It's time to quit seeking learning without effort and wages without work. It's time we got mad about payola. We should ask the Lord's forgiveness for our inflated expense accounts, and quit pretending that goonery is a human right."

"This is still a great, powerful, vibrant, able, optimistic nation. Americans-our readers-do believe in themselves and in their country.

"But there is rot, and there is blight, and there is cutting out and filling to be done if we, as the leaders of free men, are to survive the hammer blows which quite plainly are in store for us all. We have reached the stomach-turning point."

"In short, let's cover up the cesspool and plant some flowers."

Thanks for sending in the booklet, Claude Smith. We need to open our eyes once in a while without at the same time closing our hearts to a faith in the ability of America to keep itself on the right road.

Need Any Doors?

In order to get a bit more width to the entrances, we had overhead doors installed on our garage during the winter.

The four regular doors, all in pretty good condition, glass intact, are now stacked neatly behind the said garage.

Anyone interested in buying four doors?

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Who Left the Nuts?

Many weeks ago I wrote herein about the joys of black walnuts, the scarcity of butternuts and hickory nuts, the disappearance of hazelnuts, and the like.

Not long after after, I found a bag of swell butternuts at our front door, with no note to tell who had left them. However, I was *sure* I knew the donor. It must have been Mrs. Marion Crane of Springfield, a reader of the column, who had once told me she was looking for butternuts for us.

I phoned her twice, but noone answered. Then I forgot about it, until quite recently, when I called again. Now what? She had not left me a single butternut! Wanted to, but never did find any.

Now I'd like to know! Who was the kind giver—the dispenser of New England's "best-protected food"—butternuts? I do want to say *thank-you!*

Progress Report

On May 3, 1963:

1. Received Telephone Company's directions for direct dialing!
2. Saw TV news report show police dogs attacking Alabama Americans!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"There's nothing like being used to a thing."

Richard B. Sheridan—"The Rivals" (NB This play—wonderful comedy—at Amherst's Kirby Theater, May 17, 18, 19, 20, 21—Ticket Sale Tomorrow!)

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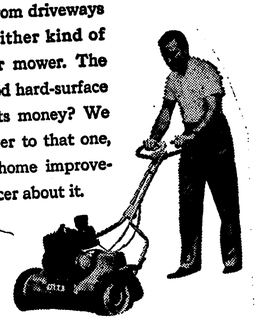

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HISTORICAL ASSN. TRUSTEES

The trustees of the Belchertown Historical Association met at the Stone House on Monday evening, all being present—something most unusual. At the start of the meeting, announcement was made that George A. Poole had completed 20 years as president, and Mrs. Arthur Henneman, corresponding secretary, read a paper summarizing the activities of the past 20 years, which paper was handed Mr. Poole, and appreciation extended him for his services. He was also voted an honorary member.

The following officers not previously chosen, were elected for the ensuing year.

President — George A. Poole
1st Vice-President — Blake S. Jackson
2nd Vice-President — Gerald Tremaine
Corresponding Clerk — Mrs. Arthur Henneman
Auditor — Blake S. Jackson
In Charge of Essay Contest — Belding F. Jackson

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Topping and Miss Helen Lister were received into membership, and some others retroactively.

It was felt that the Association might well have more than two meetings a year, so a committee was appointed for planning an extra meeting or two, such committee consisting of Mrs. Henneman, Mrs. Richard Pratt, Gerald Tremaine, Rev. Harold Curtis and Belding F. Jackson. It was felt that there were those in the organization who could talk most interestingly about specific items on display at the House. This would supplement any outside speakers that might be planned for the semi-annual meeting in the fall.

There was discussion regarding plans that have been put forward for additions to the House and Annex, and the committee hopes shortly to be meeting with the architect, who has submitted tentative sketches.

It was felt by some that once plans are finally drawn, there might be those of Belchertown lineage living elsewhere, who might want to perpetuate their interest in such a project.

Mrs. E. T. Broadhurst submitted her resignation as recording clerk in view of the fact that she is taking up residence in Springfield, but consented to stay on for a bit on a committee basis.

SHOW CHAIRMAN

Miss Jane Pietryka, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Pietryka of Franklin Street, President of the Business Education Council at Salem State College recently was chairman of the Business Machine Show. Ten outstanding machine companies exhibited their products at the show which was attended by several hundred students in the Business Department, guests, local businessmen, local high school faculty and honor guest, Mayor Francis X. Collins of Salem.

Miss Pietryka is a Junior on the Dean's List at Salem State College.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

Miss Kathleen Austin who is completing her freshman year at the College of Our Lady of the Elms has recently been elected president of the sophomore class.

She took a major part in the class play, and at present is in the musical production, "The Bells Are Ringing", which will be staged Wednesday, May 8.

Also she has been accepted as a member of the honor society, "Sodality."

TOWN ITEMS

Earle Martin is a patient at Holyoke Hospital, where he underwent surgery on Wednesday.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— TODAY —

There will be a meeting tonight at 8 p. m. in the Rectory of Team Captains and Workers.

Next Friday at 7 p. m., there will be a Buffet Supper for Parish Officers, Captains, and Workers in the Charity Drive.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fourth Sunday After Easter

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—James 1, 17-21. The Epistle of the Apostle St. James.

Gospel—John 16, 5-14. (Christ promises to send the Holy Spirit, the Comforter.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Occasionally, the 9.30 and the 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College, Granby, Mass.

— MISSION RENEWAL —

All parishioners are reminded of the Mission Renewal which will be conducted from Sunday, May 19 to Wednesday evening, the 22nd. It will be given by Rev. Leonard Sweeney, an Oblate Father from Boston.

— COMMUNION BREAKFAST —

The C. W. C. Communion Breakfast will be held after the 9.30 Mass on Sunday, May 19 in the Pine Room, with Mother Frances Regis of the Ursuline Order as the guest speaker. She is a teacher of French and Drama at the Ursuline Academy, Central St., Springfield, Mass. Her subject will be "Christ in the Modern Home." Parents and their teenage children are invited to attend the Breakfast. Tickets, at $1.50 can be obtained after each Mass on Sunday and from Mrs. Andrew Sears, or from Mrs. Charles Pelczarski. It is hoped that reservations will be made as soon as possible.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

(See the separate article on the Drive)

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POSTER AND ESSAY CONTESTS

The Essay and Poster Contests which were held in this parish in conjunction with the Annual Catholic Charities Appeal have now been judged. The theme was: "Gratitude, Best Motive for Giving." Entries were judged on originality of presentation and neatness. The judges were: Mrs. Preston Atwood, Mrs. John W. Avery, Mrs. Paul T. Austin, Mrs. Elwyn H. Bock, Mrs. Bernard Bowler, and Mrs. Thomas E. Hanifin.

Winners: (Junior High), Essay—Donna Wadsworth, Mill Valley Road (High School), Essay—Mary Terault, Amherst Road (Junior High), Poster—Patricia Theroux, Stebbins Street

Honorable Mention: (Junior High) Louise Austin, John Civello, Margaret Langevin, Louise Rassey, Edward J. Zawistowski, Philip Dahlgren, Patricia Theroux, Robert Forest, Linda Lagrant, and Becky Davin; (High School) Karen LaPlante, Patricia Mann, and Cathy Ferenz.

—STATISTICAL SUMMARY—

The Catholic Church in the U. S.: 27 Archdioceses, 120 Dioceses, 5 Cardinals, 45 Archbishops, 55,580 Priests, 11,500 Brothers, 173,350 Sisters, and 17,156 Parishes. There is one priest for every 771 Catholics in the country. —"Official Catholic Directory, 1962"

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

A recent transaction of the Don Shaw Real Estate Agency was the sale for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Webb of West Roxbury, Mass., of a portion of their property located on Munsell Road, consisting of a completely remodeled 6½ room home, to Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson of Andover, Conn. The former Webb home is now being occupied by the Albert Saba family of Willimantic, Conn. The Webbs formerly lived in this town before moving to West Roxbury.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Gary Gay, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, MAY 12

9.45 a. m. Sunday School with classes in the Educational Building. If you have not been through these new facilities, Mr. Green would be glad of the opportunity to show them to you.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon by the Rev. Clarence F. Avey, District Superintendent
Junior Sermon by the Pastor

Prelude, "Consonetta"	Rasley
Anthem, "Consecration"	Balson
Offertory, "Souvenir"	Sergisson
Postlude, "Chorus of Praise"	Perry

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Small Vestry. The subject of the evening discussion will be the "One Ground for Salvation." Any 7th or 8th grade youth will be welcome. All members are to bring their Bibles and a notebook. A period of fellowship is planned, and refreshments will be served.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall. There will be a business meeting to discuss and possibly accept the report of the officers' planning group for the balance of the year.

7.45 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Vestry. This is the Evangelistic service of the Church, and all who do not have this service offered in their own church are invited. Gospel songs and thoughts from the 5th chapter of Romans will be presented.

MONDAY, MAY 13

7.30 p. m. The Area Council will meet in Ware to hear the report of the special sub committee, and to take care of planning for the area.

TUESDAY, MAY 14

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the church office at the parsonage. Members are reminded that this is a change of meeting night, so the Workers Conference could have their speaker last Tuesday night. All members are urged to be present.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Stewardship and Finance will meet in Fellowship Hall.

All members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, please attend your annual supper meeting on Wednesday, May 15. Supper at 6.30. Pledge service and installation of officers at this meeting.

The hostesses will be Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Mrs. Albert Birge and Mrs. Everett Plant.

FRIDAY, MAY 17

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will have their monthly meeting in the Vestry, with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bellerose as host and hostess.

FRIDAY, MAY 10

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the Women's Society for Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. William French on East State Street, Granby.

COMING

MAY 23

At the request of the Official Board to consider the questions that the 4th Quarterly Conference referred in February to the Official Board for study. This concerns the continuing renewal of the physical property and Spiritual life of the Church. All members of the Quarterly Conference are urged to be present. There will also be a short meeting of the Official Board to consider some questions of summer scheduling.

MAY 24

Aldersgate Day, May 24, will see special services in the Methodist Church. This will be the 225th anniversary of the Aldersgate Experience. The day will start with the Sacrament of Holy Communion at 10 a. m. Lunch will be at 12 noon, with those desiring to break bread together bringing their own sandwiches. Drinks will be served. At 2.30 p. m. there will be a Prayer-Bible Hour, with the Aldersgate service at 8 p. m. The Church seeks the experience that made John Wesley the tool he was in the hands of His Lord.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Laying the Foundations."

Sunday is Mother's Day, which marks the end of Christian Family Week. What more appropriate way is there to recognize this than to worship together as a family and to give thanks to God for our home and for our mother.

Senior High Fellowship

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will leave the Parish House at 1.30 for the Hampshire Association Pilgrim Fellowship rally.

"The Ultimate Weapon," a film, will be shown at 7 o'clock for those who do not attend the rally.

Organ Recital

Mrs. Marie G. Forde, church organist, will present an organ recital at the church on Sunday afternoon at 3.30. Rev. Paris, of the Methodist Church in Plainville, Conn., will be the guest baritone soloist.

The public is invited to attend. Admission is free, but an offering will be received.

Junior High Fellowship

A film, "The Ultimate Weapon," will be shown at the meeting of the Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship on Sunday afternoon at 5.30 in the Parish House.

Home Department

The annual luncheon of the Home Department will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 12.30 at the Parish House. Each member has been invited to bring a guest. The charge for the luncheon is 75 cents. Reservations *must* be made with Mrs. Harold Peck by tonight.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Parish House.

Training Meetings

The Christian Education Committee of the State Conference has set up meetings at six locations throughout the state during the coming weeks for the purpose of preparing churches to use the United Church Curriculum in the fall.

A meeting for churches of Hampshire and Franklin Associations will be held at the Florence Congregational Church from 9.30 to 3.30 on Saturday. Church School teachers are urged to attend.

Mr. Varga will be the leader for teachers in the Senior High Department. He will lead a similar group at the meeting in Holden on the following Saturday.

Association Officers

A number of members of this church were elected to offices in Hampshire Association at the meeting in North Amherst last Sunday.

Mr. Sidney Wheeler is serving the second year of a three-year term on the Nominating Committee. In addition, he was one of two men elected to the State Laymen's Council.

Mrs. Harold Curtis was elected to serve on the Missionary Committee for a three-year term.

Mrs. Harvey Dickinson was elected to serve on the Public Relations Committee.

Mr. Varga was elected to a two year term on the Committee on the Ministry, and also as a delegate to the Annual Assembly of the Massachusetts Council of Churches in Boston in November.

State Conference

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Congregational Christian Conference will be held at the Village Congregational Church in Wellesley on Sunday, May 19, and will continue through May 21.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

On Thursday, May 2nd, the school children delighted their audience when they participated in a gymnastic exhibition, showing the skills they have developed during the year.

The program consisted of relays, marching drills, calesthenics, work on the ropes, bars and horses, tumbling, social dancing and, of course, a clown added to the merriment of the afternoon. The children are to be congratulated on a fine performance, as are those who have instructed them so well.

This program was under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Gould, assisted by Mr. Harlan Rhodes, Miss Judith Barrett and Mr. Jon Rose, with Mrs. Maxine Peterson as pianist.

"Betty" Rhodes

(Thanks for serving as guest-reporter this week, Bets!)

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, May 6, a meeting of the newly elected officers and those team captains that were able to be present, was held at Rolla Lanes in Ware to see if the men's league could have 14 alleys for the '63 - '64 season.

Mr. Rolla agreed that we could have the use of the 14 alleys, therefore, we will be able to have 14 regular teams this coming season. Ideas were also discussed as to a new method of forming the teams, but since enough teams were not represented, it will be further discussed at the next meeting.

There will be another meeting at Daisy Mae's Restaurant on Wednesday, May 15, at 7.00 p. m. It is urged that all team captains be present or send someone to represent their last year's team. Anyone who is interested may also attend.

Any new bowler who wishes to bowl next year is asked to contact President Roland Lapointe, Tel. 323-7793 as soon as possible.

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CLAUDE SMITH RETIRES

The following article taken from the April Hallmark Bulletin, tells of the retirement of our own Claude Smith.

"One of the beloved members of the Hallmark field sales force will retire at the end of this month.

"He's Claude Smith, known as Smitty to his close friends and associates. He is best known however as a man who, as one colleague put it, 'would break his arm for you.' His uncommon willingness—even eagerness—to help others carried over to servicing his accounts. In fact the many complimentary letters from his accounts are strong testimony to his conscientiousness and popularity.

"Claude began with Hallmark in 1942 and has serviced accounts for 21 years in the Massachusetts and Albany districts.

"Claude has lived for many years in Belchertown, Massachusetts, where he is close to many members of his family. He and his wife Ora have four children, Robert, Gloria, Loretta and Janet.

"A golfer rumored to be the most pleasant playing companion in New England, Claude will likely visit the links occasionally during retirement. More likely he will be found fishing, a favorite pastime. Many members of the Hallmark selling team will recall Claude's old lobster boat, Nonnie, in which many a festive fishing party was held off Cape Cod.

"Retirement plans may well include a trip or two to Nova Scotia, his wife's birthplace.

"The Bulletin is pleased and proud to speak for all members of the Hallmark Sales force, both at home and in the field, in wishing Claude and Mrs. Smith all of life's blessings in their retirement years."

TOURNAMENT VICTORS

Frank Brodeur, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brodeur of So. Main St. won the Belchertown Marbles Championship last Saturday at Parsons Field.

Runner up was David Martins, 12 year old son of Mrs. Anita Guyer of Dressell Ave.

Third place honors went to Fred Fitzgerald, Jr., of Three Rivers Road, and fourth place was won by Corbin Armstrong of Mill Valley Road.

The Champ, who is a 6th grade student at Cold Spring School, really did it in a blazing fashion, for after being the loser in the 1st game of the tournament, went on to eight straight victories, and the crown.

Probably Frank's cool determination was the big factor in his success, for although he only won three of the nine lags for first shot, from then on he made every shot count.

Most commendable to the young champ, and the greatest asset in his quest for the coming playoff in Springfield will be capability in sizing up the best shot, before making a play. This could very well be the deciding factor whether Belchertown will have not only a Town Champion, but the Western Mass. Marbles King.

David Martins may be the surprise of the century, and could possibly be the one to cause Frank a bit of worry, as they may have to re-play each other at Forest Park.

We had best not forget that Dave has only learned to play ringsies in the local clinic since February and has the looks of becoming the scourge of all marbles players.

With another week of friendly practice (if you saw the way they eye each other you'd wonder), Belchertown should make a good account of itself on May 18th and 19th.

The third and fourth place winners looked for a while as though they might force a four way Round Robin play-off but when both came up against Brodeur they were no match as the Champ scored 7-2 against Armstrong and 7-1 against Fitzgerald.

In all 22 boys took part in the nine hour contest and were a credit to themselves and to the whole Town for the sportsmanship which was displayed, especially after all but the Champ and Runner-up were left. For it was then that the losers all gathered to cheer the two who had fought for the goal they had all hoped to reach.

Another show of the caliber of all the players came when the only boy who entered the tournament but failed to qualify, had to be withdrawn.

Though there were many who questioned that there would ever be a tournament this year, thru having Russ Robinson's chicken coop demolished by snow, and the biting cold every Saturday of practice, mix-ups in available equipment and manpower to build the tournament ring, the path of determination finally cleared and how, I ask you, could there have been a more perfect day for a finale than that last Saturday.

The best is yet to come, however, when on Saturday, May 18, at the Crystal Room of Crystal Springs Dairy Bar, all those who participated in the Tournament will be treated to ice cream, and while enjoying the treat over $50.00 in prizes, will be distributed to the contestants.

We hope you'll all be there to support these fine young citizens of Belchertown and at 9.45 will see our champ and runner-ups off to Springfield for their next target—the Western Mass. Marbles Crown.

Russel E. Robinson
John R. Bailey
—The Tournament Committee

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Mrs. Ruth Johnston of East Walnut St., insurance agent, has been chosen secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Jane Gawlik, who has previously been both secretary and treasurer, has resigned from the former office.

The directors of the Chamber will meet tonight at 7 at Mrs. Jane Gawlik's home.

CARD PARTY

The Carl Bowles again call attention to the card party to be held in Grange Hall, Ludlow, on May 17.

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GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The annual business meeting of the rden Club followed the delicious ncheon served at the Homestead Inn st week Thursday. A birthday cake lebrating the 15th Birthday of the ub decorated the head table and later as enjoyed. "Happy Birthday" was ng to Mrs. Charles Sanford of Plainld, one of the charter members of e club.

The officers for the ensuing year ere re-elected and are:
esident Mrs. John Topping
ce-President Mrs. Frank Peeso
cording Secretary Miss Ethel Corliss
orresponding Secretary Mrs. Elliott Cordner
easurer Mrs. Blake Jackson

Several of the past presidents relled many of the activities of the st 15 years.

The Club has been extended an intation to participate in the Springld Garden Club Flower Show to be ld May 15 and 16 at the Massachuts Building at the Eastern States Exsition Grounds. Tickets are $1.25 d may be secured from Mrs. Melvin ndrews, Mrs. Elliott Cordner or Mrs. ul Nulman. Hall open Wednesday, e 15th from 1 p. m. to 10 p. m.; d Thursday, the 16th, from 10 a. m. 10 p. m.

NTI-LITTER

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and Senior High Schools, posters st be 22" x 28", materials to be furhed by the students. For the grade pils posters shall be 18" x 24"; oak may be secured at the schools. me, age, grade and school must be ed on the back.

DATE. Contestants should sign up Tuesday, May 14. Deadline for ished entries, Monday morning, y 27; entries to be handed in at the ncipal's office in each school.

JUDGES will be members of the rden Club: Mrs. John Topping, s. Edward Bartlett, Mrs. Blake Jackn, Mrs. Byron Hudson and Mrs. Ert St. Jean.

RIETY SHOW

The Ninth Annual Variety Show on by Chauncey D. Walker Post, L., was just what was predicted in week's paper—"a full evening of eresting entertainment." The prom was rendered as stated, with one ra number, a toe ballet by Carol mball, thrown in.

Fred Very was M. C., performing his shirt sleeves, and was busy most the evening moving his mike back d forth and up and down to accomdate the several age groups.

The Dominique entertainers added ch to the program, many of the nce teacher's pupils appearing. Mo, the teacher's five year old daugh, who was with the Champs Circus t summer, was surely the star of the ow. She not only demonstrated extly the different types of dance, but owned her appearance in a breathking balancing act with her father. r older sister appeared in the color- l voodoo dance.

Local folks were glad to again welme Dr. Kinmonth in his magic role, who has contributed so much thru years to entertainments in Belcherwn.

James McKillop of Dedham, a forr Belchertownite, and also a past commander of the local post, whose children contributed to the show, was asked to rise and take a bow. The folks were glad to welcome him, too.

As in previous shows, there was the presentation of the colors at the start of the show and their retirement at its close.

The attendance at the entertainment was hardly what it deserved, but that has been the fate of more than one good show.

The Women's Auxiliary sold refreshments at intermission.

GRANGE NOTES

Juvenile Grange members entertained Union Grange at their annual birthday party on Tuesday evening, with a play and songs. There were also songs by the youth of the subordinate Grange and selections by a quartet consisting of Harold Peck, Emma Grover, Pearl Very and Leon Geoffroy.

There was an exchange of white elephant gifts.

Refreshments were in charge of Pearl Very, Catherine Beaudoin and Ida Cook.

Mrs. Walter Pease of Ludlow, newly appointed Juvenile Grange Deputy, was present.

Invitations have been received to visit Sunderland Grange on their 65th anniversary on May 19, at 2 p. m.; and to a Mother's Day Breakfast at Chelmsford Grange Hall on May 12, from 7 a. m. to 1 p. m.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Breton, their property on North Liberty St., to Mr. & Mrs. George Hagen from Greenwich Conn., who have already taken possession. The Bretons are living in a newly purchased mobile home off Mill Valley Road.

AMHERST NATURE CLUB

The Amherst Nature Club announces a picnic at Arcadia Sanctuary in Easthampton, Tuesday, May 14, at 6 p. m. Those attending are asked to take a box lunch. Coffee will be served. Mr. John Hobbs, now in residence, will speak to the group and will conduct a tour of the Sanctuary and Nature Trail.

Take Route 10 from Northampton to Easthampton, and follow signs for Arcadia from about the Northampton-Easthampton line.

MARY A. CHAFFEE

Miss Mary A. Chaffee of Cottage Street died Tuesday morning at the Hilltop Nursing Home in Gilbertville, where she was taken several weeks ago.

She was born in Enfield August 11, 1881, the daughter of Norman S. and Anna Lanchear Chaffee. Miss Chaffee moved here from Enfield at the time of the flooding, so has resided here for some thirty years.

She leaves two brothers, Robert of Huntington, and William of Pelham, besides several nephews and nieces.

The funeral will be held this Friday at 1 at the Beers & Story Funeral Home, with Rev. Paul Varga, pastor of the Congregational Church, of which Miss Chaffee was a member, officiating. Burial will be in Quabbin Park Cemetery.

OLD TIME ISSUE

Harold Mellin came into our office the other day carrying a weather beaten copy of the Sentinel dated June 9, 1944, which had been found back of a radiator over at the Metropolitan. A top front page article was "Special Assembly D-Day." It read:

"There was a special assembly at the High School on Tuesday (D-Day) afternoon, when Rev. Joseph T. Collins, curate of St. Francis Church, offered prayer, and "My Own America" was sung."

The singular thing was that hardly had this old paper come to light, when Fr. Collins, who is again a curate here, drove in at the Metropolitan and was confronted with this issue. It looked as though he had sensed the find.

PAPER DRIVE

The paper drive sponsored by the Dwight Chapel young people last Saturday was very successful. It is expected that there will be a continuation of the drive, when any having papers could call Rev. Harold Suhm.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Our club dance this week will be at Memorial Hall, with Audie Gaylord as caller.

The reservation date for the banquet has been extended until May 10th.

Hosts and hostesses are: Julian and Jean Hussey, chairmen; Jacky and Bob Keyes.

The refreshment committee is Fred and Pearl Very, chairmen; Bill and Lu Vershon, Ed and Lee Wallace, Pat DeSantis and Eileen and Bob Doubleday.

SPECIAL SERVICE

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Albert Dewhurst. The Methodist Youth Fellowship, under the leadership of its president, William Fielder, will serve as Waiters and Waitresses.

It is hoped that the Church will take this opportunity to show their respect and love for this couple who have shown so much concern and devotion to the local Churches and to the task of being District Pastor to all.

P. T. A.

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for the auction, and it is hoped that everyone attending will raid the attic for a treasure to bring.

Those attending the supper to be held at 6.15 p. m. in the school cafeteria are asked to bring either a casserole or salad. Coffee, rolls, and dessert will be furnished by the P. T. A. Mrs. Frank Towne, Jr. is chairman of the supper.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Thirteen tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the legislative committee, Lyman Hubbard, chairman. Prize winners were: 1st, Mable Cowles, Austin Cowles, Idola Patnaude, Lena Nightingale; 2nd, Celia Jenks, Charlotte Hunt, Marie Lovern, Florence Damon; 3rd, Mildred Hartmann, Mildred Waid, Nellie Wetmore, Mary Judkins; door, Blanche Bader, Linda Wright. This week's party will be in charge of the conservation committee, Howard Judkins, chairman; Katherine King, L. Curtis, H. Renouf, B. Aldrich.

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Although that one has ne'er possessed
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A Mother's privilege it is
To build while on this sod,
A character so Christlike that
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Her heritage cannot be seen,
Or weighed, or tossed about,
Or touched with lingering fingers
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To all persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE M. FENTON, also known as CATHERINE G. FENTON, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

The administrator of the estate of said CATHERINE M. FENTON, also known as CATHERINE G. FENTON, has presented to said Court for allowance his first account.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 27, 1963, at 8 p. m. in the recreation room of Memorial Hall on the application of the Resources Conservation and Development Corp. for a permit under Sect. IVB2a of the Zoning By-Laws to operate a boat livery, riding stable, golf course, ski tow and other recreational activities, but not an aviation field, at its property on East St.

Harold E. Mellin
Acting Chm., Board of Appeals

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 27, 1963, at 8.30 p. m. on the application of Robin Farm Club, Inc., for a permit under Sect. IVB2b of the Zoning By-Laws to operate a private club not for profit, on the premises of the Resources Conservation and Development Corp. on East St.

Harold E. Mellin
Acting Chm., Board of Appeals

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic Town Committee will meet in lower Memorial Hall on Monday evening at 8.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

Our next meeting will be held on May 14, at 7 o'clock at Wally Chevaliers, unless it rains.

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere gratitude to the Women's Guild, the Home Department of the Congregatiional Church, the Grange and all the many friends who remembered me with flowers, gifts, visits and cards with their cheery messages during my recent illness. Every gesture of thoughtfulness was deeply appreciated.

Frances Moore

IN APPRECIATION

I returned home Wednesday, May 1, from Westfield State Hospital after 23 days, having undergone surgery. I want to say thank you to all my many friends in Belchertown for cards, gifts, flowers and other remembrances. To all the Reverends in Belchertown for their cards and prayers, and to the doctors and nurses for the good care I received, thanks.

Mrs. Mabel Bowles

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fifth Sunday After Easter
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.
Annual Catholic Charities Appeal starts in St. Francis Parish.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

P. T. A. White Elephant Sale and Casserole Supper. Supper at 6.15 p. m.

TUESDAY

Baton Twirling Class at Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Polio Clinic at Cold Spring School, 9-10 a. m., 7-8 p. m.; at Franklin School, 1-2 p. m.
Cub Scout Pack Meeting at American Legion Hall at 7 p. m.
Women's Guild Mother-Daughter Night.
Catholic Women's Club Public Card Party in Pine Room at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY

Special Quarterly Conference of Methodist Church, and Meeting of the Official Board at 7.30 p. m.
Ascension Thursday Services in St. Francis Church.

P. T. A. MEETING

Chairman Harold W. Willey of the school committee will be auctioneer at the P. T. A. white elephant sale to be held Monday evening at Cold Spring School.

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FRIDAY

Aldersgate Day. All-Day Observance.
Elementary Science Fair at Cold Spring School, from 7 to 9.30 p. m.
Card Party at Dwight Chapel.
Dwight Chapel Youth Fellowship record hop at Memorial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.

SATURDAY

Methodist Men's Club Grandmothers' Night. Supper at 6.30 p. m.
Baked Bean Supper at Dwight Chapel at 5.30 p. m.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Camporee at Northampton Fair Grounds. Cub Program from 2 to 5.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

B. H. S. vs Sanderson, at Sanderson.
Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry.
Junior P. F. Dance at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Marbles Tournament Awards at Crystal Spring Dairy Bar at 9.45 a. m.
Senior P. F. Public Chinese Dinner in Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 1
W.S.C.S. Annual Strawberry Supper.
June 4
Annual Booster Club Banquet at Quabbin Social Club.
June 7
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.
June 8
Grange Dairy Public Supper in Grange Hall.
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
Lions Club Ladies' Night at Lis'.
June 15
Strawberry Supper at Dwight chapel.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

ANNUAL APPEAL OPENS SUNDAY

Sunday, May 19, is the day St. Francis Parish joins all parishes in the Springfield Diocese (excluding Franklyn County, they will be contributing directly to the Farren Memorial Hospital in that County) in the fifth annual Catholic Charities Appeal which this year has for its goal, $735,000.00.

What the Drive is and what it covers is of interest to all. The first drive was in 1959. Encompassing some nineteen institutions, from the House of Good Shepherd to the Providence Hospital, it has in the past provided a great boost to the financial burdens of these institutions.

Now in its fifth year, the drive will again provide funds for the followng institutions: Greylock Rest, Newman Center at U of M, Camp Holy Cross, Beaven Kelley Home, Holyoke Day Nursery, Mount St. Vincent, Providence Hospital, Farren Memorial Hospital, Catholic Youth Center (Pittsfield), St. Luke's Hospital, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, Home and School of The Good Shepherd, Dept. of Education, Marriage Counseling, Mercy Hospital, St. Luke's Home, Guild of The Holy Child, Our Lady of Providence Home for Children, and the Home for the Elderly.

The $735,000 figure represents the minimum amount needed to give assistance to the 19 diocesan institutions and agencies for the care of the sick, elderly and underpriveleged.

This money has been used to meet the deficits of some of the charitable institutions, to buy equipment for others, and to help construct new buildings for a few.

Local drive officers, team captains, and workers, have been announced and published in previous press releases.

The attention of St. Francis parishioners is focused of course on Christ's work—made possible to a greater extent by this drive. All are asked to give according to their means. If not contacted and you wish to donate, call Fr. Dudley or Fr. Collins at 323-6272.

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BOOSTER CLUB BANQUET

It is announced that the annual Booster Club Banquet will be held at the Quabbin Social Club on Tuesday evening, June 4.

LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club will hold Ladies' Night at Lis' Cafe in Three Rivers, on Saturday evening, June 8, at 6.30.

There will be a choice of menu: ½ broiler, $2.50; or sirloin roast, $3.75. Lions and their guests are invited.

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TO SPEAK AT SESQUI-CENTENNIAL

Rev. Walter R. Blackmer, who was pastor of the Congregational Church in Arcade, N. Y., in 1913 and helped that church celebrate its centennial, was invited back to help it observe its 150th anniversary, which it is presently observing.

Not feeling quite equal to taking the trip, much as he would like to do, he was invited to make a tape recording of a speech he would otherwise give in person, so he "speaks" to those assembled this week Saturday night in the church he once served, reminiscing of events taking place there fifty years ago.

Rev. Mr. Blackmer was pastor of the Arcade church from 1911 to 1921, one-fifteenth of the life of the church. In his talk, Mr. Blackmer mentions his installation, improvements made at the time of the centennial—stained glass windows, new carpet, church manual, etc.

Later, space was excavated beneath the church for a dining room, largely the result of volunteer labor. He also mentions the issuing of a church paper during the last three years of his ministy there.

If anything happens to his tape, he has forwarded a copy of his talk, so his felicitations should surely get through.

BATON TWIRLING

Mr. O'Brien will come to Belchertown on Tuesday, May 21, at 6.30 p. m. at the Old Town Hall.

He will hold this one class as a refresher class and review moves to practice this summer in preparation for classes to resume next fall.

This class on Tuesday night is for students who have taken lessons—no new twirlers will be accepted until new classes start in the fall.

POLIO CLINIC

A Sabin Oral Polio Clinic for Type 3 will be held Wednesday, May 22, at Cold Spring School.

For Pre-School Children:
9-10 a. m.
7-8 p. m.

School children will be taken care of during school hours.

At Franklin School for Pre-School Children, the same day:
1-2 p. m.

CLAMBAKE

The Chamber of Commerce will put on its second annual public clambake on Sunday, June 23, at Malo's Beach, with Wally Boyko again being chairman of the committee. The main menu will be clams and lobsters, and the price will be $3.50.

GRADUATION AND PICNIC

Mr. Dominique of the Dominique Studio of Dance announces that graduation ceremonies will take place on Sunday, June 30, at the Bronx Zoo in New York, when there will be a picnic in connection. The group will leave town early that morning, 6.30 or 7.

Mr. Dominique states that he has chartered two buses to accommodate pupils, parents and friends and says that extra room is available, so if others would like to go, they should call him for particulars at JU34407, or see him at the Legion Hall here Saturday. At this writing, about 25 more could be accommodated.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP RECORD HOP

The Youth Fellowship at Dwight Chapel is holding a record hop at Memorial Hall, Friday, May 24, from 8 to 11 p. m.

Admission is 50 cents.

CHINESE DINNER

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a Chinese Dinner tomorrow evening at 6.30 at the Parish House. Tickets are by reservation, with only a very limited number of tickets available at the door. It is recommended that anyone desiring tickets after Thursday evening, call Mr. Varga 323-7532, to make sure they are available.

STONE HOUSE OPEN

The Stone House is open for the summer, the hours being from 2 to 5 on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

BAKED BEAN SUPPER AT DWIGHT

The church group at Dwight Chapel is serving a public baked bean supper next week Saturday, May 25, with servings starting at 5.30.

RECEIVES AWARD

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ferenz have received official word that their son, Cadet Paul Ferenz, a sophomore at the University of Massachusetts, has been awarded the Chicago Tribune Silver Award. This is given to the Air Science II cadet of excellent character who has maintained outstanding AFROTC grades and general academic excellence. He is also a member of the ROTC Drill Team.

Several Local Town Boards Finding No Time To Be Bored

Town boards and committees seem to have been unusually busy these recent weeks, with considerable difference of opinion at times being reported in the press, but nothing so serious as to have disrupted morale.

The granting of licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages has been the focus of interest in a couple of cases. To date the results of hearings held here and in Boston may have been indecisive, but some of the laws, rules, and regulations have been made clearer, some terms have been defined, and precedents may have been established for future cases.

A new "conflict of interest" law in the Commonwealth has caused much uncertainty and unrest here as in other towns and cities all over the state. We heard with consternation that some of our most useful and devoted public servants might be forced to resign from their elected or appointed positions.

The problem here came to a real head (according to the *Union* of May 10) when two members of the school committee" were informed that bills due them or their families by the town would not be paid unless their classifications were clarified."

On Thursday evening of last week, a delegation of the School Committee, led by the chairman, Harold Willey, met with the Selectmen to find out what action the latter board was going to take.

They were told that at an earlier discussion with town counsel Paul Ford, the latter had recommended classifying as "special employees" all board members except Selectmen, School Committeemen, and *regular town employees,* and that the Tree Warden classification was "unable to be resolved."

"However, regardless of the advice of Ford, the board as of Thursday was making a statement that declares 'In this board's opinion all town officials and members of committees whether they be elected or appointed, are hereby classified by this board as special municipal employees'."

It is certainly to be hoped that we are not likely to lose a man like Al Brown as tree warden to satisfy a law probably not designed to bring results like this to smaller communities.

We have probably not yet heard the last of this business. There will need to be clearer directives from the higher levels. Meantime, as I said earlier, our boards keep busy.

The Board of Appeals appeared feverishly in the papers a week ago when it lost track of Robin Farm papers first reported as "of great consequence", but one day later reported as "of *no* great consequence", the negative having been omitted in the process of printing!

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As though in sympathy with the "Dry Trend", a headline reported "Movies, Not Stills—At Camera Club."

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Nationally Known Speaker Comes From Our Belchertown

When I received the notice of the Annual Ladies' Night and Meeting of the Engineering Society of Western Massachusetts last week, I was pleased to note that the speaker was to be Leslie A. Campbell of this town. On this Ladies' Night occasion, it is the policy of the Society to find a top speaker outside the engineering field. Here is what the brochure has to say about Les:

"Mr. Campbell is known throughout the United States for his excellent and imaginative photography. His fine prints were recently seen in Washington at the Arts Club where he was honored with a one-man show. In addition to being a frequent exhibitor, he is a much-in-demand judge in both black-and-white and color in camera clubs and international pictorial and nature exhibits. He is the recipient of many awards including the Buxton Award which is given annually by PSA for proficency in exhibiting nature prints. He is author of articles for the PSA Journal and the Bulletin of the Massachusetts Audubon Society. He has been an officer in many organizations including the New England Camera Club Council, Belchertown Color Camera Club, Amherst Nature Club and Amherst CC.

"The magnificent eye of Mr. Campbell's camera and his own imaginative vision selects, isolates, and concentrates the essence of a subject so that we may see it with much greater depth and clarity. His program will be illustrated with color slides depicting a great variety of subject matter designed to help us 'see' with more insight and keener pleasure. Part of the lecture will be devoted to through-the-lens impressions of nature, making visible phenomena otherwise almost invisible or unnoticed by us, and in conclusion, he will present a sound-slide tone poem."

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Mention of Former Idol Brings Back Many Memories

A week ago today I saw in a little front-page item the news that Nelson Eddy had been forced to cancel an appearance at a Framingham restaurant and enter the hospital in that town because of a respiratory ailment.

What a flood of memories that little item recalled! Some of my most satisfactory "movie moments" of thirty years ago were spent listening to Nelson Eddy and the lovely Jeanette MacDonald (spelled right??), as they presented works of Victor Herbert and other sentimental composers.

It doesn't seem long ago that we journeyed to Classical High School in Springfield with Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Hope of Belchertown to hear Nelson in a recital and to applaud our favorite. But it *was* a long time ago and Eddy is now 62 and, I dare say, not known at all to the average high-school youngsters unless they have met him in some Late-Late Show.

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One Corner of Mass Aggie Little Changed in Four Decades

We went to the University of Massachusetts last Saturday night to see T. S. Eliot's "Murder in the Cathedral" presented in Bowker Auditorium. It was a good performance and concluded a series of four plays given by the University Theatre so that "students may have the opportunity to see living examples of the Dramatic Heritage of Western Civilization." Not too large an audience saw this one!

We drove down "Old 116" and turned left into the campus, parking over back of Draper Hall, the "hash house" of my generation.

A few yards of sidewalk shaded by evergreens and flowering trees brought us to the steps of Stockbridge Hall, built, I believe, in 1914, and the pride and joy of the old "M.A.C."

Here is a bit of campus little changed over the years which have completely transformed the small school of my boyhood into the bursting behemoth of 1963. Unless you look closely for signs of wear or for minor improvements, Stockbridge seems the same as it did when I first entered its doors in 1918.

The now so small Bowker Auditorium, with its cattle-skull decorations above the stage, looked enormous to me then, fresh out of our Congregational Church and Old Town Hall. Here we had our convocations, our chapel exercises, some of our larger lectures, and the performances of Prof. Frank Rand's *Roister Doisters.*

There are better seats now, a new curtain, and some extra entrances to the stage. But by and large, it's the old college. There will be an expansion here too, when the time comes for a more modern theatre in some new building.

It's sort of comforting, though, to have a corner of that 100-year-old campus still feeling like home. Most of the present place simply overwhelms me now!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Who walks with Beauty has no need of fear;
The sun and moon and stars keep pace with him;
Invisible hands restore the ruined year,
And time, itself, grows beautifully dim.

David Morton

Bob Jackson

LAST WEEK'S CONSIGNMENT—

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Announcement is made that the new Catholic Church will be dedicated on June 24.

A large elm tree in front of the residence of S. W. Roode on what has been known for a long time as the Rufus Shumway place, was cut down because of its dangerous condition. D. F. Shumway, aged 77, remembers the tree as a boy and as being about as large then as the day it was cut.

The passing of Mrs. Clara F. D. Hazen at the age of 83 removes a strong personality from the community. She was born on the old Hazen place on the Enfield Road. Her husband was in the mercantile business for around twenty years. Then they moved to California, but when her husband died in 1913 she returned to Belchertown, living with her son, Daniel D. Hazen. She was very much interested in Belchertown, and often wrote for the *Sentinel* articles of her girlhood life, which were of great interest to a wide circle of readers. In fact at the time of her death the editor had an article from her to be printed.

E. F. Shumway was appointed by the Selectmen to have charge of the work on the Three Rivers Road, for which the town had appropriated $1,000.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The fifteenth annual minstrel show, directed by Dr. A. E. Westwell, was given three times at the State School: on Tuesday night at a dress rehearsal, on Wednesday night for the pupils of the Institution, and on Friday night for the general public. About 1100 were present. The entire minstrel company were guests of the Northampton State Hospital at a chicken dinner, after which the minstrel show was given to the hospital.

Sherman Gould, a member of the Senior class, presented a very interesting report in the *Sentinel* of the Senior class trip to Providence, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Mount Vernon, (Washington's home,) and Arlington National Cemetery.

The Worcester West Forest Fire Wardens Association met with the local department, 74 being present.

TEN YEARS AGO

At the annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association, considerable interest was expressed in the erection of a fence at Lake Valley cemetery.

George Williams, a native of Belchertown, now at Amherst, is retiring after serving as coach for 34 consecutive years. He was honored at a testimonial at the Amherst High School.

Frank Scialla has been elected President of the Lions Club.

THIS WEEK'S CONSIGNMENT—

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Hattie Bishop Ayres, the wife of Charles Ayres died at her home at the age of 61. She had a remarkable gift of friendship, and will be greatly missed in the community.

The three sewing clubs in the center and "The Merry Workers" of Blue Meadow are joining in a sewing club exhibit to be held in the Congregational Chapel.

The Freshman party in B.H.S. held in Park View Hall was quite a spectacular affair. Some 55 or 60 came dressed in costume. Miss Ina Howard was crowned May queen.

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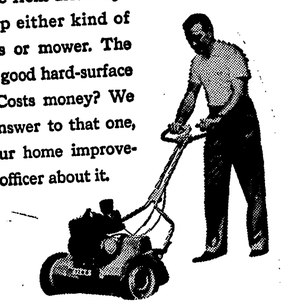

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

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FORTY YEARS AGO

H. H. Barrett is building a bath house and enlarging his dance pavilion at Lake Metacomet.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The fifth annual memorial service for the Enfield Methodist Church and Old Home service for the local Methodist Church and the dedication of tablet in memory of Mrs. Mary E. Plantiff was held Sunday in the Methodist Church. Rev. Horatio Robbins, the pastor of the church preached on "Behold the Upright". Next Sunday, the 200th anniversary of the conversion of John Wesley will be observed when the pastor will speak on "The New Birth" giving the substance of a sermon preached by Mr. Wesley on that subject.

Douglass-Marsh of Amherst are observing their tenth anniversary by a six column ad in the eight page *Sentinel.*

Teachers in Belchertown and Enfield are holding spelling bees in each grade.

Mrs. Minnie L. Shaw, wife of Herbert Shaw died at the age of 76, following twelve years of illness.

Ten churches centering at Pelham Hill are planning a conference on the Rural Church to be held in Hadley.

TEN YEARS AGO

Ten Boy Scouts were present at the Boy Scout Workers' Breakfast at Greenlawn Restaurant.

The Men's Brotherhood of the Congregational Church held a Work meeting at the parsonage, cleaning up the grounds, making repairs on the barn, doing some painting, cleaning the garden area of weeds, and plowing the garden.

About twenty Lions went on a tour of inspection of the Fiske Plant of the U. S. Rubber Co. at Chicopee Falls.

Seventeen from the Methodist Men's Club held an outing at Ralph Trombly's.

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Belchertown Center

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT NOTES

The Belchertown School Committee has accepted with regret the resignations of Mrs. Beatrice Alexander, second grade teacher at Cold Spring School, and Mr. Joseph Sheehan, Social Studies teacher at Center School. Mr. Sheehan has been accepted for full time graduate study at the University of Connecticut, where he will major in History.

The school committee also approved a High School Music Exchange Program with the Narragansett Regional High School in Templeton on Friday, May 24, and a field trip to Old Sturbridge Village for the eighth grade students on the same date. Permission was also granted for a Music Exchange Program for grades 5 and 6 at South Deerfield on Wednesday, June 12.

CENTER SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for the marking period ending April 11, 1963.

First Honor Roll

Averages of 90-100

Grade 7
Philip Dahlgren
Martha Henneman
Janet Isaac
Anne Jackson
Mark Lamoureux
Margaret Langevin
Cathy Ann Lowe
Glenn Pepin
Patricia Tetrault
Patricia Theroux
Wayne Willey

Grade 8
Maureen Austin
Nora Austin
Fred Fitzgerald
Ellen Rice
Jane Shattuck
Donna Wadsworth

Second Honor Roll

Averages of 85-89

Grade 7
Mary Atchison
Louise Austin
Marguerite Brennan
Cindy Brougham
Becky Davin
Marie Malmstedt
Patricia McLean
Kenneth Nolan
Paul Wall
Edward Zawistowski

Grade 8
Jane Anderson
Timothy Barrett
Arthur Brown
Sally Capen
Diann Depot
Diana Gaudreau
Beverly Ketchen
Karen Jenks
Roseann Lemire
Mary Oberly
Linda Reece
Kathy Rogers
Marilyn Sujdak

COLD SPRING SCHOOL

ELEMENTARY NOTES

Parent-Teacher Conferences

On April 30, May 1 and May 2, the Belchertown Elementary Schools conducted Parent-Teacher Conferences.

Over-all attendance was 75%. The conferences were well received by both parents and teachers. This type of program enables the school to better understand and educate the children of the community.

This was the first time that "release time" was granted for conferences. This release time enabled many parents to make afternoon appointments.

Practice teachers assisted with the programming and also acted as hostesses in the Cold Spring School cafeteria, where coffee was served.

Pre-School Day

On Friday, May 10, the Cold Spring and Franklin Schools conducted a Pre-School Orientation Day for children who will be entering the first grade in September.

The children were introduced to the classroom atmosphere and supervised playground activities.

The teachers assigned written work and read stories to the children. Mrs. Cook, Music Supervisor, visited the schools and conducted various musical activities in which the "Pre-Schoolers" took part.

The children were guests of the school cafeteria for lunch.

A total of 83 children attended—65 at Cold Spring, and 18 at Franklin.

Each child also received a copy of the Pre-School booklet, "Working Together Is Fun."

Science Fair

On Friday, May 24, the Belchertown Elementary Schools will hold a Science Fair.

All exhibits have been developed by the children, either as group or individual projects.

Exhibits will be on display on Friday evening from 7 to 9.30 p. m. in the Cold Spring School Cafeteria.

Parents and friends are invited.

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Walter Salvo	188 Main St., Northampton	584-1104
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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— TODAY —

Buffet Supper at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room for Charities Drive personnel.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fifth Sunday After Easter

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—James 1, 22-27. The Epistle of St. James the Apostle.

Gospel—John 16, 23-30. (States the efficacy of prayer in the name of Jesus.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Occasionally, the 9.30 and the 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College, Granby, Mass.

At the opening of the Rogation Week we are reminded of Christ's promise that our petitions will be granted if we ask anything in His Name. To speak in His Name we must be "doers," not "hearers" only, of the word of God.

— ASCENSION THURSDAY —

A Holy Day, Masses will be at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m., B. S. S. at 7.15 a. m. Confessions Wednesday evening from 7.30 to 8.30, before Mass on Thursday evening 6.15 to 6.45 p. m.

In This Day's Mass

Epistle—Acts 1, 1-11. Acts of the Apostles.

Gospel—Mark 16, 14-20. (Relates the commissioning of the Apostles by Christ to teach all peoples and to baptize them, and His Ascension into heaven.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Mark.

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— MISSION RENEWAL —

All parishioners are reminded of the Mission Renewal which will be conducted starting today, and ending Wednesday evening, the 22nd. It will be given by Rev. Leonard Sweeney, an Oblate Father from Boston.

— FIRST COMMUNION LIST—

Those children who made their First Holy Communion this last Sunday, Mother's Day, are listed below.

Boys: Ronald Anderson, Roy Bergeron, Richard Blaine, Walter Blair, Albert Brighenti, Michael Civello, Glen Faulkins, Paul Hachey, Brian Lefebvre, Robert Martins, Philip Nepus, David Nute, Robert Lapointe, Wayne O'Donnell, John Pickara, Jon Pinkos, Jonathan Sears, Steven Waite, William Theroux, and Ronald Theroux.

Girls: Patricia Barrett, Paula Choquette, Christine Fish, Gail Gourley, Donna Greenwood, Susan Hayward, Patrice Kimball, Melanie Lefebvre, Mary Martins, Nancy McCrea, Celeste Moreau, Jody Normand, Constance Norris, Cheryl Peetz, Kim Richards, Susan Tolpa, Debra Trudell, Darice Vanasse, and Theresa Wadsworth.

POSTER AND ESSAY CONTESTS

The three winners of the poster and essay contests will be awarded special prizes by the priests Sunday. They are: Essay—Donna Wadsworth of Mill Valley Rd. (Junior High School student), and Mary Terault of Amherst Rd. (High School student); Poster—Patricia Theroux of Stebbins St., (Jr. High School student).

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

For news on the Drive, read your daily papers and the Sunday Bulletins which are available following each Mass on Sunday. Also this week, on the front page of this paper, is an article dealing with the drive.

Remember to receive the workers who call at your door graciously, for they are ambassadors of our Lord.

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C. W. C. COMMUNION BREAKFAST

The Catholic Women's Club of Belchertown will hold its Spring Communion Breakfast in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church following the 9.30 Mass this Sunday, May 19.

As announced in last week's Sentinel, the speaker for the event will be Mother Francis Regis, teacher of French and drama at Ursuline Academy. Born in Ireland, she was one of the two original members of the Ursuline Order to be assigned to Springfield to organize a school for girls. She has since studied at the Sorbonne and at Laval University in Quebec.

Her topic will be "Christ in the Modern Home."

RETURN COSTUMES PLEASE

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Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Gary Gay, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, MAY 19

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.
11 a m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Jesus Christ the Same"
Anthem, "Consecration" Balson
Prelude, "Sun of My Soul" Thompson
Offertory, "Morning Song" Blake
Postlude, "Come Unto Me" Nicholson
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship.
6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship.
7.45 p. m. Evensong in the Church.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

8 p. m. Midweek Service in Fellowship Hall.

THURSDAY, MAY 23

7.30 p. m. There will be a special Quarterly Conference to consider the next phase of renewal; there will also be a short meeting of the Official Board.

FRIDAY, MAY 24

Aldersgate Day.
10 a. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion.
12 noon. Fellowship breaking of bread together.
2.30 p. m. Bible and Prayer Hour.
8 p. m. The Aldersgate Hour.

SATURDAY, MAY 25

The Men's Club will again honor the Grandmothers of the Church at a special evening meal and program. There will be a turkey dinner served by the men, followed by an entertainment. Relatives and families of grandmothers are invited. Tickets may be secured at the door—99c for adults and 50c for children. Grandmothers will again be the honored guests of the men.

Committees:
Co-Chairmen—E. Clifton Witt and Allan Witt.
Supper Chairman—Merle Green, assisted by Louis Bellerose, Ernest Gay and Everett Plant.
Invitations—Ralph Trombly and Marvin Green.
Fund Raising—Fred Very.
Entertainment—Everett Sporbert and Ted Richardson.
Dining Room—Al Dewhurst, Lester Stivers and Harvey Plant, Earl Plant and Russell Weeks.
Tickets—Jim Lodge, Earl Plant.
Flowers—Mrs. Ethel Collis.
Transportation—Ralph Trombly and Harvey Plant.

COMING

JUNE 1

The Annual Women's Society Strawberry Supper served in the Vestry of the Church.

JUNE 5 through JUNE 9

The Annual Conference of the New England Conference will meet at Trinity Church in Worcester.

The Methodist Church is pleased to announce that on June 16, Bishop Newell Booth will preach in the local Church, and that the Congregational Church will join us for this service, as we show our esteem and love for this outstanding Church leader.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "In the Beginning."

Members of the Palmer 19th Masonic District will be guests at the service of worship on Sunday morning.

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet on Sunday afternoon at 5.30 in the Parish House.

Senior High Fellowship

Eighth-graders are invited to attend the meeting of the Senior High Pilrim Fellowship on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, when officers for the coming year will be elected.

State Conference

The Massachusetts Women's Fellowship and the Massachusetts Congregational Laymen's Council will meet on Sunday afternoon at 3.15 in Wellesley.

At 4.15 they will meet in a joint meeting at Babson Institute, as the "Council for Lay Life and Work" for a panel discussion on "What is the Massachusetts Council for Lay Life and Work?"

During the same period of time, the ministers will attend a seminar, with Mr. William Stringfellow of New York speaking on "Can the Church Survive?"

In the evening, Mrs. George Kahlenberg of Wisconsin, and Moderator of the General Council, will speak on "The Witnessing Community."

The State Conference will officially open on Monday morning. In addition to routine business, Rev. Gibson Daniels of Westport, Conn., will speak on "Nonconformity—New Testament Style."

A variety of workshops will be held at luncheons at various churches in Wellesley. In the afternoon, Dr. Martin E. Marty of Chicago will speak on "Learning and Witnessing: From Paralysis to Parable."

Newly ordained ministers, and ministers who have been ordained for 50 years, will be recognized at the Fellowship Dinner on Monday evening. At a public meeting later in the evening, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis L. Lally, editor of "The Pilot," will engage in a Christian conversation with Professor George H. Williams of Harvard Divinity School.

On Tuesday morning, the day will begin with a Communion Service. Later in the morning, Dr. James H. Robinson, Executive Director of "Operation Crossroads Africa," will speak on "Africa, Christian Opportunity of This Century."

The church will be officially represented by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harrington and Mr. Varga. However, the meetings are opened to anyone who may wish to attend. For further information, see Mr. Varga.

Board of Christian Education

The Board of Christian Education will hold a brief meeting promptly at 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening, prior to the meeting on the United Church Curriculum.

Curriculum Meeting

The Rev. Donald Overlock of Greenfield will speak on "Three Christian Tasks" on Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the second in a series of meetings on the United Church Curriculum.

The meeting is open to everyone, but church school teachers and members of the Board of Christian Education are urged to attend.

Women's Guild

"Mother and Daughter Night" will be observed at the meeting of the Women's Guild on Wednesday evening. They are asked to meet at the Parish House at 7 o'clock to go to their place of meeting.

The program will be in charge of Mrs. Sherman Gould and Mrs. Carl Peterson. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Edward Gates.

Hostesses for the evening include: Mrs. Edward Rice and Ellen; Mrs. Ira Shattuck, Susan and Jane; Mrs. Earl Gray, Janice and Carol; and Mrs. Gould Ketchen, Beverly and Betsy.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Parish House.

Junior High Dance Tonight

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a dance at Memorial Hall, beginning at 7.30. The price is 50 cents per person. Proceeds will be used for camp scholarships.

Teacher Training

A training meeting for teachers to use the United Church Curriculum will be held at the Holden Congregational Church tomorrow from 9.30 to 3.30. Church School teachers and members of the Board of Christian Education are urged to attend. Mr. Varga will be the leader for Senior High teachers.

Staff Meeting

Mr. Varga will attend a meeting on Saturday of next week at Framingham for members of the Star Island Summer Camp staff. This camp for Senior P. F. members will be held on August 10-16, and is located on an island several miles off the coast of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Baptisms

Parents desiring baptism for their children on Children's Sunday, June 9, are urged to speak to Mr. Varga as soon as possible.

W. S. C. S. MEETING

The annual supper meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held in the vestry of the church on Wednesday at 6.30 p. m. The committee in charge of preparations was Anna Witt, chairman, assisted by Celia Jenks, Catherine Dyer and Carmen Birge. An impressive pledge service followed the business meeting in charge of our treasurer, Sterline Eaton, assisted by our president, Evelyn Lodge, our secretary of promotion, Laura Wood, and our secretary of spiritual life, Georgia Atwood.

Our new officers, elected at last month's meeting, were installed by our District Secretary of Spiritual Life, Ruth French:

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Vice-President	Joan Poole
Recording Secretary	Betty Henrichon
Treasurer	Sterline Eaton
Promotion Secretary	Laura Wood
Secretary—Christian Social Relations	Anna Witt
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Supply Work	Lois White
Children's Work	Ruth French
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APPRECIATIVE LETTER

Wallace Chevalier, Mrs. E. H. Rice, Jr. and members of the 4-H dog club are in receipt of a nice letter from Charles E. Wissenbach, County Extension Agent in 4-H Club work, commending them for their efforts. We quote:

"I am sending you this special letter of commendation in recognition of your joint efforts on behalf of the '4-H Dog Obedience' project.

"The Belchertown K-9 Club has been one of the Charter Clubs of the Dog project. Mr. Wallace Chevalier has been one of the leaders in setting up standards for '4-H Dog Shows' and the conduct of the project. He has advised the Club Agents in Western Massachusetts on matters concerning the dog project. He has assisted new leaders in starting their clubs.

"The club members and leaders have put on exhibitions in different towns and thus have promoted the project. The members have also given a high level of competition at 4-H dog shows, which has kept the standards of the project high.

"For these reasons plus your fine exhibition at the 1963 County Demonstration Night, I send you the special thanks and appreciation of the Hampshire Extension Service.

"Charles E. Wissenbach"

TOWN ITEMS

Miss Katherine E. Bassett has returned home from the hospital.

Mrs. Alice Wildey of South Main Street is spending a week's vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Koestner of Rochester, N. Y.

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Rosemary McLean
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Susan Miner
Sandra Richards

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Second Honor Roll

Averages of 85-89

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Carol Fielder
Frances Goodrow
Carol Hurd
Dexter Ketchen
Denise Labrecque
Lee Lamoureux
Barbara Marshall
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Susan Shattuck
Sandra Shaw
Ronald Wheble
William Zobka

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Douglas McCallum
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MOVING TO NEW SALEM

Mr. and Mrs. G. Louis Johnson and daughters, Judy and Diane, of Sabin St. will be moving to New Salem the last of June. Both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were active in the local Methodist Church and in the Ware Area Council of Churches. Mr. Johnson was also Dean of the School for Christian Workers held here last fall. He has been the pastor of the South Athol Methodist Church, which draws its one hundred and twenty members from the surrounding communities, since last November. They are moving to New Salem to be nearer his parish.

BAMBI ADDS NEW DEGREE

Karoline Kimball and her Poodle, Snow White Prancer, completed her 2nd and 3rd legs of her Companion Dog Degree Excellence over the weekend.

Bambi scored 193½ points at the Springfield Kennel Club's trial at West Springfield, Saturday, May 11, 1963, and finished in 3rd place, receiving a Sterling Silver Plate and $4.00 in cash.

Sunday, May 12, at the Windham County Kennel Club, Willimantic, Conn., "Bambi" took the 1st Place Ribbon and the $8.00 cash award, and thereby earned the CDX degree.

Bambi's next training phase will be Utility work, which takes in scent discrimination, hand signals and advance retrieving of articles.

Karoline is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Kimball of South Main St., and is a member of the Belchertown 4-H Dog Obedience Club.

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CHARITY DRIVE

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The following is an excerpt from the summary of drives of past years. *During these few years several institutions have been assisted with their operational deficits due to rising costs in wages and supplies without a corresponding rise in fees. Much equipment has been purchased to provide the best possible care for the needy of all categories. Programs have been strengthened because of the yearly financial backing that can now be assured.

Substantial grants have made possible new physical plants which otherwise would have been delayed indefinitely—U of M Newman Center, the new Home of The Good Shepherd, and the new Guild of The Holy Child building program which in its entirety is being paid for from the appeal of last year.*

JUNIOR PROM QUEEN

Miss Sandra Richards was crowned queen of the Belchertown High School junior prom Friday night in Lawrence Memorial Hall. Serving in her court were Marsha Henry, Ruth Dodge, Barie Bisnette, Joanne Gould, Billee Markey and Rosemary McLean. Miss Francine Carmody, the 1962 queen, crowned Miss Richards who was escorted by Lawrence Bowser, Jr.

The theme of the prom was "An Evening in Paris" and the hall decorations featured pink and white striped awnings from three sides to simulate a sidewalk cafe in Paris. The background on the stage showed a Paris skyline with the Eiffel Tower.

Mrs. Sophia Pero was faculty adviser and Patricia Very was chairman.

LEQUIN - GOODROW

St. Francis Church last Saturday witnessed the wedding of Miss Doris May Lequin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lequin of Stebbins St., and Howard Francis Goodrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Goodrow of Bay Rd.

The double-ring ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph T. Collins. Mrs. Mary Landers was the organist, and Walter Papp the soloist.

The bride wore a gown of silk organdy, taffeta and lace. The floor-length gown had a bell-shaped skirt that terminated in a long train. The lace top, accentuated with sequins, fell into a lace apron effect over the front of the gown. Her three-tiered shoulder-length veil fell from a standup crown.

Miss Carol Ann Lequin, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. She wore an orchid chiffon gown with a knee-length bouffant skirt with a white brocade over chiffon bodice. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow roses with orchid trim.

Serving as best man was Raymond Beaudoin of this town, and serving as ushers were Thomas Lequin and Daniel Biela, cousins of the bride.

The mother of the bride wore a two-piece pastel yellow lace over silk dress with three-quarter length sleeves, with a matching corsage and tangerine accessories. The bridegroom's mother received in a multi-colored pastel lace dress and wore a pink rose corsage.

The reception for 100 guests was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents on Bay Road, after which the couple left on a wedding trip to Cape Cod. For her going-away costume the bride wore a gold cotton knit three-piece suit and orchid corsage. They will reside on Appleton St., Holyoke.

The bride was born in Holyoke and graduated from Belchertown High School. She is employed at the People's Savings Bank in Holyoke. The bridegroom was born in Holyoke and graduated from Belchertown High School. He is employed at the Marvellum Paper Co.

RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT

Miss Jane Pietryka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pietryka of Franklin Street, has been re-elected as president of the Business Education Council at Salem State College for the academic year 1963-1964. Miss Pietryka will be a senior in the Business Education Department, majoring in Accounting, and pursuing a teaching degree.

Miss Pietryka was recently chosen to serve as Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Student Cooperative Council at Salem State College, which proposes the amount of College cooperative dues and prepares and presents budgets to the Council Association for the College.

She is currently working on the "Compass" staff, which is the College handbook, and has been an associate editor since her Freshman year.

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ELLEN V. GRIFFIN

Miss Ellen V. Griffin, born in Belchertown, February 16, 1865, died at Mount St. Vincent, Holyoke, on Tuesday. She was the daughter of Daniel and Johanna Houlihan Griffin, and a child lived on a farm at the end of Green Ave.

Survivors are Aubrey Lapolice, Mrs. Michel Baker and Olive Lapolice of this town, and Bernardine Lapolice of Hanby, also three grand nieces and two grand nephews.

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Burial will be in the family lot at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Chicopee Falls.

JAMES PRANES, SR.

James Pranes, Sr., of Three Rivers Rd., died Sunday in Westfield. Born in Lithuania, son of Martin and Sally Pranes, he had lived here 15 years. He had been a member of the Lithuanian Alliance of America since 1923. Besides his wife, the former Mary Brown, he leaves a son. James, Jr., of East Longmeadow; and five grandchildren, Donna, Cheryl, Robert, Kathleen, and Patricia, all in East Longmeadow. The funeral was held Wednesday at 8:15 at the Belanger funeral home, Three Rivers, with a solemn requiem high mass at 9 in St. Francis Church. Burial was in St. Anne's Cemetery, Three Rivers.

BEAUTY CONTEST AT LUDLOW

Local girls between the ages of 15 and 20 years of age are eligible to enter the Miss Ludlow contest. Applications should be mailed to Dominique's Studio of Dance, 38 Winsor St., Ludlow. Applications should include name, address, telephone number, age, picture, if possible, and a $1.00 registration fee.

A popular and well known television personality, Kitty Bromon, who appears on Stations WWLP and WRLP five hours a week, will be one of the celebrities at the Ludlow Chamber of Commerce Home and Industrial Show to be held June 5, 6, 7 and 8 at the Ludlow Boys and Girls Club building.

Kitty will interview contestants for the Beauty Pageant which will be held in conjunction with the Home Show. The Preliminary will be held June 5th; Semi-Finals and Finals June 8.

Prizes already accumulated for the winner are a beautiful rhinestone tiara, large Miss Victory trophy, a 16 x 20 oil painting of the winner, plus many other awards to be contributed by the merchants.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Spellman of Richmond, Va., motored to town last week. On their return, they took with them Mr. Spellman's mother, Mrs. Kittie Porter Spellman, for a visit.

GRANGE NOTES

Next Tuesday evening will be Visiting Officers' Night.

This week's card party will be in charge of the tableaux committee—Darsa Snow, chairman; J. Henneman, N. Beaudoin, I. Cook, D. Trombly.

P. T. A. MEETING

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Local businesses have been generous in offering articles for the auction, and those who attend are asked to bring something to add.

Townspeople are welcome to attend both the auction and the potluck supper which will precede at 6.15 in the school cafeteria. A casserole or salad is the "admission ticket" to the supper, with coffee, rolls and dessert to be provided by the P. T. A. Mrs. Frank Towne, Jr. is in charge of arrangements.

Have you noticed how appropriate is this week's telephone advertisement on page six? The lady is making a note of next Monday's P. T. A. and probably will make note of the pot luck supper and white elephant auction before she finishes.

LIONS CLUB

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There will be prizes, entertainment and dancing.

Reservations can be made through the committee: John Carr, Kenneth Thayer and Arlan Skinner.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 27, 1963, at 8 p. m. in the recreation room of Memorial Hall on the application of the Resources Conservation and Development Corp. for a permit under Sect. IVB2a of the Zoning By-Laws to operate a boat livery, riding stable, golf course, ski tow and other recreational activities, but not an aviation field, at its property on East St.

Harold E. Mellin
Acting Chm., Board of Appeals

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 27, 1963, at 8.30 p. m. on the application of Robin Farm Club, Inc., for a permit under Sect. IVB2b of the Zoning By-Laws to operate a private club not for profit, on the premises of the Resources Conservation and Development Corp. on East St.

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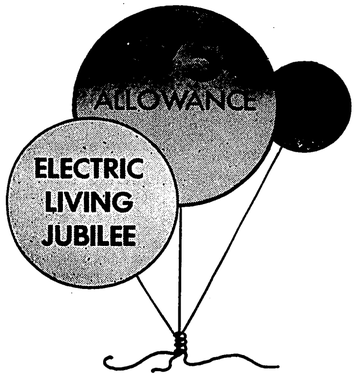

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To all persons interested in the estate of DONALD CLIFFORD RHODES, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that DOUGLAS RHODES of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
M17, 24, 31

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of CATHERINE M. FENTON, also known as CATHERINE G. FENTON, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

The administrator of the estate of said CATHERINE M. FENTON, also known as CATHERINE G. FENTON, has presented to said Court for allowance his first account.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of May, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
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CARD OF THANKS

Sincere thanks to the friends for all their cards, notes, plants and flowers sent me while I was in the hospital.

Katherine E. Bassett

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the friends for the cards and other acts of kindness you gave our sister, Mary Chaffee, in her last illness. She enjoyed them and they helped brighten her last days.

Her brothers
William S. Chaffee
Robert G. Chaffee

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to sincerely thank all who have tendered me their sympathy in the passing of Miss Chaffee, a lifelong friend.

Mrs. Ida Hunt

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to the Women's Guild and all my friends, relatives and neighbors who remembered me with cards, gifts and flowers while at Providence Hospital, Holyoke, and Mary Lane Hospital, Ware, and since I have returned home.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Sunday After the Ascension
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

4-H Town Committee and Leaders' Meeting at Mrs. Omer Dupuis at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Field Trip.
Evening Group of WSCS.

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

Memorial Day Observance at 10 a.

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

WSCS Annual Strawberry Supper Methodist Vestry from 5.30 to 7 p.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Aldersgate Day. All-Day Observance.
Elementary Science Fair at Cold Spring School, from 7 to 9.30 p. m.
Williamsburg vs. B. H. S.
Card Party at Dwight Chapel.

CIRCUS HERE AGAIN

The Beers & Barnes circus, who played there two years ago most acceptably, will be here again June 15 with all new acts. They are again sponsored by the Lions Club.

LIONS CLUB

The Club will hold ladies night at Lis' cafe June 8 at 6.30. Lions and guests are welcome. Those planning to go should contact Arlan Skinner or Kenneth Thayer.

At Wednesday night's meeting, John Carr reported on the state meeting he attended along with Joe Tolpa. The new district governor is Richard Menzel.

Mike Forgue will have charge of the Pee wees this season. A trip to a night game in Springfield is in prospect.

A block dance is planned for July. The winning number of the month is 46.

Dwight Chapel Youth Fellowship record hop at Memorial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.

TOMORROW

Methodist Men's Club Grandmothers' Night. Supper at 6.30 p. m.

Baked Bean Supper at Dwight Chapel at 5.30 p. m.

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Camporee at Northampton Fair Grounds. Cub Program from 2 to 5.30 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 4
Annual Booster Club Banquet at Quabbin Social Club.
June 8
Grange Dairy Public Supper in Grange Hall.
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
Lions Club Ladies' Night at Lis'.
June 9
Baccalaureate Service.
June 11
Class Day Exercises.
June 13
B. H. S. Commencement.
June 14
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.
June 15
Lions Club Circus.
Strawberry Supper at Dwight chapel.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.
June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

SCIENCE FAIR

The Belchertown Elementary Schools will hold a Science Fair on Friday evening, May 24, 1963, from 7 p. m. to 9.30 p. m. in the Cold Spring School Cafeteria.

Class projects will be presented in Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4. Individual projects will be presented by the children in Grades 5 and 6.

All projects in Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4 were done as part of the daily science program by the children under the direction of their classroom teachers. In Grades 5 and 6, each project was evolved either individually or by several children working together as a committee, under the direction of the fifth and sixth grade science teachers with the assistance of all home-room teachers.

Some of the projects to be displayed are "Plants and How They Grow", "Who's Who at the Zoo", "Ocean Life", "Sound", "Eggshell Gardens", "The Four Seasons", and many more.

All parents and friends are invited to attend.

VOLUNTEER PARTY

A Volunteer Recognition Party was held at the State School on Wednesday evening, starting with a delicious ham dinner served to about 125.

Mrs. Barbara Valliere, Volunteer director, was master of ceremonies at the program following—when some 25 groups were given certificates in person to their representatives in appreciation of their services this past year. She was assisted by her assistant, Mrs. Doris Grover.

Mrs. Valliere, who is in the know on everybody connected with the volunteer enterprise, gave interesting details on what many of the individual Volunteers had done.

Superintendent Bowser passed out the certificates announced by Mrs. Valliere, and gave each recipient the glad hand.

Exactly 100 certificates are being mailed to those unable to be present. These included Scout troops, church and service clubs, etc.

The program wound up with true Valliere flair, when special awards were handed out—awards of the class night variety.

Billed as a panel discussion, it was more of a judge and jury affair, when the several "prisoners" were called to testify and answer to questions, prefaced with "Is it true—?" Of course it was, and "Boss Bowser" pronounced sentence, and passed out antidotes for their several "sins." At the end, he got called into court himself, and after owning up to "dangerous driving," was awarded—a bicycle horn.

The evening was a combination of the serious and the comic. The new bus, the major effort of the Volunteers, was outside the dining hall, for those who had worked on the project that "couldn't be done," and (who hadn't worked on it?) to enter, feel and handle.

The program ended with an invitation to come back again next year.

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One Day Late

As Memorial Day falls on Thursday next week, the Sentinel will appear one day later than usual.

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

WHAT IS MEMORIAL DAY?

Memorial Day is simply a public acknowledgement of a great debt of gratitude we living Americans feel in our hearts for what those we honor did for us, for the nation, and for liberty and freedom. This is a day for renewed dedication to the principles for which they gave their last full measure of devotion.

With all the many new challenges, dangers and problems, it is ever more necessary that we rededicate ourselves on this Memorial Day to the cause of human freedom and to the cause for which they died.

So, the American Legion suggests that you fly the U. S. Flag in remembrance and rededication. Fly it with a new determination that the sacrifices that have gone into the building and preservation of our free nation shall never have been in vain.

All Legion members are requested to report at Legion headquarters at 8 a. m. on May 30. This year we shall visit and pay respect to the dead at South Cemetery.

At 9.45 we shall form at Cold Spring School for the Memorial Day Parade. At 10 a. m. we shall march up South Main St., around north end of common to Mount Hope Cemetery, pay respect to the dead, and then march to the War Memorial on the common. Miss Sandra Joyal will give the Gettysburg Address, while Rev. Paul Varga will be the speaker of the day.

Let's all remember to fly the American flag.

GO AHEAD SIGNAL

The School Building Assistance Commission has given the School Building committee the Go Ahead signal, allowing them to advertise for bids—to close June 12, and general contract June 26.

The Commission wants to see the committee on June 6 at 10 a. m. to go over final plans.

SWIMMING PROGRAM

Registration Day for Children:
Tuesday, July 2, from 1 to 4 p. m.
Registration Day for Adults:
Wednesday, July 3, from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m.

Children's lessons will begin on Tuesday, July 9, and continue on Thursday and Tuesday, until 10 lessons have been completed.

Adult lessons will begin on Wednesday evening, July 10, and continue on Wednesday evenings until lessons are complete.

BAKED BEAN SUPPER AT DWIGHT

The church group at Dwight Chapel is serving a public baked bean supper this week Saturday, May 25, with servings starting at 5.30.

4-H TOWN COMMITTEE

The 4-H town committee will meet on Monday, May 27, at 7.30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Omer Dupuis of South Washington St. 4-H leaders and any others interested are invited.

FRIENDLY TOWN

During the summer the New York Herald Tribune Fresh Air Fund sponsors school-age children for two week stays with families in towns like ours. The age and sex of the child may be specified. The two periods of visitation are July 9-23, and August 7-21. Eight families have already requested nine children.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Mrs. George Smith, Jr. (323-7768) acting Town Chairman.

STRAWBERRY SUPPER

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will sponsor their annual Strawberry Supper in the Methodist Vestry on Saturday, June 1, from 5.30 to 7 p. m.

The menu will include potato salad, hot vegetable, ham, strawberry shortcake and coffee. The price for adults is $1.25; for children, 65 cents; and pre-school children, free.

Sterline Eaton, Chairman
Laura Wood, Co-chairman

OES NOTES

Articles suitable for an auction are desired by the O. E. S. If you have such, call:

Evelyn Lodge	323-7119
Jan Poole	323-7496
Doris Grover	AL 3-2732

Granby residents may call Sally Parker, Ferry Hill.

Programs at Univ. of Mass.
Are Prepared Electronically

Last week I spoke of a corner at the University of Massachusetts that still possessed the flavor of the Massachusetts Aggie of 45 years back. Those were the days when 500 or so undergraduates roamed around the campus, always greeting each other with a "Hi", and in most cases knowing whom they were greeting.

Today they are using electronic computers (quoting the *Alumnus*) "in handling a problem that is as big as the institution's enrollment. The problem: How to get orderly class schedules for 6,200 undergraduates enrolled in 1900 different sections of 700 different courses in classes conducted by more than 500 faculty members in 500 classrooms *and* to coordinate all of this with class programs for 900 graduate students and 450 students in the Stockbridge School of Agriculture."

Do you wonder that I said that "the place simply overwhelms me"?

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Massachusetts Review Evidence
Of The Cultural Progress of M.A.C.

One of the most astonishing evidences that the University of Massachusetts has indeed "come of age" in the later years of its first century is the *Massachusetts Review,* a literary quarterly now in its fourth year, and almost from the first recognized everywhere as one of the best of its kind.

Although it is "published independently with the support and co-operation of Amherst College, Mount Holyoke College, Smith College and the University of Massachusetts" its editorial and business offices are at the University and it owes its existence to the enthusiasm and ability of U. of Mass. people.

The list of contributors and the breadth of its contents challenge the interest of any reader who enjoys literature, the arts, and public affairs.

"Autumn, 1962," the first issue of the current "year", presented an appraisal of Henry David Thoreau on the occasion of the centenary of his death in 1862.

The Concord, Massachusetts, naturalist and philosopher, increasingly admired for his individualism and his revolt against any form of tyranny, is given about 130 pages of the 227-page *Review.* The 17 essays and commentaries start with a statement by the Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr., who says: "It goes without saying that the teachings of Thoreau are alive today, indeed, they are more alive today than ever before. Whether expressed in a sit-in at lunch counters, a freedom ride into Mississippi, a peaceful protest in Albany, Georgia, a bus boycott in Montgomery, Alabama, it is an outgrowth of Thoreau's insistence that evil must be resisted and no moral man can patiently adjust to injustice."

There are 12 pages of art work, photographs, commemorative poems, and woodcuts.

Rev. Trevor N. W. Bush of Capetown, South Africa, writes of Thoreau's influence on the crisis in South Africa. A brief letter from India's Nehru is included. Martin Buber, philosopher and author of *I and Thou,* has an article entitled "Thoreau and Man's Duty as Man."

The *Review* calls this outstanding collection "a gathering" and it certainly brings together a fine symposium on the American whose life and writings brought the world of two centuries to Walden.

The "Winter, 1963" issue contains articles about the late Robert Frost, who was himself a contributor to its earlier issues. There are such features as "The Art of Ingemar Bergman" by Charles Humboldt", "Buster Keaton: An Interview" by Herbert Feinstein; and "John Heartfield's Photomontages" by means of which he fought German Fascism in two wars.

Any alumnus or "relative" of the University of Mass. should be proud of the *Review,* and should be familiar with it.

Reading this magazine, even more than viewing the huge new buildings or hearing about the projected 22-story dormitories, makes me realize how great have been the changes at the Commonwealth's education plant in Amherst.

Between 1918 and 1922, in my own undergraduate days, I had wanted tremendously to major in English. It had appeared possible in 1918, as there was a one-professor course in "Rural Journalism" under a man known to the irreverent as "Squirt" Neal, because, so my elders said, he sprayed a bit as he lectured. Students ordinarily sat back a few rows from the front, but one fair day three or four young men came to the front row in raincoats. But that's only apocryphal. He was a fine prof, and the internationally known Lewis Lyons, who broadcasts daily over the best FM networks, was one of his students, as was Jack Crawford of the Cleveland *Plain Dealer.*

Before I could become eligible to enter his courses, he had left, and "Rural Journalism" faded out. After a brief sojourn with "Agricultural Economics", I joined the forces of "Agricultural Education", and got the BS through that source.

Those words "Agricultural" and "Rural" were practically *musts* in the titles of approved courses in those times. Sometimes they were mere camouflage. There was a course in "Rural English", for instance, that considered such unfarmerly folks as Keats and Wordsworth, who lived out in the country and could be accepted by the powers in Boston as acceptable company for the cows and chickens.

Our legislature in those days believed that only agriculture and its branches had any place at the state college. Nevertheless, an excellent English Department inspired plenty of students and long before the "M.A.C." changed to "M.S.C." it was possible for a graduate to proceed directly to a Harvard or Yale M.A. in English without having to pick up a B.A. first.

Times have certainly changed. Agriculture has rather faded out of the picture, with the orchards and animals leaving their old campus for points afield. "In my day" all Freshmen had to take an orientation course, wherein they spent hours identifying poultry, grafting trees, sampling soil, and watching the flowers grow. No kidding! But the only cows in evidence now are on the frieze in Bowker Auditorium.

In certain basic respects, though, the present University resembles the old College. Standards were always high at M.A.C. The gruff tones of Registrar-Professor Billy Hasbrouck still ring in my memory as he threatened some kid in his Physics class: "Young man, you'll be getting a one-way ticket. "The courses are still tough, "A's" are still hard to get, and the University, as I hear of it, still takes its job very seriously.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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there is bound to be a certain amount
 of
trouble running any country
if you are president the trouble hap-
 pens to you
but if you are a tyrant you can ar-
 range things so
that most of the trouble happens to
other people

Don Marquis, quoting his friend,
Archy

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

R. E. Fairchild who for the last 16 years has been engaged in the grocery business near the R. R. station is closing out his stock with an auction, and is selling his property to the state. People living near the depot will miss the convenience of the store, to say nothing of the friendly greeting of the owner who has spent good portion of his life in the station area. For many years he was station agent.

The first Junior Prom will be held this week in the Park View Hall, Fleury's orchestra furnishing music.

Dean Edward M. Lewis of Massachusetts Agricultural College will be the speaker on Memorial Day. He was the leading pitcher of the National League in 1897, winning 25 victories out of 33 games. He was a star in two World Series.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Dr. Guy Randall of the Northampton State Hospital, the son of C. L. Randall, was the guest speaker at the Ladies' night of the Men's Club at the Chapel. He illustrated his talk with moving pictures, showing particularly the recreational side of the work at the hospital. He also showed pictures of a fishing trip which he recently took along with his father. Some of these pictures showed local individuals, which caused much merriment.

A valuable recreational spot is being created by Bertram E. Shaw and family near the junction of the old Enfield Road and the Ware-Amherst Road. It is called the Brookside Pony Farm. A picnic spot is being developed. One of the newest attractions is a baby pony born only two weeks ago. Miss Virginia Shaw is giving lessons on pony riding.

The Belchertown Historical Association recently voted to keep the Stone House open on Saturday afternoons as well as on Wednesday afternoons. Miss Irene Jackson has been appointed to assist Mrs. Curtis, in the extra work involved.

Rev. Horatio Robbins has been reappointed as pastor of the Methodist Church and Rev. Cato Dick, who was once pastor here has been assigned to the St. James Church in Springfield.

TEN YEARS AGO

Evidently the outstanding event of the week was the Pageant of Wedding Gowns given in the Congregational Church, under the auspices of the Double or Nothing Club. The editor devoted three columns to report it. Mrs. Stanford Harrington was the commentator and found something to tell about each gown. Miss Ella Stebbins gave the story of the oldest gown. The pageant was beautiful and meaningful, and the setting was as near perfect as possible.

Frederick Owen was elected Pres. of the P.T.A. for the coming year.

The Women's Guild held a Mother and Daughter banquet.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The opening ceremony was brief as most Cubs were in costume for the spectacular circus program for the month of May. All recited the "Pledge of Allegiance", and the circus program was carried out. All dens participated with clowns and all kinds of other circus features, even a trained horse act, with of course, a duplicate of a horse. The complete circus atmosphere was in the air—there were even popcorn vendors in the crowd.

Awards for the evening were: Wolf: Robert Dewhurst, Louis Schroeder, Morgan Lindsey, and Steven Waite. Bear: J. Hayward, and Robert Rule. Lion, Roland Lapointe. Arrows: Je[illegible] ald Clark, 1 Gold under Wolf, Ga[illegible] Bock, Ethan Dickinson, Robert Rule each 1 Gold under Bear.

Announcements were made as follows: Camporee, Saturday the 25th of May, bus will leave the common 1 p. m. sharp; Cub Scout Picnic will be held June 15th.

Cubby was awarded to Den 9 for the most attendance. The boys gave out with their closing yell in the living circle.

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SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Our caller for this Saturday, May 25, will be John Alden, at Memorial Hall. Host and hostess are Julian and Jean Hussey, chairmen; and Eileen and Bob Doubleday. The refreshment committee is Nelson and Connie Bullough, Chairmen; Al and Connie Brown, Carl and Avis Richardson, Bruce and Marion Lucia, and Phil and Freda Jones.

RURAL MAIL BOX IMPROVEMENT WEEK

This week has been designated by Postmaster General J. Edward Day as rural mail box improvement week. Each year in the spring, a time is designated for special publicity to focus attention on rural mail boxes, to point out the necessity of beautifying mail boxes along with spring housecleaning.

The unsightly appearance of a large number of rural mail boxes has caused the Post Office Department official concern, and the Postmaster General is asking for a nationwide campaign to clean up these neglected spots.

More than half a century ago, rural free delivery service was established. At first ridiculed as a foolish experiment, patrons who received mail in those first days put up shaky posts and attached discarded kitchenware and old baskets to hold the mail. Later the Department stepped in with an order that all mail boxes must conform to a definite standard size, shape and supports.

The week of May 20 has been designated this year, and all patrons are urged to see that their boxes meet these standards. The box must be a regular mail box with a door that opens easily and a flag must be securely attached on an upright sturdy post. It must be placed on the right side of the road as the carrier travels.

It is believed that where rural boxes are improved, the mail service is likewise improved. Every rural patron will find the local post office employees anxious to give excellent service at all times. The cooperation of all owners of rural boxes is solicited in this campaign. After all, your mail box reflects your personality, and is the front door to your home.

IMPORTANT GAME TODAY

Belchertown plays an important Franklin League game today, when it hosts Williamsburg at Parsons Field at 3.30.

The Orioles are in danger of losing their first pennant in six years, and a loss today would certainly cripple their chances.

At present Belchertown owns a 5 wins 2 losses record. The losses have been to Hardwick by a 1-0 score, while Sanderson beat them 5-0. Wins have been over Hardwick, Sanderson, Charlemont, Warren and Granby. The highlight of the season so far has been the calibre of pitching from a staff that has no seniors. In the seven games to date they have allowed only 12 runs.

Jim Shaw, a junior who is out for the rest of the season, had a 2-0 mark. Bucky Barrett is 2-1, the loss being a 1-0 heartbreak to Hardwick. Sophomore Joe Tolpa has pitched well in relief, giving up no runs in 4 1/3 innings. Bill McCaughey, a freshman, is 1-1, including a shut-out win over Granby.

The defense, which shows new starters at short, second and first, as well as left and right field, has been sound for the most part.

Where the team has been below par is in offensive strength. Senior holdovers expected to supply the major punch, have not done the job. As a result, the team has twice been a shutout victim.

GLADYS MARY BEAUPRE

Mrs. Gladys Mary Beaupre, formerly of San Francisco, California, who had made her home with her sister, Mrs. Ada Staples of Jackson St., for some time, died and was buried in Garden City, New York, last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Beaupre leaves a son, Marshall of Portland, Oregon and two grandchildren, also two brothers, Richard and Robert Marshall of Nova Scotia and several nephews and nieces. Mr. Marshall is presently visiting Mrs. Staples.

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

CAMPERSHIP MONEY AVAILABLE

To each of the first 25 girls, who register for the Quabbin Mobile Girl Scout Day Camp, the sum of $4 will be given toward the total cost of $9 for the two-week period. The girls, who have already registered, will be counted among the first 25. Plans for the Mobile Camp are going steadily forward. The site chosen is one of the most beautiful spots on the tower hill. A car pool will be set up to and from the camp each day. Registration blanks and further information may be obtained from the leaders. Mrs. Robert Atchison, Neighborhood Chairman, will be glad to answer any questions parents may have. But remember!!! Sign up NOW to be eligible for the campership.

The following adults have taken part in one or more of the four training sessions, dealing with the Girl Scout Program Changes, held at the Methodist Parsonage and in Palmer during the past few weeks: Margaret Atchison, Lillian Whipple, Lorraine Faulkins, Esther Carr, Ruth Dowd, Alma Fay, June Henneman, Joan Poole, Jeanne Wadsworth and Rose Sroka.

The new program will go into effect in the fall. Leaders are looking forward to beginning this new program in their troops.

The annual Girl Scout Court of Awards will be held on Friday evening, June 14th, at 7.30 in Lawrence Memorial Hall. There will be a Brownie fly-up ceremony, as well as the awarding of badges and attendance stars to Brownies and Intermediates.

Fourteen girls of Troop 438 (fifth and sixth graders) participated in an overnight camping trip on Friday and Saturday of last week. Their leaders, Mrs. Edwin Whipple and Mrs. John Carr, accompanied them. Their site was the Scout camp on Daniel Shays highway. The girls had planned to sleep outdoors, and they were able to do so until rain drove them inside in the middle of the night. They spent the rest of the night in the lodge. In spite of the rain, however, they were able to complete their outdoor activities. All had a very good time. Thanks to Mrs. Roland Lapointe and Robert Ely for transportation.

The only unhappy thing that occurred was the stealing of their troop flag, which the girls had left as a marker near the entrance to the campsite. The flag was clearly marked as a Belchertown troop flag—and will be of no use to anyone except the local troop. The troop is hoping that whoever took the flag will return it to the Congregational Parish House soon. If this is not done, the troop will have to purchase a new flag at a cost of $9.50—and troop funds are at a low ebb.

The lodge at the Daniel Shays campsite needs repair. Grossman's of Belchertown has offered to give material needed for such repairs if the scouts will do the work. Here's hoping both Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops will get together and fix the lodge up. Of course, this of necessity must include fathers, brothers and other members of Scout families, as well as community-minded citizens. The campsite is in an ideal location and can be used extensively with a minimum of effort put into repairs. If YOU are interested in helping, please get in touch with either the Boy Scout Masters, or Mrs. Atchison or Mrs. Whipple of the Girl Scouts.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION NEWS

Members of the Historical Association are asked to take notice of the annual meeting of the Bay State Historical League to be held on June 15 with the Oxford Historical Society. Oxford is on Route 12, thirteen miles south of Worcester.

Registration is from 10 till noon at the town hall on Main St., where maps and tour information will be distributed.

The Women's Fellowship will serve luncheon at the First Congregational Church on Main St. at 12.30. Reservations accompanied by check for $1.75 each, must be mailed by June 8 to Miss Ida Miller, Box 23, North Oxford.

The group meets at 2 p. m. in the town hall, with Ralph Hodgkinson of Old Sturbridge Village giving a talk on Oxford history.

HONOR GUESTS SUNDAY

Legion and Auxiliary members have been invited to attend the morning service at the Congregational Church on Sunday morning. Members of these groups are asked by their leaders to meet at the church at 10.30. The department heads say, "Please plan to attend."

LAST DAY

This is William Shaw's last day at the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank, he having reached retirement age.

Much has been said about the bank building fitting well into the architecture of the community. We think also that the retiring manager has fitted equally appropriately into our community setting, patrons not being just patrons, but friends and neighbors who have appreciated Mr. Shaw's friendly approach, and who are confident that the new manager, Arlan Skinner, will exhibit the same hometown friendliness to which we have been accustomed.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— TODAY —

The Charity Drive Captains should report returns thus far collected tonight at 8.30 in the Pine Room.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Sunday After the Ascension

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Peter 4, 7-11. The First Epistle of St. Peter the Apostle.

Gospel—John 15, 26-27; 16, 1-4. (Relates that the Holy Spirit will give testimony of Christ and that the followers of Christ will suffer persecution.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St John.

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Occasionally, the 9.30 and the 11 o'clock Masses are said by priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College, Granby, Mass.

Fervent prayers are being said during this week in preparation for Pentecost. To make these prayers more acceptable to God, "have a constant mutual charity among yourselves; for charity covers a multitude of sins."

CHARITY DRIVE ENDS MONDAY

This Monday, May 27, is the closing day for the 1963 Catholic Charities Appeal. Returns must be reported so that the final tabulations might be made in time for the officials of the area to report to the Bishop. Therefore, 8.30 p. m. Monday evening has been chosen as the closing hour for the Drive.

Facts Of Interest To All

Saint Francis Parish bettered its 1961 Appeal total by nearly 6%, raising a total of $1,675.00 in 1962.

Camp Holy Cross served 329 campers in the summer of 1962.

The Providence Hospital served a total of 17,478 persons. Other services performed: Operations, 3,764; X-Rays, 9,959; Meals served, 268,448 (plus 61,149 Special Diet Meals); Babies Born, 1,662; and Holy Communions, 27,260.

Mercy Hospital: In Patients, 12,187; Out Patients, 11,892; Charitable cases, 702, Monetary value of charitable cases totaled $83,554.83; Operations, 6,273; Prescriptions, 112,494, and Births, 1,348.

Our Lady of Providence Home for Children: Number served, 665; Monetary value of 286 charitable cases, $111,599.11; and 49,275 client days.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Gary Gay, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, MAY 26
9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "The Solid Rock"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
Prelude, "Song in the Heart" Ritter
Anthem by the Junior Choir
Offertory, "Trust in God" Klein
Postlude, "Sing Unto the Lord" Cooke
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.
7.45 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. Mr. Louis Johnson will be the preacher for the evening. Louis has not had time to do much preaching here since going to Athol, and this is your chance to hear him. All are welcome to hear preaching on "Refreshing Winds." This is the Evangelistic Service for the Church.

FRIDAY, MAY 24
Aldersgate Day
10 a. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion.
12 noon. Lunch together.
2.30 p. m. Bible and Prayer Hour.
8 p. m. The Aldersgate Hour.

SATURDAY, MAY 25
6.30 p. m. Grandmothers' Night, when the Methodist Church honors all the grandmothers in the Church. A full turkey supper will be served to families for the nominal sum of 99c for adults, and 50c for children.

MONDAY, MAY 27
8.30 p. m. Methodists are called upon to take note of the hearing by the Board of Appeals in Memorial Hall.

TUESDAY, MAY 28
8 p. m. The Evening Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet. Mrs. Doris Trombly, Mrs. Carrie Booth and Mrs. Barbara Gay will be hostesses for the evening.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29
8 p. m. The Mid-Week Bible and Prayer Hour.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1
5.30 p. m. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold their annual public Strawberry Supper in the Church Vestry.

COMING
June 5-9. Annual Conference at Wesley Church, Worcester.

JUNE 16
Bishop Newell Booth to preach to the combined service of the Methodist and Congregational Churches.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the tableux committee, D. Snow, J. Henneman, I. Cook, D. Trombly and C. Beaudoin. Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, William Smith and Rose Canavan; 2nd, Darsa Snow, Rose Wenzel, Nan Beaudoin and Ida Cook; 3rd, Catherine Germain, Blanche Bader, Doris Belanger and Eva Webb; door, Linda Wright and Elsa Haller. This week's party will be in charge of the card party committee, Mary Judkins, chairman; Alan Strange and Ray Breton, Jr.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "What Mean These Stones?"

The guest preacher on Sunday will be Rev. Robert Berkey of Mount Holyoke College.

The American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary will be guests at the service of worship on Sunday morning.

There will be a short meeting of the members of the church following the service of worship.

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet on Sunday afternoon at 5.30 in the Parish House.

Senior High Fellowship

The new officers of the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will be installed at a Candlelight Communion Service at their meeting on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Board of Deacons

The Board of Deacons will meet on Monday evening at 7 o'clock to examine the members of the Pastor's Class for church membership.

Double or Nothing

The Double or Nothing Club will leave the Parish House at 7.15 on Tuesday evening for a field trip to the Springfield Armory. The program there will begin at 8 o'clock and the group will return to the Parish House for refreshments at 9.30.

The committee for the evening includes Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Skinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grover.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, instead of the usual Thursday meeting time.

Staff Meeting

Mr. Varga will participate in the meeting of the Star Island Youth Conference staff on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the Congregational Conference Center.

This camp will be held on August 10-16, and is located on an island several miles off the coast of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Baptisms

Parents desiring baptism for their children on Children's Sunday, June 9, are urged to speak to Mr. Varga as soon as possible.

New Officers

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the Senior High P. F. last Sunday:

President	Richard Merrell
Vice-Presidents:	
Faith	Susan Miner
Action	Glendon Stillings
Fellowship	Christine Gould
Secretary	Jane Skinner
Treasurer	Thomas Fuller
Reporter	Sandra Field

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the Junior High P. F.:

President	Martha Henneman
Vice-President	Kenneth Nolan
Secretary	Kenneth Henneman
Treasurer	Bruce Fitzgerald
Reporter	Brenda Potter

Young people planning to go to P. F. camp should bring the balance of their payment on Sunday.

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FINAL P. T. A. EVENT OF THE SEASON

The concluding PTA program of the year on Monday evening combined a spirited white elephant auction and the final business meeting with a potluck supper held in the cafeteria of Cold Spring School.

Presided over by School Committee Chairman Harold Willey, the auction netted $81.00 for PTA projects. Bidding was lively on a variety of articles donated by local businesses. In addition many "attic treasurers", glowingly described and sometimes ingeniously combined by the enthusiastic auctioneer, found new homes.

At the business meeting, following year-end reports of officers, Russell Robinson, completing his term as president, reviewed the accomplishments of several committees. He paid special tribute to the hospitality committee, which, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Frank Towne, Jr., not only served at all regular meetings but provided refreshments for a total of 400 persons at the four public hearings preceding the acceptance of the Junior-Senior High School building proposal. The committee also provided refreshments for 450 elementary school children at Christmas parties, 250 at the choral concert, and 80 at the band concert. Mrs. Phyllis Mullane was cited for her constant co-operation with the hostesses during the year.

Mrs. Ruth Dobson, membership chairman, was congratulated on signing up 131 members. The highest attendance reported at a single meeting was 126.

Robinson also commented on the excellence and variety of the programs arranged by Mrs. Eleanor Armstrong and Mrs. Mary Avery. These included musical events and addresses by local and area speakers.

In listing the year's fund-raising projects the president expressed gratitude to the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar and the market in Three Rivers which provided space for successful food sales.

A special letter of tribute to Col. Benton Fielder, past president of the PTA, was read at the meeting, commending him on the success of the school building committee of which he was chairman, and conveying best wishes to him and his family for their forthcoming move to a new assignment.

A letter to Robinson, thanking him for the energy and effort with which he has undertaken the work of the presidency, was read by Mrs. Armstrong, a member of the executive committee, on behalf of the membership.

Introduction of next year's officers concluded the meeting. They are Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, president; Andrew Ketchen, vice-president; Mrs. Armstrong, secretary; and Gerald Tremaine, treasurer.

AMHERST CLOTHING EXCHANGE

The Clothing Exchange at Amherst announces a 3-day Clearance Sale as follows:

Monday, May 27; and Tuesday, May 28, from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. each day.

Friday, May 31, from 2.30 to 8.30 p. m.

OMISSION

The School Department states that the name of Carl Theroux was inadvertently omitted in the 90-100 Scholar group in the High School Honor Roll printed last week.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

NOTICE OF TAX TAKING

To the owners of the hereinafter described land and to all others concerned:

You are hereby notified that on Friday, the thirty-first day of May, 1963, at 3 o'clock P. M., at Lawrence Memorial Hall - Collector's Office, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 53, and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Collector of Taxes, it is my intention to take for the Town of Belchertown the following parcels of land for non-payment of the taxes due thereon, with interest and all incidental expenses and costs to the date of taking, unless the same shall have been paid before that date.

LIST OF PARCELS TO BE TAKEN

Bush, Alvin H.—Taxes of 1961, $2.35. A certain tract of land containing 5 acres more or less situated in the north part of town and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1115, Page 56 Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Leigner, Louis and Bush, Cathy Ann —Taxes of 1961, $150.40 A certain tract of land in the north part of town, containing 1.75 acres more or less, and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1115, Page 55 Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Rouleau, Annette—Taxes of 1961, $152.75 A certain tract of land containing 12.2 acres more or less located on the easterly side of North Washington Street and described in a deed as recorded in Book 1322, Page 400, Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.
Collector of Taxes
for Belchertown

May 7, 1963

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LEGAL NOTICE

The amendment to the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map as included in the warrant of the annual town meeting of 1963 has been approved by the Attorney General. The article, witn the vote recorded thereon, along with the Zoning Map, bear the following statement:

Boston, Massachusetts
May 13, 1963

The foregoing amendment to Zoning By-Law is hereby approved. The within Zoning map is hereby approved.

Signed—Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Article 12—(Action taken). Voted to rezone from agricultural to Industrial a portion of the property owned by Francis P. and Emma D. Loftus located along the southerly side of Old Springfield Road (Springfield Road). Vote—Unanimous YES.

True copies, ATTEST:

Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Date of town meeting action, March 11, 1963.

Date of attorney general action, May 13, 1963.

Published May 24th, May 31st and June 7, 1963.

(Chapter 40, Section 32, Mass. Gen. Laws as amended)

May 24, Jn 1, 7

AWARDS TO MARBLES WINNERS

Thirteen of the participants in the Belchertown Marbles Tournament were treated to ice cream at the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar on Saturday, May 18. The gathering was to honor the boys who won from first to fourth place in Belchertown Marble Championship that was held on May 4 at Parsons Field.

The boys signed a card to be sent to Mr. John R. Bailey, member of the Tournament Committee, who is in Mary Lane Hospital, and so was unable to attend.

The boys receiving a bag of marbles in addition to the ice cream were Ralph Munn, Gary Munn, Richard Plant, William Guyer, Tony Martins, Walter Robinson, Wayne O'Donnell, David Dzuris, Glenn Armstrong and Bruce Fitzgerald.

Mr. Russell Robinson, Tournament chairman, introduced Mr. Theodore Smist, president of the Belchertown Chamber of Commerce, who presented the prizes to the top four players.

First place prizes went to Frank Brodeur, Belchertown Marbles champion. He was presented with a watch, a championship trophy, a certificate for a banana split, a certificate for two dollars in gasoline, three dollars in spending money, a bottle of hair tonic, a moonie marble and a Belchertown hat.

Runner-up David Martins received a trophy, a spinning rod and reel, a certificate for an ice cream sundae, three dollars in spending money, a moonie marble, and a Belchertown hat.

The third place prizes were received for Fred Fitzgerald by his brother, Guy. Fred was unable to attend the gathering as he was on his way to Boston to appear on television in the Science Countdown 1963. His prizes were a compass, a case of soda, and a moonie marble.

Fourth place prizes were received by Corbin Armstrong. He was presented with a compass and a moonie marble.

Mr. Robinson stressed the cooperation of the local merchants, who donated over fifty dollars in prizes and money for the Tournament participants.

Dr. Kenneth Collard started out with Frank Brodeur and David Martins toward Forest Park in Springfield, where the two boys were to compete in the Western Massachusetts Marble Tournament, but inclement weather forced a postponement. It has been re-scheduled for May 25 and 26.

SCIENCE COUNTDOWN

Frederick Fitzgerald, Jr. 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, Sr., of Three Rivers Rd., an eighth grade student at Center School, placed seventh in the semifinals of the science countdown in Boston Saturday.

Fitzgerald, Hampshire County winner, was one of fourteen county winners who participated in the semifinals of the science countdown sponsored by Lowell Technological Institute.

There were 65,000 students from public, private and parochial schools who took part in the science countdown contests in their respective schools. Fred was the winner in Belchertown and on the basis of a written test was chosen as one of four county contestants. He won the county countdown in Boston March 30 when he and the three other county winners participated in a contest that was televised over a Boston station.

GOVERNOR'S HORSE SHOW

Marsha and Woodrow Henry of Bobbin Hollow Farm, Amherst, Mass., (Amherst is their mail address) spent the week-end showing their registered Morgans and American Saddle Horses at the Governor's Horse Show in Farmington, Conn., Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Governor's Horse Show is one of the largest children's charitable horse shows in the country.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss.

Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY A. CHAFFEE, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certin instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by WILLIAM S. CHAFFEE, of Amherst, and ROBERT G. CHAFFEE, also known as ROBERT CHAFFEE, of Huntington, both in the County of Hampshire, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

May 24, Jn 1, 7

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CALL FOR BREAD BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Bread and Rolls for the elementary and secondary hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "BREAD BIDS."

Delivery shall be made to Cold Spring School before 9 a. m. Specifications may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR BIDS FOR INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPLIES

The Belchertown School Committee will accept lump sum bids for instructional supplies consisting of paper, crayons, pencils, etc. for the 1963-64 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8 P. M. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and examined. Bids must be submitted on a bid form which may be obtained at the Superintendent's Office. Said form includes specifications, amounts for specific items, and other necessary information.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR MILK BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Pasteurized and Homogenized Vitamin D Milk for the elementary and secondary milk and hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will publicly be opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "MILK BIDS."

Milk shall be delivered in ½ pint waxed cartons. Approximately one thousand and one hundred cartons (1,100) are used daily. Specifications relative to processing, distribution, inspection, and other requirements may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

The School Commmittee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

SERVICE NOTES

FORT BENJAMIN HARRISON, IND. (AHTNC)—Army Pvt. Richard H. Wilson, 22, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Soule, live on Daniel Shay's Hwy., Belchertown, Mass., completed a five-week finance procedures course at The Finance School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., late in April.

Wilson entered the Army last December and received basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

A 1958 graduate of Agawam High School and a former student at the University of Massachusetts, he was employed as a mason before entering the Army.

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract for rubbish removal for the 1963-1964 school year from the Cold Spring, Center, Main Street, and High School Buildings. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8.45 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS."

Bids will be accepted for daily removal if covered 55 gallon drums or similar containers are used and for weekly removal if a Dempster Dumpmaster type container is furnished. Bidders must furnish the containers.

The School Commmittee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee

May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR FUEL OIL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide No. 2 and No. 4 or 5 fuel oil to be delivered to the school buildings for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 9 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in said office. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "FUEL OIL BIDS."

Bids shall be considered and contracts will be awarded separately for No. 2 and No. 4 or No. 5 fuel oil. Bidders may limit bids to one type of oil. Bidders quoting tank car price, plus transportation and delivery costs must quote, as an example for comparative bid purposes, the price based on the tank car price at a designated location on May 31, 1963.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
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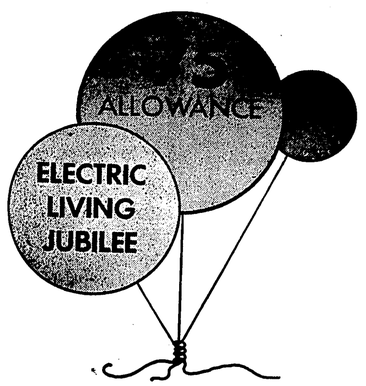

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Mrs. Stephen Keedy
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Miss Candy Langoni, Pres. Inter-High Jr. Red Cross Council
Granby Accordion Band
Miss Patricia Mann
Panhellenic Society Mrs. Peter Sarant
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Williamsburg Cong'l Church
Mrs. Arthur Packard
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Miss Joan DenBleyker
British Wives Club
Mrs. John Ericson

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Transmission heavy duty, 5 speeds direct in fifth
Front springs 3" heavy duty for snow plow work
Rear springs heavy duty with helpers and radius rods
Tires, 10.00 x 20 12 ply with tubes, duals rear
Wheels, spoke with spare rim
12 v. elec. system with 40 amp. generator, low cut-in with 2—6 volt batteries in series 120 amp.
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5 courtesy lights on top of cab
Grab handles, tow hooks front and rear with radiator guards
40 gallon gas tank, safety type, hydraulic jack
Garwood hoist and body or its equal, 4 yard 7 x 9 with head board 8 guage with heavy duty hardware, A50 hoist tailgate with sand door
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Quoted prices must include transferring our snow-plow frame to the new unit.

We have available for trade toward this unit a 1955 Model 146 W Brockway dump truck. You may inspect this truck by calling Mr. Joseph A. Kulig, our Highway Superintendent, for an appointment.

Each bid must be plainly marked TRUCK BID, and all bids will be opened in the Selectmen's Office on May 29, 1963, at 8 o'clock p. m. All bids may be accepted or rejected by the Board of Selectmen.

BELCHERTOWN BOARD OF SELECTMEN
May 16, 1963

SUNDAY MORNING IN MAY

Mist shrouded woodlands
Hold, it seems to me,
Vessels of green velvet
Above every tree.

Birds chant their chorus
In a happy style,
And it echoes and re-echoes
Along the deep defile,

Like a curtain lifted softly
The mist, a shower of gold,
Sparkled like a jewel,
As sun and mist unfold.

Then as though on signal,
The chorus lifted high,
Flung in myriad bird song
Against the morning sky.

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SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in llowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Pentecost Sunday
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning orship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Church Cabinet at Parish House at p. m.

TUESDAY

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MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

It would take a color movie camera to faithfully record the Memorial Day observance on Thursday. Mere words are inadequate. The sun shining on those vari-color units in the parade made a most pleasing picture, while the entire grouping, plus the townspeople in variegated attire gathered by the monument with up-raised flag was a sight to remember.

There was cause for thanksgiving that the sun shone, for the previous night was rainy, with predictions not good—and Memorial Day night the clouds let loose again.

As last year, the line formed at Cold Spring School. There was no long waiting—the line appeared at the center right around 10, moved around the north end of the common, and turned in at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

At the cemetery, Rev. Marvin Green offered prayer, the firing squad saluted, and Fred Very sounded taps.

Moving to the monument on the common, Rev. Harold Suhm gave the invocation, there was the placing of wreaths, and the raising of the flag by Lt. Col. Wheeler. Miss Sandra Joyal gave the Gettysburg address, which was followed by the address of the day by Rev. Paul Varga.

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TODAY—SATURDAY

Public Strawberry Supper at Methodist Vestry from 5.30 to 7 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 9
Baccalaureate Service.
June 11
Class Day Exercises.
June 13
B. H. S. Commencement.
June 14
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.
June 15
Lions Club Circus.
Strawberry Supper at Dwight chapel.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Cub Scout Picnic.
June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

B. H. S. BASEBALL

Belchertown High School closes out its 1963 baseball season with three road games over the next week and a half. At this writing the Orioles stand at 7 wins and 3 losses, but have been all but eliminated from the Franklin League pennant chase.

Last week the Orioles split a two game series with Williamsburg, losing 6-5 there and winning 7-2 at home. In the away game, Belchertown failed to cash in on enough scoring opportunities, and this led to their downfall. In the second game Joe Tolpa pitched a strong four-hitter to help derail Burgy's pennant express.

This past Monday Belchertown rolled over Holyoke Trade 23-1 as 29 local players saw action. This could be some kind of a record. Freshman Bill McCaughey picked up his second pitching win.

Tuesday, June 4, the Booster Club will honor the varsity teams at the high school with a banquet at the Quabbin Social Club in Ware. The time of this affair is 6.30, and the cost is $1.75. Highlight of the night as far as the boys are concerned will be the awarding of the Booster Club trophy to the player who best combines the following qualities: conduct on and off the field, leadership, and compatibility with teammates.

THE HEARINGS

Although it was a clear night, it was a bit foggy at Memorial Hall on Monday evening on the occasion of the Robin Farm hearings. One daily paper headlined the event as an "airing," which is about what it was, although it didn't completely drive the fog away.

There were three groups represented at the meeting—the selectmen, the planning board and the appeals board, and it was a bit foggy as to where each came into the picture.

Mr. Renouf, who represented the petitioning groups, maintained he was trying to live up to the law, but said he believed that some day these laws would be revised, so that they would have some sense.

He felt he was being harrassed by his own townsmen; said he was always launching out in something new, and in consequence was not in good standing with the conservative element.

The people attending the hearing were apparently for the most part not averse to legalizing the club, but in the fogginess some saw it as one more move to get the all-alcoholic club license which got bogged down in Boston and got thrown back here. Some still think that it is not appropriate to a camping area.

One speaker, apparently with the conservation of youth on his mind, was fearful of the future in this re-

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ANTI-LITTER POSTERS

The Garden Club is delighted with the splendid response from the school children to the Anti-Litter Poster Contest. A great many more posters were submitted than could be rewarded, and so many were so good the judges many times had difficulty in choosing the best.

Winners were selected in each of the first four grades, in the fifth and sixth together and in the seventh and eighth together. The winning posters are being exhibited in the windows of stores around the Common and on the Crystal Spring corner, until Wednesday, June 5, when it will be the responsibility of the children each to collect his own. The many excellent posters receiving Honorable Mention will be displayed in the Library. Small cash prizes will be awarded those children placing First, Second or Third.

The Garden Club wishes to thank the teachers for their generous co-operation and all the children who participated, and to remind all, in the words of the poster slogans: Keep America and Belchertown Beautiful, Don't Be A Litter-Bug, Every Litter Bit Hurts, and Crime Does Not Pay.

The winners are as follows:

Grade 1—First: Tina Barry; Second, Kathryn Mitchell; Third, Bryan Corrigan; Honorable Mention: Lynn Bodzinski, Joel Sluonicki, Janet Merriam, Carey Henrichon.

Grade 2—First: Corey Nadeau; Second: Deborah White; Third: Barbara Nolan; Hon. Ment.: Mark Lucia, Debra Trudell, Roy Bergeron, Nancy McCrea, Lance Clark.

Grade 3—First: Susan Rieff; Second: Teri Thomas; Third: Marie Lapointe; Hon. Ment.: Donna Mikal, June Mercier.

Grade 4—First: Michael Hayward; Second: JoAnn Avery; Third: Garry Bock; Hon. Ment.: Mary Pietryka, William Desmarais, Donald Norris, Franklin Alden.

Grades 5 & 6—First: Bruce Officer; Second: Kenneth Henneman; Third: Deborah Whidden; Honorable Ment.: Pamela Plant.

Grades 7 & 8—First: Martha Henneman; Second: Pat Theroux; Third: Richard Officer.

DRIVE A SUCCESS

On Monday evening of this past week, the fifth annual Catholic Charities Appeal ended throughout the diocese of Springfield—and it ended with many parishes reporting that they had "gone over the top".

St. Francis parish was one in this category, reporting a total of $1,950. This is nearly $300 over last year's total of $1,675. That was roughly a 6% increase over the previous year—this year the parish hit the 14% mark,

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CIRCUS

One of the finest tented circuses touring the Eastern United States this season will make a one-day appearance Saturday, June 15, at Belchertown under Belchertown Lions Club Auspices, it is announced by Joe Tolpa.

Under a mammouth Big Top, Beers-Barnes Circus will give one hour and a half performances at 2 and 8 p. m.

The 1963 edition of the show, according to their advance agent, will bring a grand sparkling new program in mass entertainment. A gorgeous, colorful panorama of Spangleland is promised.

There will be performing elephants, trained seals, beautiful horses, prancing ponies, talented canines, thrilling aerialists, artistic wirewalkers, ridiculous clowns and pretty girls.

BOOSTER CLUB BANQUET

Friends of the High School will want to remember the Booster Club banquet next week Tuesday night at 6.30 at the Quabbin Social Club. Tickets are $1.75.

STRAWBERRY SUPPER

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RESIGNS PASTORATE

In a pastoral letter to the congregation last Monday, Rev. Paul V. Varga, minister of the Congregational Church, submitted his resignation in order to accept a call to become Senior Minister of the United Church in Walpole, Mass., effective not later than September 1.

Mr. Varga has served the Belchertown Church since May 15, 1957. During this period of time the church has increased from 268 to over 370 members. A total of 151 persons have been received into membership. The total budget of the church has doubled and the benevolence budget has tripled. In addition to other general improvements over the years, the church completed an extensive renovation program of the church during the past year, which included replacing the pipe organ.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and .45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 5 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in llowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Pentecost Sunday
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning rship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Church Cabinet at Parish House at p. m.

TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

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MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

It would take a color movie camera to faithfully record the Memorial Day observance on Thursday. Mere words are inadequate. The sun shining on those vari-color units in the parade made a most pleasing picture, while the entire grouping, plus the townspeople in variegated attire gathered by the monument with up-raised flag was a sight to remember.

There was cause for thanksgiving that the sun shone, for the previous night was rainy, with predictions not good—and Memorial Day night the clouds let loose again.

As last year, the line formed at Cold Spring School. There was no long waiting—the line appeared at the center right around 10, moved around the north end of the common, and turned in at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

At the cemetery, Rev. Marvin Green offered prayer, the firing squad saluted, and Fred Very sounded taps.

Moving to the monument on the common, Rev. Harold Suhm gave the invocation, there was the placing of wreaths, and the raising of the flag by Lt. Col. Wheeler. Miss Sandra Joyal gave the Gettysburg address, which was followed by the address of the day by Rev. Paul Varga.

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TODAY—SATURDAY

Public Strawberry Supper at Methodist Vestry from 5.30 to 7 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 9
Baccalaureate Service.
June 11
Class Day Exercises.
June 13
B. H. S. Commencement.
June 14
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.
June 15
Lions Club Circus.
Strawberry Supper at Dwight chapel.
June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Cub Scout Picnic.
June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

B. H. S. BASEBALL

Belchertown High School closes out its 1963 baseball season with three road games over the next week and a half. At this writing the Orioles stand at 7 wins and 3 losses, but have been all but eliminated from the Franklin League pennant chase.

Last week the Orioles split a two game series with Williamsburg, losing 6-5 there and winning 7-2 at home. In the away game, Belchertown failed to cash in on enough scoring opportunities, and this led to their downfall. In the second game Joe Tolpa pitched a strong four-hitter to help derail Burgy's pennant express.

This past Monday Belchertown rolled over Holyoke Trade 23-1 as 29 local players saw action. This could be some kind of a record. Freshman Bill McCaughey picked up his second pitching win.

Tuesday, June 4, the Booster Club will honor the varsity teams at the high school with a banquet at the Quabbin Social Club in Ware. The time of this affair is 6.30, and the cost is $1.75. Highlight of the night as far as the boys are concerned will be the awarding of the Booster Club trophy to the player who best combines the following qualities: conduct on and off the field, leadership, and compatibility with teammates.

THE HEARINGS

Although it was a clear night, it was a bit foggy at Memorial Hall on Monday evening on the occasion of the Robin Farm hearings. One daily paper headlined the event as an "airing," which is about what it was, although it didn't completely drive the fog away.

There were three groups represented at the meeting—the selectmen, the planning board and the appeals board, and it was a bit foggy as to where each came into the picture.

Mr. Renouf, who represented the petitioning groups, maintained he was trying to live up to the law, but said he believed that some day these laws would be revised, so that they would have some sense.

He felt he was being harrassed by his own townsmen; said he was always launching out in something new, and in consequence was not in good standing with the conservative element.

The people attending the hearing were apparently for the most part not averse to legalizing the club, but in the fogginess some saw it as one more move to get the all-alcoholic club license which got bogged down in Boston and got thrown back here. Some still think that it is not appropriate to a camping area.

One speaker, apparently with the conservation of youth on his mind, was fearful of the future in this re-

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ANTI-LITTER POSTERS

The Garden Club is delighted with the splendid response from the school children to the Anti-Litter Poster Contest. A great many more posters were submitted than could be rewarded, and so many were so good the judges many times had difficulty in choosing the best.

Winners were selected in each of the first four grades, in the fifth and sixth together and in the seventh and eighth together. The winning posters are being exhibited in the windows of stores around the Common and on the Crystal Spring corner, until Wednesday, June 5, when it will be the responsibility of the children each to collect his own. The many excellent posters receiving Honorable Mention will be displayed in the Library. Small cash prizes will be awarded those children placing First, Second or Third.

The Garden Club wishes to thank the teachers for their generous co-operation and all the children who participated, and to remind all, in the words of the poster slogans: Keep America and Belchertown Beautiful, Don't Be A Litter-Bug, Every Litter Bit Hurts, and Crime Does Not Pay.

The winners are as follows:

Grade 1—First: Tina Barry; Second, Kathryn Mitchell; Third, Bryan Corrigan; Honorable Mention: Lynn Bodzinski, Joel Sluonicki, Janet Merriam, Carey Henrichon.

Grade 2—First: Corey Nadeau; Second: Deborah White; Third: Barbara Nolan; Hon. Ment.: Mark Lucia, Debra Trudell, Roy Bergeron, Nancy McCrea, Lance Clark.

Grade 3—First: Susan Rieff; Second: Teri Thomas; Third: Marie Lapointe; Hon. Ment.: Donna Mikal, June Mercier.

Grade 4—First: Michael Hayward; Second: JoAnn Avery; Third: Garry Bock; Hon. Ment.: Mary Pietryka, William Desmarais, Donald Norris, Franklin Alden.

Grades 5 & 6—First: Bruce Officer; Second: Kenneth Henneman; Third: Deborah Whidden; Honorable Ment.: Pamela Plant.

Grades 7 & 8—First: Martha Henneman; Second: Pat Theroux; Third: Richard Officer.

DRIVE A SUCCESS

On Monday evening of this past week, the fifth annual Catholic Charities Appeal ended throughout the diocese of Springfield—and it ended with many parishes reporting that they had "gone over the top".

St. Francis parish was one in this category, reporting a total of $1,950. This is nearly $300 over last year's total of $1,675. That was roughly a 6% increase over the previous year—this year the parish hit the 14% mark,

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CIRCUS

One of the finest tented circuses touring the Eastern United States this season will make a one-day appearance Saturday, June 15, at Belchertown under Belchertown Lions Club Auspices, it is announced by Joe Tolpa.

Under a mammouth Big Top, Beers-Barnes Circus will give one hour and a half performances at 2 and 8 p. m.

The 1963 edition of the show, according to their advance agent, will bring a grand sparkling new program in mass entertainment. A gorgeous, colorful panorama of Spangleland is promised.

There will be performing elephants, trained seals, beautiful horses, prancing ponies, talented canines, thrilling aerialists, artistic wirewalkers, ridiculous clowns and pretty girls.

BOOSTER CLUB BANQUET

Friends of the High School will want to remember the Booster Club banquet next week Tuesday night at 6.30 at the Quabbin Social Club. Tickets are $1.75.

STRAWBERRY SUPPER

Attention is again called to the annual public strawberry supper to be served at the Methodist Church this week Saturday night at 5.30.

RESIGNS PASTORATE

In a pastoral letter to the congregation last Monday, Rev. Paul V. Varga, minister of the Congregational Church, submitted his resignation in order to accept a call to become Senior Minister of the United Church in Walpole, Mass., effective not later than September 1.

Mr. Varga has served the Belchertown Church since May 15, 1957. During this period of time the church has increased from 268 to over 370 members. A total of 151 persons have been received into membership. The total budget of the church has doubled and the benevolence budget has tripled. In addition to other general improvements over the years, the church completed an extensive renovation program of the church during the past year, which included replacing the pipe organ.

He has also actively participated in work beyond the local church. In the Hampshire Association he has served as Assistant Moderator, Moderator, and as a member of the Youth Committee. He has also represented the association at the meetings of the General Council in Boston and Philadelphia. He has served the State Confer-

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The Steeple Soliloquizes

Have You Ever Considered
Joining Historical Association?

The Stone House located on Maple Street is now open for the summer, on Wednesdays and Saturdays from two to five. From time to time over the years I have urged readers to visit this building if they have never seen its most interesting rooms and collections, or to renew their acquaintance and see recent improvements and acquisitions.

I still feel that perhaps there are misconceptions about the Historical Association. For instance, years ago I used to believe that it was a richly-endowed organization that could maintain its properties and probably expand almost at will on the income from endowments. This is a long way from the truth.

By careful economy the property has been cared for and will continue to be. Friends have been generous in making bequests, but they have not been of tremendous size, and the income is used for regular expenses and simpler improvements. Even so, a great deal of the labor that should be paid for as part of the running expenses has been given free of charge by devoted members. There is no opportunity for extensive improvements without much more money than the Association has at its disposal.

Secondly, the membership of the Association is small and some of its older members have passed away over the last few years. Ella Stebbins and Julia Shumway are among these. Some folks seem to think that there is a sort of closed membership, a reluctance on the part of the Association to take in new blood. This is not true.

More members are needed to help maintain the interest in the history of Belchertown and the preservation of its past, which are among the purposes of the group. Applications may be secured from any trustee, or any member for that matter—or call Ike Hodgen or June Henneman.

Prospective members should be willing to contribute just a bit more than the small dues. The program for a year is not extensive, but does need the help of everyone. A fall meeting with a speaker, one or two program meetings during the summer or fall, and a field trip constitute the average activities. There is also an opportunity to help on committees whose projects now exceed the time available.

In short, the Association is not closed, ultra-conservative, or rich. It needs help. You, maybe?

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Who In This Day's World
Has Heard of Willow Whistles?

This little essay-editorial from a Vermont newspaper came in a recent letter from Sister Marjorie, with whom we hope to be weekending when you get this paper. It looks back to a simpler time than the present, a time when kids walked down the road to school instead of being honked out to the highway by the bus:

"Do you remember willow whistle time and the high-pitched piping of country boys as they tramped a dirt road to the district school? Remember those varied-pitched trills on a sunny spring day when the robins were carolling in the old orchard and the orioles were whistling from the elms? . . .

"The juice of life runs rich and strong in all trees in spring as food tubes carry nutrients from the leaves down to the branches, buds and blossoms. These tubes with the jelly-like food run just under the cambium layer, and in the spring flush it is easy to twist off the bark. Pussy willows near water have the easiest bark to loosen.

"With his Barlow knife, a lad cut the V-shaped notch, and then tapped the bark loose. The size and length of the flat-cut section between the end of the whistle and the notch, determined the tone. A boy liked a small pea in the notch to give a satisfactory trill. Naturally, a well-outfitted young citizen needed several whistles.

"A group of boys with willow whistles was the ultimate proof of true spring. The pipes of Pan sounded along country roads and perhaps if you are out on a hillside one of these mellow May days you may hear the sweet trills passing by on an overhead breeze."

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Elementary Science Fair
Brought Credit To Sponsors

Last week Friday night we went down to Cold Spring School to the First Annual Science Fair, prepared and exhibited by the pupils and teachers of Grades I through VI. The news coverage for the event will be found elsewhere in this issue, I am sure, but I want to add my praise to the many compliments which must have already been showered on the kids and their helpers for what was a first-rate, enthusiastic, and lively show.

There were so many exhibits and on so many phases of science that the affair could easily have been a hodge-podge, particularly since it all had to be set up after the school lunch was over at about one o'clock in the afternoon.

However, everything fitted neatly in place, and there were signs, posters, cards, and compositions a plenty to guide the visitor intelligently along his way. These written explanations intrigued me. The spelling was just about perfect and that in itself represented a real achievement. It took a lot of doing (and considerable redoing!), you may be sure.

I was glad the fair was non-competitive, with no ribbons or other prizes, and no judges to worry about.

The wall decorations were remarkably good, and we were told that the "practice teachers" had done all that. These students, preparing for their own careers as teachers, can mean much to the schools where they are training.

Cold Spring School is an attractive place for this sort of thing, even with the all-purpose room out of the picture for a while. We can look forward to the now-approaching time when a new high-school building will help secondary-school teachers who will wish to demonstrate work to the public.

Teachers, parents, and school officials were all on hand when we were visiting. Everyone was obviously pleased with what he saw.

Congratulations to Mr. Blazo and his staff for a well-planned and cleverly-executed project.

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No Ceilings?

Last week many Springfield Area teenagers staged a benefit dance to help defray the expenses of a high-school senior girl who has been in a coma since an auto accident in March. It was a splendid and moving outpouring of generous-hearted sympathy.

But I was shocked by the news that these hospital expenses "amount to more than $1000 weekly."

The news story may have been wrong, or the thousand-dollar figure may represent what amounts to a fair price in the medical-hospital world. I don't know.

I am certain, however, that there should be ways to set ceilings on costs so that no family, wealthy or poor, could be faced with financial drains like this.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Eden is that old-fashioned house
We dwell in every day
Without suspecting our abode
Until we drive away.

How fair on looking back, the Day
We sauntered from the Door—
Unconscious our returning
But discover it no more."

—Emily Dickinson

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

About 100 attended the Junior Prom at Park View Hall. Two persons on the Committee on Arrangements were Donald Hazen, and Miss Dorothy Peeso.

"Harold Booth is very ambitious. He has planted 12 acres of corn this past week."

On Memorial Day, Belding F. Jackson gave the address at the monument "To the Unknown Dead." From there they went to the Congregational Church where Dean Lewis of M.A.C. gave the Memorial Day address.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Old Folks' Concert which has been looked foward to for weeks under the sponsorship of the April Night group of the Congregational Church turned out to be "both pleasing and proficient". Louis Shumway had a bass solo "Asleep in the Deep" which carried the audience by storm. The double male quartet made a big hit. Following the program the floor was cleared, and dancing was participated in by both young and old. Dr. Kenneth Collard donated a turkey, and then he won the prize; so, to quote the Steeple "it embarassingly came home to roast". The evening's project netted well over sixty dollars.

There was an unusual attendance at the Memorial Day exercises. Rev. Horatio Robbins, pastor of the Methodist Church placed a wreath for the unknown dead with appropriate remarks. The guest speaker was Thomas F. Burke, District Commander of Hampden County American Legion. Rev. Edmund F. Blackmer gave the benediction.

There were three weddings in town during the week. Miss Irene Matsko became the bride of William Culbert, son of Washington, D. C. Miss Mary Smola became the bride of Michael Mathras. And Miss Julia Gubola became the bride of Raymond Henrichson.

TEN YEARS AGO

About thirty attended the fruit growers' twilight meeting at Sidney Wheeler's. They inspected his orchard of 500 trees.

The Four-College band rendered a band concert in Memorial Hall under the auspices of the P.T.A.

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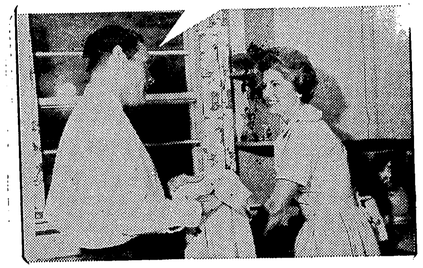

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MRS. H. MORGAN RYTHER

Mrs. Gladys M. Ryther of South Main St. died at her home early last week Thursday afternoon. She was born in Ware, Feb. 2, 1893, daughter of Frederick E. and Mae (Phinney) Fairbank. She lived in Belchertown 3 years and attended the local Congregational Church. She leaves her husband, H. Morgan Ryther; a daughter, Mrs. Rosemary Rasmussen of Charlotte, N. C., and two grandchildren. Private funeral services were held Monday at Beers & Story funeral home on Park St., with Rev. Paul Varga, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetery, Ware.

APPOINTMENT ANNOUNCED

Gould Ketchen of Jabish St., president of the Hampshire County Republican Club, has announced that Mr. and Mrs. Julius J. Sofinowski have been appointed official host and hostess for the Hampshire County Republican Club barbecue at Nonotuck Park, Easthampton, on June 2.

Sofinowski is vice-president of the Hampshire County Republican Club for the 3d Hampshire District, and has been in charge of all arrangements for the outing, he said.

The main speaker will be Attorney Gen. Edward Brooke. Williamsburg Fireman's Association will be in charge of the barbecuing. Tickets are available from the officers of the Club and Republican Town Committee chairman in each town.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency realtors, have sold for Joseph Berube his home on Aldrich Rd. to Lafayette W. Ayers, Jr., of Belchertown. Mr. Berube is purchasing a mobile home and will reside at Mill Valley Rd.

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MARBLES CHAMPS AT SPRINGFIELD

Frank Brodeur, town marbles champ and David Martins, runnerup, were two of the twenty four contestants at the Western Mass. play-offs last Saturday at Forest Park, Springfield.

After being driven to Springfield by Mrs. Sandra Anderson the boys were chaffeured thru the streets of Springfield in open convertibles with a police escort, to the entrance of Forest Park. Then, with the marshal music of St. Georges Olympian Drum and Bugle Corps, proceeded to the ring sites.

Former champs Gerard Tanguay, Joe Mayotte, Bill Trudell, Phil Hart, and John Auchter acted as referees for the matches.

In the drawings for order of play, Frank Brodeur drew a Bye as the odd player in the Champions Class.

Dave Martins paired off with Bob Houle in the fifth set of the preliminaries and got off to a flying start as he won the lag and five minutes later emerged the victor, beating Houle 7-1 and 7-2.

With this under our belts, it sure looked as though Belchertown was on its way, having beaten the local Springfield Champ on his own grounds.

A buzzing of questions from the bystanders of "who are these boys with B's on their hats?" "Are those boys from Boston?"

However, our winning glories were to be short lived as the next round came.

Frank Brodeur drew Bruce Wilson as his opposition.

In Frank's seesaw battle the first game ended with him losing 7-6, and he was eliminated from further play in the second game 7-3. (Probably, if Frank could have won that first game he would have gone much further, for as you remember in the playoffs here in town he got better in each succeeding game he played.)

Dave Martins paired off with Brian Mills for his second match.

Mills won the lag and after getting one marble on the first shot, never went behind, winning 7-4 and 7-3. (Maybe it shook Dave to see Frank lose his games, but whatever the reason he just wasn't the same player as in the first round.)

It was certainly a proud consolation to know that both of our Champs exemplified our town by sportingly congratulating their opponents who had just eliminated them from a dream trip to Wildwood, N. J.

Cheer up fellows, next year will be here before you know it! Just Wait!

Incidentally, there has been such a response that it is being considered that next year, each town may be invited to come as an outing, have an old timers day, etc. as queries have been made as far away as Worcester, and Holyoke and South Hadley are working on rings for instruction at the present time.

GOODWILL TRUCK

On Monday, a truck from the Goodwill Industries will stop at the Methodist Vestry to pick up articles of clothing, etc., donated by townspeople. Doors of the vestry will be open all day Saturday and Sunday, if you care to leave anything. Since it is never certain at what time on Monday the truck will arrive, it is best to bring things early.

SCIENCE FAIR

A visitor from Mars happening in on the Elementary Science Fair at Cold Spring School last Friday night could have gotten a very good glimpse of what we are interested in on this planet.

If you don't believe it, glance down through the list of titles of exhibits. The exhibitors would likely be rated rather high on intelligence, too, as we are told that some 90 per cent were original in their ideas.

You will, of course, want to take note of the Steeple's observations in his column.

The Fair was well attended, the doors being stormed even before 7. When we drove in, parked cars had begun to spill over into Mill Valley Road.

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Grade I—
Supervising Teacher
TREES — Miss Falk
WHAT YOUR NOSE KNOWS — Miss Flaherty
LIGHT — Mrs. Hayward
PLANTS AND HOW THEY GROW — Mrs. Yanginski

Grade II—
WHO'S WHO AT THE ZOO — Mrs. Alexander
THE SUN & EGGSHELL GARDENS — Mrs. Corbin
HEAT — Miss Fitzgerald
THE FOUR SEASONS — Miss Orlando

Grade III—
THE SEA AROUND US — Mrs. Wadhams
BIRDS — Mrs. Hodgen
OCEAN LIFE — Mrs. Fox

Grade IV—
CONSERVATION — Mrs. Loftus
SOUND — Mrs. Schott
ROCKS—HORSES—WILD FLOWERS — Mrs. Dobson
SPACE—SEEDS—CLIMATE

Grade V—
INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS
Mrs. Atwood, Mrs. Foor, Mrs. Lambert

Grade VI—
INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS
Mr. Smith, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Avery

SOPHIE C. STOKOSA

Sophie C. Stokosa, 73, of South Washington St., died at her home in town last week Thursday.

She was born in Poland, the daughter of John and Caroline Oleazcyk. She had lived in Belchertown 31 years.

Besides her husband, John, she leaves four sons, Walter, Stanley, Fred, and John, Jr., all of South Washington St., Belchertown, and two daughters, Wanda Squires of Belchertown, and Jennie Sibik of Ludlow.

The funeral was held Saturday from the George Motyka & Son Funeral Home, Three Rivers, with a requiem high mass at 10 o'clock in Christ The King Church in Ludlow. Burial was in St. Aloysius Cemetery, Indian Orchard.

Bearers were Roger Yelinek, Stanley Lysik, Richard Squires, Sr., Richard Squires, Jr., Edward Sibik, Sr. and Edward Sibik, Jr.

LUDLOW BANK RELEASE

ON SHAW RETIREMENT

William E. Shaw, manager of the Belchertown branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank and veteran office holder in the town before accepting the post with the bank, has retired.

He has been succeeded as branch manager by Arlan Skinner of Belchertown.

Mr. Shaw joined Ludlow Savings as manager of the local branch on November 1, 1955.

He had been a town office holder for 38 years before taking the position with the bank. In 1917, he became town accountant. He was elected tax collector and town treasurer in 1932. The office of town clerk was added to Mr. Shaw's responsibilities in 1948.

Mr. Shaw had been with Ludlow Savings since the bank opened the Belchertown branch.

James P. Cormack, president of the bank, noted recently that under Mr. Shaw's able management, deposits have grown to $1.6 million at the branch; depositors to 1500; mortgages to a $648,000 portfolio.

The new manager had been connected with Smith and Wesson, Inc., for 17 years before joining Ludlow Savings on April 15. Before that he was employed by Tifft Bros., Inc., investment brokers.

Mr. Skinner is a member of the Belchertown Board of Assessors and for two years served as Civil Defense director in the community.

He is a past president and secretary-treasurer of the Belchertown Lions Club and served as zone chairman in District 33-Y of Lions International for two years.

He is a member of the board of deacons of the Congregational Church.

EXTRA SILVERWARE OR PIANO ANYONE?

The following officers were elected at an annual meeting of the 4-H town committee at the home of Mrs. Omer Dupuis on Monday, May 27:

Chairman — Mrs. Edward Whipple
Vice-Chairman — Mrs. Omer Dupuis
Sec'y-Treas. — Mrs. Julian Hussey
Second Representative to Council — Mrs. Frederick Corrigan
Cookie Chairman — Mrs. Fred Opielowski
Publicity Chairman — Mrs. Maurice McLean

Other members of the 4-H town committee include Mrs. Preston Atwood, Mrs. Francis Austin, Mrs. Godfrey Wenzel and Hubert Greene.

At this time an invitatiion is extended to anyone who is interested in our youth to join the 4-H town committee.

There is also a need for more leaders. At present we have five clubs, with a total of 72 members. Interested persons are asked to contact Mrs. Whipple or any member of the 4-H town committee.

With the camping season just around the corner, comes a request for a piano and silverware to be used at Camp Howe. A donation of either will be appreciated by the 4-H'ers.

The Hampshire County 4-H clubs are sponsoring a chicken barbecue at Camp Howe on June 15 and 16. Tickets are only $1.00 and will be on sale in the near future by 4-H club members. Proceeds will be used to improve camping facilities at Camp Howe.

B. H. S. NOTES

The first annual Student Council Awards assembly was held Wednesday morning at Belchertown High School. The event, sponsored by the boys and girls of the council is planned to bring recognition by the rest of the students to the members of the various classes who achieve some form of local excellence. There are four areas of school activity chosen for identification.

Those receiving the award as the "Student who has done most for their class" were: Freshman, Douglas McCallum; Sophomore, Joanne Sporbert; Junior, Patricia Very; Senior, Donald Kempkes.

The awards for the "Most Improved Student" were granted to: Freshman - Richard Adam; Sophomore - Virginia May; Junior - Robert Sloat; Senior - Sharyn Cook. Those with the "Highest Scholastic Average" were: Freshman - Marjorie Officer; Sophomore - Linda Martin; Junior - Joanne Gould; Senior - Elaine Tetrault. Freshman Jane Skinner, Sophomore Bonnie Opielowski, Juniors Jane Peterson and Sandra Field, and Senior Thomas Krol were named as the "Best All-around Students in their classes.

All the award winners received medals with engravings signifying the area of their award.

At the same assembly honors were bestowed on the members of the school basketball team as the winners of the 1963 Tri-State tournament. The players were presented with jackets emblematic of the achievement.

GRANGE NOTES

At the card party last Saturday night in charge of the card party committee, Mary Judkins, chairman, prize winners were: 1st. Celia Jenks, Florence Damon, Herbert West and Anna Larzazs; 2nd, Joy Wright, Emma Grover, Gaetane Fortin and Ruth Kempkes; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holcomb, Arline H. Powers and Walter L. DeFord; door, Emma Grover and Ethel Sanderson.

This week's party will be in charge of the music committee, Marion Plant, chairman.

Tuesday evening will be Youth Night, in charge of the Youth Committee and the advisors, Mrs. Rose Wenzel and Harold Peck.

Hampshire County Pomona Grange will meet Thursday, June 6, at Northampton.

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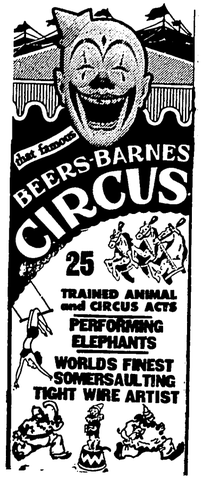

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— TODAY —

Vigil of Pentecost

Today is a day of Fast, and partial abstinence. Confessions will be heard as on other Saturdays—4 to 5 p. m., and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Pentecost Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Acts 2, 1-11. Acts of the Apostles.

Gospel—John 14, 23-31. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John. Relates Christ's instruction on the Holy Spirit. This is the birthday of the Catholic Church, commemorating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles (Acts 2, 1-11), the first preaching of the Apostles, and the baptism of the first converts.

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass., often say Mass here at St. Francis at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

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— EMBER DAY —

Wednesday, June 5, is an Ember Day—a day of Fast, and partial abstinence.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the first Friday in June will be held Thursday evening from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

On Friday—Mass at the State School at 7.15 a. m., in St. Francis at 7.30 a. m.; confessions in the evening from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass following at 7 p. m.

— CAMP HOLY CROSS —

On Tuesday evening of this past week, those interested in the coming Retreat week-end at Camp Holy Cross on June 7, 8, and 9 held a meeting in the Pine Room. Francis Longtine was the speaker, and he showed slides of the camp to illustrate his talk.

To date, fifteen boys have been enrolled, and it was hoped that during the week, prior to the deadline, a few more local boys would apply.

Camp Holy Cross is one of the Diocesan facilities that have been improved through the Annual Charities Appeal. The camp is located on Highland Lake in Goshen, and is adjacent to the DAR State Park grounds.

— CHANGE OF DATE —

The Holy Name Society will hold the last meeting of their regular season on the second Tuesday of June, the 11th, instead of the regular meeting date on the first Tuesday of the month. All are urged to attend if at all possible.

— THE SACRED HEART —

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart. Devotion to the Sacred Heart is directed to the human nature of Christ, which was personally united with His divinity. The Sacred Heart is the symbol of His humanity.

WARE AREA COUNCIL

AREA METHODIST CHURCHES PLAN SERVICES

The first Sunday evening service to be held under the auspices of the Ware Area Council will be at the Monson Methodist Church this Sunday, June 2, at 7.30 p. m.

All six participating churches in the Council will be hosts in turn on the first Sunday evening in each month. The next combined evening service will be July 7 in West Brookfield.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

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Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, JUNE 2—Pentecost

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, meeting in the Educational Building

11 a. m. Morning Worship

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

Communion Meditation by the Pastor
Prelude, "Living for Jesus" Lowden
Anthem, "Come to the Cross" Wilson
Offertory, "O Holy Father" Ploton
Postlude, "In His Holy Name" Nordman

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.45 p. m. The Evensong will be held in the Church. All are welcome to this service of Gospel Music and Message. The sermon will be drawn again from the Epistle to the Romans.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

5.30 p. m. The Women's Society of Christian Service will serve their Annual Strawberry Supper in the Vestry. This is a public supper.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the pastor's study. This will be a planning session and all members of the Commission are urged to be present.

WED., JUNE 5, THROUGH SUNDAY, JUNE 9, Mr. Green will be at the 167th Session of the Annual Conference of the Methodist New England Conference in Worcester at Wesley Church.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Prayer and Bible Service will be held in Fellowship Hall.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6

The Official Board will not meet on this regular night, but will meet on Monday night, June 10, at their regular hour of 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 7

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

On Sunday, June 9, Mr. William French will be the preacher at the morning service, and the Methodist Youth Fellowship will be in charge of the evening service.

COMING

TUESDAY NIGHT, JUNE 11

The Workers Conference will have as their speaker, The Rev. Walter S. Ryan, Minister of Education at the First Methodist Church in Pittsfield. The Rev. Mr. Ryan will speak on the Problem of Adult Education in the Church School. All members of the Workers Conference are urged to be present.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

The Conference Board of Missions is setting up Seminars in the field of Missions in each District and asking the Pastor, the chairman of the Commission on Missions and all persons interested in Missions to attend. The meeting for our Church will be at Mittineague Methodist Church in West Springfield.

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

The Belchertown Sunday School will co-operate with the other churches of the Belchertown-Ware Area Council in a Sunday School and Church Picnic. This will be held at Look Park, and all members of the Church and Sunday School are invited to take part in this outing.

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

Bishop Newell Booth will be the morning preacher. We are always happy to welcome this outstanding Christian leader to the pulpit of his "home church." Bishop Booth is working in the emerging nation of the Congo. In this trying time he has made Christian principles felt at all levels of life. The Congregational Church will be our guests on this occasion. The Rev. Paul Varga will share the pulpit at this service.

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will have a Food Sale. Time and place will be announced later.

All Commissions and Committees are alerted to the fact that immediately after Annual Conference, they are to be reorganized, and chairmen are to be elected or re-elected.

The Annual Vacation Bible School will be held again this year jointly by the Congregational and Methodist Churches. This will be held from Monday, July 15, through Friday, July 26.

The Methodist Church will have a Summer series of meetings from Sunday, July 21, through Thursday, July 25. The preacher for this mission will be the Rev. Reginald Goff. The Rev. Mr. Goff is the Missioner for the magazine, HE IS ABLE, and is an ordained Methodist minister.

Camp Meeting Week at Laurel Park will be August 11-18. The Rev. Tommy Tyson will again be the preacher. The Rev. Mr. Tyson is the evangelist for the North Carolina Conference.

DWIGHT CHAPEL

There will be a special meeting at Dwight Chapel June 4th, at 7.30, to discuss necessary vital and additional compulsory insurance. All members and interested parties are urged to attend. This meeting is called by the Board of Assessors, per suggestion of our mortgagees.

JR. - SR. HIGH ASSEMBLY

Memorial Day,—"Our History in Song and Story", was presented by the Center School Glee Club at a combined Junior-Senior High assembly at Memorial Hall on Thursday, May 23. The narrators were Donna Wadsworth and Fred Fitzgerald.

Songs rendered by the Glee Club included:— "America", "Yankee Doodle", "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp", "Battle Hymn of the Republic", "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground", "O When You Hear", "Over There", "It's a Long Way to Tipperary", "Remember Pearl Harbor", "Grand Old Flag", "The White Cliffs of Dover" and "Star Spangled Banner".

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Communion Meditation: "A Divine Disturbance"

Members of the Pastor's Class will be received into membership in the church at the service of Holy Communion next Sunday morning, which is Pentecost Sunday, the birthday of the Christian Church.

Church Cabinet

The Church Cabinet will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening at 7.30. All members are urged to be present. One of the important items of business for consideration is the nomination of a Pastoral Supply Committee, which will have the responsibility of seeking a new minister.

Curriculum Meeting

The third in a series of four meetings on the United Church Curriculum will be held on Tuesday evening at 7.30 in the Parish House.

Parish Representatives

The Parish Representatives Committee is scheduled to meet on Tuesday evening. However, members are requested to meet following the service of worship on Sunday morning to consider a change of date.

Friendly Service

The final Friendly Service meeting of the season will be held on Wednesday morning at 10.30.

Trustees

The Board of Trustees will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Parish House.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Baptisms

Parents wishing baptism for their children on Children's Sunday, June 9 should speak to Mr. Varga immediately.

Carillon Due

Articles for the June issue of the Carillon are due in the church office by Friday of next week.

Week-day Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Pioneer Valley Council for Week-day Religious Education will be held at the First Congregational Church in Williamsburg on Tuesday, June 11.

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GRANDMOTHERS' NIGHT

The Methodist Men did themselves proud at Grandmothers' Night last Saturday evening. They prepared the entire turkey dinner, served it, and in fact made all the plans for the evening. They furnished about everything but the flowers (by Mrs. Ethel Collis) and the dinner music (by Mrs. Ruthella Tucker).

The many grandmothers present were seated at special tables, and following the repast, the pastor, Rev. Marvin Green, asked each one to rise and give her "record." Eva Webb took the "sweepstakes" if such there was, as a summary of listings below indicate:

Following is a list of those with three or more grandchildren:

	grandchildren	g. g. chil.
Mrs. Webb	15	28
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt	13	2
Mrs. Harry Plant, Sr.	10	
Mrs. Catherine Dyer	10	
Mrs. Myrtle Williams	7	
Mrs. Emma Loftus	6	99/100
Mrs. Lester Stivers	6	
Mrs. Ralph Trombly	5½	
Mrs. Louis Bellerose	5	
Mrs. Lillian Isaac	5	11
Mrs. Harold Suhm	4	
Mrs. Earle Martin	4	
Mrs. Carl White	4	

The oldest grandmother was Mrs. Webb, and the youngest, Mrs. Sylvia Conkey. Mrs. Webb had the most grandcildren and the most great grandchildren.

To answer for a program, the editor was called on, responding with a few poems he had written over the years for grandmothers, and others.

Those in charge of the evening were:

E. Clifton Witt and Allan Witt, co-chairmen; Ralph Trombly, invitations; Russell Weeks, dining hall; Merle Green, kitchen; Everett Sporbert, program; Harold Suhm, finance; Fred Very, gifts.

SCHOOL MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES

COLD SPRING SCHOOL

Memorial Day exercises were held at the Cold Spring School on Wednesday.

Lt. Col. Sidney Wheeler, Ret., guest speaker, spoke on Patriotism and stressed the importance of a strong mind in a healthy body.

The fifth and sixth grade glee club sang "America", "Memorial Day", "Allegiance", "Tenting Tonight", "Battle Hymn of the Republic", and the "Star Spangled Banner".

The proclamation was read by Karol Kimball, Linda Nolan delivered the Gettysburg Address, and John Ladue read the Roll Call.

Student directors were Patricia Carr, Barbara Harrington and Lin Miron. Jean Fielder introduced Col. Wheeler to the assembly.

MAIN STREET SCHOOL

At the Main Street School, grades three and four held Memorial Day exercises on the Common. The assembly opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Rev. Marvin Green delivered the Invocation, and Mr. William Squires gave the Memorial Day Address.

The Proclamation was read by Geraldine Amprimo.

Songs were "America", "America the Beautiful", "Our Song of Thanks", "You're a Grand Old Flag", by William McCrea, "Marine's Hymn", "Battle Hymn of the Republic", "This Land Is Your Land" and "God Bless America".

"There Will Always Be An America" was recited by Sandra Samson.

GIRLS STATE TEA

Twenty delegates to the Legion Auxiliary Girls' State were guests at a tea given by the Auxiliary of Chauncey D. Walker Post 239, Sunday at the Post home. More than 75 guests were present.

These girls, representing units in Hampshire and Franklin Counties, were chosen from the junior classes of their schools.

Mrs. Mabel Depot, president of the local Auxiliary, presided. Mrs. Sherman Gould, mother of the Belchertown representative, Miss Joanne Gould, poured from a silver service that has been in the Gould family for several generations. She also designed and arranged the centerpiece for the head table.

District officers present were District Director, Margaret Burke; Senior Vice-Director, Jean Taylor; Junior Vice-Director, Marion Jeffers; the district chaperone for District 2 for Girls' State, Beatrice Richardson; District 3 Girls' State Chairman, Anna Bissonette and her assistant, Belle Russell; Jean Whalen, president of Agawam Unit 185, also attended. Joyce Petron was the speaker.

Mrs. Depot, president of the Auxiliary, wishes to thank all the girls who helped to make Sunday's event such a success.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Panzer are parents of a son, John Alfred, born Monday, May 27, at Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Panzer, Sr., of Cambridge, maternal grandmother is Mrs. Alfred Squires, and maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Kittie Porter Spellman.

SCHOOL NEWS

The members of the High School Glee Club participated in a musical exchange program at the Narragansett Regional High School in Templeton on Friday, May 24. This exchange was part of a reciprocal program in which Narragansett visited Belchertown a year ago. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, Supervisor of Music. Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Verani of the high school faculty accompanied the group.

The members of the eighth grade at the Center School visited Old Sturbridge Village on Friday, May 24. This tour has been conducted the past three years by the Center School in conjunction with its Social Studies classes and replaces the Historical tour of Boston which had been conducted for many years by the American Legion. The major portion of the expense is paid from funds which the class has earned during the past two years.

Accompanying the group were Mrs. Bowler, Mrs. Field and Mr. Sheehan of the faculty and Mrs. Raymond Reece, Mrs. Michael Oberly, Mrs. Max Adam and Mrs. Frank Samborski, parents of eighth grade students.

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

INVITATION FOR TRANSPORTION BIDS

Sealed proposals for a contract for the transportation of public school pupils on the following routes: Routes 2 and 12; Routes 6 - 18 - 19, and Routes 4 and 14, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library up to 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The contracts will become effective September 1, 1963, and will be awarded as follows: 3 years—to expire June 30, 1966—for a bidder with a new bus, with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 2 years—to expire June 30, 1965—for a bidder with a 1960 or later model bus with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 1 year—to expire June 30, 1964—for a bidder with a used 1958 or 1959 bus with a minimum seating capacity of 53. All bidders should furnish information and data on the equipment to be used.

The bus in addition to meeting inspection requirements of the Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles must be equipped with sanders, front and rear heaters, and chains. The owner is responsible to see that all drivers are properly licensed for School Bus operation and comply annually with all physical examination requirements specified by State Law and the School Committee. Bidders must submit with bids conclusive evidence of ability to secure a performance bond for the annual amount of the bid. The successful bidder must file such performance bond upon acceptance of a contract.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope marked "PROPOSAL — TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL PUPILS". The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee

Jn 1, 7, 14

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The June meeting of the Garden Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Peeso on North Main Street, on Thursday, June 6, at 2 p. m. There will be the installation of officers and the showing of the club slides. Hostesses will be Mrs. A. Neilson Cochran and Mrs. Edison Bresett.

A gift of a cabinet given recently by Mrs. Catherine Chadbourne, has been placed in the Library and will contain the awards and trophies won by the Club. It will display also the coffee set which Mrs. John Topping sent to the club while she and her husband were stationed in Germany.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. Clifton C. Winn and Mr. Irving B. Van Wert, both of Amherst, their property on Federal St., known as the former Bruce home to Mr. and Mrs. N. Harold Tucker, Jr., of Daniel Shays Highway.

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

CALL FOR BREAD BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Bread and Rolls for the elementary and secondary hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "BREAD BIDS."

Delivery shall be made to Cold Spring School before 9 a. m. Specifications may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

CALL FOR BIDS FOR INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPLIES

The Belchertown School Committee will accept lump sum bids for instructional supplies consisting of paper, crayons, pencils, etc. for the 1963-64 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8 P. M. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and examined. Bids must be submitted on a bid form which may be obtained at the Superintendent's Office. Said form includes specifications, amounts for specific items, and other necessary information.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

CALL FOR MILK BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Pasteurized and Homogenized Vitamin D Milk for the elementary and secondary milk and hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will publicly be opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "MILK BIDS."

Milk shall be delivered in ½ pint waxed cartons. Approximately one thousand and one hundred cartons (1,100) are used daily. Specifications relative to processing, distribution, inspection, and other requirements may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

Belchertown, Massachusetts

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Town of Belchertown, Massachusetts, acting by and through its duly appointed School Building Committee, as Awarding Authority, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a new junior-senior high school to be located in Belchertown, Massachusetts.

All bidding procedures shall be in strict accordance with the General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 44A to 44L, inclusive, as amended by Chapter 679, Acts of 1956; Chapter 590, Acts of 1957; Chapters 692 and 771, Acts of 1960; and Chapter 604, Acts of 1961, and other applicable laws.

GENERAL BIDS shall be deposited with the Awarding Authority **no later than 7:30 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, June 26, 1963,** at the Office of the Town Clerk, Belchertown, Massachusetts, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

SUB-BIDS shall be filed with the Awarding Authority **no later than 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, June 12, 1963,** at the office of the Town Clerk Belchertown, Massachusetts, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

General Bids and Sub-Bids must be accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of cash, or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check payable to the TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN, MASSACHUSETTS, issued by a responsible bank or trust company. The bid deposit for General Bidders shall be in the amount of $10,000.00.

The bid deposits for sub-bidders shall be in the amounts of as follows:

SUB-TRADE	Required Sub-Bid deposit
Metal Windows	$1,250.00
Plaster	250.00
Roofing and Sheet Metal	650.00
Glazing	500.00
Ceramic Tile	300.00
Resilient Floor Coverings	350.00
Painting and Decorating	1,250.00
Plumbing	3,000.00
Heating and Ventilating	5,500.00
Electrical Work	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Metal	350.00
Dampproofing and Caulking	400.00

No bid of a General Bidder shall be withdrawn until thirty (30) days from the opening of bids have expired and no bid of a sub-bidder shall be withdrawn prior to thirty (30) days from the award of a contract to the General Contractor unless such withdrawal is made on written request to the Awarding Authority prior to the times respectively established for the opening of General Bids and for the receipt of Sub-Bids.

The Minimum Wage Rates and Health and Welfare Fund Contributions as determined by the the Commission of Labor and Industries and as set forth in the section of the specifications relative thereto are applicable to the project.

Plans and specifications may be obtained on Wednesday, May 29, 1963, at the office of the Architect, STONER ASSOCIATES, 8 Newbury Street, Boston, Mass., upon receipt of deposit of $50.00 for each complete set.

Copies of the documents will be on file at the office of the Architect; the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Belchertown, Massachusetts; the F. W. Dodge Corporation, 858 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass.; the F. W. Dodge Corporation Plan Room, 375 Walnut Street, Agawam, Massachusetts; Gainey's Construction Newsletter, 40 Central Street, Boston, Mass., and the Master Builders Association, 39 Kingston Street, Boston, Mass.

Copies of the bid forms are available at no cost, at the office of the Architect. Plan deposit may be cash or check (need not be certified) and shall be payable to the Architect. The deposit will be refunded for each complete set of plans and specifications upon their return in good condition within thirty (30) days of the bid opening. Addenda, if any, will be mailed to those on record who have taken out plans.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any or all general bids if the Awarding Authority in its sole discretion determines such rejection to be in the public interest; and reserves the right to reject any and all sub-bids if said Awarding Authority determines that such sub-bid does not represent the sub-bid of a person competent to perform the work as specified or that only three such sub-bids were received and that the price is not reasonable for acceptance without further competition.

BELCHERTOWN SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE
Benton Fielder, Jr., Chairman

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

Notice is hereby given that the Belchertown School Committee hereinafter referred to as the "Lessee" will receive up to, but not later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, sealed proposals for the awarding of a lease for five (5) classrooms centrally located in a single building containing the proper toilet facilities, wardrobe accommodations, and room or space to be used as a serving center for the Hot Lunch Program.

Such bids will be received in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library and will be publicly opened and read at the above stated time and place.

Bidders, hereinafter referred to as the "Lessor", must furnish in addition to the space requirements, reasonable amounts of heat, water and electricity for the use of the Lessee and children occupying the premises for school purposes.

The Lessor is responsible for all renovations or changes necessary to secure certification for school purposes from the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

Further information regarding the specifications may be obtained from the Superintendent of Schools.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope clearly marked "PROPOSAL —ELEMENTARY CLASSROOMS".

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee

Jn 1, 7, 14

LEGAL NOTICE

The amendment to the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map as included in the warrant of the annual town meeting of 1963 has been approved by the Attorney General. The article, witn the vote recorded thereon, along with the Zoning Map, bear the following statement:

Boston, Massachusetts
May 13, 1963

The foregoing amendment to Zoning By-Law is hereby approved. The within Zoning map is hereby approved.

Signed—Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Article 12—(Action taken). Voted to rezone from agricultural to Industrial a portion of the property owned by Francis P. and Emma D. Loftus located along the southerly side of Old Springfield Road (Springfield Road). Vote—Unanimous YES.

True copies, ATTEST:
Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Date of town meeting action, March 11, 1963.

Date of attorney general action, May 13, 1963.

Published May 24th, May 31st and June 7, 1963.

(Chapter 40, Section 32, Mass. Gen. Laws as amended)

May 24, Jn 1, 7

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT NOTES

The School Committee announces the appointment of Mr. Collon A. Norcross of Chicopee Falls as a teacher of Social Studies and General Science at the Center School.

Mr. Norcross received his Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Maryland and his Master of Science Degree from Hofstra College. He was recently retired from the United States Air Force where his service for the past 12 years was as a meteorologist. Mr. Norcross has done considerable substitute teaching while not on duty with the Military.

MRS. CATHERINE CAPEN

Mrs. Catherine A. Capen of 23 Scarle Ave., Brookline, died at Hahnemann Hospital Monday morning. She was born in Bondsville September 19, 1884, daughter of the late Patrick and Mary (Scanlman) Ferris. She had resided in Brookline for two years, and previously had lived in Palmer and Springfield. She was the widow of Herbert L. Capen.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Mildred C. Hawks of Brookline, Mrs. Ruth E. Washburn of Harwichport, and Mrs. Gladys Parker of New Braintree; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 8.15 at the Beers and Story funeral home here with a requiem high mass at 9 in St. Francis Church. Burial was in South Cemetery.

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CALL FOR RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract for rubbish removal for the 1963-1964 school year from the Cold Spring, Center, Main Street, and High School Buildings. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8.45 a. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS."

Bids will be accepted for daily removal if covered 55 gallon drums or similar containers are used and for weekly removal if a Dempster Dumpmaster type container is furnished. Bidders must furnish the containers.

The School Commmittee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee

May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR FUEL OIL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide No. 2 and No. 4 or 5 fuel oil to be delivered to the school buildings for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 9 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in said office. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "FUEL OIL BIDS."

Bids shall be considered and contracts will be awarded separately for No. 2 and No. 4 or No. 5 fuel oil. Bidders may limit bids to one type of oil. Bidders quoting tank car price, plus transportation and delivery costs must quote, as an example for comparative bid purposes, the price based on the tank car price at a designated location on May 31, 1963.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

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May 24, Jn 1, 7

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MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

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Mr. Varga said that war is still the terrible thing it has always been and we still do not possess the thing for which our heroes died, but they at least gave us another chance.

He said our present warfare is not just a battle for Cuba and Berlin—it is a battle for the minds and souls of men, something not to be won by military power alone.

While he spoke of Mr. K bragging he would bury us, he didn't believe that considering the price with which our freedom had been won, we would easily give up our way of life.

He made much of our soldiers being willing to die not only for our own country but for others, too, a truly Christian concept.

The benediction was by Fr. Joseph T. Collins, curate at St. Francis Church, who prefaced his words with regret that Rev. Mr. Varga is leaving town, and congratulated him on his service here, which indicated the cordial relationship amongst the local clergy of many faiths.

Following the exercises, the Auxiliary furnished refreshments to the marchers at the south end of the common.

Following is a list of parade units, Mitchell Sroka, commander:

Colors—Isaac Hodgen with U. S. flag; and John Avery with Post flag

Color Guards—Samuel Joyal and Roy Whidden.

Firing Squad—Harold Mellin, Everett Plant, James Lemon and Harvey Dickinson.

Howard Shirtcliff and Giles DeWitt with wreaths—accompanied by two Girl Scouts

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RESIGNS PASTORATE

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ence as a Trustee, Summer Conference Dean, is now on the Conference Centers Committee, and represented the the conference as a member of the Youth Commission of the Massachusetts Council of Churches for 3 years.

In addition, he served as Vice-President and President of the Pioneer Valley Council for Weekday Religious Education.

The Walpole church has about 1,000 members with a church school enrollment of nearly 600. Mr. Varga will be one of three ministers and will have major responsibilities in preaching, calling, adult education and administration.

Mr. Varga was an indefatigable worker, apparently having the church on his mind during all his waking hours. He was alert to new trends in religious education and church procedures. Of late he has been especially interested in the healing ministry. His work among young people was outstanding.

His philosophy was that strength would be given for what needed to be done.

THE HEARINGS

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spect, but was told in the fogginess that the matter was unmentionable.

The meeting had a foggy ending. No expression of opinion was asked for on either question, so no knowing how the majority of the persons present felt.

One and another, though, expressed the hope that those with the responsibility would seek the very best legal advice befor;e proceeding, so *they* were evidently in the fog, too.

Of course, the most dramatic part of the drama was when Mr. Renouf's remarks about his unfair treatment by his townsmen drew the ire of Ike. The wind surely got into the fog then.

Yes, we were in the fog as to just how to write this event up.

DRIVE A SUCCESS

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quite a record indeed!

Fr. Dudley and Fr. Collins, as well as Mr. Mellin, wish to thank all those who, in any way, made this drive such a success. All the work of drive personnel most assuredly was matched by the parishioners' contributions.

Fr. Dudley was very pleased to hear that the final figure was far above even his expectations but reported that "he knew that St. Francis would do its share, as it always has in the past."

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Forgue of Jabish Street, are the parents of a daughter, born Sunday, May 19, at the Providence Hospital, Holyoke.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Forgue, also of Jabish Street.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jary of Lincoln Avenue, South Hadley Falls.

NEW RESIDENT

It was learned this last week that Mr. John L. Dearness and family will take up residence here in Belchertown. They will live on Park Street.

John, who was educated here, only recently moved his family from their former home near Denver, Colorado. His wife Nancy, is a native of northwestern Alabama. They have four daughters: Sheila, Sandra, Vickie, and Teena. Mr. Dearness is employed as a technical representative by Nortronics, a division of Northrop Aviation.

TOWN ITEMS

John Bailey, Scoutmaster, has returned from Mercy Hospital, Springfield.

CHARLES E. LEMON

Charles E. Lemon, 73, of Ware Rd. died Monday in Mary Lane Hospital. He was born in Ware, the son of Edwin and Mary (LaBonte) Lemon.

He was a retired railroad engineer, having worked for the New Haven Railroad for more than 35 years.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Clark of New Haven, Conn., and two brothers, Ernest of West Brookfield and Frank of Amherst.

The funeral was held at the Walker funeral home yesterday at 2. Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Westfield.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY A. CHAFFEE, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by WILLIAM S. CHAFFEE, of Amherst, and ROBERT G. CHAFFEE, also known as ROBERT CHAFFEE, of Huntington, both in the County of Hampshire, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

May 24, Jn 1, 7

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of DONALD CLIFFORD RHODES, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that DOUGLAS RHODES of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ROBERT R. JONES, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased, intestate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale—certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many floral pieces, cards and other expressions of sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement.

John Stokosa, Sr.
John Stokosa, Jr.
Walter Stokosa
Stanley Stokosa
Fred Stokosa
Mrs. Richard Squires
Mrs. Edward Sibik

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and offers of assistance in our recent bereavement. Also for the thoughtful donation by the neighborhood to the Arthritis Foundation.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Children's Day Service at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Trinity Sunday
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Public Reception and Smorgasbord in honor of Fr. Dudley in Pine Room at 7 p. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Baccalaureate Service at Memorial Hall at 2 p. m.

MONDAY

Official Board in Methodist Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Class Day Exercises at Memorial Hall at 12.30 p. m.
Home Dept. in Parish House at 2.30 p. m.
Workers 'Conference in Fellowship Hall at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.
Polio Clinic; 9-10 a. m., 7-8 p. m. at Cold Spring School.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at Ralph Trombly Farm at 6.30 p. m.
B. H. S. Commencement at State School Auditorium at 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of WSCS with Mrs. Alice Wildey at 7.30 p. m.
Girl Scout Court of Awards, 7.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Methodist Church Picnic at Look Park.
Lions Club Circus.
Strawberry Supper at Dwight chapel.

TODAY

Card Party at Dwight Chapel.

TOMORROW

Scout Fund Drive.
Grange Dairy Public Supper in Grange Hall at 5.30 p. m.
Square Dance Club Banquet at Chateau Harmony.
Lions Club Ladies' Night at Lis'.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 22
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Cub Scout Picnic.
June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.
June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

THE SCOUT FUND DRIVE

This drive is to be held Saturday morning, June 8, from about 9 a. m. until the areas are covered. If you would like to help by giving some of your time, you can show up at that time in the St. Francis Pine Room.

The scouts in our community are not aided by any other fund. This is why we must ask your help.

If you would like to reassure us in advance that we can count on your help, you may call Mrs. Rita Lapointe, chairman of the drive, at 3-7793, so the captain of the area can be notified.

RECEPTION FOR FR. DUDLEY

On Sunday evening, June 9, there will be a public reception and smorgasbord in honor of Fr. George R Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church, who celebrated thirty-five years in the priesthood on Sunday, June 2.

Beginning at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church, the re-

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BOOSTER CLUB BANQUET

It was indeed refreshing to go over to the Booster Club banquet at the Quabbin Social Club on Tuesday evening and hear so many kind words said regarding the school athletes, the cheer leaders, the coach, the school, the town, etc. Even the girls' baseball team, which won a game that day, got a boost. Facilities were filled to capacity, the porch being used.

Donald Terry, president of the club, welcomed the folks. Persons at the head table were called on for remarks.

Supt. Carl Peterson commended the athletes for their excellent performance and had a good word for the cheerleaders, who, he said, gave the extra boost required.

Donald Geer, principal at B. H. S., spoke of the development of interest in physical education and maintained that it has a great future, with the field wide open. But a prime requisite, he said, was a good strong moral background.

Bob Jackson was the speaker of the night and injected a good amount of his unique Jacksonian philosophy into his talk. Some of his speech got a preview in his weekly column.

He handed verbal bouquets to Bob Camp and Don Terry, the backbone of the Booster Club, for starting the organization without dues or by-laws twelve years ago.

He spoke of his contacts with the Belchertown school system—his class—his teaching here (alluded to as his two happiest years) that initial banquet to a victorious team in 1923 at the Park View Hotel, when Tommy Landers, George Dewey and others were among the baseball greats at B. H. S.

Bob also called to mind those of an earlier vintage—George Williams, Charlie Austin, etc., who used to make the rafters ring when they romped out on the floor.

Bob spoke of his dad being janitor at the "new school," of his wife being drafted as a teacher, and of his grandchildren entering the school system.

With a good deal of feeling, he said he was proud of B. H. S. and was glad the name bids fair to be continued through the years.

Helen Renouf of the B. H. S. faculty, who has supervised the cheerleaders, had naught but superlatives to use in characterizing her proteges. They had put thought into their planning (of which there was plenty), had accepted responsibility, and had conducted themselves most commendably. She said that there was no finer group in school or town anywhere. She read the roll of those who had participated, whether present at the banquet or not, as—

Cheerleaders

Varsity Captain, Francine Carmody; JoAnne Barrett, Joanne Gould, Linda

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MAKE-UP POLIO CLINIC

A Make-up Polio Clinic for Type III Oral Vaccine will be held at Cold Spring School Wednesday, June 12th, from 9 to 10 a. m. and from 7 to 8 p. m.

This will be the last clinic for Type III Oral vaccine this year.

TO EXPEDITE PROCEDURES

The Planning Board recently took steps to expedite handling of subdivision plans, by permitting the chairman of the Board to approve certain of these plans. Previously, three signatures (a majority) were required.

Any plan concerning the division of land, in order to be recorded by the Registry of Deeds, must meet with the sub-division requirements of the town. In most cases, these parcels of land lie along an existing road, so if they meet the minimum requirements for frontage and lot size, very little else is required.

Rather than to require three signatures, the Chairman of the Board may endorse these plans with the words, "Planning Board approval not required under Subdivision Control Law."

Other plans involving layout of streets still require a majority approval of the Board, after the required hearings, etc.

LOCAL PEOPLE GRADUATE

Four Belchertown students are noted among those to graduate from the University of Massachusetts on Sunday. They are:

Jacqueline L. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Louis Johnson of Sabin Street, bachelor of arts; Doreen Demetropoulos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Demetropoulos of Mill Valley Road, bachelor of science; Donald F. Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Terry of Turkey Hill Road, bachelor of business administration; and Louis E. Schmidt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Schmidt of Route 202, bachelor of science.

FRANKLIN SCHOOL NOTES

Memorial Day was observed at the Franklin School, Wednesday, May 29, with an assembly for the entire student body.

A Patriotic program was presented by each room consisting of songs and recitations. A colorful flag drill was presented. Several selections from the rhythm band were played. A group of students told the audience of the significance and origin of Memorial Day.

GRANGE PUBLIC SUPPER

The Grange will hold a public Dairy Supper at 5.30 p. m. this Saturday in Grange Hall. The menu will include: ham, mashed potatoes, asparagus, jellied salad, French bread, butter, gingerbread and whipped cream, with tea, coffee or milk. The price is 99 cents for adults and 50 cents for children. Mrs. Harriet Chevalier is chairman of the committee in charge.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Our Square Dance and Annual Banquet will be this Saturday, June 8th. John Alden will be our caller at the Chateau Harmony.

The social hour will be from 6.30 to 7, with dinner served promptly at 7. We will start dancing at 8 and continue until 12 midnight.

There will be door prizes, and a wonderful time is planned for all.

The host and hostess are Julian and Jean Hussey, with refreshments in charge of Dick and Millie Cole, Bob and Reita Manchester, Mingo and Betty Martin, and Dave and Carolyn Cowher.

BACCALAUREATE

The Baccalaureate Service will be held at Memorial Hall on Sunday afternoon at 2, with Rev. Paul Varga conducting the service.

CLASS DAY

Class Day Exercises will be held next Tuesday, June 11, at 12.30 p. m., at Memorial Hall. These will be open to the public.

B. H. S. COMMENCEMENT AT STATE SCHOOL

B. H. S. Commencement exercises will be unique this year in that they will be held at the State School auditorium. Of late years Memorial Hall has been somewhat inadequate for those who wanted to attend. Holding it at the School will enable towards a thousand to take it in if they wish. Admission is still by ticket.

The salutatory will be given by Elaine Tetrault, and the valedictory by Lee Lamoureux.

The speaker of the evening will be Leonard Savigiano, president of the State College at Westfield.

NEW CLOSING DATE

The School Building Committee announced a change in date for the closing date of sub-bids because the holiday period, May 30th gave insufficient time for sub-bidders. Therfore, the closing date is moved up one week from June 12th. Closing date—Wednesday, June 19th.

Out-of-Town Soliloquies
From Northern Vermont

For the first time since last summer, the Steeple is trying to meet his deadline while taking a breather, away from the South Main Street headquarters.

Generous Weekend

Teachers (*and* pupils!) in both Belchertown and Springfield ought to be very grateful to their respective school committees for the gift of an extra holiday on Friday, May 31, which lengthened the weekend to a welcome four days. Coming just ahead of the final push of exams and graduations and dinners and class days, this unsought bonus was extremely helpful. To make a good thing even better, the weather has been as close to perfect as one could possibly desire. After a fine little rain on last week Wednesday evening, the skies cleared, the days were mild, and the nights cool and refreshing.

Spring in Vermont

Up here in North Ryegate, south of Saint Johnsbury and Danville, almost every aspect is like the cover of *Vermont Life*. In all my Vermont years, this is the first time I have been here on the first of June, and the landscape has a new loveliness. The apple trees along this high ridge are in full bloom, though down on the river levels they have gone by. These trees are scattered about, not in large orchards, many of them wild or "gone native", and they are strikingly beautiful against the multi-shaded greens of the hills.

An unfamilar color scheme had us exclaiming most of the day last Friday as we drove over through Hardwick and Wolcott, down to Stowe, Waterbury, and Barre, and home through Groton.

Field after field, meadow after meadow, was a gleaming carpet of dandelion blossoms, billions of them, forming all sorts of patterns against the darker and lighter greens of the new grass. A few days earlier there would have been no color. A day or two later the seed heads would have replaced the flowers—but *right then* the spectacle was really tremendous. Of course, there are dandelions in our own lawn and all over the lower Connecticut Valley, but we had never seen such fields of them. We suspect they may not be greatly admired by the farmers who are their hosts.

Challenging Loss

The announcement made last week by Rev. Paul V. Varga of the Congregational Church that he has accepted a call to be minister of the church at Walpole, Mass., starting probably in September, was a blow both to his own parishioners and to townspeople in general.

Rev. Varga has been here for six years and under his vigorous and enthusiastic leadership his church has made continual progress. Membership and average attendance have increased, there has been a complete renovation of the interior, the church has participated in the community's Bicentennial and has celebrated its own 225th Anniversary, financial support has been good, and—most significant of all—there has been an evident growth on the spiritual side.

Rev. Varga's youth has made him an appealing leader for the young people of the church, and has also led to his participation in church activities away from town.

Mrs. Varga is also a very popular member of the community.

A church never really replaces a minister. Each brings a new quality with him to the position. Paul Varga came to us after we had lost Rev. John Douglas by death. Mr. Douglas had succeeded Rev. Fred Charrier, who came to us when Dick Manwell finished his pastorate. Those of you who remember some or all of these men will recall ways in which one was superior or inferior to another in one way or another.

Certainly one phase of Paul Varga's activities that will be remembered by many is his attention to those people of his parish who have been hospitalized or shut in.

Now a new Pastoral Committee will have to go in search of a new minister. It is not an easy assignment. The supply is not large. The question of "experience vs. youth" is a real puzzler. Very large churches often solve it by having older ministers with younger assistants.

As we look back over our own long list of ministers, we take courage for the future from the memories of the past. We have had consistently good leaders in the old church.

However, we are not happy to be losing Paul Varga, though we appreciate all he has done for us, and realize that he must follow his calling.

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Boosting Belchertown High

While enjoying the Saturday sunshine of the "Studio Barn" at Sunnydale, where I am watching the tree swallows darting about in search of food for babies nesting in houses under the outer eaves, I must give thought to an agreement I made a while ago to speak briefly "last" Tuesday at the B. H. S. Booster Banquet on June 4.

I think I'll start by praising the Booster Club for continuing the custom of recognizing the athletes of Belchertown High School. Our teams have made pleasing headlines for the town for several successive years, and the triumph at the Tri-State Tourney will be remembered for a long time to come.

Belchertown High School is worth boosting, and has been for many a year. The first high school was built here on the site of the present Center Grade School in 1867, and the first class was graduated in 1869. We are not far from our Centennial. It looked for a while as though we should not complete the hundred years with our original name, as regionalizing appeared inevitable; but now we seem destined to move ahead as B. H. S. for another century, God and atomic energy being willing.

It is good to cheer for the old school when it has been winning. I suspect noone worth his salt as a competitor is ever a "good" loser. However, the emphasis on sportsmanship is one of the finest features of tournaments and prepares us for those inevitable days when we shall be on the losing side.

Participation in athletics can do a great deal for a young person if only he is not allowed to feel self-important.

Perhaps the most important lesson he learns on the basketball floor or the baseball field is that of giving nothing less than his best to the team. A second-rate athlete who is "in there fighting" every minute is of much more value than a star who has the habit of goofing off every once in a while.

This quality has a great carry-over. Most of the failures in school, most of the drop-outs which we are hearing so much about these days, are not caused by inability on the part of the youngster or by great difficulty of subject matter or by utter lack of sympathy on the part of the teacher—all of which get blamed—but by an indifference on the part of the student, an unwillingness to give his best, which is needed as much in biology as in basketball.

A second quality that an athlete gets to have (or loses for the lack of it) is loyalty: to the team, to the coach, and to the school he represents. The rule enforced by most schools, that a "school offender" is ineligible for athletics is not an unfair one. A lad who tips the ball in to the basket on a Friday and then tips his elbow on a Saturday is not loyal to those who cheered him, or worthy of being "boosted".

A good athlete is a "marked man". Other kids make him their hero. Folks in general judge a school by the behavior as much as by the scholarship of its leaders—and its most obvious leaders are those on the varsity teams.

Loyalty is a wonderful habit. It teaches us to look for strengths and boost them; to play down weakness and try to change them without a rebellion or a news item.

Too many Americans these days present themselves as downright disloyal. They have nothing good to say about the government in Washington, about their own state, about their own town, about their own school. "What kind of a dump is Belchertown High School," they inquire.

No basketball team could long continue to win with many of its members disloyal to school or coach. I question whether a nation can last too long if a very large percentage of its citizens feel it their duty to be disloyal.

Blind, unreasoning loyalty is stupid. Blind, blatant disloyalty is treason to the hope of progress. A good athlete becomes a good booster: of the school, of the teachers, of the kids, of Belchertown in general.

We have a new school in the offing. With it will come a new gym and most likely a new athletic field. I hope we may continue to see excellent baseball and basketball teams, and good crowds who will have plenty of seats from which to cheer and boost.

I hope that with the new school we may be able to expand the athletic program and take on a third sport—probably soccer—to round out our year.

But whatever the facilities and whatever the teams that use them, we shall always need loyal citizens who boost their kids and their schools, and who tell the world that Belchertown produces the Best!

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The 36th annual meeting of the trustees of Clapp Memorial Library was held at the home of the President, Mrs. M. D. S. Longley. Mrs. Doris Squires was re-elected librarian, and Miss Marion Bartlett was chosen Asst. librarian.

Mrs. Alice Gildemeister has sold her farm to H. W. Conkey.

The proceeds from the supper given by the Senior Class of B. H. S. will go towards paying the expenses of the Senior class party.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The tax rate of $48.00 has been announced.

About 30 from town attended Homemakers' day at Laurel Park. Some 400 were present. Mrs. Bertha Conkey was re-elected to the advisory board for a term of three years.

The annual Fashion show of the Household department was an event of interest to many. After the show excerpts from papers were read by the ladies. One person gave four rules in choosing clothes. 1. Don't wear a style simply because it is the latest thing. 2. Don't overload your person with meaningless bits of jewelry or trimming. 3. Don't ignore the importance of accessories. 4. Don't wear more than three distinct colors at once. Another excerpt was: "Simplicity is the keynote of good taste in dresses."

Principal Frank T. Coughlin, Jr., announced the organization of a Pro Merito Society in the High School. The Pro Merito society is a scholastic honorary society for High School Seniors who get at least 85% in all subjects.

TEN YEARS AGO

Between 300 and 400 people from this and former parishes gathered in the Pine Room of the Catholic Church to extend felicitations to Rev. George R. Dudley, pastor, on the 25th anniversary of his ordination as a priest. Roy H. King was Master of Ceremonies.

A beautiful and impressive service was held at St. Francis Church on Wednesday, when 197 were confirmed, 87 being from the Stockbridge School.

E. H. Parkman, principal of B. H. S. 1885-1887 died in Enfield, Conn. at the age of 91. He became known as one of the best educators in the state of Conn. His first wife was Cora Fellows, a Belchertown girl.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY ELECTRIC COMPANY

The Massachusetts Electric Company today announced a new, low total electric living rate which went into effect on June 1. The new rate means a reduction in the cost of electricity for all of their customers who use electricity exclusively in their homes. Massachusetts Electric serves more than 600,000 customers in 145 cities and towns stretching from the New York state line to the Atlantic Coast.

The new rate is designed to make it possible for more and more Massachusetts Electric customers to enjoy the comforts and convenience of total, modern electric living. Under this new rate, total electric homeowners now served by the company will save substantially on their bills. At the same time, people who buy or build new total electric homes or who convert their homes to all-electric can look forward to electric bills that will be in line with their present combined costs for electricity and heating.

At the same time the company also announced a new program of allowances which will make it easier for customers to install modern electric appliances in their homes. Any customer, under the terms of this new program, who switches from some other fuel to an electric range, or water heater or purchases an electric dryer and at the same time increases his housepower to 100 amps will receive a wiring bonus of $75. This bonus will apply to purchased as well as rented water heaters.

Under this program, also, if the customer purchases two of these appliances at the same time, he will receive a $100 wiring bonus, and with the purchase of all three will get a $125 wiring bonus. For customers who switch to electric heating,, eliminating all other fuels, and increase their wiring capacity to 150 amps, there will be a $200 bonus.

The company announced the new, low total electric rate and wiring bonuses in connection with their continuing program to bring electricity to the customer at the lowest possible cost. Company officials pointed out that the more power used by each customer the more economical it is to serve the household. They said that detailed information on the plans is readily available at company business offices. —Adv.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

At the card party last Saturday night in charge of the music committee, Marion Plant, chairman, prize winners were: 1st, Anna Larzazs, Godfrey Wenzel and Mr. & Mrs. H. West; 2nd, Walter & Isabel Pease, Frank Szczepanski, and Fred Fuller; 3rd, George Jenks, Nellie Jenks, W. W. Smith and Rose Canavan; Door, Nellie Jenks, and Mildred Waid.

This week's party will be in charge of the Juvenile Committee, Julianna McCollom, chairman.

BENTLEY GRADUATE

Gerard R. LaChance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel LaChance of South Street, Belchertown, will receive an Associate in Science of Accounting degree at the 44th commencement of Bentley College, Boston, today, June 7.

LEGAL NOTICE

The amendment to the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map as included in the warrant of the annual town meeting of 1963 has been approved by the Attorney General. The article, with the vote recorded thereon, along with the Zoning Map, bear the following statement:

Boston, Massachusetts
May 13, 1963

The foregoing amendment to Zoning By-Law is hereby approved. The within Zoning map is hereby approved.

Signed—Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Article 12—(Action taken). Voted to rezone from agricultural to Industrial a portion of the property owned by Francis P. and Emma D. Loftus located along the southerly side of Old Springfield Road (Springfield Road). Vote—Unanimous YES.

True copies, ATTEST:

Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Date of town meeting action, March 11, 1963.

Date of attorney general action, May 13, 1963.

Published May 24th, May 31st and June 7, 1963.

(Chapter 40, Section 32, Mass. Gen. Laws as amended)

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CALL FOR BREAD BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Bread and Rolls for the elementary and secondary hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "BREAD BIDS."

Delivery shall be made to Cold Spring School before 9 a. m. Specifications may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR BIDS FOR INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPLIES

The Belchertown School Committee will accept lump sum bids for instructional supplies consisting of paper, crayons, pencils, etc. for the 1963-64 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8 P. M. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and examined. Bids must be submitted on a bid form which may be obtained at the Superintendent's Office. Said form includes specifications, amounts for specific items, and other necessary information.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR MILK BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide Pasteurized and Homogenized Vitamin D Milk for the elementary and secondary milk and hot lunch programs for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, no later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will publicly be opened and read. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "MILK BIDS."

Milk shall be delivered in ½ pint waxed cartons. Approximately one thousand and one hundred cartons (1,100) are used daily. Specifications relative to processing, distribution, inspection, and other requirements may be obtained from the Office of the School Lunch Manager, Cold Spring School.

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MORE ABOUT THE CIRCUS

The Show's 33rd season on the road is being highlighted with such outstanding circus acts as "The Arias", mid-air marvels of Madrid, Spain; Gayle DeRiskie of the Whirling Trapeze; TV's incomparable "Harold", the Prince of Waltzing Steel Wire Artists; The Argentinas' Spectacular Balancing Perch; Miss Tina with her Loop Walking Upside Down; Clever Canines; Rajah and his performing Elephants; Col. Walt Davis and his "Horses at Liberty", and Capt. Willis with his educated Seals.

Noted as the "Aristocrat of Spangleland", the Beers-Barnes Circus is one of the oldest circuses appearing under canvas and one of the few on the road which conduct no advance soliciting promotions of any kind to guarantee attendance. No "high pressure" telephone solicitors are used. The sponsors, however, will conduct their own localized advance sale of General Admission Tickets in order to earn a much higher percentage than that received at showgrounds, but this campaign will be handled exclusively by members of the sponsoring organization, the Lions Club here in town.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnston of East Walnut Street, their former home located on Anderson Road, Ware, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Judd of Chicopee Falls. The Judds intend to raise horses and ponies on the property and will occupy the premises some time this summer.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— TODAY —

Today is the first Friday in June, services are: Confessions from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m., Mass at 7 p. m.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Trinity Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

This Sunday the 9.30 and 11 o'clock Masses will be celebrated in thanksgiving—in honor of Fr. Dudley, who celebrated 35 years in the priesthood last Sunday.

This Sunday is the last day for those who have not made their Easter Duty to do so. Confessions on Saturday are noted above.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 11, 33-36. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Romans.

Gospel—Matthew 28, 18-20. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. Relates the commissioning of the Apostles by Christ. The feast commemorates the mystery of One God in Three Divine Persons.

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass., often say Mass here at St. Francis at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

— COMING —

Thursday, June 13—Feast of Corpus Christi.

Friday, June 21—Feast of The Sacred Heart of Jesus.

HIS HOLINESS POPE JOHN XXIII

His Eminence Angelo Giuseppe Cardinal Roncalli was elected the 260th successor to St. Peter on October 28, 1958, by the electoral conclave of cardinals held after the death of Pius XII. The new Pope chose the name John XXIII, and was solemnly crowned at St. Peter's Basilica on November 4, 1958.

Native of Northern Italy

Angelo Roncalli, one of 10 children, was born November 25, 1881, at Sotto il Monte in the Diocese of Bergamo, Italy. His father, Giovanni Roncalli, a farmer, died in 1935 at the age of 81. His mother, Maria Anna, died in 1939 at the age of 85. Only three brothers and one sister are still living.

He entered the Episcopal Seminary at Bergamo at the age of 11, and was ordained August 10, 1904. He received the red biretta, becoming a prince in the church, January 12, 1953.

When in 1958, news of the 76-year-old Pontiff's election was first made public, some observers expressed the opinion that he would be merely an interim Pope of a caretaker reign. He proved them wrong from the very moment of his accession to the Throne of Peter. Probably his most startling act was the announcement that he would convene the Second Vatican Council.

Pope John, the "Pope of Peace" died Monday evening, June 3, at the age of 81. His reign—55 months.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. & Mrs. Roy Whidden their property on Federal Street to Miss Bonta Falk, first grade teacher at Cold Spring School. Miss Falk will take possession in the near future.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, JUNE 9—
CONFERENCE SUNDAY

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes for all through High School, in Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship.
Sermon by Mr. William French
Junior Sermon by Mr. French
Prelude, "Morning Song" Rasley
Anthem by Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir
Offertory, "In Quietness" Peery
Postlude, "March Pontifivale" Lemmens

6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.45 p. m. Evensong—The Methodist Youth Fellowship will have charge of this service.

FRIDAY, JUNE 7

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet in Fellowship Hall.

MONDAY, JUNE 10

7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry. Note this change in meeting night. This change is for this month only.

TUESDAY, JUNE 11

7.30 p. m. The Workers Conference will meet in Fellowship Hall. The Rev. Walter S. Ryan will be the speaker for the evening. Mr. Ryan will speak on "Adults and the Sunday School."

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in Fellowship Hall.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet at the farm of Ralph Trombly for their annual outing. All men of the church are welcome.

7.45 p. m. The Conference Board of Missions will have a special meeting at Mittineague Methodist Church to present the total program of Missions to the Pastors, Commission on Missions and all interested persons.

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet with Mrs. Alice Wildey. Mrs. Benton Fielder will have charge of the worship program; and Mrs. Ruth French the study book.

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

12.30 p. m. The Annual Church picnic at Look Park. Families that can't come early are urged to come for the family supper hour at the park. This is a family picnic and all are urged to attend.

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

11 a. m. Bishop Newell Booth will be the preacher at a union service of the Methodist and Congregational Churches in our church.

The preacher for the June 9th service, Mr. William French, is a soil conservationist with the United States Department of Agriculture. Bill, as he is affectionately known, is a member of the local church and has served in this area in many conservation projects. He has spoken several times in the past on Rural Life Sunday. Bill's deep concern is that men use the gifts of their Creator wisely and to the fullest advantage to both man and the soil.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

"Christian Living" will be the theme of the Children's Day service on Sunday morning at 10.45. The entire service will be in charge of the Church School, with the program summing up the major emphasis in the Church School during the past year.

Duggan Kimball will give the invocation; Thomas Fuller will read the scripture lesson; the pastoral prayer will be given by Martha Mercier; the offertory prayer will be given by Harriet Cunningham; Glendon Stillings will give the message to the children: and Jane Skinner will give the message to the adults.

The greeters will be Mary Dickinson and Richard Merrell.

The ushers will be Ronald Hawkins, William Shattuck, Larry Tucker, and Harold Ketchen.

Several children will receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

Children in the second grade will receive Bibles.

Children's Day Offering

The offering from the special Children's Day envelopes will be used to send young people to P. F. summer conferences.

Important Meeting

An important meeting will be held immediately following the service of worship on Sunday. Mr. Varga's resignation will be acted upon, and a Pastoral Supply Committee will be elected.

Also, it is necessary for us to know by Sunday how many individuals are interested in attending the retreat with Rev. Lionel Whiston on June 21-22.

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Parish House at 4:45 on Sunday afternoon, before going to their Progressive Supper.

Middle High Teachers

The Middle High teachers of the Church School for next year will hold a departmental meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Home Department

The Home Department will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Parish House. Hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. Roy Shaw and Mrs. Edison Bresett.

Week-day Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Pioneer Valley Council for Weekday Religious Education will be held at the Williamsburg Congregational Church on Tuesday evening.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group will meet on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Parish House.

Rehearsal

Rehearsal for the Children's Day Service will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church. All children and young people in the Church School are urged to be present.

Curriculum Meeting

A number of members of the church school staff will attend a training meeting on the United Church Curriculum, which will be held at the Congregational Church in Needham tomorrow.

Guild Annual Meeting

The annual dinner meeting of the Women's Guild will be held at the Cutler Farm in Warren on Wednesday evening, June 19. The new officers will be installed.

Reservations for the turkey dinner, which cost $2.50, should be made with Mrs. Stanford Harrington (323-7408) or Mrs. Donald Geer (323-6266) by next Wednesday, June 12.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE NEWS

Mrs. Helen Wood Bauman became the new President of the Christian Science Church Monday, June 3.

Her appointment was announced in Boston before several thousand members assembled for the annual meeting at their world headquarters in The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Mrs. Bauman is editor of the denomination's religious periodicals, and will continue in that position while filling the one-year term as President. She first began her service to the church as an organist in St. Joseph, Missouri, after studying music for a number of years in Boston and London. Since then, she has served in many capacities, including teacher and practitioner of Christian Science.

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CALL FOR RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract for rubbish removal for the 1963-1964 school year from the Cold Spring, Center, Main Street, and High School Buildings. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 8.45 a. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS."

Bids will be accepted for daily removal if covered 55 gallon drums or similar containers are used and for weekly removal if a Dempster Dumpster type container is furnished. Bidders must furnish the containers. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
CALL FOR FUEL OIL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract to provide No. 2 and No. 4 or 5 fuel oil delivered to the school buildings for the 1963-1964 school year. Bids will be received by the Superintendent of Schools at his office in Clapp Memorial Library, Belchertown, Massachusetts, up to 9 p. m. on Tuesday, June 11, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the office. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "FUEL OIL BIDS."

Bids shall be considered and contracts will be awarded separately for No. 2 and No. 4 or No. 5 fuel oil.

Bidders may limit bids to one type of fuel. Bidders quoting tank car price, transportation and delivery costs must quote, as an example for comparing the bid purposes, the price based on the tank car price at a designated location on May 31, 1963.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
May 24, Jn 1, 7

LONGEST—Mrs. Jack Poole says she was the youngest grandmother at a recent get-together.

BOOSTER BANQUET

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Martin, Pat Very, Jane Skinner, Sandy Dunbar.

Junior Varsity Captain, Ann Marie Dupuis; Carol Fielder, Lee Mullane, Sandy Field, Nancy Lonczak, Mary Samson, Carol Dana.

It remained for coach O'Leary to recognize the honored team members one by one, point out the places where they had excelled, and what was expected of them in the future.

He congratulated Mr. Verani, J. V. coach; Walter Joyal for his cooperation, and parents for producing boys like these to work with. Of one, he said, He's a great kid to have around." He, too, complimented the cheerleaders and added, "They're a good looking bunch." This was the atmosphere of the whole evening.

Supt. Peterson made the annual award of the Booster Club trophy to the player who best combines "conduct on and off the field, leadership and compatibility with teammates"—to Ronnie Hawkins.

Rev. Joseph T. Collins, curate at St. Francis Church, gave the invocation and benediction, prefacing them with apt personal comments concerning the occasion.

Guests of Banquet Who Got "Boosted"

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Jim Dahlgren
Dave Depot
Tom Fuller
Harold Ketchen
Bill McCaughey
Ed Syriac
Joe Tolpa
Rick Adams
Dexter Ketchen
Merle Green
Gayton Hebert
Ron Hawkins
Mike Oberly
Warren Barrett
Joe Lemire
Andrew Juskalian
Todd Gentile
Mike Mathras
Dave Supczak
Rich McCallum
Ron Blaine
Tom Krol
Jeff Carr
Paul Austin
Bob Cutting
Roger Gaughan
Frank Pietryka
Bill Malmstedt
Carl Theroux
Ernest Gay, Jr.

GRANGE NOTES

The program following Tuesday night's meeting of Union Grange was in charge of the Youth committee, Glendon Stillings, chairman. Those taking part were Glendon Stillings, Cathy Hubbard, John Davis, Frank Davis, Linda Wright, Franklin Wenzel, Henry Eskett, Jr., Raymond Breton, Jr., Allan Strange, Susan Keith of Hadley and Elaine Kopec of Amherst.

The musical program consisted of solos, duets and group singing, as well as a piano solo. There was baton twirling by Susan Keith of Hadley, and accordion selections by Elaine Kopek of Amherst.

Allan Strange, who is leaving for California with his family, was presented a gift.

FR. DUDLEY

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ception will be attended by parishioners and other guests who wish to honor him on this occasion. The local clergy from the various churches, the Selectmen and other officials have also been invited to attend.

The following is an excerpt from the St. Francis Sunday Bulletin of last Sunday. It read: "Fr. George Dudley was born in South Hadley Falls in 1901. He attended grammar school there, later graduating from the Rosary High School in Holyoke. He received his college education at Holy Cross, Worcester, graduating in 1924. From Holy Cross he went to St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Maryland.

Upon completion of his studies in the seminary, Fr. Dudley was ordained by the late Thomas M. O'Leary, Bishop of Springfield, in St. Michael's Cathedral, Springfield, on June 2, 1928.

His assignments were: St. Mary's, Jefferson, Mass.; St. Patrick's, Whitinsville, Mass.; Sacred Heart, Worcester, Mass.; St. Stephen's, Worcester; St. Patrick's, Williamstown, Mass.; St. Patrick's, Monson; and then here to St. Francis."

RECEIVES HIS MASTER DEGREE

John W. Avery, South Main Street, Belchertown, was among those receiving the degree of Master of Business Administration at Commencement Exercises at American International College on Sunday, June 2.

The degree was awarded for completion of the three-year course of graduate study in Business Administration.

Mr. Avery, a Registered Pharmacist, also holds a B. S. degree from the Hampden College of Pharmacy. He is presently employed as a sales specialist for McKesson & Robbins, Inc., Springfield Division.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The Belchertown Teachers Assn. held its election at the meeting Monday night, June 3. Edward Burgess was elected president; Mrs. Edward Field, vice president: Mrs. Barbara Yanginski, secretary, and Mrs. Ruth Dobson, treasurer.

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts
INVITATION FOR TRANSPORTATION BIDS

Sealed proposals for a contract for the transportation of public school pupils on the following routes: Routes 2 and 12; Routes 6 - 18 - 19, and Routes 4 and 14, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library up to 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The contracts will become effective September 1, 1963, and will be awarded as follows: 3 years—to expire June 30, 1966—for a bidder with a new bus, with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 2 years—to expire June 30, 1965—for a bidder with a 1960 or later model bus with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 1 year—to expire June 30, 1964—for a bidder with a used 1958 or 1959 bus with a minimum seating capacity of 53. All bidders should furnish information and data on the equipment to be used.

The bus in addition to meeting inspection requirements of the Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles, must be equipped with sanders, front and rear heaters, and chains. The owner is responsible to see that all drivers are properly licensed for School Bus operation and comply annually with all physical examination requirements specified by State Law and the School Committee. Bidders must submit with bids conclusive evidence of ability to secure a performance bond for the annual amount of the bid. The successful bidder must file such performance bond upon acceptance of a contract.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope marked "PROPOSAL—TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL PUPILS". The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
Jn 1, 7, 14

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

Notice is hereby given that the Belchertown School Committee hereinafter referred to as the "Lessee" will receive up to, but not later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, sealed proposals for the awarding of a lease for five (5) classrooms centrally located in a single building containing the proper toilet facilities, wardrobe accommodations, and room or space to be used as a serving center for the Hot Lunch Program.

Such bids will be received in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library and will be publicly opened and read at the above stated time and place.

Bidders, hereinafter referred to as the "Lessor", must furnish in addition to the space requirements, reasonable amounts of heat, water and electricity for the use of the Lessee and children occupying the premises for school purposes.

The Lessor is responsible for all renovations or changes necessary to secure certification for school purposes from the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

Further information regarding the specifications may be obtained from the Superintendent of Schools.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope clearly marked "PROPOSAL—ELEMENTARY CLASSROOMS".

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
Jn 1, 7, 14

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss.
Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **MARY A. CHAFFEE**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **WILLIAM S. CHAFFEE**, of Amherst, and **ROBERT G. CHAFFEE**, also known as **ROBERT CHAFFEE**, of Huntington, both in the County of Hampshire, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

May 24, Jn 1, 7

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased, intestate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale—certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 1, 7, 14

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **GLADYS M. RYTHER**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **H. MORGAN RYTHER** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 7, 14, 21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **LUKE F. BURNS**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **FLORANCE JOSEPH BURNS**, also known as **FLORENCE JOSEPH BURNS** and **F. JOSEPH BURNS**, of Springfield, in the County of Hampden, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1963.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **HARVEY A. LINCOURT**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **MARGUERITE A. LINCOURT** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, 1963.

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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing at 8 P. M., June 25, in the Planning Board Room in Memorial Hall on the petition of Marguerite Lincourt for a change of zone from agriculture to business on a portion of the property owned by her on the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, north of the Springfield Water-Works Canal.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—

Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor

Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [5].30 p. m.

Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [7] p. m.

—Methodist Church—

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor

Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.

Union Morning Worship at 11 a. m. [B]ishop Booth, preaching.

Junior High Fellowship in Vestry [a]t 6 p. m.

Methodist Youth Fellowship in [F]ellowship Hall at 6 p. m.

Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor

Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Mass at 7 a. m.

Mass at 9.30 a. m.

Mass at 11 a. m.

Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor

Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

Sunday School following Morning [W]orship Service.

Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Grange Meeting.

Christian Education Dinner at Parish [H]ouse at 6.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Guild Annual Dinner [M]eeting.

W. S. C. S.

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched at Mr. and [M]rs. Ralph Trombly's at 6.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Food Sale sponsored by Commission [o]n Membership and Evangelism of the [M]ethodist Church, at the South End [of] the common from 2 to 4 p. m.

Rainbow Car Wash at Congrega[tio]nal Church Parking Lot from 10 a. [m.] to 4 p. m.

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Cub Scout Family Picnic at Town [B]each.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Missionary Group of WSCS with [M]rs. Alice Wildey at 7.30 p. m.

Girl Scout Court of Awards in Me[mo]rial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

B. H. S. COMMENCEMENT AWARDS

Last night at the B. H. S. Commencement Exercises which were held in the State School Auditorium, the following members of the class of 1963 were presented with awards:

Lions Club Scholarship — William Krause

Martinelli Awards — Susan Shattuck, Carl Theroux, Lee Lamoureux, Barbara Marshall.

Nurses Award — Barbara Alden

P. T. A. Scholarship — Susan Shattuck

Holland Family Award — Thomas Krol

Student Council Award — Lee Lamoureux

BISHOP BOOTH TO PREACH HERE

Bishop Newell S. Booth, Belchertown's contribution to the uplift of Africa, will preach at a union service of the Congregational and Methodist churches on Sunday morning at 11 at the Methodist church.

TOMORROW

Junior Class Paper Drive.

Methodist Church Picnic at Look Park.

Lions Club Circus at Parsons Field. Performances at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

Public Strawberry Supper at Dwight Chapel from 5.30 to 7 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 23
2nd Annual Public Clambake of the Chamber of Commerce at Malo's Beach.

June 29
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Congregational Men's Class Picnic at Gould Ketchen's.

June 30
Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.

July 20
Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.

July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

RECEPTION FOR FR. DUDLEY

"I will never forget this night—never." So said Fr. Dudley on Sunday evening at the conclusion of the program honoring his elevation to the priesthood 35 years ago. He was literally loaded down with flowers, gifts and kind words from here, there and everywhere by folks of all faiths.

When he came into the Pine Room from the rectory, along with Fr. Collins just previous to the buffet luncheon, those assembled rose to their feet with prolonged heart-warming applause.

Francis Longtine, master of ceremonies, welcomed the folks to the happy occasion, and spoke of Fr. Dudley's 35-year record with its tremendous accomplishments.

The local editor was called on, responding with verses which are appended.

"Andy" Sears, beloved senior member at St. Francis, read a tribute to his pastor, which is also appended.

Rev. Walter R. Blackmer, the dean of the clergy here, responded with words appreciative of Fr. Dudley's friendliness.

Rev. Harold Suhm, pastor at Dwight Chapel, said that Fr. Dudley was not only a shepherd of all those within the Catholic Church, but also those without. He said that what the late Pope John had done on a world scale, Fr. Dudley had been doing right here in Belchertown.

Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of the Methodist Church, just back from Conference, said he came to Belchertown five years ago, and that he had been "inflicted" on the folks here for another year. He spoke of the friendship and cooperation emanating from St. Francis rectory here in Belchertown during his ministry here, and said it was symbolic of what the world could be.

Rev. Paul Varga, pastor of the Congregational church for the past six years, but who is shortly leaving, alluded to Fr. Dudley as a priest to the whole community, and of his friendliness and Christian love. Mr. Varga said that when he expressed appreciation for courtesies rendered, Fr. Dudley had typically responded, "What are friends for?"

Mrs. Harvey Samson, on behalf of the Catholic Women's Club and State School employees, presented Fr. Dudley with a gift, and John Coty of the Holy Name Society, also presented one.

At this point a group of young ladies—Jane Peterson, Susan Miner, Sandra Field and Patricia Menard—sang several selections, among them, "My Wild Irish Rose," "Danny Boy," and "When Irish Eyes are Smiling." (The Irish flavor possibly because Fr. Dudley had served several St. Patrick's parishes).

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NEW YORK ZOO TRIP

Mr. Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance, reports that there is a big response to the trip to New York on Sunday, June 30, when his dance pupils will have their graduation and picnic.

Friends and relatives of the group are going, so that two 49 passenger buses have already been chartered, with 14 more wanting to go. If enough more signify a desire to go, a 29 passenger bus can also be chartered.

The group leaves the common here at 7.30 a. m. by Peter Pan Bus, and goes direct to the Zoo without change. The charge is $6.50 per person. It is pointed out that friends of the group do not need to stay with the dance group during their stay in the city.

Any others desiring to go should contact Mr. Dominique at once by calling Ludlow JU 3-4407. He will be in town Saturday until 1 p. m., but not through the afternoon.

46 from Belchertown are at present scheduled to take the trip.

ACCEPTS RESIGNATION

At a business meeting of the Congregational Church last Sunday, following the morning service, it was voted to accept with regret the resignation of the pastor, Rev. Paul Varga.

At the same meeting it was voted to ratify the nominations of the Church Cabinet in regard to the election of a pastoral supply committee, with the following elected: William E. Shaw, Fred Lincoln, George Smith, Mrs. Louise Wadsworth and Mrs. Mary Pratt.

It was voted to hold summer services at the early hour, 9.30 a. m., starting the first Sunday in July.

VERNON LODGE OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of Vernon Lodge A. F. & A. M. held June 5, 1963, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worshipful Master — Francis E. Bradley
Senior Warden — David G. Hodgen
Junior Warden — James R. Lodge
Treasurer — Henry Randall
Secretary — Isaac A. Hodgen
Proxy to the Grand Lodge — Kenneth L. Collard, M. D.
Trustee, 3 yrs. — D. Donald Hazen
Auditor — Stanford J. Harrington

R. W. Everett A. Geer, who has served the Lodge as treasurer for the past 26 years, and was recently recognized by the Grand Lodge for his outstanding service, retired from that office, with the unanimous best wishes of the membership.

CIRCUS TOMORROW

The Lions Club announces that the Beers-Barnes circus will make their second appearance here tomorrow, with matinee at 2, and evening performance at 8. The price for adults is $1.00, and for children under 12, 50 cents.

The performances will be at Parsons Field.

STRAWBERRY SUPPER

A strawberry shortcake supper will be served at Dwight Chapel this Saturday, June 15, from 5.30 to 7 p. m. The menu includes potato salad, macaroni salad, cole slaw, boiled ham, pickles, rolls, butter, coffee, tea, milk, strawberry shortcake and whipped cream.

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid will assist Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jenks, chairmen, with the serving. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Price —Adults $1.25; Children 4-12, 65 cents.

GIRL SCOUT COURT OF AWARDS

Families of all Brownie and Intermediate Girl Scouts are cordially invited to attend the Annual Court of Awards, Friday evening, June 14, at 7.30 in Memorial Hall. A variety of badges will be presented to the Scouts who have completed requirements in many fields of endeavor. The older Brownies will participate in the Fly-Up ceremony, which means that they will cross the bridge between Brownie activities and the new Junior Girl Scout activities. The new Girl Scout program, which is a most exciting one, will begin in September. Campership awards will be presented at the Court of Awards.

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This year Scouts from Ware and Belchertown will have their own day camp on top of Quabbin Mountain. The site is one of the best in the Council for day camp purposes. A large open area is surrounded by trees, with a wonderful view of Quabbin waters and the islands and distant hills.

At a cost of only $9 the girls will enjoy eight days of camping, with an overnight for the older girls. The first twenty-five girls who register from Belchertown will receive camperships in the amount of $4 each toward the total cost. Transportation will be arranged for those who wish it.

The theme for the camp is "Winnie the Pooh"—and the girls will have great fun learning of Pooh Corner,

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Wherin Steeple Borrows His Column From Senior

Once again, the Steeple is pleased to use his column for some of the essays written by B.H.S. Seniors after their first visit to the Stone House on Maple Street. The winners have been announced earlier this week in connection with the Commencement festivities, and undoubtedly have received the modest awards given by the Historical Association.

This year the judges were Mrs. Edward Bartlett, Mrs. Arthur Henneman, and Mrs. Richard Pratt.

I am starting with the essay which won third place in a stiff competition. I hope it may help you decide to visit the Stone House yourself this season and see, in the kitchen, these reminders of our past. At the moment this paragraph was being written, the winners had not been announced, but you will find the names listed among the recipients of honors and prizes.

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THE STONE HOUSE—THE PAST

By Lee Lamoureux

Belchertown has its own page of history in the Stone House. Built in 1827, it was a wedding present for Julia Dwight. In 1922 the Historical Association bought the Stone House, renovated it, and made it a living picture of the past. Henry Ford made contributions to the Stone House collection and helped build the barn behind it.

Inside, the rooms are almost as they were in earlier times. When you step over the stone threshold into the kitchen, you practically step into the past. The kitchen was the family room, the center of activity. With a little imagination you can see the family after the evening meal. Father is sitting at the table finishing his cup of coffee. Slowly he sips the coffee from his saucer. In early times cups had no handles, and the coffee was poured into a very deep saucer while the cup was set in a cup plate. Early families treasured their dishes and would mend a broken plate, just to keep it.

Younger sister has the sugar loaf clippers and is cutting sugar from a loaf to bring to her father. Then she removes the "twin" jugs from the table. These were two jugs joined together usually holding oil and vinegar. Sometimes they were called "wedded jugs." She puts the remnants of the meal in the candle food warmer. This was a device in which food was kept warm by lighted candles under a serving dish.

After clearing the table, younger sister returns to her work at the wooden mince meat bowl. The bowl itself was made of one piece of wood, hand carved and hand finished. Younger sister mixes apples, meat, and brandy, and finally arrives at a finished product of mince meat. Put in a crock and stored in the cellar, the mince meat would be preserved by the brandy in the mixture. Besides the wooden mince meat bowl, other dishes were made of wood. In one of the earlier wooden models the plate would be used for the main dish and its hollowed out base for dessert.

Older sister is beyond the stage of making mince meat. She is heating the flat iron to press her dress for Sunday morning. She is using the small heater, into which coals are put to heat the iron, instead of using the double heater which is placed right into the coals of the fire. When the iron is hot, she will press her dress. She is also preparing the foot warmer she will use in church next morning.

While waiting for the iron, she goes to the hand churn and starts to work on the butter. This churn could have either a wooden or a pottery base. Pumping the hand churn, older sister hopes her father will complete the new paddle churn he is building. With this, paddles would do all the work and she would just have to turn a crank. But that isn't built yet, so she takes a paddle and removes the buttermilk from the butter. Then she goes to the barrel of butter made by her previous efforts and puts some butter in the butter mold. This mold puts a design on the butter and shapes it into smaller and handier sections. She looks at the pattern on the mold which her father carved himself, and then puts away the butter. By now her iron is ready.

While getting the iron, older sister disturbs her younger brother, who is turning the rotisserie. This rotisserie has an open back and is set right in front of the blaze of the fireplace. There is a small partridge on the spit for older brother when he comes in from hunting. Younger brother is also toasting some bread. The toaster is a long handled rack on which the bread is placed and then turned over the fire. The bread was baked in the neighbor's Dutch oven. In this, a fire heats the oven; when it is very hot, the coals are removed with a metal shovel. Then the bread is placed in the hot oven with a wooden bread paddle and is left until it's done.

Where is mother while the members of her family are working? Her spinning wheel is idle. There is soap boiling in the corner, but mother is not over there. She is making candles. She is over in the corner pouring tallow into the candle molds. While one mold hardens, she strings the wicks through another mold and then pours in the tallow. She takes the hardened candles and puts them in the candle sticks father made. As the candle burns down, it can be raised in the stick by a lever. The other method used to make candles was by dipping. Bollard bayberries would release a fatty substance. The wicks were hung from a rod and dipped into this fatty substance. About thirty dips were needed to make a normal size candle. These were preferable to molded candles because the layers of wax would make the candle burn better. Some of these candles mother puts in the tin wall racks which hold three candles at a time.

There is a bit of excitement in the kitchen as big brother comes in from hunting. He gives his sister his hunting bag, which contains four partridges, and then he takes his vest off. His sisters quickly serve him his supper. When he has finished, he takes out the blacking bottle, and with the boot black he begins to clean his boots. He notices the heel on one of his boots is loose, and he nails it back on. While doing this, he remembers how long it took him to pound that nail out of a piece of iron. Now it's time for him to help his father.

Father already has the spoon molds out and the pewter melted. Now, with his son's help, he pours the pewter into the mold. After it cools, the rough edges will be filed off; then it's ready for use. Usually table ware consisted of a knife, fork, and spoon. The first forks were two tined because it was easier to make them that way. Before that everything was eaten with a knife. Sometimes these knives were hand made by a skilled worker and would have handles of wood, bone, or pearl. Some people carved their own design into the bone handle. Not all the ware was pewter. Some was coin silver, actually made from melted down silver dollars. People also coated china to give it a silver luster. This was "poor man's silver."

Father and older brother notice that older sister is preparing the bed-warmers, and mother is lighting individual candles. It is time to go to bed. The family go to their bedrooms upstairs, and soon all is quiet. The day is ended.

In our little imaginative trip to the past the family seemed quite industrious. They were. The proofs we have of this today are the many tools and household articles which were in abundance in early kitchens. There were many tools made for the many jobs in which they were needed. Perhaps while reading this story you said, "I thought we invented that." Many of our "modern" conveniences like the rotisserie and the toaster have just been converted from the heat of the fireplace to the heat of electricity. These early tools, put in the old kitchen, clearly show us much about the lives of those who came before us. For this reason the Stone House is a living picture of the past, a storehouse of memories.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"To be happy at home is the ultimate result of all ambition, the end to which every enterprise and labor tends, and of which every desire prompts the prosecution."

—Samuel Johnson

"Happy the man, whose wish and care
A few paternal acres bound,
Content to breathe his native air
In his own ground."

—Alexander Pope

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Children's Day exercises this year were entitled a "Concert." In the 1890's, "Concert" was the title given to the monthly programs given by the Sunday School on a Sunday evening.

The fourteenth annual Bird day was "most successful", the proof being (1) that 37 persons went on a bird hunt, starting at 8 a.m. and finding 36 varieties, (2) that some schools closed, allowing the pupils to attend the bird contest and moving pictures in the town hall, and (3) that 240 persons sat down at a dinner sponsored by Union Grange, presided over by Winfred Forward of Granby. Mr. Forbush gave an illustrated talk on "Useful Birds".

Rev. Payson W. Lyman, pastor of the Congregational Church from 1871-1887, gave reminiscences of the olden days in Belchertown, at the evening service at the Federated Church.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The issue of *The Sentinel* was devoted largely to the Children's day exercises in the Methodist Church and the Congregational Church and the Graduation events of B.H.S. The Steeple devoted more than two columns to "Commencement-1938".

The living Christmas tree given by the Chauncey D. Walker Post has arrived and has been set out on the southwest lawn in front of Memorial Hall.

The curbing at the south end of Park St. has been completed.

Belchertown was well represented at M.S.C. Commencement. Miss Marion Shaw received the Bachelor of Science degree magna cum laude and Miss Madeline Lincoln her Master of Science degree. Rev. Harold W. Curtis attended the 25th anniversary of his class, presided at the memorial service for members of his class and preached the sermon. The same quartet that sang at his graduation sang at Commencement.

TEN YEARS AGO

The following honors have been announced: Margot Austin, Valedictorian; and Ralph Pittsley, Salutatorian.

Robert Cormier, 15, was drowned in Lake Arcadia. — Joseph J. Sullivan, 30, died as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident last week. — Albert R. Smith, a resident of the town for 28 years, died at the age of 74. He leaves three children, Mrs. Henry Evanson, and George and Claude Smith.

Blake S. Jackson showed the slides he took at Colonial Williamsburg at the meeting of the Lion's Club.

Carl J. Peterson received the degree of Master of Education at Boston University.

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RAINBOW CAR WASH

There will be a Rainbow car wash on Saturday, June 22, from 10 to 4 at the Congregational church parking lot. The price will be $1.25, with a 25 cent extra charge for white wall tires.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Supplementing the item of last week that Gerard R. Lachance of South Street, Belchertown, would receive an Associate in Science of Accounting degree at the 44th commencement of Bentley College, Boston last Friday, it is of interest to note that he graduated from Belchertown High School in 1961 and that throughout his college years he has been on the dean's list. He has been a member of the Newman Club and also a member of the Beta Tau Alpha Fraternity (Honor Society).

He plans to go back to Bentley College in September to obtain his B. S. A. Degree.

FRIENDLY TOWN

June 22 is the deadline for obtaining applications for a "Friendly Town" child. Eleven families have signed up for twelve youngsters. The visitation periods are July 9-23, and August 7-21.

Further information and applications may be obtained from Mrs. George Smith, Jr. (323-7768) acting Town Chairman.

SCHOOL CLOSING SCHEDULE

The School Department has released the following schedule for the closing week of school. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the Center and High Schools will be in session from 8 to 11.45 a. m. Final examinations are scheduled and all pupils must report. On Thursday, June 20, no formal classes are scheduled, and students will not attend school except for make-up examinations. On Friday the schools will be in session from 9 to 10 a. m.

The Elementary Schools will be in session from 9 to 12.30 a. m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. June 19 will be the final day.

The Cafeteria and special milk program will not be in operation during the week. School busses will operate on every day except Thursday, June 20.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

The Baccalaureate Service was held at Memorial Hall on Sunday afternoon at 2, with Rev. Paul Varga, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. His theme was "I Dare You." Admitting that many people have gotten into trouble on dares, he counselled their daring creatively—along four lines—physically, mentally, socially, and religiously. His final challenge was: "Dare to be a Christian."

Hymns sung were "Onward Christian Soldiers," "Nearer My God to Thee," "Come Thou Almighty King," and "Faith of our Fathers." Jane Peterson was pianist.

COMMUNICATION

Recently, when this article was proposed for the town warrant, "To see if the town will instruct the Board of Selectmen to appoint an enforcing agent for the Town By-Laws," it was met with some opposition. This stemmed mostly from the fact that it was felt impractical. Perhaps, this should be re-worded to "zoning by-laws." This would exclude other portions of the town by-laws better enforced by police or board of selectmen.

This would bring it very nearly as it was formerly when we had a building inspector to enforce zoning by-laws (which we later found to be illegal because we had no building code). At that time, at least some attempt was made to enforce zoning by-laws.

The breakdown of enforcement I feel, was caused by poor legal counsel and failure of the board of selectmen to support their agent, the building inspector. Since then, the board of Selectmen have issued building permits and enforced zoning by-laws. Because of ignorance, neglect, or lack of time, enforcement has broken down. Building permits have been issued on substandard lots, business permitted in improperly zoned districts, gravel banks opened with no bond posted to ensure grading or seeding, and most likely several violations I am not aware of.

We do have a need for a certain amount of regulations.

There can be no doubt that since zoning, conditions have improved regarding sub-standard dwellings and trailers. Some nice homes and developments have been built, and many more will be. However, regulations as they now stand, do make it difficult, if not nearly impossible for expansion of business districts. Here we have a most difficult field to work in. Business depends on individual enterprise. It is not as easily controlled as residential property is. Its demands are more persistent. Without adequate enforcement of zoning, uncontrolled business could ruin prime residential areas. However, in other areas residence and certain businesses could intermingle with no serious harm to either. But, before we take this step, we should be certain of enforcement so that business cannot locate in prime residential areas and defy our efforts to remove them. It is time to again take a hard look at zoning.

Recently, I have pointed out cases of poor enforcement for two reasons. One, to show to the people the interpretations that may be drawn from our present laws, and if these be the proper interpretation; two, the need to change and clarify our present zoning by-laws to allow business expansion. But before zoning can be liberalized, we must have adequate enforcement.

Bill Squires, Jr.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Robert T. Hodgen and daughters Connie and Cindy, of Federal Way, Washington, are spending ten days with Mr. & Mrs. Isaac A. Hodgen of Sargent Street. The Rev. Robert T. Hodgen, Vicar of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Federal Way, will drive east later in the month, and after a visit with friends and relatives in the area, the family will return west via the new Trans Canada Highway.

LIONS CLUB

Ladies Night and installation of officers was held at Lis' Cafe, Three Rivers, last Saturday night. The installing officer was Sherwood Cronk, International Councillor, of Hampden, who was present with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nutting of Granby were guests.

The entertainer was Danny Dobek of Springfield, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dobek, were also present.

He was a student at the Sam Falsetti Ochard Accordion Center of Indian Orchard.

He studied accordion for 3½ years, took first place in the national contest in New York City in June, 1960, competed in the solo division for his age group and appeared at Riverside Park and at several hospitals in the area, besides appearing on radio and television. He won trophies at the New England Festival, Massachusetts Accordion contest at Brockton, in July, 1962. He is only 10 years old.

Among selections played were "Toccato in D Minor," "Tranquillo Overture," "Accordion Boogie," "Marriage of Figaro," "Holiday for Strings," and "Clarinet Polka."

There were gifts of flowers and eleven door prizes for the ladies.

John Carr, the incoming president, was presented a president's pin. He in turn presented James Joyal, a past president's pin.

Dancing to the music of Bruce Barrett and his Drifters completed the evening's entertainment.

The committee in charge of the evening was Kenneth Thayer, John Carr and Arlan Skinner.

PAPER DRIVE TOMORROW

The Junior Class of B. H. S. is having a paper drive this week Saturday, June 15. Those having papers may call:

Ruth Dodge	Bel. 323-7007
Dennis Sulewski	Bel. 323-6398
Pat Wadsworth	Bel. 323-7714

It is requested that papers be tied, but they will be most thankfully received if they are not.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Loftus are parents of a son, Patrick Sean, born Friday, June 7, at Mary Lane Hospital. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilder of Ware, and maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Bertha Demers of Ware. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Loftus of this town.

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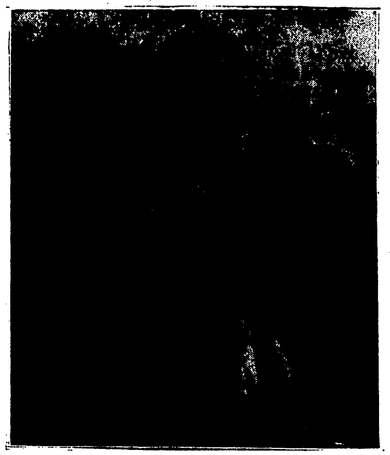

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

At 10 a. m. Saturday, the Merry-Go-Round that has been rebuilt through the efforts of the State School Friends Association will be dedicated. Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon, D. D., Bishop of Springfield, will be present and will give the blessing. The speaker for the event will be Congressman Edward P. Boland. The event is open *by invitation only.*

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are: 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 John 3, 13-18. The first Epistle of St. John the Apostle.

Gospel—Luke 14, 16-24. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the parable of the great supper.)

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on weekdays by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary, Granby, Mass., often say Mass here at St. Francis at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

The altar boys who will serve Mass weekdays are: James Lovett and Wayne Willey. This is for the week of June 16-22.

Reception for Father Dudley

The story of the reception held last Sunday evening can be found starting on page one, and continued on page five.

— FRIDAY, JUNE 21 —

The Feast of The Sacred Heart of Jesus—Commemorates the love and sacrifice of Christ for the redemption of mankind (John 19: 31-37).

— PAPAL ELECTIONS —

According to a motu proprio issued by Pope John shortly before the opening of the Second Vatican Council in October, 1962, future popes will be elected by the cardinals in conclave by a two-thirds majority vote (if the number of cardinals present is divisible by three) or by a two-thirds, plus one, majority vote (if the number is not exactly divisible by three).

Two other methods of selection are by acclamation and compromise. *Acclamation* would obtain if the cardinals unanimously chose a new pope without any previous discussion. Clement X (1670-76) and Bl. Innocent XI (1676-89) were so chosen. Election by *compromise* would take place if the cardinals entrusted the choice to a committee of not less than three nor more than seven cardinals, with the agreement that they would accept the decision of the committee.

The electoral conclave, which is attended by all the cardinals able to be present may begin on the 15th day after the death of a pope and must begin no later than the 18th day. The conclave area of the Vatican Palace is sealed from communication with the outside, and all participants are sworn to secrecy.

For the election of Pope John's successor, the conclave will open on the 19th, sixteen days after his death.

Voting takes place in the Sistine Chapel where two secret ballots are cast each day, in the morning and afternoon. Voting continues until one of the candidates receives the required majority.

The Pope is elected for life. If he should resign, which he may do, a new pope is elected. Any male Catholic may be elected, even one who is not a priest. If a layman were elected and accepted the office, he would be ordained to the priesthood and consecrated as a bishop. If a priest were chosen, he would be consecrated as a bishop.

The Communion-Banquet to which we are invited is not only for the just, but for all who acknowledge that they are poor, feeble, blind, and lame in their religious life and sincerely desire to be cured. We must, however, first, pass from the death of sin to the life of grace through the Sacrament of Penance before Christ can welcome us at the Eucharistic Table.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Friends are invited to an Open House in honor of the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanford at their home in Plainfield, Massachusetts, on Sunday afternoon and evening, June 23rd.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Union Service

The Congregational Church will join with the Methodist Church in their service of worship on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, when Bishop Newell Booth will be the preacher. We know you will want to attend.

Christian Education Dinner

A Christian Education Dinner for Church School teachers and members of the Board of Christian Education, will be held on Tuesday evening at 6.30 in the Parish House. The dinner will be followed by the fourth and final meeting on the United Church curriculum, with special emphasis on the use of the Bible in the curriculum.

Women's Guild

Cars will leave the Parish House at 6.15 on Wednesday evening for the annual dinner meeting of the Women's Guild which will be held at the Cutler Farm in Warren.

Devotions will be led by Mrs. Harvey Dickinson, and the installation of officers will be conducted by Mrs. Arthur Henneman.

Junior High Teachers

Next year's teachers for the Junior High Department in the church school will meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Double or Nothing

The annual Double or Nothing picnic will be at Quabbin on Tuesday, June 25. In case of rain, it will be held at the Parish House. Save this date.

CHURCH SCHOOL DAY

A Church School Day Service was held at the Congregational Church last Sunday, with parts taken as announced last week.

The part of the service, "The Church's Mission," had the following numbers:

Worship in Song — Pre-school
What is the Church? — Junior High
Our Church in Belchertown — Junior
The World-Wide Church — Primary
Friends of Jesus Today — Lower Junior

Much local church history was covered in "Our Church in Belchertown."

Presentation of Bibles by the pastor concluded the program.

DWIGHT CHAPEL LADIES AID MEETING

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid held their meeting at the Chapel Tuesday evening, June 11, with Irene Fay, president, presiding.

The report by the secretary, Betty Gentile, was read and accepted, as was the report of the treasurer, Gladys Jenks, and the Ways and Means committee, headed by Mitzi Rhodes.

The Ways and Means committee outlined a program for the coming year, which was accepted by the members present.

They are also taking orders for first aid kits which are being sold for $1.00. Any wishing to buy any should contact Mitzi Rhodes, AL 35084.

The Ladies Aid will sell plants at the strawberry supper being held at Dwight Chapel this week Saturday evening, June 15.

The three new members joining our group this evening were Virginia Goodrich, Faye Pittsley and Ethel Casey.

The meeting was adjourned, a social hour followed, and refreshments were served.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

W. S. C. S.

At the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service on Wednesday, June 19, members are asked to bring trading stamps of any denomination in any quantity (loose stamps, or partially filled books) but preferably a book per member, to help buy linen and bedding for the new Deaconess Association Nursing Home.

The District training session for local officers, held in Fairview, was attended by our treasurer, Sterline Eaton; our recording secretary, Betty Henrichon; our vice-president, Joan Poole; and our promotion secretary, Laura Wood.

One of our very able members, Ruth French, who is district secretary of Spiritual Life, installed the officers of the Woman's Society of Christian Service in South Athol at their last meeting with an installation service she composed herself, and has used several times in the Belchertown society. She praised the society for being able to elect the sixteen or seventeen officers needed out of a membership of a little over thirty members.

Since our June meeting will be the last one for the season, it is very fitting and proper that our pastor be the speaker for our program this coming Wednesday. The refreshment committee for the evening will be Grace Purrington, chairman, assisted by Fran Hodgen and Virginia Green.

On Saturday, June 22, there will be a food sale on the south end of the common from 2 to 4 in the afternoon, sponsored by the Commission on Membership and Evangelism.

PUBLIC HAM SUPPER

The Police Association is scheduling its 2nd Annual Public Ham Supper for Saturday, July 20, in the Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m. Price for adults is $1.25, and for children, 75 cents.

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Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Supt. Church School
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes meeting in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon by Bishop Newell Booth
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
Prelude, "Prelude in E Flat" Overholt
Anthem, "Light of the World" Carleton
Offertory, "Andante" Ritter
Postlude, "Jubilant March" Shepard

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in Fellowship Hall.

7.45 p. m. Evensong will meet in the church. Mr. Louis Johnson will be the preacher at this service of Evensong. Mr. Green will conduct Vespers at the Deaconess Home at Shore Cliff in Magnolia.

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

The Missionary Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet.

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

1.00 p. m. The Church will leave for the annual All Church picnic at Look Park in Northampton.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Stewardship and Finance will meet. This will be the re-organization meeting of the Commission, when the new Chairman takes over. All members of the Commission are urged to be present.

JUNE 21

6.30 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet for the annual outing at the farm home of Ralph and Doris Trombly. All members of the Club and those interested are invited.

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will hold a food sale on the south end of the Common.

SUNDAY, JUNE 30

This will be Children's Day in the local Church.

COMING

JULY 15-26

The Joint Vacation Bible School will be held by the Methodist and Congregatonal Churches.

JULY 21-25

The Methodist Church will have a summer Mission, under the preaching of the Rev. Reginald Goff, Missioner for The Healing Fellowship of He is Able.

AUGUST 11-18

Camp Meeting at Laurel Park, with Tommy Tyson preaching.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. William Lincourt of North Main St. are the parents of a daughter, Sheri Ann, born Wednesday evening, June 12, at Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton.

Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Harvey Lincourt of George Hannum Rd.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lowd, South Rd., Westhampton.

RECEPTION FOR FR. DUDLEY

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With the head table talent exhausted (sounds bad) MC. Longtine called on ones here and there in the audience for a few words—

Earl Henrichon, chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who spoke of talent faithfully rendered, and who alluded to Fr. Dudley as an outstanding citizen.

Michael Mathras, selectman, who was happy to be present and extend tribute to a great man.

Henry Renouf, town moderator, whose heartfelt words were: "We love you, Father."

Carl J. Peterson, superintendent of schools, who speaking for the boys and girls of Belchertown, said, "You have endeared yourself to them."

Harold Willey, chairman of the school committee, who said, "God bless you, Father," and went on to entertain the folks with a "church triangle problem."

Donald Geer, principal at B. H. S., who alluded to Fr. Dudley as a fine gentleman and a wonderful man.

Ernest Gay, chief of police, who alluded to Fr. Dudley as a "force" in the community.

Isaac Hodgen, long a member of the legislature, appreciated his friendship and visits during sickness in the family. He said, "We of Belchertown are proud of you."

Kenneth Collard, local physician, who said it was a privilege to call this man a friend.

Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Fr. Dudley's associate, climaxed the list of speakers with stories and anecdotes that lent spice and charm to the occasion. He commented on the good spirit in Belchertown, and said that Fr. Dudley insisted that they were both priests, here, not pastor and curate.

With a fine sense of humor, Fr. Dudley responded to all the effusions of the evening in typical fashion. He thanked all those taking part, and told of his mother's admonition, "Always be kind to people," and how he promised to carry out her dying wish. He expressed appreciation for the "tremendous tributes," and as before stated, said, "I will never forget this night."

Typical of the courtesy of the man, and which incidentally revealed his greatness, Fr. Dudley, at the close of the festivities, insisted that his housekeeper for so many years, Mrs. Anna McKillop, rise and take a bow. He also called out of the kitchen, George O'Connor, the caterer, to make sure he got his just desserts.

As a closing number, Walter Papp sang "Ave Maria." A brother of Fr. Dudley, John Dudley, was present for the occasion.

Truly it was a great night.

Andy Sears' Tribute

Congratulations and best wishes on your 35th anniversary in the priesthood.

No one in all the world deserves more happiness than you.

You have always been so helpful and kind to all of us.

God bless you, and may you have many more years of serving Him.

The Editor's Tribute

You are a plucky fellow,
And not afraid of work,
You'd rather push a lawn mower
Than be a soda jerk.

You'd rather paint your doorstep,
And put it into shape,
Than be a millionaire
And live down on the Cape.

Those folks who drew those posters
'Bout spreading litter 'round,
For sure missed one good subject
That would have shook the town.

For you sure did it, you've picked up
Papers on our park,
Careless ones had left there
By daylight or at dark.

A sort of priestly service
You thought that you might do,
Too messy for us common guys,
But suited so to you!

The title of the poster?
"Don't leave the news you gorge,
Pick up your rubbish, now, yourself,
Don't leave it there for George."

For years on end, you know you have,
You've always called me "Lew."
You've crashed the inner circle
More than you ever knew.

You have a flair for friendliness;
That waving of you hand
As high as our church steeple,
We sure can understand.

You have a breadth of outlook
That this world needs today.
"Life is too short for bigotry."
That's what I've heard you say.

You are still preaching, Father;
Those lines upon your face
Are words spelled out in human flesh,
That you cannot efface.

We share the satisfactions
Your priesthood years have brought,
And say aloud quite reverently,
"Behold what God hath wrought."

Committee for Reception

General Chairman, Mrs. Mary Avery. General Committee members: Mrs. Agnes Samson, Mrs. Helen Besner, Mrs. Dorothy Brennen, Mrs. Mary Scialla, Mrs. Louise Brassard, John Coty, Harry Shakarian, Harold Mellin, Ellsworth Forgue and Mitchell Sroka.

Host and Hostesses: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brennen, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Willey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Papp, Mr. and Mrs. James Baker, and Miss Penelope Baker. Mrs. Sears was in charge of the guest book.

Mrs. Rita Milner was in charge of the head table and was assisted by Mrs. Mabel Depot, Mrs. Edith Depot and John Milner.

Junior hosts and hostesses were: Mary Ann Brennen, Carol Beaudoin, Darlene Willey, Mary Samson, Anne Crisafulli, David Papp, Raymond Bretton, and Andrew Sears, III.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Following the Dairy Supper in Grange Hall last Saturday night in charge of Harriet Chevalier for the Agricultural Committee, the usual Grange card party was held, in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Judkins, with 13 tables in play.

Prize winners were: 1st, Christine Henry, Godfrey Wenzel, Ada Underwood and Aurora Granger; 2nd, Joy Wright, Ruth Kempkes, Gastane Fortin and Emma Grover; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olson and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Anair; door, C. W. Carrier and Aurore Granger.

This week's party will be in charge of the Agricultural Committee, Rose Wenzel, chairman.

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Lorraine Eleanor Daigle
Kathleen Agnes Dunn
Ann Marie Dupuis
Richard William Ferenz
Carol Anne Fielder
William Roy Fielder
Gary Eugene Gentile
Frances Jean Goodrow
Kenneth Norman Hale
Byron Nelson Hawkins
Patricia Ann Hayward
Veronica Theresa Hebert
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Donald Joseph Kempkes
Dexter Fuller Ketchen
Jean Wilson Kilpatrick
Richard Norman Kimball
William Allen Krause
Thomas John Krol
Denise Lauray Labrecque
Lee Alan Lamoureux
William Roy Malmstedt
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Linda Christine Piper
Susan Bryant Shattuck
Sandra Jean Shaw
Michael Edward Sroka
Elaine Rita Tetrault
Carl Edwin Theroux
Ronald Raymond Wheble
William Carl Zobka

PROGRAM

Processional		Jane Peterson, Accompanist
Invocation		Rev. Joseph T. Collins
Song:	"Abide With Me"	*William H. Mark*
Salutatory		Elaine Tetrault
Song:	"America Our Heritage"	*Helen Steele*
Valedictory		Lee Lamoureux
Introduction of speaker of the evening		Carl J. Peterson, Superintendent
Address		Leonard Savigiano, President, State College at Westfield
Song:	"Cry Out and Shout"	*Knut Nystedt*, *Jean Sibelius*
Scholarships		
P. T. A.		Mr. Russell Robinson
Nurses' Association		Miss Catherine Austin
Lions Club		Mr. James Joyal
Arnold C. Martinelli, Jr. Memorial		Mrs. Francis P. Loftus
Student Council		
Holland Family Award in memory of Elizabeth H. and Nelson C. Holland		
Presentation of Class to School Committee		Donald E. Geer, Principal of High School
Awarding of Diplomas		Harold W. Willey, Chairman School Committee
Song:	"Let There Be Peace on Earth"	*Sy Miller & Jill Johnson*
Benediction		Rev. Marvin R. Green
Recessional		

Songs directed by Mrs. Clara P. Cook
Accompanist, Jane Peterson

AWARDS

American Legion and Auxiliary	Richard Ferenz, Linda Crisafulli
George B. Jackson Memorial	Patricia Hayward
Nancy Austin Latin Prize	Marjorie Officer
Margot Austin French Award	Carl Theroux
Dr. Francis M. Austin Memorial	Thomas Krol
Wallace Upham Mason	Linda Piper, Kenneth Hale
'47 Osborne Davis Memorial in Science	Thomas Krol
Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science	Thomas Krol
Rensselaer Polytechnic Alumni	Thomas Krol
Elks Club	Lee Mullane
Dramatic Award	JoAnne Barrett, Frank Pietryka
Historical Association Essay Contest	1. Lee Mullane, 2. Russell Bergeron, 3. Lee Lamoureux
D. A. R. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage	JoAnne Barrett
Facit Inc. Typing Awards	JoAnne Barrett, Carol Fielder, Veronica Hebert
Business Education Awards of Merit	JoAnne Barrett
Gregg Awards for Business Education	Elaine Tetrault
N. O. M. A. Proficiency Awards	JoAnne Barrett, Barbara Marshall, Sandra Shaw, Elaine Tetrault

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Elaine Tetrault, '63
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Jeffrey Carr, '64
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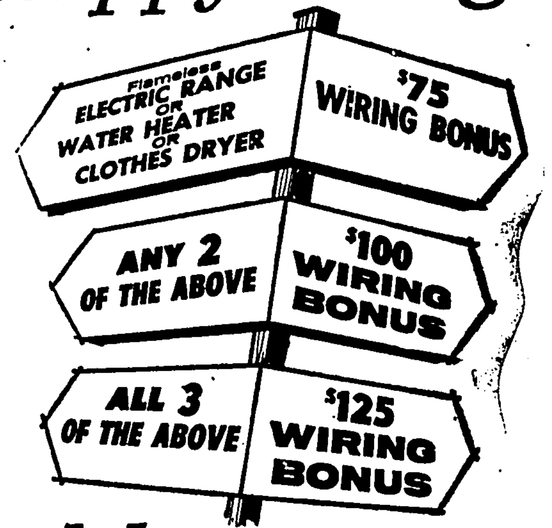

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CUB SCOUT LEADERS MEETING

Leaders met at the American Legion Home Wednesday evening to plan the activities for this month. There are two full week-ends of activity for the Cub Scouts to close the year with until September, when we will get into full swing again for a new year.

First of all, this week-end—June 15-16 there will be an overnight hike up to the Boy Scout camp on Route 202 which is about 2½ miles north from the common. The boys will meet on the South end of the Common at 5 p. m. Saturday. They must bring enough food for supper and Sunday breakfast including their beverage.

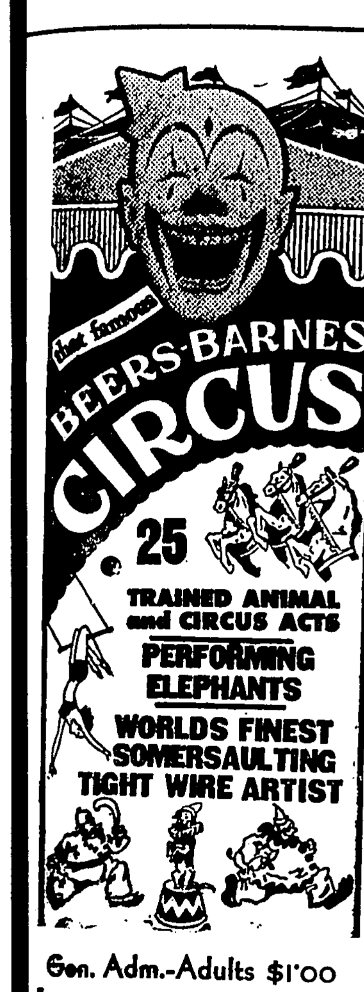
Other equipment: flashlight, sleeping bag or 3 warm blankets, warm sweater or jacket, insect repellent. This equipment will be driven up by truck and we ask that it be tagged so there will be no confusion.

They will return for 12 noon Sunday and are to be met at the north end of the common. Boys will have a ride to attend their Sunday services.

Any and all dads are asked to attend this hike with the boys if they care to go. Too much supervision is better than not enough. In case of rain, the hike will be called off.

On June 22, our Annual Family Picnic will be held at the Town Beach. It will start about *noon*. There will be games and prizes in the afternoon. Hamburg and hot dogs are on the menu plus all the extras. The only thing the family is asked to bring is their own beverages for the day.

If it's real warm and the Cubs are under supervision there will be swimming.



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D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mrs. Louise Kimball her property on Cottage Street to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dubuque of St. Albans, Vermont. Mr. Dubuque is co-owner of Larry's Service Station in Granby. The Dubuque family intends to occupy the premises some time around the end of June.

PERMITS GRANTED

On Wednesday night, June 12, the Board of Appeals met in executive session to act on the two permits being sought by Henry Renouf, president of both the Resources Conservation Development Corporation and Robin Farm Club.

Both permits were granted by the board unanimously.

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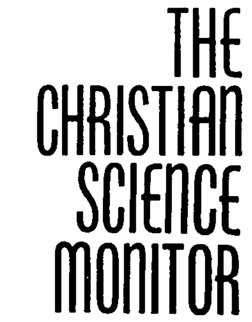
TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Roy Kimball is a patient at Mary Lane Hospital as the result of injuries sustained in a fall at the home of her son, Channing Kimball, on Mill Valley Road last week Saturday noon, when she broke two bones in her left wrist and sprained ligaments in her right leg.



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BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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INVITATION FOR TRANSPORTATION BIDS

Sealed proposals for a contract for the transportation of public school pupils on the following routes: Routes 2 and 12; Routes 6 - 18 - 19, and Routes 4 and 14, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library up to 8.30 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The contracts will become effective September 1, 1963, and will be awarded as follows: 3 years—to expire June 30, 1966—for a bidder with a new bus, with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 2 years—to expire June 30, 1965—for a bidder with a 1960 or later model bus with a minimum seating capacity of 59; 1 year—to expire June 30, 1964—for a bidder with a used 1958 or 1959 bus with a minimum seating capacity of 53. All bidders should furnish information and data on the equipment to be used.

The bus in addition to meeting inspection requirements of the Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles, must be equipped with sanders, front and rear heaters, and chains. The owner is responsible to see that all drivers are properly licensed for School Bus operation and comply annually with all physical examination requirements specified by State Law and the School Committee. Bidders must submit with bids conclusive evidence of ability to secure a performance bond for the annual amount of the bid. The successful bidder must file such performance bond upon acceptance of a contract.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope marked "PROPOSAL — TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL PUPILS". The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

Further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

CARL J. PETERSON, Secretary
BELCHERTOWN School Committee
Jn 1, 7, 14

BELCHERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Belchertown, Massachusetts

Notice is hereby given that the Belchertown School Committee hereinafter referred to as the "Lessee" will receive up to, but not later than 8.15 p. m. on Tuesday, June 18, 1963, sealed proposals for the awarding of a lease for five (5) classrooms centrally located in a single building containing the proper toilet facilities, wardrobe accommodations, and room or space to be used as a serving center for the Hot Lunch Program.

Such bids will be received in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools in Clapp Memorial Library and will be publicly opened and read at the above stated time and place.

Bidders, hereinafter referred to as the "Lessor", must furnish in addition to the space requirements, reasonable amounts of heat, water and electricity for the use of the Lessee and children occupying the premises for school purposes.

The Lessor is responsible for all renovations or changes necessary to secure certification for school purposes from the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

Further information regarding the specifications may be obtained from the Superintendent of Schools.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope clearly marked "PROPOSAL —ELEMENTARY CLASSROOMS".

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals if such action is in the best interest of the town.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES**, late of Belchertown, in said County, a person formerly under conservatorship.

The conservator of the property of said **ROBERT R. JONES** has presented to said Court his second and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 14-21-28

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased, intestate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale—certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 1, 7, 14

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **GLADYS M. RYTHER**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **H. MORGAN RYTHER** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 7, 14, 21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **LUKE F. BURNS**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **FLORANCE JOSEPH BURNS**, also known as **FLORENCE JOSEPH BURNS** and **F. JOSEPH BURNS**, of Springfield, in the County of Hampden, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **HARVEY A. LINCOURT**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **MARGUERITE A. LINCOURT** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing at 8 P. M., June 25, in the Planning Board Room in Memorial Hall on the petition of Marguerite Lincourt for a change of zone from agriculture to business on a portion of the property owned by her on the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, north of the Springfield Water-Works Canal.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—

Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor

Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

—Methodist Church—

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor

Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m.

Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.

Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor

Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate

Third Sunday After Pentecost

Mass at 7 a. m.

Mass at 9.30 a. m.

Mass at 11 a. m.

Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor

Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

nd Annual Public Clambake of the mber of Commerce at Malo's lion from 1 to 6 p. m.

MONDAY

Firefighters' Association.

Story Hour at Library at 2.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Club Picnic at bbin.

WEDNESDAY

W. C. Installation Banquet at p. m. at the Salem Crofs Inn, W. kfield.

SATURDAY

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Congregational Men's Class Picnic ould Ketchen's.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

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JR. HIGH FIELD DAY

On Wednesday, the Center Junior High School held a Field Day. Mr. Paul Whitlock, boys physical education director, was in charge. He was assisted by Joseph Sheehan and Paul Pachetto, both on the faculty.

There were ten events. The first place winners were: fat man's race, Kenneth Nolan; 100 yard dash, Joy Samborski; girls broad jump, Susan Ayers; boys sack race, Kenneth Miron; girls sack race, Marie Malmstedt; three-legged race, William Dube and Wendy Hagen; egg race, seventh grade beat the eighth grade, and tug-of-war, eighth grade boys beat the seventh grade boys.

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CLAMBAKE

The 2nd annual public clambake put on by the Chamber of Commerce will be held on this coming Sunday, June 23, at Malo's Pavilion, Poole Road, Lake Metacomet, from 1 to 6 p. m., with Walter Boyko again the chef, assisted by other members of the Chamber.

The bill of fare includes clams, lobsters, cold cuts, etc.

The price is $3.50 per person, as against $5.00 charged last year.

The event will be held rain or shine.

TOMORROW

Food Sale sponsored by Commission on Membership and Evangelism of the Methodist Church, at the South End of the common from 2 to 4 p. m.

Rainbow Car Wash at Congregational Church Parking Lot from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Cub Scout Family Picnic at Town Beach.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

June 30

Dominique Studio Graduation and Picnic.

July 20

Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.

July 27

Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Aug. 4

Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church.

Aug. 24

Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Sept. 28

Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Oct. 26

Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 9

Bazaar at Methodist Church.

B. H. S. COMMENCEMENT

As one went down the hill from the center last Thursday night and turned into the B. S. S. grounds, he became aware of something big in the air—it was the 92nd Commencement of Belchertown High School, held this year, for the first time, in the State School Auditorium.

Parking space, which in the past has been at a premium up around the High School, was now quite adequate, two or three large parking areas being available.

The hall didn't fill to capacity, but the stage did, as 43 seniors in their caps and gowns awaited that moment when diplomas would be presented to them thus completing their twelve years of schooling.

The waiting was most enjoyable, as Mrs. Ruthella Tucker played number after number on the electric organ, filling the hall with a sound unheard at previous graduations. At eight, Miss Jane Peterson relieved her and played the processional.

Rev. Joseph Collins gave the invocation. He was followed by the student choral group which during the evening presented four songs. The group was directed by Mrs. Clara Cook with Miss Peterson accompanying on the piano.

Elaine Tetrault gave the Salutatory address. She told how they had dreamed of this their graduation night for years—only made possible by the guidance of parents, teachers, and friends, with their greatest problem in High School being "What will our vocation be?"

Lee Lamoureux presented the Valedictory address. He said that the class that is before you will endeavor to follow the words of A. Tennyson, "To strive, To seek, To find and not to yield," their class motto as well. "We all must take the first step towards our full education, by going on to college or by learning from experience."

Mr. Peterson, Superintendent, introduced the speaker, Dr. Leonard Savigiano, president of Westfield State College, and an old college classmate of his.

Dr. Savigiano elaborated on the full meaning of their class motto and said that, they, the class of '63, were not alone in this endeavor, for with them are many "partners". Partners in the community government—selectmen, school committee members, school faculty, and their parents. He said their sheltered years in the classroom are over, and you must leave it and enter into a world which is very different and trying.

Going on, he said that scientific steps such as the building of nuclear powered submarines, and the recent success of orbiting a man around our earth some 22 times do not always overshadow things which are not so pleas-

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THE CIRCUS

When the Beers-Barnes circus was here two years ago, that Saturday was the sizzler of the summer, quite in contrast with last Saturday, which was cold, wet and rainy, when a topcoat was not uncomfortable.

The outfit rolled into town at 4.30 that morning and was met by Dave White, chairman of the Lions Club circus committee.

Dave says that finance-wise, much as ever the club broke even, but even so many people had a "pleasant" day.

About 50 pupils came up from the State School in the new Birthday bus, when they were the guests of the club.

The Boy Scouts and Pee Wees helped save the day, as they canvassed the town selling tickets.

Most people were pleased with the show, and here's hoping they draw better weather next time. They left the next morning around 7 for Wilbraham, which was again on their circuit for this year. Their home base is in Florida.

STORY HOUR

There will be a story hour at the Clapp Memorial Library on Monday, June 24, at 2.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Marianna H. Rowe of Greenfield Regional Library Center at Greenfield will be guest story teller. All children are invited to attend.

BOWLING MEETING

There will be a captain's meeting of the Belchertown Women's Bowling League this Friday night at 7:30 at the Daisy Mae Restaurant.

BISHOP BOOTH

The hymn preceding the sermon by Bishop Newell Booth on Sunday at the union service at the Methodist Church, was, "Watchman Tell Us of the Night," and that is just what he did.

He admitted that it was night in Africa—in fact he alluded to her situation as a "mess" in instance after instance, but also said that there were "messes" in many other places in our world.

As for Africans, he said that in many instances a way of life was being forced upon them, not of their choosing or to their liking.

But he said that there is hope. The church is not a mess, he said—in fact it is being added to as in no other country he mentioned. Hope lies in Christian educatiion and in being accepted by one's fellows, no matter what one's color.

He told of activities the church is carrying on in fulfilling Christ's com-

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MERRY-GO-ROUND DEDICATION

The impossible has again been accomplished at the Belchertown State School. The Volunteer Department dared try to get a school bus by collecting trading stamps—and did it. And now the State School Friends Association, after daring to undertake the impossible task of resurrecting, refurbishing, refinishing and providing a home for the School merry-go-round that had all but succumbed to the elements, came through gloriously. Of course, any number of groups and individuals pitched in and helped, but the "Friends" engineered it.

In fact, as we heard the "honor roll" called in the School auditorium on Saturday, the day of the dedication, we wondered if it wouldn't have been easier to have read the names of those who didn't help.

The weather, which had been so unkind to the merry-go-round during the years, ran true to form on Saturday, when considerable of a downpour drove the exercises inside. For in true showmanship style, the show had to go on.

The coffee hour was from 9 to 10 in the club room, with the speaking following up stairs in the auditorium.

The program opened with selections by the High School band under the direction of John Maggs. The national anthem was sung by William Hervieux, with Mrs. James Baker as piano accompanist.

Mrs. Daniel O'Neil, president of the Friends Association, gave the welcome, while the invocation was by the Most Reverend Christopher J. Weldon, Bishop of Springfield.

Dignitaries were introduced by C. George Leveille, past president, who called the "honor roll."

Mrs. John Harrigan, first vice-president, introduced the speaker of the occasion, U. S. Congressman, Hon. Edward P. Boland, who told how the government is awakening to the need

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE NEWS

The School Committee met on Tuesday evening, at which time, bids for school contracts were opened.

Those awarded contracts included: rubbish removal, H. Lincourt & Son; rental of 5 classrooms, *undetermined*; bread & rolls, Continental Baking Co., Holyoke; milk, Hillside Dairy, Greenfield; fuel oil (#1) Chadbourne Pet. Co., and (#2) Maroney Oil Co., Northampton; bus routes, E. Gates, Mrs. B. Gay, and Russell Tripp.

The board also accepted with regret, the letter of resignation "by virtue of retirement," from Mrs. Bernadette Bowler, presently of the Center Junior High faculty. She entered the school system here in 1942.

LEE MULLANE'S ESSAY PRESENTS EXCELLENT PICTURE

This week I am pleased to give you Lee Mullane's first-prize essay on the Stone House. As one of the judges commented, "It is a fine description of the properties—makes one wish to visit the House." Another called it a "good, straight-forward piece of work."

Miss Mullane certainly is to be complimented both for her ability as a writer and for her evident enjoyment of Belchertown's traditions and the place where many of them are preserved.

THE IMPORTANCE OF THE BELCHERTOWN STONE HOUSE THEN AND NOW

By Lee Mullane

In the year 1827 Jonathan Dwight directed the building of an impressive stone house. It was located on Maple Street in the center of Belchertown. In those days of horses and carriages, unpaved roads, and large noble homes, this edifice, outstanding in its beauty, was well-adapted to its surroundings. Its erection was a labour of love, for Mr. Dwight had his daughter's happiness in mind.

When completed, this abode was bestowed by Mr. Dwight upon his newly wedded daughter and son-in-law. This couple lived there comfortably and contentedly for several years. Their home of ten rooms and many beautiful furnishings supplied their every want. Soon, however, for reasons not quite clear, they moved away. From that time on the house changed hands a number of times.

Finally in 1922, Mrs. Harriette Dwight Longley left an amount of money to the Historical Society of Belchertown. The members, upon the suggestion of the benefactor, purchased the building. They then established the Belchertown Stone House, which became the prime historical museum of the community. In it such exhibits as dishes, silverware, authentic costumes worn in early days, furniture, utensils and carriages have all succeeded in presenting a genuine view of the way of life in the important developing years of Belchertown.

The Society has made few changes in the furnishings and arrangement of the house. The kitchen is just as it would have been if a nineteenth century housewife were cooking there. The dining room, living room, and parlor are all furnished as authentically as possible. Although the more valuable items of china, gold and silverware are protected in glass display cases, their very presence creates an atmosphere completely in keeping with that period. The second floor contains three bedrooms and a children's room, in which colonial bureaus, chairs, beds, and clothing are housed. There are also numerous paintings of eminent figures of early Belchertown particularly associated with the Stone House.

Outside, the near-by barn is a major attraction. Constructed in the same design as the main house, it contains a world of interest. The activity of early Belchertown is represented here by the Cowles Carriage Factory's stagecoach, the three buggies, and the hearse which operated in the years about 1800. Included here are the first washing machine, invented by Henry Hoag, a lawnmower—startlingly similar to our own today—an early butter churn, and matches manufactured here in one of the town's busy industries. Even sleighs, baby carriages, and tables can be seen and appreciated in this section.

When first established, the Stone House added a great amount of interest in Belchertown for the residents. Many were most willing to donate various valuables, often including cherished treasures. One such example is the collection in the Stebbins Room. Here most of the articles, some of which are a beautiful canopy bed and an artistically sewed handmade quilt, were generously given to the Society by the Stebbins family. The room also contains paintings, clothing, and photographs of similar origin.

One major change made by the Society was the elimination of the partition separating two rooms on the first floor. This created the large living room which effectively displays many lovely pieces. In this room are found an early piano decorated artistically with hand painted designs, as well as a small organ. Two original Boston rockers are placed in positions where they can be most appreciated. The cribs, loveseat, and remaining furniture, as well as the dishes, pewter, service sets, and examples of grass and feather weaving have made this one of the most interesting rooms.

Included upstairs is a large collection of dolls. Many have the characteristic china head with delicately realistic face. They are dressed in clothes descriptive of that early era of the 1800's and have a charm all their own. Nearby is a wide assortment of clothing worn by people of the 1800's and early 1900's. A paymaster's vest and several ladies' dresses, hats, shoes, and wedding gowns take the viewer back into the period to which the house is devoted.

In the forty years since the Stone House became the property of the Belchertown Historical Society, it has increased in its importance to the town and has induced people from afar to visit it. Its appeal comes not only from its excellent picture of colonial life in general, but also from its undeniable characterization of early New England.

The recent 200th birthday of Belchertown brought thousands of people to see the major points of interest, as well as to enjoy the festivities. Of primary remembrance was the Stone House. The stagecoach was placed outdoors and the numerous forerunners of today's bicycles were greatly appreciated by everyone who saw them. The renowned Rogers groups, situated at each window, awed all with their great emphasis on detail. The fact that Henry Ford had at one time a special interest in thriving Belchertown has boosted the pride and enthusiasm of visitors and natives. Mr. Ford, in fact, devoted serious consideration to Belchertown as the site of his automobile manufacturing business.

In these days of strife and confusion such links with the past play a major role in framing our own lives. The Stone House is a means of connecting us with the people who lived before us and made our democracy strong.

Somehow the Stone House reminds us of the meaning of our existence. Institutions like it are strongholds for the preservation of democracy as we know and cherish it.

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Graduation at State School Makes History for B.H.S.

Holding the 92nd Commencement Exercises of the Belchertown High School at the State School Auditorium last week established a brand new tradition.

It was a splendid gesture on the part of the State, and for the first time in a long while there was room enough for all those who desired to attend. Even when our new school building is ready for occupancy, it is not at all likely that the auditorium there will be large enough to accommodate the numbers who want to go to graduation. Consequently, I look to many years of State School Commencements.

B.H.S. had held its exercises in at least three places before this year.

The late Lillian Miller, Class of 1876, wrote me, way back in 1933, to say that she "attended the graduation exercises of the Class of 1872, which were held in what is now the Old Town Hall. "Unless there may have been an earlier exercise in the old brick school where the Congregational Parish House now stands, I think the Town Hall was the original place.

From the Town Hall the exercises moved to the Congregational Church in the earlier years of the century. Perhaps someone knows just when, though it doesn't matter. Here there was an organ, a high platform, and a dignity of surroundings that the basketball-damaged Town Hall could not provide. I personally do not remember a local graduation anywhere else.

The Class of 1924 was the first to be graduated from Lawrence Memorial Hall, brand new then. Almost from the first, this hall was too small to take care of the friends and relatives who always throng to graduations. The very non-democratic system of admission by ticket only had to be used, and every year found a lot of folks sore. Also, the piano in Memorial Hall never could take the place of the church organ for processionals and recessionals.

The Class of 1963 had room, had organ music, had parking places—we surely hope that B.S.S. will continue to open its auditorium doors to B.H.S. each year!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"No more lessons, no more books,
No more teacher's sassy looks,
No more Latin, no more French,
No more sitting on a hard school bench."

Schoolboys' Song, c.18

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Henry Ford, America's foremo automobile manufacturer and wo citizen and his wife quietly roll into town on Sunday, June 17, auto. Others in the party were M and Mrs. Gaston Plantiff (Gaston a native of Belchertown) and and Mrs. Flint. Naturally Gaston anxious to show Henry Ford (w was his "supervisor and intim friend") the town in which he born. Gaston introduced him to D. Hazen, the local Ford agent played the part of a host, taking th to the Stone House, where the c todian, Mrs. H. F. Curtis, sho the party over the building. The p saw places of interest, and greete few of the townspeople, and depar for Concord as unostenstatiously they came.

At the B.H.S. graduation in Congregational Church (probably i in the church for the last time), W son Bardwell, who had first ho gave the address of Welcome. Alice Howard stood second in class of eleven and Madeleine lando third. The guest speaker Prof. George S. Miller of Tufts lege.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Rev. Arthur H. Hope resigne pastor of the Congregational Ch bringing to a sudden conclusio pastorate which seemed good for years. He resigned because he h frontal tumor on the brain. This the third consecutive tragedy in Congregational Church. Rev. D. Hilliard died suddenly of a heart tack on January 1, 1928, his su sor, Rev. Frederick C. Rolls on ruary 11, 1933, and now his succe has a brain tumor causing his re nation.

The B.H.S. Class of 1938, num ing twenty, made their first cap gown appearance at the baccalau service in Memorial Hall. At Commencement exercises Rose Ryther was salutatorian, and Ch D. Greer valedictorian.

Wm. E. Shaw was elected Presi of the Board of Trustees of the C Memorial Library, and Mrs. D Squires librarian.

TEN YEARS AGO

Harry E. Sessions died at the of 66. For forty years he was an ployee of the telephone company tiring in 1947. For many of years he was manager of the telephone exchange. He was a m ber of the Congregational Churc the Vernon Lodge, the Doric O and of the Telephone Pioneers o New England Tel. and Tel. Co.

Despite the fact that the We Man threatened to call off the tion prematurely, yet the Legion tion was quite a success, the L realizing $250.00 and the Aux $50. from the food sale and refr ments.

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GOLDEN WEDDING

As before noted, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanford of Plainfield, formerly of this town, will hold an Open House on Sunday, June 23, afternoon and evening, to which their friends are invited, in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

This ought to be quite a sprightly occasion, as neither of the principals have to our knowledge, reached the cane and rocking chair stage. Probably Charlie takes it in stride—as one grand joke—and tells a joke or two in connection.

This is not an obituary, but probably we should go back and gather up some of the threads woven into the fabric of these busy people's lives.

Mr. Sanford was born in Belchertown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sanford, who lived in the house on Ware Road, where Mrs. Clarence Moore now lives. He was educated in the local schools and graduated in the first graduating class from Smit's Agricultural School in Northampton in 1910.

Mrs. Sanford was born in Northampton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deplidge. She was educated in the Northampton schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford were married on June 21, 1913, at Hadley.

They lived in Plainfield for several years before moving to Ludlow, where Mr. Sanford was employed by the Ludlow Manufacturing Co. They moved to Belchertown in 1924 to become warden and matron of the Town Farm, now a part of the State School. For more than thirty years they lived on North Main Street. In 1957 they returned to Plainfield to live in the home they once owned fifty years ago, completely restoring the old house.

They have two children—Harry of New Braintree, and Mrs. June (Arthur) Henneman of Belchertown, eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren

Both have been active in community, church and Grange affairs. Both are members of the Belchertown Congregational Church, Plainfield Grange, and the Historical Associations of both towns.

Mr. Sanford served as assessor, as trustee of the Congregational Church, as Master of Union Grange among others. He has been a member of the Grange for about 55 years.

Mrs. Sanford has served as president of the Women's Guild of the Congregational Church, as lecturer of the Grange, of which she has been a member for more than 45 years.

From this summarization of activities, it would appear that Belchertown has more than a half-interest in this couple, so we offer our whole-hearted congratulations.

Among guests this week-end at their home will be Mrs. Sanford's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deplidge of Auburn, New York, and Mr. Sanford's sister, Mrs. Mary Sanford Sellew of Middletown, Conn.

RAINBOW CAR WASH

There will be a Rainbow car wash on Saturday, June 22, from 10 to 4 at the Congregational church parking lot. The price will be $1.25, with a 25 cent extra charge for white wall tires.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Due to the fine cooperation of all our friends and neighbors, the Boy Scout Financial Campaign was extremely successful. Scoutmaster John Bailey and his assistants, the troop committee, and the Boy Scouts themselves, are grateful to all those who worked on the campaign and the many people who contributed so generously to the fund for Belchertown's quota. This money goes toward the expense of maintaining the council office and Camp Chesterfield, and provides many benefits for the Cub Scouts and the State School Boy Scouts, as well as Troop 507.

The reorganization of our Boy Scout program, which had been inactive, was commenced in February, and we now have a fine, active troop which has grown from 23 to a total of 34 Scouts, and four leaders. Helping Scoutmaster Bailey are Assistant Scoutmasters Harry Shakarian, James Nolan and Raoul Munn, as well as an active committee.

One of the first events was a dinner given for the Scouts and committee by the Lions Club, which has sponsored the troop for a number of years. In April the Scouts took their first hike to their camp on Route 202 for an overnight expedition. They spent two Saturday mornings raking dead grass, leaves and debris from the Common.

Belchertown was well represented at the annual Camporce for all Scouts of the Hampshire-Franklin Council, and Troop 507 received the President's Physical Fitness Award. Although this took place while our Scoutmaster was in the hospital, all activities at the Camporee, and locally, have been highly successful, thanks to constant cooperation of our three very competent Assistant Scoutmasters.

The Scouts are working hard to advance in rank and to earn various awards which will be presented at a Court of Honor on July 25. Plans have been made for the troop to go to Camp Chesterfield early in August, and for various other activities during the summer.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The officers for the new year assumed their duties at our recent meeting held at the home of Mrs. Frank Peeso. They are as follows:

President Mrs. John Topping
Vice-President Mrs. Frank Peeso
Recording Secretary Miss Ethel Corliss
Corresponding Secretary Mrs. Elliott Cordner
Treasurer Mrs. Blake Jackson

Our Garden Club accepted an invitation to exhibit in the Wilbraham Garden Club Show to be held Saturday and Sunday, June 22 and 23. The Show will be held outdoors at the Field House at Wilbraham Academy. Our exhibit will be a garden, the title, "Come into the Kitchen." Two members are also exhibiting.

The committee for our garden exhibit comprises Mrs. Blake Jackson, Mrs. Elliott Cordner, Mrs. Joseph Kempkes, Mrs. Alice Lofland, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mrs. Alvin Bush, Mrs. Frank Peeso and Mrs. Alonzo Jones.

The Club received an invitation to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversy of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanford at their home in Plainfield on Sunday, June 23, afternoon and evening.

AT GIRLS STATE

News Release

Miss Joanne Gould of Belchertown is attending the Nineteenth Annual Session of Massachusetts Girls' State at the State College, Bridgewater. On college campuses, throughout the United States and Hawaii, similar sessions in Good Citizenship Training will be conducted to prepare these juniors, who will be the citizens of tomorrow, for their role in their local communities. Although politics are apparent in the campaigns and rallies for various offices—Good Government—and not politics is stressed. Even the names of the cities and towns carry to the girls the message that Justice, Freedom, Loyalty, Tolerance, Peace, Goodwill and Friendship are the qualities essential for good citizenship.

Prominent speakers from all walks of life are addressing the assemblies and giving instruction in the various phases of government. Included on the list of speakers are the following distinguished guests: Mrs. Endicott Peabody, First Lady of the Commonwealth; Lt. Governor Francis X. Bellotti, who will act as Inaugural Officer on Wednesday evening; Dr. Gordon O. Thayer; Hon. Peter W. Princi, former Collector of the Port of Boston; Mrs. Mildred McKenna, Town Clerk of Whitman; Guidance Counselor Rose Mullin of Emmanuel College; Dean of Women Dr. Ellen Shea of Bridgewater State College; Miss Marie Gerrior of the U.S. Navy; Senators John F. Parker of Taunton and Mary L. Fonesca of Fall River; Representative Mary B. Newman of Cambridge; Mrs. Margaret Heckler, Member of the Governor's Council; Mrs. Charlotte Sullivan Kelley, Aviatrix and and member of the Massachusetts Aeronautical Commission; Miss Janet Dibona, R.N. who made the recent trip to Peru on the Mercy Ship "Hope"; Mr. Norman B. Knight of Boston, who will again present the Norman Knight award to the most outstanding Girl State Citizen; and Elaine Montague of Stoneham who was the 1962 Girls' State Governor.

Highlight of this year's session will be the appearance, for the second time, of Mr. Val Gould, "Mr. Quaker," whose rousing challenge to the youth of America has caused him to travel hundreds of thousands of miles each year addressing high school students. He will be featured Inaugural Night. This will also mark the appearance of the Girls' State Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. Marguerite Ward.

Miss Gould is very active in the various programs which also include Glee Club, Dramatics, Newspaper, Sports and Athletics, and in the Flag ceremonies which open and close each day's session. Two hundred and forty girls are in attendance and each is expected to report back to her school at the beginning of the Fall term.

GRANGE NOTES

The program at the meeting of Union Grange, Tuesday evening, was in charge of the Conservation Committee—Mrs. Bertha Aldrich and Mrs. Ruth Johnston.

A film, "The Forest," was shown by Mr. Sibley of East Longmeadow.

Willim French of Granby of the Soil Conservation Department, spoke.

The meeting closed with the group singing of old time songs.

There will be no meeting now until July 16, when it will be Home and Community Service Night, with Mrs. Ruth Kempkes and her committee in charge.

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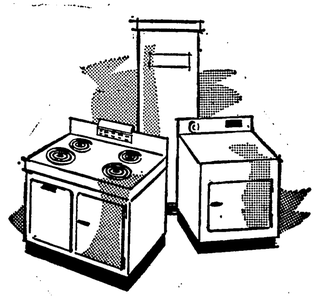

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— *SATURDAY* —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— *SUNDAY* —

Third Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Peter 5, 6-11. The first Epistle of St. Peter the Apostle.

Gospel—Luke 15, 1-10. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the parable of the lost sheep).

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College often say Mass here at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

— *INSTALLATION BANQUET* —

The Catholic Women's Club will hold its annual Installation Banquet on Wednesday, June 26, at the Salem Crofs Inn, located on Rt. 9 in West Brookfield. It is hoped that a guest speaker will be in the program which will start with a social hour at 6.30, followed by dinner at 7 p. m.

Officers to be installed include: President, Mrs. Agnes Samson; Vice President and Membership Chairman, Mrs. Jessie Crisafulli; Treasurer, Mrs. Alice Bronner; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Helen Besner; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Helen Papp; and Program Chairman, Mrs. Christine Davin.

Members of the Ways and Means Committee include: Mrs. Nancy Pelczarski, Miss Margot Austin, Mrs. Jessie Crissafulli, Mrs. Helen Besner, Mrs. Agnes Samson, and Mrs. Mary Avery.

Fr. George Dudley is the chaplain for the club.

The event is open to members of St. Francis C. W. C. and their guests.

— *CONCLAVE IN SESSION* —

On Wednesday, June 19, the conclave opened in Rome for the selection of the successor to the late pope John. Among the eighty cardinals participating will be the five American princes of the church: Albert Gregory Cardinal Meyer of Chicago; James Richard Cardinal Cushing of Boston; Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York; Joseph Elmer Cardinal Ritter of St. Louis and James Francis Cardinal McIntyre of Los Angeles.

At publication time Thursday evening, the outcome had not yet been announced—therefore the name of the new Pontiff is not published.

— *20TH CENTURY POPES* —

The six popes of the 20th Century in the order of their pontificate were: Leo XIII, 1878-1903; St. Pius X, 1903-1914 (Canonized May 1954); Benedict XV, 1914-1922; Pius XI, 1922-1939; Pius XII, 1939-1958; and John XXIII, 1958-1963.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 23

9.45 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Lazarus, Come Forth!"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
Anthem by the Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir
Prelude, "The Gentle Saviour" Kenney
Offertory, "Great is Thy Peace" Gruber
Postlude, "Thine is the Greatness" Nordman

6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir. Officers for the coming year will be elected.

7.45 p. m. Evensong will be held in the Church. This service of Gospel singing and Message is open to all. If you enjoy the Old Gospel Songs, you will enjoy this service.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26

8 p. m. Mid-week Service in Fellowship Hall. A Service of prayer and study.

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

2 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will hold a Food Sale on the Common. All kinds of home baked goodies.

The services of the Methodist Church will continue all summer at the 9.30 a. m. hour. Both Morning Worship and Sunday School will be held. The action of the Official Board has decided this. This will be the second summer that this has been done, and during Mr. Green's vacation the pulpit will be filled by action of the Pastoral Relations Committee, Mrs. Grace Purrington, chairman.

By action of the Official Board, the Annual Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday will be held this year on Sunday, August 4. Chaplain Major Wilson Lyon of the United States Air Force will be the morning preacher.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen of Federal St., are the parents of a daughter, born on Friday, June 14, at the Mary Lane Hospital, Ware.

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BISHOP BOOTH

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mand to "Feed my sheep."

He said that at the communion table, divisive elements have a faculty of coming together—persons otherwise very much apart in their thinking, so he called the church a unifying influence.

That there is still interest in missions and in what Bishop Booth is doing was attested by the fact that practically all seats were taken at the service at which he spoke.

Rev. Marvin Green, pastor, conducted the service, and was assisted by Rev. Paul Varga and Rev. Harold Suhm.

At the start of the service, Bishop Booth called to mind that he had preached his first sermon at a union service in the Congregational Church.

B. H. S. COMMENCEMENT

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ing—banning of public prayer in public schools, racial unrest, the threat of communism, and all the other civil strife that plagues the nation and the entire world.

He also urged the graduates to use one of the greatest gifts to man, knowledge, by going on with their edcation in College.

Individuals being the basic part of our Democratic system, he said, the students must utilize their individual abilities but not yield to the group, thus giving away for all time this individualism.

Following Dr. Savigiano, the awards as announced in last week's issue of the *Sentinel* were presented. This year even this was different—as the public visiting nurse program proposed for Belchertown was "boosted" quite a bit, prior to the awarding of the Nurses Association scholarship.

The class was then presented to the School Committee by Donald Geer, High School Principal. Harold Willey, chairman, with Mr. Geer's assistance, presented the diplomas.

Rev. Marvin Green gave the Benediction.

After the program inside, well-wishers including friends and relatives overflowed out onto the grounds and congratulated the graduates in a receiving line "of sorts."

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ritter, their home on Jabish Street, to Mr. and Mrs. John Maggs of Northampton. Mr. Maggs has been band director with the Belchertown School System for the past year, and has been appointed music director of Amherst Regional High School. Mrs. Maggs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shutty of Bay Rd., and was formerly a music teacher at the John Lynch High School in Holyoke. The Maggs have moved into their newly acquired home. In the near future, Mr. Maggs will give musical instrument lessons.

The Ritters have moved to their new home on Sargent Street.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Catherine Germain of Main Street, left Monday for a weeks' vacation in Canada.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "When God Calls"

Vernon Lodge A. F. & A. M. and Vernon Chapter O. E. S. will be guests at the service of worship on Sunday morning. We welcome them to this service.

Board of Deacons

The Board of Deacons will meet immediately following the service of worship.

Lower Juniors

The teachers in the Lower Junior Department in the Church School next year will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Double or Nothing

Members of the Double or Nothing club will leave from the Parish House at 6.15 on Tuesday evening for their annual picnic at Quabbin. Each couple is asked to bring a main dish salad, and the committee will bring the rest of the food. Also bring your own eating utensils and chairs.

The committee for the evening includes: Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Main, and Mr. and Mrs. Neilson Cochran.

In case of rain, the picnic will be held in the Parish House.

Pre-School Teachers

Teachers in the Pre-School departments in the Church School next year will meet in the Parish House on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Primary Teachers

Teachers in the Primary Department in the Church School next year will meet in the Parish House on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Junior Teachers

Teachers in the Junior Department in the Church School next year will meet on Saturday afternoon of next week at the Parish House.

Vacation Church School

The annual Vacation Church School, sponsored by the Congregational and Methodist Churches will be held July 15-26, from 9 a. m. to 11.30 a. m.

A fine staff has been enlisted and are spending many hours in preparation.

Men's Class Picnic

The Men's Bible Class will hold a picnic at the home of Gould Ketchen on Saturday of next week, July 29, late in the afternoon. Plans will also be made for the coming year.

The committee in charge includes: Gould Ketchen, Roger Merrell, and Harold Peck. A cordial invitation is extended to any men interested.

Guests of Red Sox

The Pilgrim Fellowships will be guests of the Boston Red Sox at a game on next Thursday. They will leave from the Parish House at 10.30 Thursday morning.

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, July 1, on the application of Stanford J. Harrington for a permit under Section IV B 2c of the zoning by-laws for sand removal.

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MERRY-GO-ROUND DEDICATION

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of the mentally retarded, and of the large sums it is now spending to help alleviate that need.

Keys to the building housing the merry-go-round were handed Dr. Lawrence P. Bowser, school superintendent, who expressed appreciation for the fine gift.

The benediction was by Bishop Weldon, while in closing, the audience joined in "God Bless America," led by Mr. Hervieux.

Following the exercises, the audience was invited to ride over to the merry-go-round building in the new Birthday bus and enjoy a ride on the renovated apparatus. Those who had to wait for succeeding trips were invited to enjoy another coffee hour.

Upon arrival at the building, the structure and the merry-go-round were duly blessed and dedicated by Bishop Weldon, assisted by local priests. The Bishop gave a free translation of the Latin version he had used, so that those gathered could understand the significance of the ritual.

With the preliminaries over, all was in readiness for the first real ride, with middle aged persons renewing their youth, picking out winning horses on which the famed Mrs. McNew had done such a superb job of redecoration.

Among the first-rounders, we were pleased to see former assistant superintendent, Raymond A. Kinmonth and his wife cantering up and down and around on those prancing steeds.

At this first showing, George B. Wyman was at the controls.

Dr. Kinmonth, and Aubrey Lapolice, former maintenance foreman, who saw to the dismantling of the merry-go-round at Forest Lake when it was purchased, and set it up here, have interesting recollections about it. They both chuckle a bit when they recall how Dr. Westwell, prime mover in it all, worked on the hearts and consciences of the carousel manufacturers to get gifts of eyes for the horses, and discs for the music box; and the Skinners for tails for the horses, etc.—all with his true Westwellian technique.

All agree that there was every intention of housing the merry-go-round, that plans were made for a building (Aubrey said he made a a plan) and that efforts were made to get a requisition for the expense from Boston, but funds never came through for the project, and so it lanquished.

When Was the Original Dedication?

At the dedication Saturday, no one seemed to know for sure when the original dedication took place, or much about it, so we went through the Sentinel files of the period and dug up some rather interesting data:

On October 9, 1946, the trustees established the Patients' Merry-go-round Fund.

Work was begun during the latter part of July, 1947, on the actual procurement of a merry-go-round. It is anticipated that it will be installed and in operation by the summer of 1948.

In our July 30, 1948 issue, we reported that "work is well along on erecting the merry-go-round at the School. The platform and apparatus with its newly decorated horses has been set up in the pine grove beyond the employees' parking space, and it is hoped to get it into operation shortly."

On September 15, 1948, the trustees were given the courtesy of a "trial run."

The dedication was on Sunday, October 17, 1948. In our issue of October 22, 1948 we carried the following report:

"Sunday will go down in history as an outstanding day at the State School by reason of the dedication of the merry-go-round, an entertainment device which should bring happiness not only to those at the school now, but to those who will be pupils there in succeeding years.

"The dedication started with a parade which toured the State School grounds. It was led by Dr. Sullivan of Amherst, heading the 16-piece Legion drum corps from that place. There were the state and national colors Boy Scout Troop 509, Legionnaires, 40 and 8 members with their "locomotive" auto with clanging bell, Auxiliary members, service club representatives, trustees of the school, clergy and other honored guests in cars. The procession was brought up by the "Horn of Plenty" float, a State School entry in the Fair Day parade up street.

"The parade broke up at the main school building, from which point guests either drove or walked to the pine grove some little distance away where is located the merry-go-round. A speakers' platform had been improvised and seats were available for the guests.

"Dr. Henry A. Tadgell, superintendent of the institution, presided. The invocation was given by Rev. William J. Delaney, pastor of the Methodist church. In his words of welcome. Dr. Tadgell gave a brief history of the project, which he said originated in the "gray matter of Dr. Westwell". Although the purchase price of the outfit, bought of the Forest Lake management last year, was considered a bargain, it was admitted that it was a sorry sight at first. However, it has been reclaimed by employees and pupils at the school to such an extent that it looks pretty good now.

"Dr. Tadgell told how the fund had grown by leaps and bounds, made mention of the state-wide response of the American Legion Auxiliary, and of contributions from Veterans of Forign Wars, Rotarians, Lions, Grangers, and other groups and individuals. Special thanks was given the 40 and 8-ers of Massachusetts, and particularly the Hampden and Hampshire group for the public address system which supplies the music.

"A Legion emblem was on display and it was stated that similar ones will be made for each contributing organization and placed on the structure when completed.

"The merry-go-round was then duly presented to the State Department of Mental Health by Dr. Tadgell, Eugene O'Neil, one of the trustees of the local institution, accepting the same on behalf of that body, with appropriate words of gratitude.

"Vice-Commander John Barry of the 40 and 8-ers then formally presented the public address system, stating that that group was particularly interested in fun and in child welfare.

"Dr. Tadgell then dedicated the merry-go-round to the boys and girls of B. S. S.

"The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Andrew Sullivan, pastor at St. Francis church, who was introduced as "a good friend of all the boys and girls, and those who care for them at the School. He has been a staunch supporter of this and all projects bringing joy to the youngsters. He has directed much financial support into the merry-go-round fund and has made it possible for hundreds of our children to enjoy all the rides at the Annual Belchertown Fair."

"In commenting on these excursions, Fr. Sullivan complimented the youngsters on their behavior and challenged anyone to come forward with a group of similar size that would comport themselves as well. He complimented Drs. Tadgell and Westwell on their liberal, humane policies in which they treated their charges not as animals or as pupils with just numbers, but as human beings, desiring them to have a good time.

"At the conclusion of the ceremonies Dr. Tadgell invited the guests present to ride on the new device, an invitation which many accepted. After some three or four rides, the State School youngsters were given their turn at it, and *did* they make a dash for it. It reminded one of the phrase "food shot from guns".

"At a refreshment stand, coffee and cold drinks were available to guests without charge.

"And thus closed this very interesting ceremony. It was of especial interest to Edward Stowe of Middlebury, Vt., a former employee who was present, who supervised the setting out of the trees of this self-same grove some twenty years ago.

"Some 40 and 8-ers, on their own, gathered in more contributions to the merry-go-round fund on Sunday, for while there is still some money left unspent, there is not enough to put up a building such as is desired to house the amusement device, so any who would like to help along this humanitarian project, have still an opportunity to do so."

Yes, that merry-go-round has had some history.

FIELD DAY

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Patsy Adam was voted the outstanding performer of the day. She will be given a medal at the closing exercises of the school Friday morning.

Relay races, in which the boys and girls participated separately with 8 participants to a team, were won by 8-1. In the boys groups, second and third places were won by 8-A and 7-1. In the girls groups, second and third places were won by 7-2 and 7-A.

Linda Squires, and Virginia Kilpatrick, of the eighth grade, and Wayne Willey and Marie Malmstedt, of the seventh grade, assisted in the arrangements.

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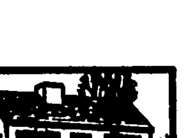
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES**, late of Belchertown, in said County, a person formerly under conservatorship.

The conservator of the property of said **ROBERT R. JONES** has presented to said Court his second and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 14-21-28

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **GLADYS M. RYTHER**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **H. MORGAN RYTHER** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 7, 14, 21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **LUKE F. BURNS**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **FLORANCE JOSEPH BURNS**, also known as **FLORENCE JOSEPH BURNS** and **F. JOSEPH BURNS**, of Springfield, in the County of Hampden, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

Jn 7,14,21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **WILLIAM CHARLES BELMONT**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **WILLIAM C. BELMONT, JR.**, of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of June, 1963.

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To all persons interested in the estate of **HARVEY A. LINCOURT**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **MARGUERITE A. LINCOURT** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eight tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night, in charge of the Agricultural committee, Rose Wenzel, chairman; F. Waite, F. Wenzel, A. Jones and G. Atwood.

Prize winners were: 1st, Gaetane Fortin, Joy Wright, Ruth Kempkes, Emma Grover; 2nd, Celia Jenks, Florence Damon, Herbert West, Anna Larzazs; 3rd, Ada Underwood, Agnes Sanborn, Aurore Granger, Christine Henry; door, Ada Underwood, Gaetane Fortin.

This week's party will be in charge of the Home and Community Service Committee, Ruth Kempkes, chairman; M. Williams, M. Daigle and M. Harrington.

WEDDING

Of local interest is the coming marriage of Joyce Ann Biondo, who graduated from Belchertown High School in 1962. She is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Biondo, Jr., of Lakewood, New Jersey. She will be married in the First Christian Church in Hinton, Oklahoma, to B. Franklin Piper. The groom's father, Rev. Piper, will perform the ceremony on July 5. The couple will make their home in Nevada.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Children's Day Service at 11 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship in Fellowship Hall at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fourth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Dominique Studio Graduation and [Pi]cnic at Zoo in New York, leaving [Co]mmon at 7.30 a. m.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Registration of children for swimming program at town beach from 1 [to] 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Registration of adults for swimming [pro]gram at town beach from 6.30 to [7.3]0 p. m.

THURSDAY

Swimming program for children at [tow]n beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

FRIDAY

[F]irst Friday services in St. Francis at [1]0 a.m. and 7 p. m.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Hilltop Twirlers' Graduatiion Dance [at] Memorial Hall from 7.30 to 10 p. [m.]

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

This Saturday, June 29, the Belchertown Square Dance Club will have Dick and Ricky Spencer as callers. Our dance will be at Memorial Hall. For the month of July and August we are having just one dance each month—Saturday, July 27, and Saturday, August 24.

Host and hostess will be Julian and Jean Hussey; Dick and Mary Pratt.

Refreshments will be in charge of John and Esther Carr, Ken and Maureen Brown, George and Dottie Carpenter, Gerald and Pat Richard, and Andy and Vicki Sears.

POSTAL ZIP CODE

Local residents will soon be using a five digit number on their mail, in addition to the recent change to the eleven numbers you must now dial to get a long distance call through. This latest change, to become effective on Monday, July 1, will be written below the town and state in the return address, according to the Postmistress, Mary G. Hanifin. She stressed the importance of learning this number and using it in the return address on all correspondence.

The ZIP Code for Belchertown is 01007.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. John Flaherty of North Main St. announces the engagement of her daughter, Jane, to S/Sgt Sheldon H. Card, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Card of Calais, Maine.

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TOMORROW

Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

Congregational Men's Class Picnic at Gould Ketchen's at 4 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

July 15-26
Vacation Church School.

July 20
Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.

July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Aug. 4
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church.

Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper.

Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

One Day Late

As the Fourth comes on Thursday of next week, this paper will be issued one day later than usual.

The Sentinel Staff

FAREWELL FROM THE FIELDERS

Dear Mr. Blackmer:

Here is the story on the Fielders—

Our new address is 1109 Devonshire Drive, Montgomery, Alabama. We will be there until the middle of June, 1964. I will be attending the Air War College at the Air University, Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, Alabama.

Carol will be attending Berea College, Berea, Kentucky. Bill will be at Union College, Barbourville, Kentucky. Bob is a question mark at the present; Jean will begin Jr. High in Montgomery, Ala.

Beng a part of the community here in Belchertown has been a most pleasant experience for all of us. It's a grand place, with loads of fine people. We thank you sincerely for sharing with us.

To the many friends we will not be able to personally say goodbye to, I would like to say farewell, many thanks and God Bless You.

If any of you are near Montgomery, don't fail to stop for a visit. We would feel bad if you didn't.

Please keep us on the mailing list for the Sentinel. We still want to keep in touch.

Thanks again for a lovely time.

Sincerely, The Fielders

BIDS OPENED

On Wednesday evening, the School Building Committee, and the architect, Stoner Associates of Boston, met for the opening of bids for the proposed Jr. - Sr. High School. It was held in Memorial Hall, though the group present didn't require the space.

At the appointed hour, Ike Hodgen announced that the final hour had run out for the submission of bids, and that no further bids would be accepted. Mr. Stoner, architect, was asked to read the bids.

There were six bidders. They and their bids are listed below.

D. A. Sullivan & Sons General Contractors, Northampton. 1-42
Contract price—Gen. Cont.—Item #2
$903,000 519,098 $392,902

Fontaine Bro., Bay St., Springfield
$948,200 $551,698 $306,502

Joseph Orwat & Sons, Chicopee 1-42
$949,893 $556,991 $392,902

H. P. Cummings, General Contractor, Ware 1-42
$957,333 $564,431 $392,902

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SWIMMING PROGRAM

Mrs. David Staples, who has charge of the swimming program again this year, announces that registration for the children will take place next Tuesday from 1 to 4 p. m. at the town beach, with two classes weekly—on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Registration for adults will be on Wednesday from 6.30 to 7.30, also at the town beach.

Classes for the children will run for five weeks, with adults meeting for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Staples will be assisted by Miss Joan Letourneau.

WESTOVER RE-FUELER CRASH

In the early hours of last Friday, during a heavy rain, a giant KC-135 strato jet tanker assigned to the 99th Air Refueling Squadron from Westover A.F.B., crashed in the densly wooded area on the Granby side of Turkey Hill in Belchertown.

The crash, which occurred around 1, according to Air Force officials, occurred while the aircraft was returning from a routine training mission. The crewmen aboard included the Aircraft Commander (first pilot), co-pilot, navigator, and the boom operator. The latter, M/Sgt. Daniel F. Donahue lost his life in the crash.

Local police were called by the base officials as well as by the Granby police. Searchers, including Chief Ernest M. Gay and Constable Herbert Squires, with a great deal of difficulty, as there were no roads all the way in to the crash area, made their way through the woods in search of the wreckage.

Dressel Avenue, which is about a half mile long in from Rte 202 at the Belchertown-Granby line, was used by most officials to get part way in to the site.

Residents in the area (none much closer than a mile from the crash site) were querried by reporters from the various papers and for the most part heard nothing of the crash itself until they heard it reported by radio or newspaper.

The exact crash site remains to be pinpointed according to town boundaries, but it is thought that it lies near the crest of Turkey Hill, nearly a mile from the Granby line, some distance in from Rte. 202.

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RETIRED MINISTER MOVING HERE

Rev. Elmer Gramstrom, who has been in charge of Atkinson House (a Conference Center in Vermont) for 16 years, expects with his wife, to be permanently located at the Stebbins home on Maple St. on or about July 15.

HILLTOP TWIRLERS

Belchertown's new teen square dance club, The Hilltop Twirlers, will graduate their first class of 51 dancers at Memorial Hall on Friday, June 28, from 7.30 to 10 p. m., with their club caller, Red McCain, calling. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. The dance is open to all club dancers, both teen and adult.

On Saturday, June 22, after their final lesson, the teens elected the following officers for their club:

President Bonnie Opielowski
Secretary Sue Hussey
Treasurer Johnny Carpenter
Program Chairman Jeff Carr
Refreshment Chairman Carol Oliveira
Teen Representative Maureen McCain

Adult advisors for the club are Mrs. Marion Opielowski, Mr. Julian Hussey, and Mrs. Robert Keyes.

Summer activities for the teens include a dance sponsored by Red Rascals, the Granby teen club at Beck's Barn on Belchertown Rd., Amherst on Friday, July 12, and a dance for the Hilltop Twirlers at Beck's Barn on Friday, August 9. The Hilltop Twirlers, Red's Rascals, the Belchertown Squares, and the Granby Squarenaders are sponsoring Family night square dances at Crystal Park, Bondsville, on Saturday, July 20, and on Saturday, August 17, with Red McCain and John Alden Calling. These dances are also open to all club square dancers.

DOMINIQUE DIPLOMAS

GRADUATION LIST—TAP

Grade—Beginners
Darlene Williams

Grade—1—Beginners
Sandra Dorey
Andrea Dorey

Grade—1 A—Beginners
Donna Sroka
Marlene Sroka
Sherrie Loftus
Anettia Smith

Grade—2—Intermediate
Susan Shaw
Terry Lindsay
Mary Opalenik
Greb Lyon
Sandra Lyon
Hazel Morey
John Pinkos

Grade—3—Intermediate
Pat Adam
Kathy Morey
Mary Oberly
Brenda Potter
Debbie Morey

Basic Ballet, Modern and Character Dancing have also been taught.

The Steeple Colloquy

RUSSELL BERGERON DISCUSSES TWO AGES OF TRANSPORTATION

The Stone House essays are proving excellent aids to a tiring Steeple this month. This week I am giving you Russell Bergeron's 2nd prize winner.

One judge said: "He concentrates on a small segment instead of spreading himself thin over the total exhibits. There is a touch of humor and plenty of wisdom wrapped up in this essay."

Another judge spoke of the "originality and sense of humor" which she found refreshing. I am sure you will agree.

It is interesting that the three top essays this spring were on three entirely different aspects of the Stone House collection.

You really must plan to make the house a visit!

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MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION PRESERVED BY THE STONE HOUSE

by Russell Bergeron

After I had visited the Stone House, the thought that kept returning to interest me was how people in the so-called "olden days" managed to travel about the country. There were no cars, subways, planes, trains or ocean liners; still these hardy men managed to travel all over this great nation.

I wonder if the aforementioned vehicles are really better than the simple means of transportation I saw at the Stone House. The wagons, surreys, etc. use by our predecessors never gave them such headaches as flat tires, mounting traffic fatalities, keeping up with the Jones, excise taxes, and insurance. Oh well, I suppose all these things are necessarily a part of progress and in time we will be able to eliminate them in our pursuit of a better life.

How do the vehicles I saw in the Stone House Annex compare with the cars of today? Let me discuss them one by one.

The shay, or one-horse runabout, was the economy model—the compact of a hundred years ago. This was by far the most widely used means of transportation, largely because of its versatility and low cost. Its economy was due to several reasons. Only one horse was needed as a means of propulsion; this in itself was a significant selling point—more miles to the feeding, more navigability. Also the simplicity of its design and its light weight permitted a more rapid rate of speed than did a multi-horse-drawn set-up.

Although the shay was a basic type, there were many variations, or what we would call "customs" today. Different men had varying theories in regard to these vehicles, and they experimented in order to prove or disprove their ideas. They worked with suspension, reducing weight, body style, and brakes. One problem encountered by automobile manufacturers they did not have was that of acceleration and mechanical power. This category was left completely up to the horse; if he decided not to move, the traveler was left in rather bad shape. The only way of urging this old-fashioned power plant was by way of the whip. Here we find the forerunner of the gas pedal—the whip—and the forerunner of the engine—the horse. Both of these have been elaborated on and have advanced considerably in recent years.

The hearse, alone over in the far corner of the barn, seems to have been built intentionally as a true representative of death. It stands there alone as though this transport of death had itself outlived its purpose and died—a fitting end for a carriage whose price for a ride was life itself. It brings to mind a scene of dense fog on a starless night with black-clad mourners following the ebony coach down a weed-grown road. Enough of gloom—let us think of more cheerful things.

The stagecoach brings to mind much more pleasant thoughts. The stage was the forerunner of our taxi-cabs, busses, subways, and all other commercial vehicles. It was the first horse-drawn carriage to be used in America chiefly for the purpose of transporting people on a commercial basis. It carried passengers, mail, and cargo in limited amounts. The first stage coaches were quite crude and far from comfortable, but as competition increased in proportion to the companies that vied for customers, a gradual improvement became evident. The coach-line owners based their advertisement on much the same lines as do our contemporary cross-country buslines—"leave the driving to us." Several stations were established enroute for the comfort of the passengers, with a schedule supposedly in effect. At these stations, the passengers could wash, eat, play cards, and stretch their legs. These stations were actually a distant relative of the rest areas we see along our super highways today. The main difference was that instead of getting gas for their engines, the drivers changed to a fresh team of horses. In addition, the drivers and passengers alike had access to alcoholic beverages to make the remainder of the trip seem less boring and perhaps shorter. Luckily for the drivers, there were no laws prohibiting driving while "under the influence" and no roadchecks to enforce such laws. However, the drivers couldn't have indulged too much as it must have required a cool head and steady hand to manage a frisky team over the tortuous roads they were required to use and to cope with the ever-present danger of Indian raids.

The drivers of these commercial vehicles were often as colorful as their profession. These hardy, fun-loving men were as a rule good horsemen who broke the monotony of a tedious trip by terrifying their passengers by driving hard and fast over treacherous terrain and often appeared to take chances that risked turning over their horse-drawn "hot rods." Actually, they were of necessity highly efficient, and in complete control. Their skill was evidenced by the fact that they usually reached their destination and lived to frighten future passengers.

Lastly, and of least importance in company with the majestic carriages previously mentioned, is the ordinary, or high-wheeled, bicycle. This type of bicycle was patented first in the United States by James Starley about 1873 and was the first to go under the name of bicycle. The diameter of the front wheel in proportion to that of the rear wheel was roughly three to one; the drive wheel was located up front, in contrast to today's bicycles. No attempt was made at comfort. The power train consisted of two half gears driving two full gears rather than the chain drive now commonly employed. Both speed and control were at a minimum because of the awkwardness of construction. The bicycle, however, should not be considered as of a frivolous nature. It was the main means of transportation of a great number of people. Whether it was used for a serious purpose or for pleasure, its appearance implies that whoever made use of it must have been of a rugged nature.

However nostalgic a trip to the Stone House may make a person, I am sure no one would seriously want to give up our modern conveniences for the accommodations of yesteryear. We are too used to today's comforts and conveniences. However, we have paid a high price for these things. Somewhere along the line we seem to have lost the ability to relax. Life today is a series of races, but what do we accomplish with the time we save? We hurry all the more. Years ago, people travelled more slowly but were better able to see and enjoy the things around them.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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For the Sanfords' Fiftieth!

Love is a thing, so we've been told,
Becomes more precious the longer we
hold.
Your love for each other, as the years
have unrolled,
Has turned itself now to purest gold.
Yes, the Sanfords have riches, and
we've been told
They may get older, but they never
get old;
And we know, when burdened with
sundry ills
We can always find gold in them
Plainfield Hills!

Bob Jackson

BIDS OPENED

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D. Stefano Construction, Brighton
$967,000 $574,098 $392,902

Leo Spear Construction, Highland Sta., Springfield. 1-42
$969,308 $577,306 $392,002

The Alterate bids for the three lowest firms were read but are not noted here, due to the lack of space. There were 32 Alternates, thus 96 sets of figures.

A final decision will be made later as to the awarding of contracts. The Committee will meet again at 8 p. m. Monday evening in the Superintendent's office in the Library.

FINAL ASSEMBLY

Seventy-six students received certificates of completion of the the junior high school at the final assembly Friday, and achievement awards were also presented.

The program was opened by members of the 8th grade class singing "My Brother's Hand" under the direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, music supervisor, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Bernadette Bowler.

Donna Wadsworth presented Mrs. Bowler with a gift on behalf of the students in honor of her retirement after 20 years of teaching in the Belchertown public schools.

Paul Whitlock, boys' physical education instructor, showed the students the framed certificate presented to the school by the Amateur Athletic Union, for having some 75 per cent of the boys in both grades successfully complete a physical fitness test. He also presented individual certificates to the 28 eighth grade boys who had proven themselves physically fit. The three highest scorers were Frederick Fitzgerald, Timothy Barrett and Donald Dube.

He also presented athletic awards to the boys who had participated in the school track, basketball, baseball and soccer teams. These included Richard Rimbold, Lewis Squires, Joseph Dyer, Fred Owen, George Opalenik, Donald Vanasse, Douglas Trudel, John McCaughey, Robert Martin and Timothy Barrett. Patsy Adam was presented a medal as the outstanding girl athlete for her performance in the field day exercises.

Donald Geer, principal, presented certificates to students who participated in special programs including glee club, year book and the science countdown series. Among those receiving multiple certificates were Linda Squires, Bonnie Kimball and Virginia Kilpatrick. The principal also presented Frederick Fitzgerald, Jr., with a special certificate as the winner of the science countdown held at the school.

Geer also complimented him for winning the Hampshire County championship and his later performance in the semi-finals held in Boston to determine a state winner, where he placed seventh out of some 65,000 eighth grade students.

Joseph Sheehan, social studies instructor, gave awards to Jane Shattuck, Frederick Fitzgerald, Jr., George Opalenik, Roseann Lemire, Linda Fogette and Robert Powers.

HONORED ON HER RETIREMENT

The Belchertown Teachers Association honored Mrs. Bernadette Bowler, teacher at Center Junior High School, at a luncheon at DeMarco's Restaurant, Ludlow on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Bowler is retiring after 20 years of teaching — in Belchertown schools and elsewhere.

Edward F. Burgess, school guidance director, presided over the luncheon. Words of appreciation were delivered by Donald Geer, principal, and C. Peterson, Supt. of Schools. The association presented Mrs. Bowler with a radio.

Mrs. Bowler began here as a substitute at the now unused Lilley School in 1942 and served as a regular teacher at that one room schoolhouse until 1946. She taught in the high school at the eighth grade level from 1946 to 1947 at the same level and taught in this capacity until her retirement. This past year she has been head teacher at Center Jr. High.

She previously taught in Palmer, Three Rivers and Bondsville.

She lives with her husband, Bernadette Bowler in South Belchertown. Mr. Bowler is a supervisor with the Monsanto Chemical Co. Her present pastime call for gardening and later to travel.

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CLAMBAKE

It was a wonderful day for the Chamber of Commerce clambake on Sunday at Malo's beach, and according to accounts, the food was wonderful, all had a wonderful time, "people got their bellies full, and nobody got sick". And more were fed (160) than last time.

Paul Becchetti of Granby with his P. A. system, furnished music for the occasion.

Walter Boyko was the bake chef. Other members of the Chamber assisting were Malcolm Stone, Milton Stone, Donald Towne, Ted Smist and Jane Gawlik.

ZOO TRIP

Mr. Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance states that the trip to New York will take place this coming Sunday, leaving the common at 7.30. There will be two buses as originally scheduled. Diplomas will be awarded on this trip as noted elsewhere, and there will be a picnic in connection.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Union Vacation Bible School will be held this year from July 15-26. There is an offering taken each year and it has been decided that this year it will go to the Hospital Ship *Hope*. A model of this ship will be on display. It has been assembled by Emerson Green and is a replica of this People-to-People Health program. This is a romantic as well as a very helpful program. This ship was relaunched about three years ago. It sails under the auspices of the People-to-People Health Foundation, and is financed by donations from private citizens and U. S. industry. This ex-Navy ship carries the latest medical techniques to the under-developed nations of the World.

On her first voyage to Djakarta, Indonesia, not only did her staff of 63 doctors, nurses and technicians treat countless serious cases, but they also conducted lectures for Indonesian doctors and nurses, bringing them information about the latest developments in medical science.

The 15,000 ton *Hope* was loaned to the Project Hope by the Navy. She is 520 feet long, has a beam of 72 feet and a speed of 18 knots. There are three large operating rooms, as well as a special room for eye surgery, and an infant delivery room. She has ward space for 250 bed patients.

The *Hope* is the first ship of a proposed Great White Fleet, which will be made up of several similar ships, each making calls at countries that make specific requests for their service. This humanitarian service will bring much needed medical information to parts of the world where only the most primitive facilities are now available, and where an awakening populace are in dire need of health and medical education.

It will go far in showing the world that the American people as individuals are anxious to share the benefits of a free society. Thus the offerings of the children this year can make a real difference in the relationships of peoples around the globe.

MRS. EARLE WHITEHOUSE

Mrs. Hazelle C. Whitehouse, 70, died last week Thursday at her home on North Washington St. She was born in Haverhill, September 4, 1892, a daughter of the late Joseph E. and Julia R. (Greenlay) Cate. A 1910 graduate of Haverhill High School, she was also graduated from Framingham Normal School in 1913. In her earlier years she was associated with Wesson Memorial Hospital, Springfield, and the Anna Jacques Hospital, Newburyport, as a dietitian. Later she was associated with Dartmouth Inn, Hanover, N. H., and Manchester Institute of Arts and Sciences in a similar capacity. For a period she taught at Portsmouth, N. H., High School.

From 1942 to 1952 she was a director of personnel for the Columbian National Life Insurance Co., Boston, moving to this town in 1952. She has served as a volunteer worker at Mary Lane Hospital, Ware, and at Clapp Memorial Library.

Mrs. Whitehouse was a member of Grace Episcopal Church, Amherst, and the Belchertown Garden Club.

She leaves her husband, Earle H. Whitehouse, whom she married in Haverhill, April 18, 1928; two daughters, Miss Ethel K. Whitehouse, of Dover, N. H., and Mrs. Frank E. Farrington, Jr., of this town; two grandchildren; five brothers, Edgar P. Cate of Portland, Me., Ray T. Cate of St. Petersburg, Fla., Gerald Cate of Dover, N. H., Charles A. Cate of South Portland, Me., and John Cate of Concord, N. H.; two sisters, Mrs. Edna Windbell of Brentwood, N. H., and Mrs. Elliott Cordner of this town.

A memorial service was held at Grace Episcopal Church, Amherst, Sunday at 2 p. m. Rev. James H. Clark, rector, officiated. Following cremation, burial was Tuesday at 2 p. m. in Pine Hill Cemetery, Dover, N. H.

Memorial contributions may be made to institute a fund to promote interest in furnishing books for the new Belchertown High School library. Contributions may be sent to Mrs. Walter Papp of Mill Valley Road.

RESIGNATION

The selectmen at a recent meeting accepted with regret the resignation of the school building committee chairman, Lt. Col. Benton Fielder, by reason of his having been transferred.

It was most interesting to note that Col. Fielder was able to serve on the committee during the planning stages, practically to the time of receiving the bids. He was on hand Wednesday night to see how the bids came out.

He manifested great interest in the project, especially since he was well aware that he could not see it through to completion, or his own family benefit thereby.

His was a dedicated service that many will long remember. He served as president of the P. T. A. and of the Nonotuck Bowmen, and the family was prominent in the Methodist Church.

Their kindly Farewell is found in another column.

SERVICE NOTES

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. (AHTNC)—Army Pvt. Richard H. Wilson, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Soule, live in Belchertown, Mass., completed a five-week military accounting course at The Finance School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., June 8.

During the course Wilson received instruction in the organization, recording procedures, operations and reports required by the financial accounting portion of the Army command management system.

Wilson entered the Army last December and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

The 23-year-old soldier is a 1958 graduate of Agawam High School and attended the University of Massachusetts in Amherst.

AWARD WINNER

Christine Midura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Midura, North Washington St., Belchertown, received the John C. Pickett Award, one of two given to students who best represent the qualities of cooperativeness, sincerety, friendliness, persistence, loyalty and regularity of attendance, at the 67th Commencement of Northampton Commercial College held at Sage Hall on the Smith College campus, Friday, June 14.

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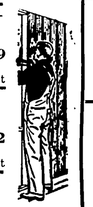

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 8, 18-23. The Epistle of St. Paul to the Romans.

Gospel—Luke 5, 1-11. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the miraculous draft of fishes).

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Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College often say Mass here at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

— POPE PAUL VI —

The 261st* successor to St. Peter has been chosen—he is Giovanni Battista Cardinal Montini, the Archbishop of Milan, Italy since December of 1954.

The announcement came at 11.20 a. m., Rome Time, on Friday, the 21st, a Feast Day in the Church, the Feast of The Sacred Heart of Jesus. He was chosen on the fifth or sixth ballot.

Cardinal Montini chose the name Paul VI, and is the 79th Pontiff elected in conclave—previously popes were elected by the clergy in the Rome See.

A brief look into his life reveals: Cardinal Montini, now Paul VI, was born September 26, 1897 in Concesio, Italy. He was ordained on May 29, 1920. He was the Attache to Nunciature in Warsaw, Poland, from 1922 to 1923; Assistant and Moderator of Italian Catholic Action, University Section, 1923-33; began work in Secretariat of State 1933; Undersecretary 1936; and Pro-Secretary for Ordinary Affairs 1952. He declined Cardinalate in 1953; and was consecrated Archbishop of Milan on December 12, 1954. He was chosen again for the Cardinalate by John XXIII and accepted, becoming a prince of the church on December 15, 1958.

Previous popes who chose the name of Paul, excepting the first—St. Paul, 757-767, were: Paul V, Camillo Borghese, 1605-1621; Paul IV, Gian Pietro Carafa, 1555-1559; Paul III, Alessandro Farnese, 1534-1549; and Paul II, Pietro Barbo, 1464-1471.

* Source: 1963 National Catholic Almanac.

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— CORONATION DATE —

Pope Paul VI has set Sunday, June 30 for his coronation. This age-old ceremony will be held in the huge St. Peter's Bascilica, in the Vatican state.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the first Friday in July will be held Thursday evening from 7.30 to 8.30.

On Friday—Mass in St. Francis at 7.30 a. m.; confessions in the evening from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass following at 7 p. m.

— FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY —

As noted in the column written by W. R. Blackmer on page two, our church building was dedicated as a Catholic church some forty years ago.

Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Leary was present at the services held on Sunday, June 24, 1923 which were attended by a large gathering.

TOWN ITEMS

Edward J. Sargent of Haverhill, son of the late Edgar E. Sargent, postmaster here during some of the war years, and for whom Sargent St. was named, was in town last Friday, accompanied by his daughter, Phyllis, (Mrs. Frederick C. Pafenbach) of Dalton, the latter's daughter having graduated in that place the evening previous.

Edward Sargent was engaged in the electrical appliance business while in town years back. He is now engaged in the real estate business in Haverhill.

Mr. John L. Dearness is a patient at the Wesson Memorial Hospital in Springfield.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 30

This will be Children's Day in the Church, with the Sunday School leading the Morning Worship Service at the 11 a. m. hour. The program will be under the direction of the Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. E. Clifton Witt. The Sunday School will award Bibles and will be open all summer at 9.30 a. m.

7.30 p. m. Evensong—note the change in time from 7.45 p. m. to 7.30 p. m. This change in the hour will be for the summer.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

8 p. m. The Mid-week Service will be held in Fellowship Hall. This service will continue through the summer. If your church does not offer a mid-week service, you are invited to this Gospel Hour.

W. S. C. S.

The meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held in the vestry of the church last week Wednesday, with our vice-president, Joan Poole, in charge of the business meeting in the absence of our president, Evelyn Lodge.

The response to the request for trading stamps of any kind in any quantity was most gratifying. The most important item of business was the discussion of the program for the coming year. Final decision was left with the vice-president and her program committee.

The worship service was in charge of our secretary of spiritual life, Loretta Gay, who spoke of her own Christian growth over the past few years and ended her talk with a solo, "Open My Eyes." Our pastor spoke briefly on Psalm Eight and entitled his talk, "The World and its Vastness," but went on to explain that if we are in His will, great things can be accomplished. One of our members, Ruth French, witnessed to this fact through the enrollment in college of three of her children, and another this September in a family of nine.

Mrs. Pearl Very, chairman of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism, would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped to make last week's food sale a success, either by donating or buying. It was a very rewarding two hours. An interesting side-light: a chair used for relaxing during the few idle moments of the sale was left on the common over the week-end and was not picked up until late Monday afternoon—attesting to the honesty of the passersby—or was it the poor condition of the chair that deterred them?

HITCHED AND UNHITCHED

The Hitched and Unhitched of the Belchertown Methodist Church held their annual outdoor picnic at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Trombly, Friday evening. Due to the strong cold wind, the out-door picnic became a barn picnic, as the tables were set up in the hay barn, with true farm atmosphere, including sound effects; a good time was had by all. The business meeting was held in-doors with Doris Trombly, president, presiding. The nominating committee gave a report of new officers for the coming year:

President	Louis Bellerose
Vice President	Albert Dewhurst
Secretary	Bernice Bellerose
Treasurer	Merle Green
Publicity	Doris Trombly

The new officers were installed by Rev. Green. The outgoing officers were given a rising vote of thanks for the good work during the past year. Money was voted for the Methodist Youth Fellowship Campership. No meetings will be held during the summer.

DOUBLE OR NOTHING PICNIC

Nearly 20 couples of the Double or Nothing Club met for their annual meeting and picnic on what, many believe, is the most beautiful and appropriate spot in the Quabbin area for a picnic. It is a quiet spot, away from the whirl, a spacious spot, room for the playing of out-doors games, and has a beautiful view of the reservoir, seemingly only a few rods away. And there was the added attraction of being able to listen to the league baseball game going on between Boston and Cleveland.

The first item on arrival was the "eats", prepared by the committee consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Jr. This supplemented the salad dishes brought by the couples.

Following the supper, the annual business meeting was held. After the report of the Secretary and Treasurer presented by June Henneman, the nominating committee, consisting of Alma Lindquist, Doris Dickinson and Arlan Skinner, presented the following slate of officers for 1963-64:

President	John Bailey
Vice President	Byron Hudson
Secretary	June Henneman
Treasurer	Edison Bresett

Executive Committee
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shirtcliff, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pratt, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thayer.

And they were unamimously elected.

The new president was introduced and gave a speech of acceptance which was greeted with applause.

Then the group broke up. The lovers of horse shoes to one spot, those who love the Bowling on the Green (ladies joined here) to another spot while the croquet fans were in the croquet area. Many preferred simply to sit and chat, which was very delightful. Evidently the croquet players kept the crowd from going home before dusk. But, as it was, they stopped in the midst of a very exciting game, and so ended a very delightful occasion.

MEN'S PICNIC

The Men's Bible class of the Congregational Church will hold their annual picnic at the home of Gould Ketchen tomorrow afternoon, beginning around 4 o'clock. The games and the cook-out are in charge of the committee consisting of Gould Ketchen, Harold Peck and Roger Merrell. Since the Uniform Quarterly, which the class has used for the past eight years, will not be published after August, the class will decide after supper what course of lessons to pursue.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Free—For What?"

Nursery care will be provided for small children during the service of worship at 10:45 on Sunday morning.

Deacons

The Board of Deacons will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Trustees

The Board of Trustees will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Attending Camp

Donald Perham will leave on Monday for a week at the Deering Pilgrim Fellowship camp at Hillsboro, New Hampshire.

Pulpit Supply Committee

The Pulpit Supply Committee will meet tonight at 7.30 in the Parish House.

Junior Teachers

Teachers in the Junior Department in the Church School next year will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Parish House.

Men's Class Picnic

The Men's Bible Class will hold a picnic at the home of Gould Ketchen late tomorrow afternoon. Plans will also be made for the coming year.

Summer Services

Beginning on Sunday, July 7, and continuing through the first Sunday in September, the services of worship will be held at 9.30.

Mr. Varga will preach on July 7, August 4, 18, and 25.

Rev. Harold Curtis will preach on July 14, 21, and 28.

A supply will be provided for August 11, when Mr. Varga will be serving on the youth camp staff at Star Island.

Vacation Church School

The annual Vacation Church School sponsored by the Congregational and Methodist Churches will be held July 15-26, from 9 a. m. to 11.30 a. m.

TOWN ITEMS

The Leo Neggers family of Thorndike, formerly of this town, have bought the Louis Allen place in the north part of town and are now living there. Mr. and Mrs. Neggers are parents of seven children.

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JOHNSON—MARINO WEDDING

Miss Jacqueline Lou Johnson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. Louis Johnson of Sabin St., Belchertown, became the bride of Ralph Anthony Marino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Marino of North Adams, Sunday in the South Athol Methodist Church of which the bride's father is pastor.

Rev. William T. Bennett, pastor of the First Methodist Church in West Southport, Me., and grandfather of the groom performed the double ring ceremony.

Guest organist, Jack Gradijan of Bedford, played the traditional music and wedding marches. Miss Janet Kelleher of Revere was soloist and sang "Oh Perfect Love", "Blest Be the Tie That Binds", and "Joyful, Joyful".

Mrs. Jack Gradijan attended the bride as matron of honor. The Misses Donna Knowlton of Athol and Judith Johnson, sister of the bride were the bridesmaids.

Kenneth Frail of Newton served as Mr. Marino's best man while Richard Johnson, brother of the bride, and William Crosby of Worcester served as ushers. Mark Marino, brother of the bridegroom was the acolyte.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white satin which she made and designed herself, with sweetheart neckline trimmed in chantilly lace. Her elbow length illusion veil was attached to a crown of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a prayer book decorated with a rose-tipped orchid with stephanotis streamers.

The bridesmaid's dresses were of slipper satin in three shades of rose, with bateau necklines, fitted bodices, and street length controlled skirts. Their headpieces were matching nose-tip veils attached to velvet bows. They carried colonial nosegays of matching carnations.

The bride's mother wore a lace sheath over satin of old rose with white accessories and a corsage of carnations in three shades of rose, interwoven with pink lace and ribbon.

The groom's mother was attired in a beige print afternoon dress with red accessories and a corsage of red carnations.

The church was decorated with old fashioned roses at each window and the altar vases were filled with pink miniature roses.

A reception followed the ceremony in the parish hall. Miss Betty Miller of South Braintree was in charge of the guest book.

The bride is a graduate of the North Brookfield High School and the University of Mass. The bridegroom also is a graduate of the University and will enter Boston University School of Theology in the fall.

Among the out of town guests were: The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Avey of Westfield, The Rev. Jan Selby of Worcester, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Booth and family of North Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Malin of Boston, Miss Marcia Alderman and Mr. Jay Cherniclea of Westfield.

After a wedding trip to Maine, the couple will reside in Boston.

GIRL SCOUT AWARDS

The Belchertown Girl Scouts held a Court of Awards recently at Lawrence Memorial Hall with a large number of parents and friends in attendance.

Brownies received their fly up wings and Girl Scout pins. Mrs. Robert Atchinson, neighborhood leader, was in charge.

Brownies who flew up were: Zoe Fay, Mary Opalenik, Debra Ducharme, Fredericka Very, Debra Morey, Jane Robinson, Nancy Brighenti, Sheryl Scott, Kathleen Hutchinson, Kathleen Dowd, Darlene Czapla, Yvette Rioux, Roxanne Towne, Lisa Ely, Kathleen Kearney, Joanne Avery, Denise Fay, Grace Jackson, Jeanne Joyal, Marie Lapointe, June Mercier, Carol Merriam and Susan Clark. Brownie leaders were Mrs. Atchinson and Mrs. Charles Dowd.

First class awards were given to Mary Atchinson, Sally Capen, Gail Capen, Becky Davin, Martha Henneman, Anne Jackson, Marilyn Sujdak, Patricia Theroux and Donna Wadsworth.

Curved bar awards were presented to Mary Atchinson and Anne Jackson. These girls, as part of their first class requirements, redecorated the teachers' lounge at the Center Junior High School.

Second class awards and cat and dog badges for the scouts in Troop 438 went to Theresa Lapointe, Cathleen Carpenter, Rity Ely, Charlene Bronner, Norma Vosburg, Barbara Menard and Jacqueline Mercier.

Second class awards were given to Karen Capen, Evelyn Fleming and Kathleen Dzuris.

Five year pins and four merit badges were awarded to April Capen, Patty Carr, Gail Faulkins; Sandy Gay was awarded a five year pin and three merit badges. Mrs. Lillian Whipple and Mrs. John Carr are the troop leaders.

Troop 437 gave second class awards and Homemakers badges to Debbie Whidden, Jackie and Susan Rioux, Mary Wadsworth, Linda Nolan, Marsha Staples, Gloria Ritter and Rosiland Moreau. Kathy O'Donnell and Debra Wall received second class awards. Sandra Henrichon, Marsha Sears and Donna Sroka received five year pins and merit badges. Mrs. Mitchell Sroka and Mrs. John Wadsworth are the troop leaders.

PLANE CRASH

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This was the largest aircraft to crash within the town. The most recent loss, also from Westover, was the crash of an F-102 (fighter) which went down about a mile and one half from the center off Rte. 9 in August of last year.

"**FROM OUR FILES**" had to be carried over until next week.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Thirteen tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Home and Community Service Committee, R. Kempkes, chairman. Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, William Smith, Rose Canavan; 2nd, Cora Mientka, Esther Thayer, Lena Nightingale, Esther Prescott; 3rd, Aurore Granger, Ada Underwood, Doris Belanger, Christine Henry; door, Mrs. Jenks, Godfrey Wenzel; special, Pete Bleau, Mrs. Daigle. Madella Pease, Celia Jenks, W. DeFord.

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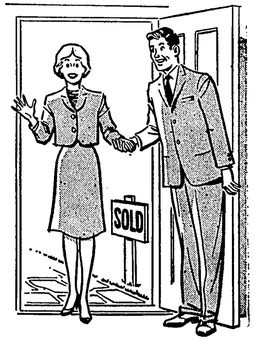

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **ROBERT R. JONES,** late of Belchertown, in said County, a person formerly under conservatorship.

The conservator of the property of said **ROBERT R. JONES** has presented to said Court his second and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 14-21-28

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **WILLIAM CHARLES BELMONT,** late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **WILLIAM C. BELMONT, JR.,** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 21, 28, Jy 5

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **HAZELLE C. WHITEHOUSE,** late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **EARLE H. WHITEHOUSE** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 28, Jy 6, 12

ENGAGED

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Miss Flaherty is a recent graduate of Westfield State Teachers College. Card is a graduate of Calais Memorial High School and of Holy Rosary Commercial College of St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada. He is presently stationed at Westover Air Force Base.

The couple plan on an August Wedding.

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday, July 1, on the application of Stanford J. Harrington for a permit under Section IV B 2c of the zoning by-laws for sand removal.

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Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fifth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Swimmers' group at town beach at 1 m.
Intermediate group at town beach 0.45 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.
Home Department with Mrs. Ada Giles at 2 p. m.
Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid at Dwight Chapel at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

THURSDAY

Swimmers' group at town beach at 1 m.
Intermediate group at town beach 0.45 a. m.
Garden Club Tour to Stanley Park, Westfield.
Library at 11 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of Woman's Society of Christian Service.

SATURDAY

TODAY—SATURDAY
Grange Card Party.

CONSIDERING BIDS

The School Building committee met with the architect on Monday evening and went over the bids, but no action was taken and will not be until definite O. K's. are received from the School Building Assistance Commission, and the Emergency Finance Board in Boston. It is probable that definite action will be taken next week.

Due to Benton Fielder's leaving town, Isaac A. Hodgen, vice-chairman, is presently serving as chairman.

BEACH REGULATIONS

Signs have been printed for erection at the town beach. These give the beach regulations, which are as follows:

1. No glass allowed on the Beach.
2. No dogs allowed on the Beach. Dogs in other areas must be on a leash.
3. No fishing within the swimming area.
4. Inner tubes, inflated toys and air mattresses are considered very dangerous for non-swimmers and children unmattended, and are advised not to be used.
5. Cans and other refuse must be placed in the rubbish containers.
6. Disorderly conduct, severe profanity and creating a general nuisance will be considered an offense and be reported to the officer in charge.
7. No alcoholic beverages allowed in the area.
8. No baths to be taken at the Beach.

Violators of any of the above regulations will be prosecuted.

Coming Events

July 15-26
Vacation Church School.
July 20
Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.
July 22
Town meeting at 7.30 p. m. in Memorial Hall.
July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Aug. 4
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church.
Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The American Legion Post 239 and Auxiliary Unit of Belchertown gratefully acknowledges the donation of a hospital bed and a walker given by Mr. Morgan Ryther of this town. The walker is already in use.

Post 239 now has one walker, one wheel chair and two beds available free of charge to the people of this town.

Thank you, Mr. Ryther.
Post 239

NO. WASHINGTON ST. AUTO FATALITY

On Wednesday night of last week, a Palmer youth, Frank Naglack, 18, of 5 Oak Street, lost his life in the collision of the car which he was operating. The accident occurred near the Dudek farm on North Washington Street. It apparently went out of control, left the road, and slammed into a tree broadside.

It was the first auto fatality of the year in town. The three other occupants of the car were released from the Wing Memorial Hospital in Palmer after treatment of minor cuts and other injuries.

With tragic suddeness, it was the third loss in the family (all violent) within a week. A week previous, his two first cousins, Judy Ann Naglack, 12, and Karen Susan, 8, died in a fire at their home on Monson Road, Stafford Springs, Conn.

The vehicle, which has been setting well in view of motorists using Rte. 202 near Chadbourne's, has served as a grim reminder of the perils of the road—especially over this past holiday.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

There will be a Special Town Meeting on Monday, July 22, 1963 to take action on eight articles in the warrant, which articles follow:

Art. 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from the Road Machinery Earnings Account to the Road Machinery Expense Account or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 2 To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Sections 7A through 7D, of Chapter 58 of the General Laws, as amended, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will vote to rezone from Agricultural to Business a parcel of land owned by Lewis Slate at the junction of Barrett and North Liberty Streets or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to appoint an agent to enforce the

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GRADUATE

Among the recent graduates of Vashon High School, Vashon Washington, was Terri Phaneuf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Phaneuf, formerly of Belchertown.

During the commencement exercises Terri received a Torch pin, wore an honor card which is symbolic of a high scholastic record, and was announced as one of the top ten in her class.

Along with the above honors, she also received a scholarship from Washington State University where she will continue her education in the fall.

CAMP HOWE HAS VACANCIES

Opportunities at Camp Howe are many for any boy or girl 9 to 16 years of age. Youngsters learn about outdoor living, make new friends, renew old acquaintances, learn to swim, skills in crafts, sports, boating and even horse-back riding.

Although this is a 4-H camp built by members, friends, cookie sales, and contributions of organizations, non 4-H'ers are most welcome. The more campers the lower the cost per member. Camp season is from July 7, to August 10, and fees are $20. per week for 4-H members and $3 more for non members. But remember! this includes *insurance* and *medical examination* at camp.

So you boys and girls who don't know what to do or are getting bored, here is a nice place to spend a week or two or more at beautiful camp Howe, just about 30 miles from Belchertown.

Anyone desiring more information about Camp Howe in Goshen is welcome to call Mrs. Omer Dupuis, tel. AT 3-6676, anytime, or the county agent, Charles Wissenbach, JU 4-2557.

The Town Committee has made available for any 4-H member a part campership.

DRY CLEANERS INSTALLED

Harold B. Ketchen announces that two Dry Cleaning machines have been installed at his Eagerbeaver Launderama at the Shopping Center. The machines are built by H. Greenwald Co., and we understand that these are the second installation of Du Pont's Val Cleans to be installed in all of New England. They will use "Valclene", a dry cleaning agent, by Du Pont. The firm will have more to say about it next week.

GOOD MEMORY

One is not very apt to recall, with detail, anything not spectacular which might have happened some thirty years

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GARDEN CLUB NOTES

Members will meet at the Library at 11 a. m. on Thursday, July 11, for the garden tour and picnic luncheon at Stanley Park, Westfield. Arrangements are in charge of the executive committee.

At the recent Wilbraham Flower Show, the Belchertown Garden Club won a second prize for their garden, "Come into the Kitchen."

BIG RESPONSE

Mrs. David Staples, who is in charge at the town beach, reports that many have signed up—in fact there are 80 in the beginners group, which makes a revamping of the whole program necessary.

Following is the schedule as of now:

Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10—the swimmers' group.

Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10.45—the intermediate group.

Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 1 to 4—swimming program for children.

Wednesday evening from 6.30 to 7.30—the adult group.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett of South Main Street have returned from a month's trip by automobile to Michigan, Ohio and New York State. Occasions featuring the trip were the fiftieth wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Bartlett's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Scott of Clare, Michigan, a visit with the Bartletts' daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Garland R. Brown and their two small daughters of Saginaw, Michigan, and the wedding in Fayetteville, N. Y. of Miss Ina Louise Bardwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Watson Bardwell. Mr. Bardwell is a native of Belchertown.

Weather ranged from nearly freezing at times in Michigan to excessive heat in New York State, but family reunions made the trip exceedingly worth while.

SERVICE NEWS

Robert N. Demers, GMT2, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Demers of Stebbins Street, is home on thirty days leave. Demers is presently stationed at Naval Air Station North Island, San Diego, California.

He will return to California, and in a few months complete three years in the Navy, and will continue in the same work for a firm in Oakland.

He is a graduate of B. H. S., class of 1960, and entered the Navy in the middle of August, 1960.

Battle Against Smoking
Fought Under Heavy Odds

Toward the close of a two-day conference of the principals and supervisors of the Springfield (Mass.) School System last week, a film on the relation between smoking and lung cancer was previewed. This film, produced by the American Cancer Society, is designed for adolescent viewing and was made in connection with a study the Society conducted among Oregon High School students to understand better why teen-agers smoke.

It is proposed that school kids be shown the film and parents given the Society's folder "To Smoke or Not To Smoke" as a part of their education in good health. The picture is at once informal and very serious. It is not sensational but does gives the conclusions drawn from massive research projects undertaken during the last decade.

The Society's own statement declares: "Clinical, epidemiological, experimental, chemical, and pathological evidence presented by many studies reported in recent years indicates beyond reasonable doubt that cigarette smoking is the major cause of the unprecedented increase in lung cancer."

The Royal College of Physicians of London reported last year: "Cigarette smoking is a cause of lung cancer and bronchitis and probably contributes to the development of coronary heart disease and various other less common diseases. It delays healing of gastric and duodenal ulcers . . ."

The College recommends: "Decisive steps should be taken by the Government (British) to curb the rising consumption of tobacco and especially of cigarettes." It also presented a program to protect school children, to restrict cigarette advertising, to increase taxes, to inform purchasers of tar and nicotine content, to test ways of helping people to give up cigarettes."

The Society is now particularly active in its efforts to reach teenagers and physicians. It feels that "the family doctor's attitude and action may well be decisive in determining whether or not people smoke."

It also believes that parent-teacher groups should be interested to know that the Oregon study indicated that "children whose parents smoke cigarettes are much more likely to acquire the smoking habit than children whose parents do not smoke."

It is not the purpose of this column to inveigh against the perils of smoking. I agree absolutely with the conclusion of the above-mentioned folder: "To smoke or not to smoke is an individual and personal decision for you and your children."

I am, however, concerned about the evidence I see around me which indicates that kids of secondary-school age (Grades 7 through 12—and even lower) are smoking younger and smoking more these days, and apparently not enjoying it a bit less.

I am concerned because the pressures from their surroundings which might induce them to smoke are so much stronger than the pressures which could cause them either to give up the habit or not start it.

Society really does not seem to care whether or not the kids smoke. "No Smoking" rules in schools or other places are not against smoking so much as a health risk but as a nuisance or a fire hazard.

The laws which once prevented children buying tobacco certainly must have relaxed. Once upon a time no business would chance selling tobacco to kids any more than it would now supply them with alcoholic beverages. Now I suspect any child with the change and the ability to push a button can get all the cigarettes he wants.

Parents and teachers often do not indicate by their own action that they consider smoking dangerous, although they are practically unanimous in *advising* youngsters not to start the habit.

To a kid, the argument that if you start smoking at 15 you may be dead at 60 is not too persuasive. At 15 he really believes that anyone who is still alive at 60 has most likely outlived most of his usefulness anyway—present family and respected older friends excepted, of course.

On the "Let's Smoke" side, the pressures are much more constant and effective and largely insidious. In thousands of attractive advertisements, the children are taught that folks they most admire are very fond of their cigarettes.

Sweet young girls come down the flowering paths of springtime to puff with feminine loveliness the proffered cigarette. *Real* men, having accomplished the hardest of work, or the most taxing of competitions, or the most thrilling of adventures, relax with a cigarette.

Nobody openly suggests that boys and girls should join the happy throng of smokers—but nobody needs to.

Great changes come about in advertising techniques. Not long ago it would have been considered most improper to appeal to the feminine side of the prospective market in order to sell tobacco. Now, with cigarettes as with beer, luscious gals smile sweetly at the tempting smoke or the foaming glass.

When some of us were children, the battle against the cigarette was led by the reformers. Revivalists with a series of lectures included one on tobacco along with others on alcohol, dancing, and, perhaps, card playing. I also remember seeing "the cigarette fiend" on display at the fall fairs.

Now the opposition to smoking is scientific, level-headed, and obviously very sincere. It is headed by top people in medicine and scientific research. Trouble is, I don't think it's getting through to the kids and their families.

Consequently, I believe we should all take much more seriously than we now do the matter of smoking by children under 18 and see to it that the kids are protected at least by having the evidence presented to them regularly and sanely.

Who's going to present it?

The last paragraphs of the "To Smoke or Not To Smoke" folder may be appropriate to close this rather glum discourse. It just doesn't seem we're very smart about this smoking business.

"The American Cancer Society estimates that, for American men, the chances of dying in middle age are almost twice as great for heavy cigarette smokers as for nonsmokers. Thus among men who are 25 years old, the percentage who may be expected to die before reaching 65 is: 23% among nonsmokers; 25% among cigar and pipe smokers; 27% among those who smoke less than 10 cigarettes a day; 34% among those who smoke 10 to 19 cigarettes a day—28% among those who smoke 20 to 39 cigarettes a day; 41% of those who smoke 40 or more cigarettes a day.

"Important studies indicate that those who give up smoking cigarettes —even after many years of the habit —have a substantially lower death rate than those who continue smoking. *Giving up smoking offers important health dividends.*"

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WE SHALL MISS THESE SPLENDID WOMAN CITIZENS

Belchertown has lost two of its finest woman citizens in the short space of a bit over a week.

Mrs. Earle Whitehouse had made many friends in her eleven years in Belchertown, and kept very busy at home and outside. She will be greatly missed in her neighborhood, where she was admired by all. She had a long career as a dietitian, personnel worker, and homemaker. Our great sympathy goes to Earle, who knew her the best.

Miss Katherine Bassett, owner of the Lift the Latch antique shop on Main Street, was a staunch and sturdy individualist who fought the good fight to the very end, penning her own obituary for the press!

She was as "New England" as the house where she lived and the goods with which she worked. She was an antique dealer of intelligence and integrity, and those who did business with her knew they could depend on her knowledge and her honesty.

It will seem strange to "lift the latch" and not have Katherine Bassett appear to help us choose a gift. She lived a full as well as courageous life. We only wish she could have come here earlier and stayed longer. With Mrs. Broadhurst having returned to Springfield, the lovely old "Parsons House" will not be quite the same for a while.

Just a bit ago, Mrs. Morgan Rytber, a near neighbor of the Whitehouses, also passed away. Although she had been largely confined to her home by crippling illness for a long while, her many acts of kindness had endeared her to her friends and neighbors.

Belchertown will miss these ladies —very much.

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Listen to the old clock below me— tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"There are two ways of spreading light: to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it." —*Edith Wharton*

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

THIS WEEK'S CONSIGNMENT

FORTY YEARS AGO

Representatives from Enfield, Pelham, Granby and Belchertown met at the Legion Headquarters and formed a Hampshire Co. Baseball League. A schedule of six home games and six return games was adopted.

Dea. and Mrs. A. H. Bartlett h a family reunion on the 4th. All children were present, besides gr children.

The Congregational Church w to repaint the church.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Rosemary Rytber has received no from the New England Conserva of Music in Boston that she has b granted a $100. scholarship.

The Fourth at the State School the usual gala occasion. The big e was the parade. Prizes were awar the following floats, in this order: the Wheel," "Oriental," "Ano Aweigh," "Robin Hood" and "Pio Wagon." There was a 26-piece b largely from Indian Orchard. Foll ing the parade there was the t meet and baseball games for boys girls, and fireworks in the evenin

Twenty-five from the Social G enjoyed a tour of the extensive fl gardens at the home of Dr. and George E. McPherson.

TEN YEARS AGO

The best patronized event of week was The Carnival under auspices of the Double or Not Club. There were 60 entries in parade, headed by doll carriages tricycles and bicycles. In full were the many stands, booths, sure chest, pony rides, balloons, bags, etc. 450 bottles of soft d were sold, and there was a larg tendance at the bean supper in Parish House. The Steeple from band stand announced the events kept the crowd in good humor.

Edna June Germain became bride of William F. Kimball, J

The Rev. George Dudley anno that the offering for the Wor tornado area amounted to $215.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Harri and family are moving to their n ly purchased house on Park Str

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LAST WEEK'S CONSIGNME

FORTY YEARS AGO

Miss Anna B. Abbey died a age of 75 at her home on Feder where she had lived for 67 year

St. Francis Church was ded Sunday morning with elaborate monies. Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Lea Springfield occupied the plac honor and sat upon the throne. day was significant by the pre of Rev. John Griffin of Holyoke Rev. John Griffin of Ware, bo whom were Belchertown boys. W. E. Foley assisted the form celebrating the mass. The preached an eloquent sermon. main message was that the me of the pulpit was not sufficient the building, nor the ritual, no music, for the church must touc community conscience. He to with Bishop O'Leary congrat Fr. McGrath and the church for labor and sacrifice in providing a beautiful and worshipful sanc

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

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In the afternoon, Bishop O'Leary confirmed a class of 36 young people.

Hazen Bros. advertise that fireworks may be secured beginning with July 2 at the South end of the Common.

George B. Jackson was awarded the janitorship of the new school buildings.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

A recreational field, long needed in town, is now assured. For years on end the Common has been the scene of baseball games, but with the growing trees on either side, and the coming of the automobile and hard surfaced roads it has become dangerous to play games there. So the Henry Gould lot on Jabish Street just below the home of the Husseys has been bought and donated to the town for recreational purposes. The baseball diamond will shortly be laid out.

Belchertown has a new map, thanks to the work of George E. McPherson, Jr. over a period of two and a half years. It is a very painstaking work, showing the location of ponds, brooks, cemeteries, school houses, churches, and even all homes. It is a very commendable piece of work and well nigh 100% accurate. The map is available in two sizes, 30 in. by 54 in. and 18 in. by 24 in.

The classes of 1917 and 1918 held their third triennial reunion in the chapel, nine graduates out of a possibility of 13 being present. William E. Bridgman was chairman.

TEN YEARS AGO

Walter L. Brown died at the age of 87 at his home on Maple St. He came to Belchertown 15 years ago when Enfield was taken for Quabbin Reservoir.

Carl Peterson was elected Superintendent of schools to take the place of George S. Goodell resigned.

The 82nd Commencement, the reporter declared, was "an outstanding commencement". Perhaps because of the Class motto; "We have crossed the Bay; the Ocean Lies before Us", and the use of it in the address of the speaker Robert S. Hopkins, Jr., of the University of Massachusetts.

Frank Scialla was installed the new President of the Lions Club.

MEN'S CLASS PICNIC

Fourteen members of Rev. W. R. Blackmer's men's class were in attendance at the picnic at Gould Ketchen's last Saturday afternoon. With spasmodic sprinkles, it looked like an indoor event, but turned out to be an all-out-door one, at that.

Facilities for fun had been laid out by the committee, Gould Ketchen, Roger Merrell and Harold Peck. There were two croquet courts, one for badminton, another for horseshoes, while the whole side hill above the garden was available for bowling on the green, where one could roam over the Ketchen holdings.

Those who had reached the golden age stage, and so wished, could sit by the lily and goldfish pool (on the site of the old silo) and think it over.

Hamburgs and hot dogs comprised the evening's menu, with cup cakes and watermelon the grand finale.

Following the repast, Rev. Mr Blackmer, the teacher, commented on the different lesson helps available. It was finally decided to use the uniform lesson series, the kind dated for the different Sundays, starting the first of October. In September the class will consider chapters in the book, "The Significance of the Church."

After the business meeting, croquet devotees used the court by the house, and sprinkles or no sprinkles, the show went on.

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BELCHERTOWN HIGH HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for the Marking Period ending June 14, 1963.

First Honor Roll

Averages of 90-100

Seniors

Lorraine Daigle
Carol Fielder
Thomas Krol
Lee Lamoureux
Elaine Tetrault
Carl Theroux

Juniors

Sandra Field
Joanne Gould
Merle Green
Richard Merrell

Sophomores

Christine Gould
Linda Martin
Michael Mathras
David Scott

Freshmen

Harriet Cunningham
Marjorie Officer

Second Honor Roll

Averages of 85-89

Seniors

Barbara Alden
Joanne Barrett
Francine Carmody
Sharyn Cook
Frances Goodrow
Patricia Hayward
Carol Hurd
Dexter Ketchen
William Krause
Denise Labrecque
Frank Pietryka
Linda Piper
Susan Shattuck
William Zobka

Juniors

Rosemary McLean
Jane Peterson
Sandra Richards

Sophomores

Warren Barrett
Edward Bodzinski
Michael McLean
David Papp
Joanne Sporbert

Freshmen

Richard Adams
Catherine Barry
James Dahlgren
Carol Dana
Gloria Garvan
Edward Isaac

VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

The Vacation Church School, sponsored jointly by the Congregational and Methodist Churches, will be held July 15-26.

Mrs. Ernest Lowe is director for the school which will use the theme, "God and His Will."

Classes will be from 9 to 11.30 a. m. on Monday through Friday for the two week period.

Those eligible to attend are children who were four years of age prior to January first, through those who were students in the sixth grade the past school year.

A transportation pool is being formed for those who could not attend otherwise. A small registration fee is being charged this year, based on a family rate.

Committees for the school include Mrs. Irving Hislop and Mrs. Herbert Wood, transportation; Mrs. Preston Atwood and Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, telephone; Mrs. Elwyn Bock and Mrs. Allan Witt, promotion; and Mrs. Merle Green, refreshments.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Peter 3, 8-15. The First Epistle of St. Peter the Apostle.

Gospel—Matthew 5, 20-24. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Christ warns against internal as well as external sins of anger).

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Priests from the St. Hyacinth Seminary and College often say Mass here at 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

Purely external practices of devotion like those of the Pharisees have no value in God's eyes. We must first "hallow the Lord Christ in (our) hearts." From this inner grace and pure intention will spring patience and readiness to help and forgive even an offending neighbor.

CHURCH DEDICATION STORY

Portions of an article printed in the *Belchertown Sentinel* in the Friday, June 29, 1923 edition are re-printed here for your pleasure.

The article was entitled "Dedicates New Church", and it read:

"St. Francis church was dedicated Sunday morning (that would be June 24) with elaborate ceremonies. It was, indeed, a great day for the Catholics. Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Leary of Springfield summarized the occasion in his well-chosen words at the close of the service when he complimented the people for their sacrifice, Father McGrath for his untiring efforts, and the town of Belchertown for the establishment of another bulwark against evil and another means of propagating peace and happiness.

"Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Leary of Springfield occupied the place of honor in the dedication ceremonies and sat upon the throne during the services. Music was furnished by the choir of St. Bartholomew's church of Bondsville.

"Fr. Griffin preached a sermon most appropriate to the occasion and of great eloquence. He prefaced his discourse with words of commendation to the people of the parish, who by the exercise of faith and sacrifice had made possible another house of worship in this historic village. He congratulated the pastor who had guided and directed their efforts and had crowned the day with pomp and splendor.

"He asked them, however, to put aside this veil of symbolism, to get the inner life and meaning of the ceremony, and called attention to the fact that the social, civil and moral life in every community in which the church takes root, is affected.

"A church, he said, is the acknowledgement of dependance on a higher power. Ever since God walked with Adam He has spoken with authority. He has kept alive the knowledge of Himself by a long line of prophets, flashes, as it were, through the passing years."

— to be continued next week —

— OUR DIOCESE —

The following information was taken from the 1963 edition of the National Catholic Almanac:

There are in the Springfield diocese (early 1963)—328 Diocesan Priests, 178 Religious Priests, 41 Brothers, 1,378 Sisters, 134 Parishes, 18 Missions, and an estimated 379,000 faithful.

TO RE-CONVENE COUNCIL

It was announced a few days ago that Pope Paul will re-convene the Second Vatican Ecumenical Council on Sunday, September 29.

More than 2,500 are expected to go to Rome for the assembly. The council was first called by Pope John XXIII to promote the cause of Christian unity.

The council convened last October 11. Pope John recessed it on December 8, but it was automatically suspended on Pope John's death.

— JULY DEDICATION —

The month of July is dedicated to The Most Precious Blood. July 1, was the feast of the Precious Blood, and throughout this month the faithful will remember the sacrifice which Christ made—when he shed his blood on the cross for our salvation.

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Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
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Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte.

SUNDAY, JULY 7

9.30 a. m. Morning Worship, with Mr. Philip Moos, a lay preacher, and member of the First Methodist Church in Holyoke.

This hour, 9.30 a. m., will be the hour of worship through the months of July and August.

7.30 p. m. Evensong in charge of Youth Fellowship.

FRIDAY, JULY 12

7.30 p. m. Missionary Group of Woman's Society of Christian Service.

DWIGHT CHAPEL

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid will hold their monthly meeting at Dwight Chapel, Tuesday evening, July 9, at 8 p. m. All members, please attend, if possible.

TOWN ITEMS

Elliott S. Cordner of Sabin Street, chairman of the Board of Assessors, was taken to Providence Hospital in Holyoke last week Thursday night in the town ambulance.

Lester Stivers is at the Soldiers Home in Holyoke, recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Schroeder and family moved this week to 235 Ridgecrest Drive, Route 2, Chesterfield, Mo., by reason of Mr. Schroeder having been transferred to the St. Louis office of the Monsanto Chemical Co.

The William Dickinson family's new address is 170 Brainard St., South Hadley.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "God Is"

The services of worship for the remainder of the summer will be held at 9.30. Nursery care is provided.

The soloist for this Sunday is Mrs. Stanford Harrington.

Home Department

The Home Department will meet on Tuesday, July 9, at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. Ada Staples.

Attending Camp

Jane Shattuck, Lewis Squires and Arthur Brown will attend the Pilgrim Fellowship camp at Pinewoods, near Plymouth, for one week, beginning Wednesday.

Kenneth Nolan, Ellen Rice and Kathy Rogers will spend a week at the Pilgrim Fellowship camp at Framingham, beginning Thursday.

Vacation Church School

The annual Vacation Church School sponsored by the Congregational and Methodist churches will be held July 15-26, from 9 a. m. to 11.30 a. m.

Baptism

Parents desiring baptism for their children on Sunday, August 18, should speak to Mr. Varga as soon as possible.

Vacation

Rev. Varga and family will leave for vacation in Pennsylvania on Monday, July 8. Those who need emergency pastoral attention should contact Deacon Arlan Skinner, who will know how to reach Mr. Varga.

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KATHERINE BASSETT

Miss Katherine E. Bassett, a prominent lady in the community who operated an antique store first in Westfield, then in Brimfield, and later Belchertown, and had many friends in Western Massachusetts, wrote her obituary shortly before she died. It is as follows:

Miss Katherine E. Bassett, 77, of Main St., died in Western Massachusetts Hospital, Westfield, Friday, after a long illness.

She was born in Northampton on May 6, 1886, daughter of Justin H. and Julia (Williams) Bassett. She spent the early part of her life in Northampton, later moving to Westfield, where she opened an antique shop. For the past 25 years she has operated the Lift the Latch Antique Shop in Westfield, Brimfield and Belchertown.

She was a lifelong member of the Edwards Congregational Church in Northampton. She was an honorary member of the Pioneer Valley Antique Dealers Association, a former member of the Westfield Women's Club, and the Fortnightly Club of Westfield.

She leaves no near relatives.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Beers & Story Funeral Home, Park Street, Belchertown, with Rev. Paul V. Varga, pastor of the Belchertown Congregational Church, officiating. Cremation followed.

BENJAMIN J. HORTON

Benjamin J. Horton, 92, of Bethesda, Md., former acting governor of Puerto Rico, and father of Mrs. Francis Wadhams of this town, died Saturday in an Amherst Nursing Home, where he had lived for 2½ months.

Mr. Horton, who moved to Puerto Rico in 1899, had served as acting governor of the island six times between 1933 and 1935.

He was born in Lawrence, Kan., September 8, 1870, the son of Benjamin and Sarah (Yeatman) Horton. He was a student at the University of Kansas and its law school from 1892 to 1896 and received his law degree in 1897 from Washington University. He practiced law in St. Louis, Mo., before moving to Puerto Rico.

His home town in Kansas was named by a territorial governor, a physician, who married a descendant of one of the first settlers in this town. Later their daughter contributed the funds to construct Lawrence Memorial Hall.

In Puerto Rico, Mr. Horton was U. S. commissioner in Ponce in 1901; chairman of the board of elections in Ponce, 1902; special district attorney in Mayaguez in 1903 during the investigation of municipal affairs; district attorney of Mayaguez district, 1905-06; attorney general of Puerto Rico, 1933-35; special legal advisor of the Puerto Rican Reconstruction Administration, 1935.

He was a delegate from Puerto Rico to the Democratic national conventions from 1912 to 1940 and was a Democratic National Committeeman from 1932 to 1940.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Francis Wadhams of this town and Mrs. Dorothy Myer of Bethesda, Maryland, three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT METHODIST CHURCH

Impressive Children's Day exercises were held at the Methodist Church on Sunday at the time of the regular morning worship service.

A special order of service, "O Praise Him! Alleluia!", put out by the denomination, was used.

Opening Hymn, "All creatures of our God and King"
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A PRAYER

Dear Father, on this special day
We bow our heads and humbly pray.
We thank Thee for Thy holy Word
And Sunday school where it is heard.

We thank Thee for Thy precious Son
Who died to save us—every one.
We thank Thee for our teachers dear
Who taught us faithfully this year.

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Certificates of promotion were awarded to children graduating from each department.

Bibles with pupils' names in gold, were given to each pupil graduating from Primary to Junior Department.

Gold crosses were also given to all members of the church school.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Marvin Green, who has been a patient this past week at Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton, is expected home shortly.

Rev. Marvin R. Green and son Emerson, left by plane Friday for Huntsville, Missouri, where Mr. Green will conduct evangelistic services next week, Sunday to Friday, in his home church.

TOWN MEETING

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zoning by-laws and issue building permits, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 5 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the treasury to the Clapp Memorial Library the following sum of money which has been received by the Town from the Commonwealth for library purposes, for the year 1963, the sum of $1,296.50 or take any other action relative thereto.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM CHARLES BELMONT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that WILLIAM C. BELMONT, JR., of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 21, 28, Jy 5

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of HAZELLE C. WHITEHOUSE, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by EARLE H. WHITEHOUSE of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jn 28, Jy 6, 12

TOWN MEETING

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Art. 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,821.60 to meet the Town's share of maintaining the Hampshire County Sanatorium or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 7 To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of property of approximately ten (10) acres in area located on the Daniel Shays Highway, deeded to the Town by Mildred Ward Neff and Forrest H. Ward, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 8 To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

GRANGE NOTES

Nine tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the executive committee, L. Geoffroy, chairman; F. Lincoln, G. Wenzel. Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holcomb, Peter Bleau and Ethel Sanderson; 2nd, Esther Thayer, Lena Nightingale, Caroline Mientka and Esther Prescott; 3rd, Lillian Judge, Celia Jenks, Florence Damon and Elsie Bleau; door, Elsie Bleau and Esther Prescott.

This week's party will be in charge of the Youth Committee, Glen. Stillings, chairman; Ruth Dodge, Henry Eskett and Frank Davis.

GOOD MEMORY

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previous, yet, there is a nurse now at Wesson Memorial Hospital in Springfield that does—at least in this case.

While a patient at the Wesson, J. Dearness told me of an elderly nurse who came in to see him, saying that she hadn't heard or seen the name Dearness in 31 years, that she remembered assisting at the birth of twins, called "baby Dearness twins", at the Providence Hospital, Holyoke, and that she had to find out if this patient with the same name had any connection with the birth. He did indeed! He told her that he was one of those twins.

She left with a smile on her face—and left one very startled patient.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Rev. Harold Curtis, Preacher

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Mr. Ralph Pierce, Preacher
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.
Mr. L. C. Wynns, Preacher

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Sixth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.

TUESDAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Swimmers' group at town beach at 9 a. m.
Intermediate group at town beach 10.45 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

THURSDAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Swimmers' group at town beach at 9 a. m.
Intermediate group at town beach 10.45 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

FRIDAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Food Sale on the Common at 2 p.m

SATURDAY

Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.
Esperanto Club picnic at the home of Leslie M. Allen, Alden Rd.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Missionary Group of Woman's Society of Christian Service at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Suhm.

TOMORROW

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

July 21-25
Spiritual Life Mission at Methodist Church.

July 22
Town meeting at 7.30 p. m. in Memorial Hall.

July 24
Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid Picnic at Dwight Chapel.

July 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Aug. 4
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church.

Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper.

Aug. 23
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family.

Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Richard W. Blazo, Principal of Cold Spring School, announces that registration for children entering Belchertown Public Schools for the first time in September, will be held the week of July 15, 1963, at the Cold Spring School. Hours are 9 to 3.

This registration period is only for those children not previously registered.

NEW RESIDENTS

The Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Granstrom, host and hostess at the Atkinson House, Newbury, Vermont, have recently tendered their resignation effective July 31 because they have had a wonderful offer. The Massachusetts Congregational Conference has invited them to occupy a single-family home owned by the Conference here in town—the Stebbins home on Maple Street.

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VOTE TO AWARD CONTRACT TO SULLIVAN, INC.

The School Building Committee at a meeting on Wednesday evening, voted to award the contract for the new school to D. A. Sullivan and Sons, Inc., of Northampton, the low bidder.

The contract may not be actually signed for some ten days after all the details have been gone over. The committee reports that the contractor is in a position to start work a few days after actual signing.

The Sullivan concern built the Student Union building at the University, constructed the High School at Easthampton, which recently graduated its first class, and is presently working on an addition to Noble Hospital in Westfield.

The target date for the completion of the new school is said to be September of 1964.

The committee announces that it has the approval of the School Building Assistance Commission and the Emergency Finance Board as concerns the project.

Present for the meeting besides the committee were the architect from Stoner Associates, Mr. Sullivan of the successful contracting firm, and attorney Morse of Northampton.

The committee has reorganized with the departure of Benton Fielder. Isaac A. Hodgen is now chairman and David Staples, vice-chairman.

METHODIST MISSION

The Methodist Church announces a Spiritual Life Mission to be held July 21 to 25 in the local church with Rev. Reginald Goff, an ordained Methodist pastor, preaching.

The daily schedule from Monday to Thursday is:

9.15 a. m. Holy Communion.
9.45 a. m. Studies in First Corinthians.
10.45 a. m. Prayer Hour.

Preaching from Sunday to Thursday is at 7.30 p. m., with "Reg" preaching.

Rev. Reginald F. Goff was born in Clarksburg, Ontario, Canada, and came to the United States in 1933 for his higher education. He attended Asbury Theological Seminary for two years as a special student. He graduated from Asbury College (A. D.) in 1936.

In 1944 he was transferred to the Wyoming State Conference as pastor of the Worland Methodist Church, which church he left to become Missioner of The Fellowship of the Healing Christ. During this time he held many conference offices.

He has constantly given an evangelistic emphasis in his own church ministry. It is said of him that his message is not what the Lord has done

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METHODIST SCHOOL TO CONTINUE

The Ware Area Council of Methodist Churches at a meeting last night in the Ware Methodist Church selected the new courses for another School for Christian Workers to be held at the Belchertown Methodist Educational Building, this fall.

The school will start September 30 and close November 4. There will be five courses offered this year; the first one during the first hour for all those interested in enriching their lives through the use of the Bible, the second hour will be taken up with specialized courses as last year's. It is expected that there will be an increase in enrollment over last year's enrollment of one hundred and eleven. It was voted by the Council to ask the former dean, G. Louis Johnson to serve again as dean. Mr. Johnson is now pastor of the South Athol Methodist Church but agreed to accept the responsibility.

FOOD SALE

There will be a food sale at the end of the common Friday, July 19 at 2 p. m. sponsored by the Methodist Commission on Education.

ESPERANTO CLUB

The Greater Springfield Esperanto Club will serve as host for the New England annual picnic. There will be a cookout on Saturday, July 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Allen, Alden Road, Belchertown.

Anyone interested in Esperanto is invited to bring his picnic lunch and join the group.

Study lessons are conducted by Mr. Warren Gould, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Allen every Sunday at 7.30 p. m.

TOWN MEETING ARTICLE

Attention is again called to the special town meeting to be held Monday, July 22. It is of interest to note that the ten acres of land being offered the town by Mildred Ward Neff and Forrest H. Ward are located on the Daniel Shays highway near the Boy Scout camp.

It seems that this land is wooded land and is given the town for no particular use, but is land for which the absentee owners have no use.

DAIGLE—WISNEWSKI WEDDING

Miss Marguerite Anne Daigle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Daigle of Federal Street, became the bride of Peter Stanley Wisnewski of Spring-

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RETURN FROM KOREA

The two Robinson brothers, Richard and Clarence, Jr., have returned from Korea, where they have been stationed for the past year with the U. S. Army.

They arrived here in town last week after being released from active duty in California following their crossing of the Pacific on MSTS Transports. Each came on a different ship, sailing a week apart.

Clarence was stationed at Camp Casey, while his brother was at Camp Hovey (both camps were named after American servicemen who lost their lives in the Korean War) just a few miles distant.

While in Korea, they were able to see each other quite often—this helped a great deal in making their tour more enjoyable.

When asked of their future plans, they told us that Clarence would return to work at Monsanto, while Rich would enter the U of M as a Junior in the fall.

The two, are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson of Old Springfield Road, of this town. Both graduated from Springfield Trade High School, Clarence in 1956, and Richard in 1958. They both entered the Army in the summer of 1961 for two year tours.

Clarence was stationed in New Jersey before going to Korea where he attended a school. Richard was stationed in Kansas, where in a Division competition firing of the Browning automatic rifle, he scored second highest, for which he was awarded the Army marksmanship medal. He too went to Korea, where, after three months they were re-united when the older brother, Clarence, was transferred to the camp near-by.

PUBLIC HAM SUPPER

The Police Association's 2nd annual Public Supper will be held in the Congregational Parish House next week Saturday night. Servings will be from 5 to 7.

The menu includes ham, mashed potatoes, side dishes and apple pie.

The price is $1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children.

The general chairman for the supper is Chester Dzwonkowski.

SERVICE NOTES

Wayne C. Martin, A/2c, USAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Martin of Federal Street, is home on twenty days' leave after graduating from Technical School at Chanute Air Force Base, Rantoul, Illinois. He was promoted to Airman Second Class after completing a 32 weeks' course in Automatic Pilot Systems Repair. At the end of his leave, he will be stationed at Dow Air Force Base, Bangor, Maine.

Price of Present Progress Includes Lots of Shade Trees

The increasing number of our village trees that are succumbing to one catastrophe or another may well be viewed with alarm by those who like to think of the traditional maple or elm-shaded avenues that made New England different from other parts of the country. We have an excellent tree warden, and the trees are certainly getting more care now than in the days gone by—but we are losing them all the same.

The large elm on the old Post Office corner stands bleak and bare of leaves this Sunday morning. It seemed to die almost over night. The Dutch Elm Disease continues to gain. All up and down our streets the stumps or scars are threatening to outnumber the living trees.

It isn't just elms, either. On the common a sizeable maple had to be removed a short time ago. Some folks wondered why it had to be cut, but examination had revealed that it was so badly decayed that it was becoming a menace and could not be saved. As I stood on the church lawn looking at the spot where it had stood, I could see two other maples on the southern end of the common that look to be on their way out.

We are getting thinned out! I remember this town as a community with lovely shaded streets. Perhaps the real decline started in 1938, when the Hurricane struck. South Main Street, for instance, was like a high-arched green tunnel in summer before the big wind turned it into a tangle of wreckage from which it has never recovered.

Along with the storms and diseases which are pretty hard to forecast or control, have come other troubles. I suspect that the decision of all Americans to keep their cars on the roads 365 days a year, and the snow and ice off those same roads, has been tough on the trees. The salt which causes car bodies to crumble may likely affect the trees, too. You may have noticed that out in the boondocks where the dirt roads still wander about, the trees do look better.

Trees have had to share in the cost of improved public utilities, as we have remarked before in these columns. The electric and phone companies are nice about the whole thing, and have even suggested the types of planting best suited to fit under wires, but those trees that had the misfortune to be planted years ago have come out second best. Properties on the non-utility side of the roads tend to look better with their trees untrimmed than the poles on the other side. Mebbe the assessors ought to check on that angle.

This town was not very well shaded sixty or seventy years ago, to judge by photographs of the common, the hotels, the library, and so on, that were taken then and displayed during the Bicentennial. Those lovely trees that flourished at their peak in the mid-thirties must have been planted back in the eighties.

It should be comforting to note that there is nothing in our present situation that is not prevalent in almost every city and town hereabouts. Present-day Springfield has lost thousands of trees, especially in the older parts of the city. A photograph of State Street looking down from Buckingham Street, taken in 1905, shows a shaded boulevard with trees planted on *both* sides of wide tree belts on *either* side of State Street. O course, there was a single line of traffic on each side of the street in those days. Now there is absolutely no arboreal beauty in that locality.

I do think that each town should be thinking of its "tree future" just about now, and presenting a long-term plan. There should be conferences and advice from experts. Perhaps the Grange and the Garden Club could make such a study part of their program.

Speaking of Springfield, I saw by the paper a bit ago that its estimated population is now 178,200, a gain of about 4,000 in three years, and about 16,000 since 1950. Also it is reported that there are now 12 horses residing in Springfield!

The city itself is the biggest employer, with 4350 employees, as compared to 3100 employed by the next-highest employer, Monsanto Chemical. Mass. Mutual has 2027, American Bosch 2000. Westinghouse is down to 1350, which is 150 fewer than Moore Drop.

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Quaint and Picturesque Names Add Zest To Localities

My *American College Dictionary* lists *Podunk* as being "U.S.—a humorous name for any small or insignificant place." It fails to state that the place actually exists. My *American Guide* doesn't even mention it. Actually, of course, it is a crossroads down in Brookfield and a large sign on Route 20 points toward it. H. L. Mencken once fell upon the name and raised it to international notoriety. The fact that there *is* a Podunk, and that it is here in Western Massachusetts was the start of a recent article in the *Union*.

Strange "place names" are fun. When a town has any in its heritage it should preserve them at all costs! We have a few in sundry states of preservation here.

We have, or did have, a *Skeetersville*, down in the South Belchertown section. This designation is probably fairly common. There is a *Mosquitoville* up in Vermont. I always liked the name *Duck* given to Bondsville, and originating from the fabric once produced in the mills of that town. I am not sure that Bondsville folks really liked it—though they used it.

Pansy Park is a grand name and deserves some sort of immortality. It is, as you may know, another name for *Dwight*, where the Goodells were responsible for the beautiful pansy beds of another day.

Blue Meadow is authentic and does have a road sign over by the entrance to Quabbin. The name came from the great numbers of wild iris that colored the fields of that locality. *Turkey Hill* is a wonderful name and we hope it will last. *Rockrimmon*—let's never forget it—or have we? *Dark Corner* is largely forgotten, but should not be.

Back when we had "district schools", the name of the schoolhouse either designated a section bearing that name or the section took its name from the title given the school. I never knew which, and probably it was both ways! There were the obviously patriotic names: *Washington, Liberty, Franklin, Union, Federal. Lake Vale* and *Laurel* were others. *Chestnut Hill, East Hill,* and *West Hill* came into the picture.

It is always a bit dangerous to name a section or a street after an individual, however well liked at the time of his departure. There comes a time when *Everett Avenue* means next to nothing to anyone. On the other hand, *Clapp Memorial Library* is likely to preserve the name into the future.

Can anyone give us more interesting place names belonging in Belchertown? All towns have them. There is—or was—a *Sodom* in Amherst. And *Rattlesnake Gutter* is still slithering in Leverett!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Woodman, spare that tree!
Touch not a single bough!
In youth it sheltered me,
And I'll protect it now . . .

"When but an idle boy
I sought its grateful shade;
In all their gushing joy
Here too my sisters played.
My mother kissed me here;
My father pressed my hand—
Forgive this foolish tear,
But let that old oak stand!

"My heart-strings round thee cling,
Close as thy bark, old friend!
Here shall the wild-bird sing,
And still thy branches bend.
Old tree! the storm still brave!
And, woodman, leave the spot;
While I've a hand to save,
Thy axe shall hurt it not."

George Perkins Morris

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

A letter is being sent out this week to all alumni of B.H.S. soliciting contributions to "equip wholly or in part the domestic science room of the new High School."

The Girl Scouts of Pine Cone Troop 2 hiked to Lake Metacomet with lunches and bathing suits for a day's outing.

B. F. Jackson has a position this summer at M.A.C.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Harold C. Booth of Turkey Hill and Mrs. Beulah Brandes of Yarmouth, N.S. were united in marriage by Rev. Harold D. Suhm, brother-in-law of the groom.

At the union Sunday morning service Rev. Horatio F. Robbins preached such a striking sermon on "Ultimate Security" that the editor was moved to devote two columns to it. Mr. Robbins pointed out in the first place that no one can be secure of economic security and in the second place that no one can be certain of government security. Here are two sentences from his third point on "ultimate security": "We could endure economic insecurity, poverty, hardship of mind and body, injustice and persecution if only we knew that in the shadow standeth God". "If we have the sense of the certainty of God, we need not fear the eventualities of life."

The Second Pelham service will be held Sunday with a half hour of Interpretation of music to be followed with addresses by the dean of M.A.C., and a Prof. from Smith. At 5:30 Vespers will be held under the leadership of the headmaster of Monson Academy to be followed by an address by the Pres. of M.A.C.

TEN YEARS AGO

Lightning destroyed the house of Mrs. Etta B. Randolph at Dwight.

The playground opened on Monday morning with 71 registrations. For the week the average morning attendance was 32, and 39 for the afternoon.

Mrs. Cora L. Steen died at the Normand home on Federal St. at the age of 80.

The Renovation Project at the Congregational Parish House is now under way. Five minutes of the morning services during July will be devoted to addresses by laymen: Rev. Harold W. Curtis is the campaign director.

Romeo J. Joyal writes an article for the *Sentinel* concerning the changes which have taken place at the R. R. station. In 1906 he said there was an average of 24 trains per day over the B & M and 12-14 on the C.V. At that time there were as many as 12 cars per day interchanged between the two railroads.

METHODIST MISSION

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through Reginald Goff, but what he has done through a praying church. At one time his church had 18 prayer groups and the results were amazing.

In 1956 Rev. Goff was chosen as the Methodist pastor to be one of the team sent under the sponsorship of World Vision Incorporated to speak at Pastor's schools in Korea, Formosa and two Pastor's schools in the Philippines. A second missionary tour was taken this same year under the joint sponsorship of the Methodist Board of Evangelism and Board of Missions in its evangelistic mission in Brazil.

"Reg" Goff is Missioner for The Fellowship of the Healing Christ, an organization dedicated to the restoration of healing in the Methodist Church. In this office he travels about the country. He comes to Belchertown from the First Methodist Church, Garrett, Indiana, and goes from Belchertown to Carter Park Methodist Church, Fort Worth, Texas. This is his only New England Mission.

NEW RESIDENTS

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Mr. Granstrom will have opportunity to do interim and supply preaching. This offer has led them to retire a year or two before they otherwise would have planned.

A farewell party will be held for the Granstroms this coming Sunday at Newbury, Vt. Congregational Church.

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DAIGLE—WISNEWSKI WEDDING

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field Road, Palmer, Saturday in St. Francis Church. Fr. Joseph T. Collins celebrated the nuptial mass and performed the marriage ceremony, using the double-ring service.

The bride was attended by her sister, Lorraine as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Brenda Bronner and Mrs. Marguerite Hulmes, both of this town. Paul S. Wisnewski of Norfolk, Virginia, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Donald Daigle, Belchertown, and Theodore Hyland of Holden.

Mrs. Margaret Landers was organist and Walter Papp the soloist.

The bride wore a gown of imported silk peau de soie, fashioned with Basque bodice, Florentine neckline and elbow-length sleeves embroidered with seed pearls with semi-sheath skirt sweeping into a flare and terminating into a chapel train. This was worn with a waist-length veil of imported illusion which was caught to a silk peau de soie pillbox hat with back bow of miniature rosette. She carried a white prayer book with a white orchid center arrangement and stephanotis. The honor attendant and bridesmaids were attired in similar style shift waist cocktail length frocks of jade mimie chiffon, detachable caplets attached to shoulders with velvet bows and matching jade bateau hats. They carried cascades of orange roses.

The reception followed in the Amvets Hall, Willimansett. In the receiving line, the bride's mother wore a shrimp silk organza over taffeta dress and the bridegroom's mother was attired in a turquoise chiffon sheath. Both wore orchid corsages. About 135 guests attended. Later in the day the couple left on a trip of unannounced destination. They will reside on Jabish St. upon their return around the 22nd. Mrs. Wisnewski wore a pink suit with white accessories for her going away costume.

The bride was born in Holyoke and attended Belchertown High School and is now doing secretarial work in the Providence Hospital School of Nursing, Holyoke. Her husband is a native of Three Rivers and graduated from the U of M. He is currently employed at the Jabish Brook Country Club here in town as superintendent.

CAMERA CLUB

The current issue of "The Developing Tray," newsletter of the Belchertown Color Camera Club, contains much information which has not appeared in our columns. New officers are:

President
E. Robert Bousquet, Ware
Vice-President John White, Ware
Secretary Mrs. Dorothy Walker, Ware
Treasurer Mrs. Helen Marcy, Palmer
Executive Committee
Theodore Wisniowski, Ludlow
Earl Osborn, Easthampton
Leslie Campbell, Belchertown
John Ratigan, Palmer
Herbert Wilkinson, Southampton
Conrad Boilard, Indian Orchard

Inter Club Contests

In the final NECCC competition of the season, BCCC received a total of 95 points and was tied for second place. For the year we achieved first place with a total of 350 points. The Amherst Camera Club placed second for the year with 344 points, and Ware Camera Club, third with 340 points. It is quite interesting to note that the top three places went to neighboring towns in Massachusetts.

The Annual Outing of the New England Camera Club Council will be held at Amherst, July 12, 13 and 14.

At the annual banquet, Mr. and Mrs. Blake S. Jackson were presented with Honorary Lifetime Membership Certificates for their many years of devoted service to the club.

BACK FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Czech and Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Dzwonkowski, Sr. have returned from a motor trip through Washington, D. C., Maryland, and Virginia. While in Washington they visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Dzwonkowski, Jr. Chester Jr. is in the U. S. Army, is a Sergeant, and is in the Presidential Honor Guard stationed at Fort McNair, Washington, D. C.

A special tour of the White House was arranged by Senator Edward M. Kennedy.

QUABBIN STILL GOOD COPY

A reader of our paper has brought in a clipping from the *Worcester Gazette*, containing an article "Land of 'Many Waters'" by Michael B. Fellow, which has to do with Quabbin Reservoir, the reason for its construction, its beauty, uses, etc. We quote from some of the opening paragraphs concerning the fishing appeal of the Reservoir. Probably most people are acquainted with the construction angle, the moving of cemeteries, etc. But it surely is a most readable article.

"One of the most scenic areas in New England is the Quabbin Reservoir—world's largest man-made domestic water supply basin.

"Thousands of persons visit this body of water each year to fish its stocked waters, view its breath-taking scenery or picnic in the cool shaded groves which dot the 186 square mile reservation.

Quabbin silently greeted more than 45,000 visitors last year, according to John W. Copithorne, senior civil engineer for the Metropolitan District Commission.

"Sportsmen, no doubt, reap more of Quabbin's benefits than any of its visitors. It's waters, fed by the Swift and Ware Rivers, abound in brown trout, lake trout, pickerel and bass. It is stocked each year with various species of fish from state hatcheries.

In sharp contrast with the older but smaller Wachusett Reservoir where only fishing from shore is allowed, Quabbin for more than 10 years has offered boating privileges.

Boats may be launched from mooring areas off Rte. 122 in New Salem, Rte. 202 at the Pelham-Belchertown line, and Route 43 off the Hardwick-Ware Road."

THIVIERGE—LEAVITT WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Leavitt of North Washington Street announce the marriage of their son, Dexter, to Gail Thivierge of Surrey Road, Springfield.

The marriage took place Saturday, July 6, at 2 o'clock in Emmanuel Congregational Church in Springfield.

The reception was held Saturday evening in the Amvets Hall, Three Rivers.

TOWN ITEMS

Rev. Robert Hodgen and family of Federal Way, Wash., who have been visiting here, returned on Tuesday.

Miss Susan Shattuck is a camp councillor this summer at Camp Wampatuck, a Kings Daughters camp at Hanson, Mass.

Forrest H. Ward of Dayton, Ohio, who has been visiting relatives in town, is returning today, and will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cunningham and daughter, Harriet, who are taking a two weeks' vacation. A stop will be made by the party at the Seavey Morse's in New Jersey, before going on to Forrest Ward's home in Dayton, Ohio, where the Cunninghams will remain for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shumway and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cunningham served a picnic lunch to a family party of thirty-five at the Cunningnam home on Sunday. Guests were present from Ohio, New Jersey, Connecticut and Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. William McHaffie of Bay Road have had Mr. and Mrs. Louis Muller of Orlando, Florida, for guests over the long holiday week-end.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 6, 3-11. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Romans.

Gospel—Mark 8, 1-9. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Mark. (Relates that Jesus fed 4,000 persons with seven loaves and a few fishes).

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

Easter time has passed but its spirit should never pass. Christ died once and now lives His glorious unending life. Having risen from sin let us strive to live in union with Christ the new life of holiness, sustaining ourselves by the Holy Eucharist prefigured in the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves.

CHURCH DEDICATION STORY

—continued from last week—

Here is the second and final portion of an article dealing with the dedication of our church building some forty years ago which appeared in the June 29, 1923 issue of the *Belchertown Sentinel*. We left off last week in the middle of Father Griffin's sermon. Continuing on:

"He said that the message of the pulpit is not sufficient; the buildings, the ritual, the music, the pictures, the candles, etc., were all to actualize and individualize religion.

"This was his main message. The church touches the community conscience, but that is actually an aggregation of consciences. He spoke of the family as the unit of society, and stressed the sanctity of the home.

"In closing he again complimented the congregation for showing their love for Jesus of Nazareth, for the fine spirit they had manifested in establishing another source of divine life and another place where Christ might lay His head.

"He asked them to ever keep in remembrance the early settlers of the town who did not have the church privileges now available and asked them, in turn, to transmit their faith untarnished, to their children.

"As before stated, Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Leary of Springfield spoke words of congratulation following the sermon. He also welcomed them to the Springfield diocese, over which he has charge. He called upon his people to love the church, to find their delight in it, to be often found therein, and to make further sacrifices for it.

"The church has been put in fine repair and the interior attractively furnished. The altar was profusely decked with flowers for the occasion, which is one long to be remembered, both by the constituents of the church and by those of other faiths who had the pleasure of being present at these memorable ceremonies.

"Bishop O'Leary confirmed a class of 36 young people at a service held in the afternoon, at which many were present."

— YOUR SUNDAY BULLETIN —

In next week's Sunday bulletin, or in the following issue, we will present a short historical run-down of St. Francis Parish—from its beginning, to the present day. Please, if you have any bits of information on our Parish, call 323-7786 between 7 and 9 p. m. any evening prior to the next bulletin publication time Friday, July 19.

We also ask that you take a bulletin home with you each Sunday; it is published only for *you*.

— LAY GOSPEL READERS —

It has been noticed by all by now, that the gospel at each mass is now read by fellow members of the parish.

The readers are: Harold Willey, Francis Longtine, Charles Pelczarski, Jr., and Robert Donovan.

— ALTAR BOYS —

The weekday servers for the week before last (June 30-July 6) were: Patrick Mann, and James Joyal.

Last week's servers were: Jeff Carr, and John Wadsworth.

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DWIGHT CHAPEL

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid held their meeting Tuesday evening, July 9, with fifteen members and one new member, Dorothy Tolzdorf, attending.

At this time it was voted that we hold our annual picnic at Dwight Chapel on July 24, with the members bringing a lunch, and children, of course. All members please attend.

The next Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid meeting will be held August 13 at 8 p. m. in Dwight Chapel.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte.

SUNDAY, JULY 14

9.30 a. m. Sermon by Mr. Ralph Pierce of Chicopee, a member of the Lay Speakers Bureau of the Springfield District.

7.30 p. m. The evening speaker will be Mr. L. C. Wynns, District Lay Leader. Mr. Wynns is well known in the local Church, having taken part in many of our days of great joy.

FRIDAY, JULY 12

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Suhm.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Twelve tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Youth Committee, G. Stillings, chairman; Henry Eskett and Linda Wright. Prize winners were: 1st, Regina DeMers, Florence Damon, Lillian Judge (Fla.), and G. Stillings; 2nd, Doris Belanger, Blanche Bader, Eva Webb and Catherine Germain; 3rd, Christine Henry, Eva Sawyer, Ada Underwood and Godfrey Wenzel; door, Gaetane Fortin and Rose Canavan.

This week's party will be in charge of the ways and means committee, Doris Grover, chairman; Frank Grover, Peter Bleau and Eva Webb.

HILLTOP TWIRLERS

Summer activities for the Hilltop Twirlers this week include a dance sponsored by the Red Rascals, the Granby Teen Club at Beck's Barn on Belchertown Road, Amherst.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "The Way, The Truth, And The Life."

The service of worship will be held at 9.30. Nursery care for small children is provided.

The guest preacher will be the Rev. Harold W. Curtis.

Soloist

The soloist this coming Sunday is Mrs. Stanford Harrington. The soloist last Sunday was William S. Hackett.

Vacation Church School

The Vacation Church School will begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock, and will be held each morning for the next two weeks.

Vacation

Rev. Varga and family are on vacation in Maine. Those in need of emergency pastoral attention should contact Deacon Arlan Skinner, who will know how to reach Mr. Varga.

HOME DEPARTMENT

The Home Department of the Congregational Church held their picnic meeting at the home of Mrs. Ada Staples on Jackson Street Tuesday afternoon, with nineteen members present. Mrs. Flora Witherell led the devotions, after which a short business meeting was conducted. After a social time, a picnic meal was served and enjoyed.

The committee consisted of Mrs. Staples, Mrs. Fred Waite, Mrs. Victor Blackmer and Mrs. Albert Dzuris.

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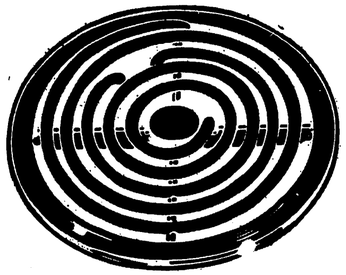
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BURMA LETTER

A. B. B. Mission
Pang T'Kwa
Taunggyi, Southern Shan States, Union of Burma
May 17, 1963

Dear Christian Friends:

Hot season is nearly over. The sky is cloudy for a part of every day now, and we have an occasional shower. Most vacationers have gone home; the school year is beginning; we expect to settle down soon into a regular rainy-season routine. But before Bill takes off on still more trips, or I submerge in First Corinthians, a report to you, on what we've been doing these last three months, seems a good idea.

Hot season in a hill station is always a busy time, but this year Taunggyi really has outdone itself. The Shan State Bible School entertained a Religious Education Lab School (demonstration and practice teaching) and a Bible Curriculum Writers' Conference. The Taunggyi Church received about seventy delegates for the annual meetings of the Burma Christian Council. And, finally, a Y. M. C. A. Conference was held. We were not directly involved in every one of these gatherings, but we welcomed most of them for a tour of Pang T' Kwa and a tea party. Valuable results and conclusions seem to have come out of all this conferring. We can hope that they will show an improved Christian work throughout Burma.

Thirty-six Candidates Baptized—The annual meetings of the Shan State Association of Baptist Churches were held the first week in April in Nawngpan, sixty miles east of here, the home of the only Black Karen church. Record attendance was due partly to a bandit raid the week before on a large neighboring village. Scores of non-Christian refugees were crowded in with their Christian friends, and this afforded an unusual evangelistic opportunity.....We could wish that our Christian leaders took better and more prompt advantage of such opportunities. There is no question that the cheerful, the loving, the matter-of-fact cooperation, and the fellowship of Christians from at least nine tribes—most of them one another's traditional enemies—form a most vivid and powerful revelation of the Christian Gospel. Nevertheless, there should be much more direct, verbal, personal witnessing, and preaching. Developing this kind of evangelism must surely be one of the first concerns of all Christians, all over the world.....The crown of the association meetings was the service of baptism, held early one morning at a stream a mile or so from the village. There were thirty-six candidates and more than five hundred witnesses—an unforgettable experience for all of us.

From Nawngpan we went on for a brief visit to Epheh, the new village where Rev. U. Willie is helping Lisu tribespeople, driven from their mountaintop homes, to settle on the plains. I never had been there before, and was very much impressed. The amount of physical toil which has gone into the place is almost incredible: houses built, land cleared, wells dug, crops planted, thousands of fruit trees set out. Even more important are the cultural and spiritual changes: painfully shy, awkward, illiterate hill people are laughing, friendly hosts, making many new friends among near-by villages, learning new agricultural methods remarkably fast. Their village was called Hypak just at first—the name of the nearest Shan village. After they had thought about names, however, they knew they wanted a Bible name for their new home, and Epheh is as close as they can come to Ephesus. God grant that this new Ephesus may be as great a center for the spread of the Gospel as the first one was!

Prayers Answered—Many of you do not yet know that Sayama Mary Nang Mat, who was with us at Cornell ten years ago, is no longer head of the Pang T' Kwa School. She announced a year ago that she was leaving.

Now, however, our prayers have been answered. A young Sgaw Karen, Saya Kaypa (Cephas), a recent graduate of the Burma Divinity School, started yesterday to register students for the new school year. Fluent in the Sgaw and Pwo Karen languages, and competent both in Burmese and English, he assures us that he will pick up

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of HAZELLE C. WHITEHOUSE, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by EARLE H. WHITEHOUSE of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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To all persons interested in the estate of KATHERINE E. BASSETT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

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If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Marvin Green has returned from Cooley Dickinson Hospital in Northampton.

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BURMA LETTER

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Pa-o in short order. He has had some teaching experience, and has a reputation for diligence, enthusiasm and consecration. We dare to hope God will use him to shape this school into an instrument for Christian witness and nurture among the Pa-o village people.

So many things I haven't mentioned: Bill's trip to Rangoon to take delivery of a tractor and trailer and, with a helper, to drive them up here, at twelve miles an hour, in the blistering heat of April; the tract, "The Way of Salvation," I've been working on in Pa-o; visits from the Curriers, the Gilsons, the Criders; Martha Jane's and young Bill's arduous and mostly contented labors. But letters do have limits!

Continue to Pray—Pray for us as we tackle heavy schedules of touring and translation during the rains. Pray for the new Christians baptized at Nawngpan, and for those who heard about Jesus for the first time there. Pray for Rev. Willie and his Lisu villagers, that they may be a living testimony of God's love to the people around them. Pray for Saya Kaypa and our schoolteachers and children in their first year of work together. Pray for all of us, that God may give us perfect trust, and joy, and peace in our work for Him.

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Earle H. Whitehouse
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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Rev. Harold Curtis, Preacher

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Spiritual Life Mission at 7.30 p. m.
Rev. Reginald Goff, Preacher

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Seventh Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Spiritual Life Mission at Methodist Church. Communion at 9.15 a. m.; Bible Study at 9.45; Prayer Hour at 10.45; Preaching at 7.30 p. m.

Town meeting at 7.30 p. m. in Memorial Hall.

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.

TUESDAY

Spiritual Life Mission at Methodist Church. Communion at 9.15 a. m.; Bible Study at 9.45; Prayer Hour at 10.45; Preaching at 7.30 p. m.

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.

Swimmers' group at town beach at 10 a. m.

Intermediate group at town beach at 10.45 a. m.

Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Spiritual Life Mission at Methodist Church. Communion at 9.15 a. m.; Bible Study at 9.45; Prayer Hour at 10.45; Preaching at 7.30 p. m.

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.

Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid Picnic at Dwight Chapel.

FOOD SALE

Come and get your dessert for Friday's supper at the food sale held on the common at 2 p. m. for the benefit of the Vacation Bible School by the Methodist Commission on Education.

O. E. S. NOTES

The ways and means committee of the O. E. S. met recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lodge. Plans were made for an auction in September. Worthy Matron Evelyn Lodge

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Boy Scout Court of Honor on Common at 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.
Food Sale on the Common at 2 p.m

TOMORROW

Esperanto Club picnic at the home of Leslie M. Allen, Alden Rd.

Police Association Public Ham Supper in Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Aug. 4
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church.
Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper in Congregational Parish House. Servings at 5.45 and 6.45 p. m.
Aug. 23
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

COURT OF HONOR

Belchertown Troop 507, Boy Scouts of America, will be hosts to the entire community on Thursday evening, July 25th. This is the occasion of the first Court of Honor to be held in Belchertown for several years, and the first time in recent history when we have had the privilege of honoring an Eagle Scout. The much coveted Eagle rank will be conferred officially on Harold Ketchen, and a number of other Scouts will also be presented with badges of advancement.

The program will start at 7 o'clock, with demonstrations of Boy Scout activities and, in real Scout fashion, will be held outdoors on the Common near the bandstand, complete with campfire. Good weather has been ordered for the occasion, but if the weatherman doesn't cooperate, the show will go on as scheduled, moving in to the Pine Room.

Everyone is invited—parents, friends, neighbors, Cubs and Girl Scouts, former scouts and future scouts, and all who are interested in seeing what the Scouts do. Scoutmaster John Bailey promises an extremely interesting evening, and has one special suggestion—folding chairs are scarce in Belchertown, and while the committee will provide as many as possible, those who have folding chairs of their own might want to bring them and be sure of a seat!

Belchertown now has one of the biggest and best Scout Troops in the area, due in large measure to the fine cooperation of town residents. This is your opportunity to see what your support has made possible.

BATH HOUSE AT BEACH

A good start has been made on the bath house at the town beach, voted by the town at the annual town meeting.

What is most pleasing about the proposition, chairman Theodore Smist reports, is that so many are contributing labor and materials to make the funds go farther.

Smist reports that Harry Brougham dug the footing; the concrete was supplied by the Ludlow Concrete Co., of which Mr. Banas of Ludlow is the owner; and that the following contributed labor: Milton Stone, Nelson Bullough, Victor Patenaude, Howard Lemon, Theodore Smist and son Richard, Everett Plant, Earl Plant, Sonny Ayers, Jimmy Lemon, Ted Camp, Dave Hodgen, Donald Perham, and Joe O'Neil.

The mixer for the mortar was supplied by Lloyd Chadbourne.

At this writing the building is up to grade level with cement blocks. 240 blocks were laid last Sunday by volunteers.

Materials are also being donated by Belchertown Salvage.

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POLICE ASSN. HAM SUPPER

The Police Association is anticipating a good patronage at their annual public ham supper tomorrow night (Saturday) at the Congregational Parish House from 5 to 7 p. m.

The menu will consist of ham and raisin sauce, mashed potatoes, fresh string beans, fresh sliced cucumber, rolls, coffee, and milk for the children, with pie for dessert.

The price is $1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children.

Chester Dzwonkowski is general chairman, with Mrs. Mullane, chief advisor.

The Police Association has a fine record of community service, the town ambulance and equipment being its major contribution to the community. It provided lights for the skating rink last winter, and has a number of civic projects to its credit. Its latest is a paddleboard for use at the town beach for lifesaving purposes. The Association furnished the material, while George Booth contributed the labor. It is about 14 ft. long and 2 ft. wide, and will eventually be housed in the new building now being constructed.

So the proceeds from the supper tomorrow night will go into the treasury for expenditure for such projects as here enumerated.

COMPLETION DATE SET

The gala grand opening of the newly expanded facilities at the Texaco service station owned and operated by Lloyd Chadbourne at the junction of Routes 9 and 202 will be held next weekend, July 27th and 28th.

The project, which was started in the third week of March, has only now neared completion—and the owner is planning an event on this occasion. It will be advertised in next week's paper.

As stated in a previous article at the time of the initial work, the enlarged building (double the original size) consists of two new garage bays, one containing a car lift, and the other, car wash and general repair facilities, two very large rest rooms, a storage room, and an enlarged show and reception room.

Of all cinder block construction, it will ensure better service—until now, one car on the only lift tied up the works, causing much delay. In regards to the car washing facilities, the owner states that there will be three different types of wash, all of which will be publicized in the near future.

Those employed on the job were from town except for a few services not available with local labor. They included Victor Patenaude, the Stone Bros., Earle Whitehouse and a few workers from Holyoke.

TAX RATE ANNOUNCED

The new tax rate has been determined and has been announced as $48.00. Specifically, the school rate is $29.17, and the general rate, $18.83.

Last year the rate was $45, with schools $27.96, and general, $17.04. In 1961 the rate was $47.00.

METHODIST MISSION

The public is reminded of the Spiritual Life Mission to be held at the Methodist Church beginning Sunday evening. Morning sessions are scheduled especially so that those with children in Bible School can attend and be free when the children are dismissed. Holy Communion is at 9.15 a. m.; Bible study at 9.45; and Prayer Hour at 10.45. All evening services are at 7.30.

REPORT ON SWIMMING LESSONS

Mrs. David Staples, who is in charge of the swimming program at the town beach, reports a great interest in the project, surpassing that of last year. Eighty-seven have been enrolled in the beginners' group, so that two classes have been necessary. In one class there are 45, and in the other, 42. Below is a tabulation of the enrollment:

Beginners	87
Adults	10
Intermediates	18
Swimmers	7

Not only have folks signed up, but they have followed up well with their attendance.

A project of interest in the works is that of building a dock and raft. The telephone company has contributed a pole, an interested person has given lumber, and another has volunteered the use of a truck to pick up materials.

Next Tuesday will mark the halfway point in the lessons, with beginners being tested as to their accomplishments.

As previously announced, Joan Letourneau is assisting Mrs. Staples, as is also Marjorie Officer.

FIREFIGHTERS SUPPER

The Belchertown Fire Department's Seventh Annual Firefighter's Roast Beef Supper will be held on Wednesday evening, August 14th, at the Congregational Parish House. Two sittings are planned for 5:45 and 6:45 p. m. Proceeds from the supper will be added to the association's apparatus fund.

To get your appetite ready, be sure to attend the Police Association's Ham Supper this Saturday evening.

Sequels to Soliloquies
Call For Further Comments.

After I have commented on some situation or other here in the column, it's always fun to notice what other folks may have to say about the same thing, or what new developments have come along to change or strengthen an opinion of mine.

Accent Off Youth

Take this matter of cigarette smoking, for instance, which I used for a topic two weeks ago. A congressman is now suggesting a law to require that a warning be placed on each package of cigarettes, stating that there is a danger in the smoking habit. Somehow I doubt if that suggestion will "take." It would be like including a copy of "And Sudden Death" with each new automobile!

A more hopeful item in the news quotes the president of the Tobacco Institute as suggesting that all smokers used in pictorial tobacco advertising be obviously adult, and not of adolescent age.

There would seem to be no doubt in the world that at least part of the cigarette industry has pointed its publicity in the direction of both sexes starting young and hard on the consumption of cigarettes. To be sure, it's tough to tell nowadays who's grown up and who's not by their outward appearance, but some of the TV puffers have had a Youth-Fellowship or sub-deb look as they have wandered beside the spring waters with fresh menthol and tastefully smooth smoke to keep them company. President Allen of the Tobacco Institute also believes that radio or TV programs directed particularly at youngsters should not be sponsored by cigarette manufacturers.

Shots For Trees?

Only last week, when the "Shade Tree Steeple" was still at the printer's, I saw on the *Huntley-Brinkley Report* pictures of scientists inoculating elm trees against Dutch Elm Disease. I have no idea how successful this method may turn out to be, but if it should work it could mean much to those whose trees are located where no community spray program ever reaches them. I shall be listening hard for further reports on this experiment.

Good Bye, Bibles!

Quite some time ago I wrote of the significance of the traditional "Opening Exercises" in public schools, wherein a few Bible verses were read and the Lord's Prayer said in unison to start each school day.

In Springfield, this is the way the matter was covered in the guide book *General Regulations for the Management of the Public Schools*: "The morning sessions shall be opened by the Pledge of Allegiance and the reading without comment of some portion of the Bible. This latter is in accord with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

This is due for change. Attorney General Brooke ruled last week Tuesday that under the U.S. Supreme Court ruling of June 17, Mass. General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 31 "is unconstitutional, utterly void, and without any force or effect, without the necessity of formal repeal."

Consequently, there will probably be no readings from the Bible and no prayers at the start of the school days when September rolls around again. At least we know that the states have no constitutional right to order such a procedure, and the concensus of opinion seems to be that towns and cities have no right to require it, either. It doesn't look as though any individual teacher will be able to conduct the exercises on his own. In short, our kids are going to continue saluting the flag (if they wish to—no one can legally make them do it), but if they wish to say the Lord's Prayer or listen to the Bible read as a devotional exercise, they'll have to go to a private school to enjoy such a privilege. The Book and the Prayer have joined the drop-outs, as it were.

Mr. Brooke says: "We are a nation of laws and not of men. Respect for and obedience to the law has been a hallmark of our history. We may, as individuals or as members of a larger association of citizens, disagree with the decision made by the Supreme Court of the United States. But when the Supreme Court of the United States has ruled that a state statute is in conflict with our federal Constitution, every American—the public official and private citizen alike—has a duty to abide by that decision. To do otherwise would undermine the very foundation on which this country was built." Of course, this is the attitude we must take.

However, I am very sorry that public school children will not be given those morning moments which meant so much to me while I was in school, and which I cannot believe have offended one child in a million.

It is another case of losing something and putting nothing back in its place. One Massachusetts school system has announced it will use 30 seconds of silence in place of the former prayer. Another has said it will continue as in the past and take its chances with the law. This was before the Brooke announcement.

We have turned ourselves wrong side out of late years in our honest desire to be fair to minorities. How far are we going?

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Elliott Cordner Served
As Town's Financial Adviser

We shall miss Elliott Cordner at Town Meeting times. Although he possessed the faculty of rousing anger among his opponents, and at times seemed to delight in being on the opposite side from most of the rest of us, no one ever doubted his intelligence and his sincerity.

A town needs an "opposition party" and a critical voice raised against the majority opinion. Elliott Cordner often headed the opposition and frequently provided the voice. He kept us on our toes.

Mr. Cordner was generous with his time in service to the town. He gave years to the Finance Committee and was active on the Democratic Town Committee.

He was the avowed enemy of what he felt to be town extravagance and this often resulted in his opposition to expenditures for the schools, which he seemed to feel needed much less expansion and expense than most of us were favoring.

His services as assessor were expert and untiring. Here again he did not always win friends by his manner. However, he had the confidence of many of his fellow citizens, as evidenced by his comeback at the polls. His background and experience as an accountant meant much to this town.

It is good to recall that Mr. Cordner built his home on the site of the old Deacon Sabin house, which had been destroyed by fire not long before the Cordners came to town. The Cordners kept alive the memory of that famous farm. For several years they even maintained a herd of dairy cattle.

Best thing he ever did for us, though, was to bring Virginia Cordner here. We couldn't have done without her help in many phases of community life these four decades. We just hope she will be able to remain with us all her years.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Reckon the days in which you have not been angry. I used to be angry every day; now every other day; then every third and fourth day; and if you miss it so long as thirty days, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to God."

Epictetus—Circa A.D. 60
Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

A suggestion has been made that when the Memorial Hall and High School building are dedicated, the day should be set aside as Old Home Day. The town has been so transformed since the coming of the State School there would be many changes for the people who return to appraise.

D. D. Hazen has a two page ad in *The Sentinel*. This means an eight page issue for the issue of July 20, 1932, with one page blank.

The Belchertown team in the Hampshire County League has started with a bang, as so far they have won all games with Enfield, Pelham and Granby.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The annual Grange picnic which was scheduled to be held at Mt. Tom Reservation had to be held in-doors because of the rainy spell. So instead of climbing Goat's Peak, they climbed the Grange Hill stairs for their eats and program, etc. The attendance did not suffer, as seventy-five climbed the stairs. Neither was the rousing good time marred, as staying at home brought about an unusual mystery with "stunts" by Charles Sanford, Mrs. Clarinda Shaw, L. H. Blackmer, J. V. Cook, Mrs. H. H. Witt, and "Clate" Green with his harmonica.

23 from the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held a picnic in the pine grove at the home of Rev. E. F. Blackmer.

The Massachusetts Development and Industrial Commission has inaugurated a campaign of advertising in daily and weekly newspapers within the state. This accounts for the 6 inch 2 column adv. in *The Sentinel* (issue of July 22, 1938), reading, "Shade where the Fun is—Here in Massachusetts."

TEN YEARS AGO

William E. Shaw is the treasurer of the Tornado Relief Fund. The central part of Massachusetts had suffered greatly.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. Harry White their property on Dressel Ave. to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dorman of Gilbertville. Mr. Dorman is attached to Westover Air Force Base after having recently re-enlisted in the Air Force. The Whites have already moved to Ludlow.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Voters are reminded of the special town meeting to be held next Monday evening at 7.30. Following are the articles to be acted upon:

Art. 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from the Road Machinery Earnings Account to the Road Machinery Expense Account or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 2 To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Sections 7A through 7D, of Chapter 58 of the General Laws, as amended, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will vote to rezone from Agricultural to Business a parcel of land owned by Lewis Slate at the junction of Barrett and North Liberty Streets or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to appoint an agent to enforce the zoning by-laws and issue building permits, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 5 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the treasury to the Clapp Memorial Library the following sum of money which has been received by the Town from the Commonwealth for library purposes, for the year 1963, the sum of $1,296.50 or take any other action relative thereto.

Art. 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,821.60 to meet the Town's share of maintaining the Hampshire County Sanatorium or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 7 To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of property of approximately ten (10) acres in area located on the Daniel Shays Highway, deeded to the Town by Mildred Ward Neff and Forrest H. Ward, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 8 To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT NOTES

The School Department has been notified that Miss Madeline M. Fitzgerald, a faculty member at Belchertown High School, has been elected a member of the Epsilon Chapter of Delta Epsilon fraternity at Boston University.

Delta Pi Epsilon fraternity, founded in 1936, is an honorary graduate organization for men and women devoted to the advancement and professionalization of business education. Through its ideals of service, leadership and cooperation, the fraternity strives to make significant and unique contributions to professional growth and scholarly achievement in business education.

BLAZO RESIGNS

The school department has accepted with regret the resignation of Richard W. Blazo, supervising principal of Belchertown elementary schools the past school year.

While here, he supervised the activities of some 600 students in the first six grades at Cold Spring, Franklin and Main Street Schools. He further developed a program of departmentalization of the six grades and developed and enlarged the reading program of all six grades.

BAND CONCERTS AT AMHERST

According to the daily press, rehearsals are announced for the Amherst Community concert band to be held in Bowker auditorium, Stockbridge Hall, Wednesdays, except August 14, when the rehearsal will be in Bartlett Hall. Concerts are scheduled for Sunday nights on the Amherst common and are to be sponsored by the Lions Club.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

—SATURDAY—

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Seventh Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 6, 19-23. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Romans.

Gospel—Matthew 7, 15-21. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Christ warns against false prophets).

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— ST. FRANCIS PARISH —

This is the first in a series of articles dealing with the history of St. Francis Parish. They are printed in the Sunday Bulletins as well.

This week, we will write of the development of the Catholic faith in this area—how it began and how it grew.

Catholicism In Western Massachusetts

Father Cheverus, who became the first Bishop of Boston on November 1, 1808, was at one time one of only two priests in all New England. In May of 1806 he came to Northampton to say Mass and to administer the sacraments for two men who were in jail, accused of killing a mail carrier some years previous. It was the first known time a priest had ever set foot on the soil of Western Massachusetts.*

Around 1832, Father James Fitton, of Hartford, Connecticut, came to this area—Palmer to be exact. He was dressed in somber, dark clothing, but as was the custom of the day, with a layman's collar and tie.

The Catholic priest, like the Church itself, was unknown throughout New England at this time, except around Boston; generally, both were unwanted.

The Church in this area, is said to have begun when Fr. Fitton met with the Irish Catholic laborers working in the mill in Three Rivers (*Palmer*).

The following morning, Mass was said in the kitchen of a workman's home—the first time Mass was said in this immediate vicinity.

Palmer remained a station from Hartford with Mass at irregular intervals in private dwellings for years.

It is definite that by late fall in 1850 Fr. William Blenkinsop, pastor of Cabotville, was saying Mass about once a month, first in the dye-house of the Thorndike Manufacturing Co., and afterwards in Newton's Hall in Thorndike. The faithful living in Palmer, Three Rivers, Bondsville, Belchertown, and other near-by places gathered at Thorndike for these Masses.

By 1853 Fr. Blenkinsop was saying Mass occasionally in Depot Village and in Monson, and had built St. Williams Church (now non-existent) in Ware.

In June of 1854, Gamaliel Collins sold the old Congregational meeting-house at Palmer Center to Bishop Fitzpatrick of Boston—who in 1855 dedicated it to St. Ann. In the years following, this parish grew in leaps and bounds—due mainly to immigration of Irish, French Canadians, and Polish Catholics. The first priest to take up full-time residence came in 1869.

* Unfortunately all the early records of the beginnings of Catholicism in Western Mass. were lost in the fire of 1853 which destroyed Holy Trinity Church in Hartford.

— to be continued —

— THE STATE SCHOOL —

The patients in the State School who share our Catholic faith are very much a part of our parish—though we here in the center never see them at church or at other church functions. A report recently sent to the Bishop's office indicated the work done there in the past year:

Mass every Sunday (8.15 a. m.) and Holy Days (7.15 a. m.).

Confessions throughout the year for 340 who are able to attend Mass.

Mass and Communion on the following day.

Communion brought to the bed patients.

Prepared and had Confirmed 91 here at St. Francis Church on November 20, 1962.

Attended 52 on sick calls—some were Baptized, Annointed, Confirmed, or received Extreme Unction and the last Blessing.

Those buried in the Cemetery here had prayers said at the burial with a private Mass said here at St. Francis the following morning.

Instructions every Saturday morning on a rotating basis for 340. Also the preparing of the First Communion class, soon to make their First Communion.

Gave Rosary Beads, Medals, Prayer Books and Scapulars to those in need.

VACANCY FILLED

Donald Geer has been appointed to the school building committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation and departure from town of Benton Fielder. The vacancy was filled by the remaining members of the committee and the selectmen.

DWIGHT CHAPEL FOOD SALE POSTPONED

The food sale advertised for July 27 at Dwight Chapel, has been indefinitely postponed.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte.

SUNDAY, JULY 21

9.30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Marvin R. Green.

The Spiritual Life Mission starts this evening. See article on page 1.

There will be no meetings of the young people's groups on Sunday evening.

VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

Attendance at the Vacation Church School seems to have been climbing. On Monday, counting teachers, pupils and helpers, there was an attendance of 90; on Tuesday the count was 95; and on Wednesday, 96.

Next week Friday will be Parents' Day. Invitations going home to parents of children in the different departments will specify the hours for each.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Barbara Conner of Tampa, Florida, has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harriet Hill, for the past two weeks.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Fullness of Joy."

The service of worship will be held at 9.30 a. m. Nursery care is provided for small children. The guest preacher is Rev. Harold W. Curtis.

Vacation Church School

Vacation Church School will continue through next Friday.

Rev. Varga and family are on vacation in Vermont. Those in need of emergency pastoral attention should contact Deacon Arlan Skinner, who will know how to reach Mr. Varga.

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LAUREL PARK NEWS

This year's Camp Meeting will be during the second full week in August, the 11th through the 18th. Rev. Tommy Tyson, who devotes his full time to conducting evangelistic missions and prayer retreats throughout the country, will be here again to preach every evening except Saturday, August 17th, preceded by a Pre-Service Prayer Session at 7 p. m.

For Special Music—This year there will be a choir at Camp Meeting under the direction of Robert Wilson. All who would like to sing, be at the Tabernacle each evening at 6.45. This time will be adjusted to better fit the time of those singing. Each evening Miss Barbara Wilson will be at the Conn Organ, and Mrs. Marvin R. Green at the piano.

Another feature attraction is from Houghton, N. Y.—The Houghton College Trumpet Trio, who will supply special music, Tuesday through Thursday.

HOUGHTON COLLEGE TRUMPET TRIO

The Houghton College Heralds for Christ, trumpet trio, will appear at the Springfield District Camp Grounds, Laurel Park, Northampton, on August 13, 14 and 15, at 7.30 p. m.

The student trio is composed of Donald Warren, Ottawa, Canada; David Manney, Shamokin, Pa.; and Ralph Marks of Northumberland, Pa. The pianist is Charles Walker of Williamson, N. Y. Mr. E. Douglas Burke, associate professor of physical education at Houghton College, is the speaker traveling with the group.

This appearance is part of a summer tour which will take the ensemble to five states and Canada. The Heralds for Christ have been together for three years and have traveled extensively in Canada and the eastern states.

Houghton College is a fully accredited liberal arts college, located at Houghton, N. Y. in the heart of Western New York's Genesee Valley. Sponsored by the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, Houghton College had an enrollment of over 950 students the past school year.

GRANGE NOTES

The program at Union Grange on Tuesday evening was in charge of the home and community service committee, Mrs. Ruth Kempkes, chairman, and included a skit showing projects completed by the home and community service committee during the year. Those participating were: Iola Shirtcliff, Linda Wright, Ruth Kempkes, Joy Wright, Helen Lister, Rose Wenzel and Myrtle Williams.

Another feature was an apron contest and parade, in which there were 19 models. For women, most attractive was Helen Lister, 1st; and Marguerite Daigle, 2nd. For men, Harold Peck was 1st, and Howard Shirtcliff, 2nd.

There was also a name guessing contest, using the names of Grange members, which had been prepared for us some time ago by Mrs. Frances Moore. This was in charge of Mrs. Myrtle Williams. Winners were Iola Shirtcliff and Howard Judkins.

An outing will be held August 6, with Leon Geoffroy and Howard Judkins the committee. Particulars will be announced later.

ELLIOTT S. CORDNER

Elliott S. Cordner, 71, "Mr. Moderator" of Belchertown for years on end, died in Providence Hospital, Holyoke last week Thursday. Few voters addressed the moderator thusly so tirelessly and repeatedly as did he. No matter how carefully and professionally a town meeting warrant motion had been phrased, he would see any number of ways it could be bettered, and had amendments carefully concocted for the occasion, all of which was somewhat of a challenge to a moderator—at least one.

He was the storm center of many a political campaign, but as the Steeple states, no one doubted his ability or sincerity. And few people believed so thoroughly in their own views that they would spend their own money to fill the mails with broadsides setting forth their opinions.

He apparently enjoyed being the watch dog of the town. He apparently enjoyed, too, being on the board of assessors, where a knowledge of figures came in handy. The assessors' office was an habitual proud habitat of his, each day up until his last illness a few weeks back.

A resident here for 40 years, Mr. Cordner was a member of the Finance Committee for many years prior to his election as an assessor in 1957. He was an active member of the Democratic Town Committee and was secretary at the time of his death.

Born in Springfield in 1891, he was a son of Walter V. and Margaret (Scott) Cordner. After being graduated from high school in Springfield, he was employed by The Springfield Union. He began his business career as paymaster at Mohawk Carpet Mills, Amsterdam, N. Y., then became general auditor of American Writing Paper Co., Holyoke, and later comptroller at Dexter Folder Co., New York City.

He returned to Springfield as auditor for Adaskin Furniture Co., and at the time of his retirement nine years ago he was auditor of Ruby Furniture Co., Holyoke.

Besides his wife, the former Virginia Cate, he leaves a son, William S. of Tampa, Florida; a brother, Irving J. of Wilbraham; a sister, Mrs. Merton Bowman of Pitcairn, Pa., a grandson and several nieces and nephews.

At the request of Mr. Cordner, there was no funeral service or calling hours. A committal service was held Saturday at 2 at Mount Hope Cemetary with Rev. James Clark, rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Amherst, officiating.

The number of people attending the committal service attested to the imprint he had made on the community. The remaining members of the board of assessors, the school committee, and superintendent, and possibly other departments were present in a body. The Democratic town committee was represented, and interested citizens.

4-H CLUB NOTES

The On the Hill 4-H Club recently held a meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hogan on the Three Rivers Rd. The meeting was called to order by Thomas Krol. There were three visitors present at the meeting.

The club is holding a beach party at Crystal Park on Sunday, July 28.

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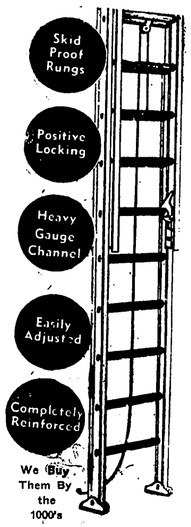

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MASS. ELECTRIC RELEASE

Massachusetts Electric Company, in conjunction with New England Electric System, has published a new brochure describing the many recreational facilities which the company has developed along the Connecticut and Deerfield rivers. Entitled *This Happy Valley*, the brochure is actually the third publication in a continuing series produced by the companies to keep the public fully informed concerning new additions to its list of picnicking, boat launching and other recreatonal areas. More than 150,000 copies of the two prior brochures have been distributed to interested people living in New England and to numerous visitors.

Easy to read, handsomely illustrated with excellent photographs, the brochure contains a fold-out map which pinpoints the locations of various company-developed recreational facilities and shows the best, most direct way to reach them. *This Happy Valley* features an original water color drawing by J. T. Marshall, a well-known commercial artist from Worcester.

There are altogether 23 picnic and 15 boat launching sites in the Connecticut River Valley which New England Electric developed for free public use. All told, the company has some 25,000 acres of reservoir and pond areas and about 35,000 acres of land, nearly all of which is available for public recreation. Recreational use includes a wide range of activities: hunting, fishing, water sports, hiking, boating, berry picking, bird watching, nature study, etc.

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MISS LOUISE CUOCO

Miss Louise Cuoco, 30, of this town died last week Wednesday in Belchertown. Born in Springfield February 19, 1933, the daughter of Mrs. Josephine (Fucillo) Cuoco and the late Anthony Cuoco, she came to Belchertown about six years ago.

Besides her mother, she leaves five brothers, Florio, Angelo, Thomas and George Cuoco, all of Springfield, and John Cuoco of Pittsfield; and three sisters, Mrs. Antoinette Herandez of Framingham; Miss Mary Cuoco of Belchertown and Mrs. Elizabeth Alicea of Springfield.

The funeral was held at the George B. Tazzini and Son funeral home, Satuurday at 10.30 a. m. Rev. Gino Rufo of the Church of Christ officiated. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

MRS. RUDOLPH PERRON

Mrs. Erminie (Brinkman) Perron, 75, wife of Rudolph Perron of Boardman Rd., Belchertown, died Tuesday morning in Springfield Hospital. She was born in Holyoke and lived there for 65 years, moving to this town ten years ago. She was a member of the Golden Age and Senior Citizens Clubs of Holyoke.

Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Joseph O. of Dover, N. H.; a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Pepin of Belchertown; a brother, Homer Brinkman in Arizona; two sisters, Mrs. Leonie Gariety in Canada, and Mrs. Mary Dame of Westfield; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held at the Messier funeral home today at 8.15, with a solemn requiem high mass at Precious Blood Church at 9. Burial will be in Notre Dame Cemetery.

EASTERN STAR STATE-WIDE PICNIC

On Sunday, July 21, members of the Order of Eastern Star and their friends will be heading for a huge picnic from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

They will have fun and fellowship with their friends, and at the same time help a worthy cause. The picnic, conducted by the Carillon Association, which has members in all local Chapters of the Eastern Star, will be held in beautiful Stanley Park in Westfield.

Stanley Park, located in the hills of Western Massachusetts, lies in a wooded area adjacent to a small mountain stream. Sections have been cleared and planted with varieties of bushes and flowers, many of them in bloom in July. Visitors from all parts of the country come here to enjoy the scenery and music furnished at intervals by carillons housed in a tower on the grounds.

There will be recreational activities for young and old alike, entertainment, and a closing vesper service at 4.30 p. m. The affair will be held rain or shine, facilities being sufficiently spacious to accommodate a large crowd in either case. Families are urged to take a picnic lunch and stay the entire day.

A donation of one dollar is solicited from each person 18 years and over, who attends. Funds raised by this affair are designated by Mrs. Mildred Calverly of Auburn, sponsor of the Carillon Association, for various charities which may be local or national in scope. Individuals or organizations wishing to make contributions may send them directly to the treasurer, Mr. Max E. Cannon, Box 565, Dudley, Mass, and he will adequately acknowledge them.

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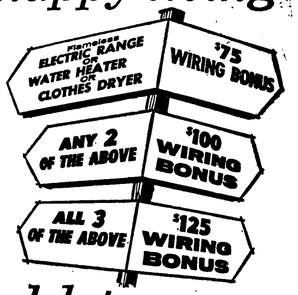

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is general chairman, assisted by the ways and means committee: Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wickham, Mr. James Lodge, Mrs. William French, Sgt. Sheldon Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rhodes, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grover.

Members and friends are reminded to throw away no usable articles, but to call James Lodge or Frank Grover to pick them up for the coming auction, which will be the chief money making project of the year.

It is also planned to sell vanilla to obtain kettles for the Chapter kitchen.

BATH HOUSE

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Chairman Smist is gratified at the response, and wants to extend his appreciation and that of the committee to all who are contributing materials and labor. He is quite overcome with the response.

BIG FISH AT QUABBIN

Bigger fish have been taken from Quabbin Reservoir during the first ten weeks of this season as compared to the same period last year, according to figures compiled by Bob McCaig, aquatic biologist with the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Quabbin Reservoir, metropolitan Boston's 25,000-acre water supply, located in the center of the state, was host during the ten-week period to a total of 20,000 boating anglers who fished for 136,500 hours to catch 17,350 fish of all species. A comparison with last year's totals shows that this year's fishing pressure and harvest have been slightly lower, according to McCaig.

Lake trout have averaged just under seven pounds apiece this season, with the largest specimen dragging the scales down to the ten-pound mark. Last year they averaged 5.8 pounds apiece during the same period. The biggest brown trout taken during the first ten weeks this season weighed almost 15 pounds.

Reports of catching and releasing more undersized lake trout this year than in any year since the division ceased to stock small lakers is a good indication that the fish have reproduced successfully in the Quabbin Reservoir, McCaig stated. However, as an additional safeguard to perpetuation of the species there, 50,000 fingerlings were released this past May.

Boat fishermen caught a combined total of 1,253 largemouth and smallmouth bass and chain pickerel which weighed 2,346 pounds. This averaged out to 1.87 pounds per fish, as compared to the average weight per fish of 1.58 pounds for the same period in 1962, according to McCaig. Panfish were taken in slightly lesser numbers this year (13,756 fish), but averaged 0.39 pounds apiece, a shade heavier than they were last season, he added. Bass, pickerel and panfish species will probably be the most sought-after species at the reservoir for the remainder of the summer, but trout will still be available to those anglers who can find them in deeper water, McCaig advised.

GIRL SCOUTS AT DAY CAMP

The Quabbin Mobile Girl Scout Day Camp on Quabbin Mountain has just completed two weeks of outdoor camping for 22 girls from this town. The camp was sponsored by the Pioneer Valley Girl Scout Council. Eighteen girls from Ware attended and one from Aldenville.

Serving on the camp staff from this town were Mrs. Charles Dowd, Mrs. Arthur Henneman and Miss Patricia Burke.

The Mobile Day Camp will now move to Wilbraham for two weeks, and then to Palmer for two weeks. Miss Burke will be on the staff for all three camps.

Attending from this town were Frederica Very, Rita Ely, Becky Davin, Martha Henneman, Joanne Avery, Marilyn Sujdak, Kathy O'Donnell, Kathy Dowd, Kathy Hutchinson, Nancy Brighenti, Jane Robinson, Barbara Menard, Linda Lagrante, Patricia Theroux, Debra Morey, Marie Lapointe, Dariene Czapia, Carol Merriam and Roxanne Towne.

Each Scout from this town received a campership toward the total expense. This was made possible from the proceeds of the minstrel show presented in the spring by the Girl Scouts.

The theme of the camp was taken from the book, "Winnie the Pooh."

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the ways and means committee: D. Grover, F. Grover, P. Bleau and E. Webb. Prize winners were: 1st, Regina DeMers, Liberato Lavella, Ethel Lavella and Anna Larzazs; 2nd, Aurore Granger, Eva Sawyer, Ada Underwood and Christine Henry; low, Lillian Madigan, Florence Damon, Idola Patnaude and Charlotte Hunt; door, W. W. Smith and Esther Thayer.

This week's party will be in charge of the building committee, R. Trombly, chairman; F. Very and R. Breton, Sr.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Camille Desilets, of Bay Road, departed Wednesday for a two weeks' stay on the coast near Biddeford, Maine.

Douglas Rhodes of North Main St. is a patient at Mary Lane Hospital in Ware.

ROLL CALL PASSAGE

It was learned today that the bill in the Massachusetts Legislature concerning mandantory installation in all new cars of seat belts was passed by a roll call vote in the Senate. It had been approved by the House previously. Exempt under the measure are busses, taxis, and commercial vehicles other than rental cars.

Also in the legislative program is a bill now being considered for the appropriation of funds for a dormitory to be constructed here at the State School. It would be occupied by male patients who now occupy two old and crowded structures in the vicinity of the farm. The new structure, it is proposed, will be erected nearer the other dormitories, in the vicinity of the auditorium and the infirmary.

This is not, however, the first time this particular item has come up. It is a portion of a bill asking funds for all of the State's Hospitals and Schools including Belchertown State School.

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Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of KATHERINE E. BASSETT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by FREDERICK J. HODSON of Palmer, in the County of Hampden, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jy 12, 19, 26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH L. LYON, alias, late of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.

The guardian of said ELIZABETH L. LYON, alias, has presented to said Court his ninth and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of July, 1963.

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Jy 19, 26, Aug. 4

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Vernon Lodge of Masons will funeral services this week Sat. night at 8 at Walker's Funeral H in Ware.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Rev. Harold Curtis, Preacher

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Eighth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Firefighters Association.

TUESDAY

Swimmers' group at town beach at 9 a. m.
Intermediate group at town beach at 10.45 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

THURSDAY

Swimmers' group at town beach at 9 a. m.
Intermediate group at town beach at 10.45 a. m.
Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.
Official Board in Fellowship Hall 7.30 p.. m.

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

O. E. S. Paper Drive.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Vacation Church School at 9 a. m.

CLERK OF WORKS

After interviewing several candidates for the position of clerk of works for the new High School on Wednesday evening, it was voted to employ William Vadnais of this place.

POLICEMEN'S SUPPER

The public supper served by the Policemen's Association last Saturday night was well patronized, about 220 being served. The first table was seated before 5 o'clock, and folks kept coming along in. Six tables were filled in the first twenty minutes.

Chester Dzwonkowski, vice-president, was general chairman. The public is heartily thanked for its patronage.

O. E. S. PAPER DRIVES AUCTION

Mount Vernon Chapter No. 97, O. E. S., announces paper drives on July 27, August 3 and 10. Anyone having papers should call Mrs. Evelyn Lodge, Worthy Matron, Tel. 323-7119, after 5.30 p. m., or Mrs. Ruth French in Granby. The date for the forthcoming auction is Saturday, September 14.

TOMORROW

Square Dance Pizza Party at Legion Hall.
O. E. S. Paper Drive.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Aug. 4
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church at 10.30 a. m.
Aug. 10
O. E. S. Paper Drive.
Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper in Congregational Parish House. Servings at 5.45 and 6.45 p. m.
Aug. 23
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY

The school building committee certainly moved fast this last week. They formally signed the general contract late last Thursday night, and as the contractors wanted to begin work Monday, it was decided on the drop of a hat to hold the ground-breaking ceremony on Sunday afternoon at 4.

So, under a wilting sun, with thunder clouds forming, and a bulldozer as a background, and a wonderful view to the west, as foreground, the ceremony took place.

Preliminary preparations included finding soft spots in the hay field, so that the prospective diggers would have a reasonable degree of success. The "borings" proved quite trustworthy.

Isaac A. Hodgen, who had been vice-chairman of the building committee, and chairman since Benton Fielder had gone far afield (Alabama), was master of ceremonies. He spoke of the need of Divine guidance in the carrying out of such an undertaking, and called on Rev. George R. Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church for the invocation, in which he alluded to the building of the new school as a tremendous project and spoke of the significance of this historic occasion.

Then followed the salute to the flag placed at the site by Sidney Wheeler of the Legion.

Then Mr. Sullivan of the contracting firm was introduced. He expressed the hope to erect a building of which the townspeople would be truly proud.

Town Clerk Robert D. Camp, who had been especially helpful to the committee, was forced to the forefront to take a bow.

Michael Mathras of the board of selectmen did the honors for that group, calling it a great occasion, for which they had waited many years. He called to mind noteworthy dedications in recent years—the war memorial, the Educational building at the Methodist Church, the Legion Home, and the new postoffice, indicating, he said, that we are a growing community. He said that the new school was probably the greatest financial project the town had ever undertaken.

Harold Willey, chairman of the school committee, made an impassioned plea for the cooperation and support of the various town committees. He spoke of the many problems confronting the world today, all calling for unity and cooperation.

He wanted the townspeople to support the building committee in its choice of a clerk of works and called attention to the fact the opera-

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PUT MAIN LINE ACROSS STREET

In view of the fact that Park Street is going to be resurfaced, the water commissioners ran an 8 inch pipe line across the road opposite the standpipe on Tuesday for the possible installation of an 8 inch hydrant on the common edge, which would greatly increase fire protection.

Instead of increasing the size of the main along Park Street from 6 inch to 8 inch, as some have advocated, the commissioners feel that in view of the fact that the present pipe is good for another fifty years, it would be more desirable to leave it there and to continue the 8 inch line from the proposed hydrant, along the common near the roadway, thus providing two main lines from there to the south end of the common, and some day connect with the 8 inch line presently installed on South Main Street from the State School connection.

The Water District voted to have a Federal survey made at the pumping station for the possible installation of automatic submersible pumps (with a double pumping capacity) which with the proposed additional lines would more adequately meet our growing needs.

ENFIELD SUNDAY

The Methodist Church will hold its Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday a week from Sunday, on August 4. The service will be at 10.30, with dinner following in the Church Vestry. The Rev. Major Wilson Lyon, Chaplain with the United States Army Air Force, will be the speaker.

DRAINAGE LINE LAID

A drainage pipe line has been laid this week from a point near the entrance to the parking lot to a manhole on Main Street, west of the parking area. This should correct the condition caused by the accumulation of water at the parking entrance during wet periods.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Belchertown Square Dance Club is having a pizza party this week Saturday, July 27, at the Legion Hall, Belchertown. John Alden is our caller.

We hope we will be giving away another banner this week.

Our host and hostess will be Clarence and Gloria Tetrault.

The refreshment committee will be Cris and Jessie Crisafulli, chairman; Stewart Shaw and John and Barbara Ericson.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

One of our town officials called the special town meeting of Monday night a "confusing" one. Advertised for a greater length of time than most meetings, there were many $64 questions.

Evidently the article about an appropriation for the Hampshire County Sanatorium was found to be unnecessary as the bill had already been paid, but Mr. Wheeler found he had to make a motion favoring it before he could make a tabling motion disposing of it.

William Kimball, Jr., chairman of the board of assessors, moved that the article concerning the assessors getting advice concerning valuation matters by accepting a state statute be given the same tabling treatment, to allow for further study by the board.

When the matter of accepting land for the town from the Wards came up, there was a little confusion at first, some wondering if any strings were tied to the offer. When it was finally found out that there were none, the article passed.

And there was confusion over the matter of the selectmen appointing an agent to enforce the zoning laws. No one was sure whether the town counsel had been consulted as to the legality of it all. The meeting proceeded with other business, while Selectman Henrichon and William Squires of the planning board made an unsuccessful attempt to get hold of him.

Robert D. Camp, Sr., town clerk, questioned the legality of the procedure, especially in view of a previous court experience. Ike Hodgen moved that action be deferred until the legal aspect was cleared up.

Chairman Henrichon said that he favored the appointment of an agent, as the selectmen had not the time to deal with the matter adequately. From newspaper statements we

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AROUND OUR TOWN

Despite the "warmish" weather this past week, our Town is undergoing quite a few changes.

First off, if any one had been present at the ground-breaking ceremony for the new school this past Sunday were to return to that grassy place, he would be quite surprised to find nothing the same. Earth-movers and bulldozers have transformed it, almost over night it would seem, into a great dirt field.

Then too, down at the town beach, the new bath house is shaping up, with the last of the outer walls going

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Tom Swift's Reappearance Startles His Early Fans!

As most of you must know by now, there has been a new word game traveling like a prairie fire from coast to coast this spring and early summer, heating up folks of all ages.

It started from somebody or other reading over some of a very ancient and honorable set of "books for boys" called the *Tom Swift Series*. Tom, a creation of a prolific author by the name of Victor Appleton, was an inventive youth who seldom "said" anything without accompanying it with an adverb. He "thought exultantly", he "spoke hopefully", he "asked quickly", and so on. Someone thought this simple language lent itself well to punning, and from this slender idea, "Swifties" were born.

Let's illustrate, using both originals and steals:

"Don't feed me any more dandelions," said Tom bitterly.

"I don't like this new dress of yours," said Tom shiftily.

"He must have been buried a week," sighed Tom gravely.

"She wasn't a nice girl," pronounced Tom tartly.

And how it has spread, with some of the results most marvelous in their subtlety and cleverness!

It's a nice game and excellent for the vocabulary, a part of modern man, like his spelling, that sometimes gets dulled in this age of the motor and the computer. Moreover, it talks about "adverbs", and most English teachers have an awful time trying to convince their youth that anybody gives a diddleydam for an adverb in these times!

It is a wholesome thing—this love for words that continues to be part of people. In one form or another we return to *anagrams* periodically. We embrace crossword puzzles, plain and fancy, make a great fad of them, and then level off to a few a week. We make "Scrabble" a national habit — and now we welcome *Swifties!*

I was really quite startled when three ad men from out in San Francisco dug Tom out of the past. He was once a very close friend of mine, and I had not given him a thought for years.

Last night I went up into the backroom and found a Tom Swift book. I have more somewhere in the attic. With "Swifties" in style, perhaps the books are worth something!

This particular one is *Tom Swift and His Electric Runabout*" or "The Speediest Car on the Road". (Don't you love books with *alternate* titles—that you can use in case something happens to the original!!) This book was copyrighted by still-active Grosset and Dunlap in 1910, and passed its fifty-third birthday quietly. It was number 5 in a series that was to run to 40 in thirty-odd years. It retailed for 40 cents, though the price on this one seems to have been a bargain, 25. There are 200-odd pages bound in hard covers, with a drawing on the front cover of Tom in a high collar, a jaunty hat, and a striped blazer!

Preceding it in the series had been *T.S.A.H. Motor Cycle, T.S.A.H. Motor-Boat, T.S.A.H. Airship, and T.S.A.H. Submarine Boat.* Repetitions never seemed to bother Victor, as long as the new inventions held out.

As you can see, these were definitely novels of the machine age, and young Tom, whose father was "the aged inventor", was quite a lad. He managed an average of one invention a year, and a major adventure, with villains and death-defyings, along with each invention. There was a *Mary Nestor,* too, a "girl with a blush", who went for Tom in a big, pure way, despite his dirty hands and all.

To us kids, these were very serious books. We saw no humor in the simplicity of the love and the language. We did laugh at Banker Damon, who *blessed* everything. "Bless my collar button, Tom Swift, but maybe we can save the old bank after all." And bless his bonds, they did save it!

There were other *series* being published along with "Tom." The *Rover Boys,* by Arthur Winfield (60 cents each) was in its 15th volume by 1910. *Putnam Hall,* also by Arthur, had 5 volumes, and Horatio Alger (by then a classic) was still going strong, though Alger had died in 1899. A man named Henty was still casting a dying shadow into the new century.

Frank Merriwell, too, the athletic creation of Burt L. Standish, was having himself a tremendous series of books, and making friends for Yale. Personally, I never could really love Harvard after following Frank and his brother Dick. By the time I was old enough to accept more beneficial and less digestible literary fare, there had arrived a Frank Merriwell, Jr., just as I believe there is a space-minded descendant of Tom's around the stratosphere today.

I am not sure what "the boys" are reading these days. Or if they are. Our gang had no radio, of course, in those early teens. There weren't even enough telephones to go all the way around.

"And that's no fairy tale," said Tom grimly.

Twisties

The *Saturday Review's* "Trade Winds" for July 6 included a couple of what I'd like to call "Twisties"—

A Tibetan yak accidentally fell into a pit where rubbish was being incinerated. Soon a native was heard yelling mournfully: "Oh, my baking yak!"

A king got sore at some of his counts because they wouldn't reveal to him where they had buried their treasures. Axes began to fall and heads to roll. One count decided to change his mind and tell where his treasure was — but he changed his mind too late—oops, there's his head! Moral: *Don't hatchet your counts before they chicken!*

* * *

Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

* * *

"I have learned silence from the talkative, toleration from the intolerant, and kindness from the unkind; yet strange, I am ungrateful to those teachers." *Kahil Gibran—1883-1931*

Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

A water supply for Belchertown is at last assured. It has been talked about for decades, various committees from time to time have been appointed, but it amounted to nothing. But when the citizens saw that the State school had installed a big pumping system, and a huge standpipe on South Main St. it strengthened their determination to hitch on to the State school water system. The result was that there was a very large attendance of townspeople at the vestry of the Methodist church to listen to the report of the commissioners. The meeting was called to order by William E. Shaw, clerk of the district, and Thomas Allen was elected moderator. The commissioners reported that by a special act of the legislature the loan limit to the town was a $50,000 bond. Early in the meeting it was evident that the Federal Street people were not going to be satisfied as the $50,000 bond would not be sufficient to provide water as far as Federal St. So first, the meeting voted to petition the legislature for permission to borrow an additional sum, not to exceed $20,000, so that water could be supplied to the whole district. The high point of the meeting was when the group decided by a vote of 104 to 4 for the $50,000 construction. Full authority was given the commissioners, consisting of E. C. Witt, Mrs. Emma R. Shaw and H. B. Ketchen to go ahead and install the system.

Albert Slater died at the age of 87.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

At the third Pelham Hill service, there was a piano recital by Harold Bohmer, a lecture on "The Fallen Oak" by Prof. R. H. Verbeck of M.S.C., a vesper service by the Pelham Federated Church, and an address by Reverend Hilda Ives, an outstanding rural leader and a dynamic speaker.

The school committee is considering the closing of the Washington school, as the registration is under ten.

Rev. Kendig B. Cully has accepted the invitation to occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church on August 21 and 28.

A large delegation of Farm and Home Week (M.S.C.) garden lovers visited last week the gardens of Dr. and Mrs. George McPherson, Mr. Frank Fuller and Mrs. Nelson Holland. The Steeple says that "the single display which received the most 'ahs' was that of Mrs. Holland's phlox" and that "Dr. McPherson's day lilies and rose garden, and Mr. Fuller's walled garden, lily pool, and long stretches of perfectly kept lawn were greatly admired."

TEN YEARS AGO

The B.H.S. Senior Aumni Reunion was a noteworthy one from many standpoints. It was the largest attended of any yet, 90 alumni being present. Without doubt it was the hottest day of any reunion. Representatives of 33 classes brought messages from living members; sixty-four unable to come sent messages. A picture of the group was taken in front of the Methodist church. It was Old Home Day especially for the older classes.

THE SENTINEL contains the names of the 48 canvassers on the Parish House Renovation Project under the direction of Rev. Harold W. Curtis.

TOWN ITEMS

Jack Fiege, son of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Collard, returned home Wednesday after spending a month at Camp Wyanoke, a camp for boys located in Wolfeboro, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cacciapaglia and children, Holly, Peter, and Paul of Nuremberg, West Germany, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton Snow, Bay Road. They are also visiting with his father, Peter Cacciapaglia, of Holyoke.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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up rapidly—local men doing the honors. It is most pleasing to observe these men as they work away as volunteer labor, working as though they were drawing a neat salary for their efforts.

Another change, perhaps not so earth shaking, was the removal of the huge elm tree which had stood by post office corner for years on end. It all came to an end Thursday morning when, with a loud thud, it hit the street, straddling Route 202 (Maple St.) there in front of the old Dwight home. It tied up traffic for ten minutes or so, but soon the half dozen men with power saws had it down to "fireplace" size.

The tree had long been a menace to traffic, as it stood so near the roadway, and was a danger to healthier trees nearby—so down it came. The office corner is not at all as it was a year ago—wouldn't you say?—since for the Snack Bar.

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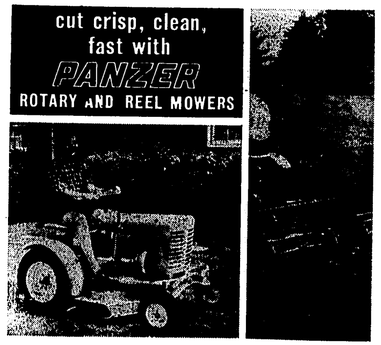

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 8, 12-17. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Romans.

Gospel—Luke 16, 1-9. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the parable of the unjust steward).

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB —

If you wish to have your name included in the list of active members of the C.W.C. in the new program book (1963-64 season) now being made up, would you please contact Mrs. Jessie Crisafulli prior to Aug. 10th. Telephone: 323-6661.

— MT. MARIE DEVELOPMENT —

Tonight, there will be a meeting of clergy and their assistants for the Mt. Marie Development Program. The meeting, which will be at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room, will be for priests from St. Francis, Thorndike, Hampden and Monson. With them will be their respective lay parish committees.

— SPECIAL COLLECTION —

On Sunday, July 28, there will be a special collection taken up for the parish, specifically for the painting of the outside of the church which was done a few months back. Both parishioners and summer residents are asked to help—the House of God assuredly must be kept looking in proper condition.

— ALTAR BOYS —

Servers for this week are: Patrick Mann and James Joyal. Next week Michael Mathras and James Joyal will serve.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the first Friday in August will be Thursday evening from 7.30 to 8.30.

On Friday—Mass in St. Francis at 7.30 a. m.; confessions in the evening from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass following at 7 p. m.

— ST. FRANCIS PARISH —

This is the second in a series of articles dealing with the history of St. Francis Parish. This week, we will write of the continued development of the church just south of Belchertown, from which our own parish later developed.

In last week's account we left off by mentioning that the first priest to take up full time residence in Palmer was in 1869. Continuing from this point, we find that it was Rev. Francis J. Lynch who became the third pastor of St. Ann's in that year.* St. Anne's parish, not to be confused with the Palmer Center church dedicated to St. Ann, is located in Three Rivers.

The era of transition had ended. Like the Church itself, this priest was "here to stay." For 38 years he would minister to the Flock in this town; he was to see the parish grow by leaps and bounds, with churches built and new parishes created in Thorndike, Palmer, Monson, Bondsville and Three Rivers. He was to see the ranks of the faithful augmented first with the French speaking Canadians and later with the Polish immigration.

The most pressing need at the time of Fr. Lynch's arrival was for a church convenient to the people and adequate for divine worship. St. Ann's at Palmer Center was easily accessible, it had served more than it's useful life and now was not large enough to accommodate the parishioners. Accordingly, the pastor exerted every effort to build a new church close to his people in Thorndike. Construction was begun in May of 1875, and the happy day was realized in May, 1876.

* The first pastor was Fr. Patrick V. Moyce. He was the first resident pastor (unlike Fr. Lynch, he did not take up residence there in Palmer Center near his church).

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Myron West, the former Rachel Curtis, of Wilmette, Ill., is visiting at the home of her brother, Rev. Harold W. Curtis. Also guests who arrived yesterday were Dr. and Mrs. Robert F. Curtis of Chambersburg, Pa. Dr. Curtis is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Curtis.

Miss Julie Noury of Pittsfield is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waite of Maple St.

Mrs. Edward Pepe of South Washington Street and her sister, Beverly Harper, have just returned from a week's stay at the Christian Admiral Hotel in Cape May, N. J. The Great 20th Century Reformation Movement is headed by Dr. Carl McIntire of Collingswood, N. J. The 20th Century Reformation Hour can be heard 9.30 to 10 a. m. weekdays over Station WARE.

VACANCY FILLED

The remaining members of the board of assessors and the selectmen have appointed Mrs. Doris Squires as an assessor to fill the unexpired term of the late Elliott S. Cordner.

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Paul Wall, Acolyte.

SUNDAY, JULY 28

9.30 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "Things Life Consist Of"

9.30 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building.

2 p. m. Cars will leave for the Cathedral of the Pines to hear Dr. Frederick Maser. Dr. Maser is pastor of Old St. George Church in Philadelphia. This is Methodist Day.

7.30 p. m. Evensong at the Church.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

8 p. m. Mid-Week Service in Fellowship Hall in the Educational Building.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in Fellowship Hall.

COMING

AUGUST 11-18

The Rev. Tommy Tyson will be the preacher at the Second Annual Camp Meeting at Laurel Park.

AUGUST 4

Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday. See front page article.

LIONS CLUB

John Carr, new president of the Lions Club, in a bulletin to members, announces that it has been decided to concentrate on turkey shoots as the chief money making activity this coming season. These will start September 22 and run for ten weeks. Two teams will have the shoots in charge:

Team No. 1—Chairman, Joe Tolpa; Co-Chairman, Eugene Vadnais; Sam Berger, Don Cole, Harold Cook, Art Henneman, Neil Cochran, Bob Jackson and James Joyal.

Team No. 2—Chairman, Richard Pratt; Co-Chairman, Richard Cook; F. Loftus, Wm. Webster, Dave White, Frank Scialla, Ken Thayer, Sid Wheble, Roy Kimball, Arlan Skinner, Ralph Trombly.

Other Committees

Halloween—Co-Chairmen, Samuel Berger, Harold Cook; Dave White, Sid Wheble, Roy Kimball, Frank Scialla, Bob Jackson, Mitchell Duda.

Sunshine—Art Henneman, Lewis Frost.

Scholarship—Richard Pratt, Joe Tolpa, Samuel Berger.

Christmas Party—Sid Wheble, Richard Cook.

Installation of Officers (Ladies Night)—Chairman, Ken Thayer; Co-Chairman, Arlan Skinner; Joe Tolpa, Frank Scialla.

Membership Committee—Board of Directors.

Ken Thayer and Arlan Skinner have volunteered to be program chairmen for the coming season which starts September 10.

BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Gertrude Hagoort, who lives with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Andringa of North Main St., celebrated her 90th birthday on Wednesday. She was born in Rotterdam, Holland.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "Help From Heaven."

The guest preacher will be Rev. Harold W. Curtis.

Dr. Kenneth L. Collard will be soloist at this service. William Hackett was soloist last Sunday.

Nursery care is provided.

Attending Camp

Beverly Ketchen and Carol Gray will leave Tuesday for a week at the Pilgrim Fellowship camp at Framingham.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. Albert Birchenough of Brimfield their 250 acre dairy farm to Mr. and Mrs. David Bliss of Monson. Mr. Birchenough has written several articles on New England farming for various publications. The Bliss family have already moved in and are operating the farm, while the Birchenoughs have purchased a home in Springfield.

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GROUND BREAKING

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on and maintenance of the new hool is a major problem and will ecessitate considerable sacrifice, of hich the voters have been fully arned. He also wanted people's eas on the use of the school for utside activities.

After introduction of the several ommittees, the real ground-breaking ok place, Isaac Hodgen, chairman; d David Staples, vice-chairman; rning over the first shovelsful.

Other members of the committee llowed in the operation, so the conector may have wondered what was ing to be left for him to do.

The local editor was then called for verses recording the significe of the occasion, following ich Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor the Methodist Church, pronounced the benediction with a petition for Divine guidance in this great undertaking.

Thus ended this significant ceremony.

Members of the building committee—Isaac Hodgen, David Staples, John Nelson, Walter Papp, Clifford Holt, Andrew Ketchen, Donald Geer, and Superintendent Peterson, ex-officio.

Members of the school committee—Harold Willey, Mrs. John Flaherty, David Staples, Arthur Brennen and Lloyd Chadbourne.

Michael Mathras represented the selectmen, Rev. Joseph T. Collins, curate at St. Francis, was present with Fr. Dudley: while the audience numbered a hundred or so.

The Verses

The turning of the sod today
Is proof that we are on our way
From indicision, make-shift schools,
Which though their product hasn't been fools,

Should well give place without delay
To better tools for this new day.
Our parents did the best they could
For us, as well they should,

So we should do our best for those
Who follow us, though problems pose.

The turning of the sod today
Is proof that we are going to pay
This debt that for so long we've owed,
And thus appreciation showed.

What will this school turn out to be?
A Godless thing? Let's wait and see.
Will teaching wisdom be alone
The teacher's task as days go on?

Or will a third dimension be
The serving of humanity?

Rise up, oh walls of this new school.
As workmen wield the plumb and rule,
May every one in his own line,
Feel he is building wisdom's shrine,

And may each teacher teaching here
Somehow feel a Presence near,
And by example, if not word,
Be a true apostle of our Lord.

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TOWN MEETING

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had gotten the idea that the selectmen and the planning board were at odds over the matter—yes, a bit confusing.

Gary Whitlock said that there would be another meeting coming up soon in regard to the sewer, and felt that there would be no harm in postponing action. So Mr. Hodgen's motion was carried.

A portion of the Lewis Slate property was voted from agriculture to business. The routine articles were acted upon favorably.

Perhaps the next meeting will be less confusing, if not as interesting.

PERMIT GRANTED

The board of appeals has notified Stanford J. Harrington that he has been unanimously granted a temporary permit to remove sand from a portion of his property on East St., sand to be removed from northwest side of knoll, so that the pit or pits are not seen from two near-by buildings, sand to be removed to a depth of no more than three feet, removal operations to avoid cave-ins; expiration date, Jan. 1, 1964, grace period of six months to be permitted to regrade area; performance bond of $1,000 to be posted.

CORN ROAST

The annual corn roast sponsored by the Mary Lane Hospital's Women's Auxiliary, will be conducted from 5.30 to 7.30 p. m. on August 21 at the hospital grounds.

Supper will be served and cooked by members of the Ware Rotary Club with all proceeds designated for the hospital building fund.

Several attractions at the hospital grounds will be an odds-and-ends table, food booth, fish pond, pony rides for children, a plant table, a gift shop and an artist to paint portraits.

EDWIN F. SHUMWAY

Edwin F. Shumway, 86, of Turkey Hill Rd., died last week Thursday morning in his home.

He was born in Belchertown on January 25, 1877, son of Dwight and Jane (Baggs) Shumway, and had lived his entire life on the farm where he was born.

In addition to farming, he had devoted many years to Chapter 90 road construction in town. He also had served on the Board of Selectmen, and had been Superintendent of Streets for the town.

He was a member of Vernon Lodge of Masons and had received a 50-year jewel in 1960. He was a member of the Farm Bureau and a charter member of the Belchertown Lions Club.

He was president of the Belchertown Farmers and Mechanics Club for 30 years, succeeding his late father who had held the presidency for many years. His wife, the late Julia (Sanford) Terry Shumway, died in 1962.

A familiar sight on Fair Day was Mr. Shumway, sporting a cane, roaming around the roadway at parade time, with his wife at the grandstand, making the customary entries. At horse-drawing time, Mr. Shumway was always to be found seated within the snow fence enclosure, taking a personal interest in each pull.

He leaves a stepson, Donald Terry, an adopted son, Edgar Shumway, both here, several grandchildren, three great-grand children, and several nieces and nephews.

A Masonic service was held Saturday night at 8, conducted by Vernon Lodge of Masons, at the Walker Funeral Home, Ware.

The funeral was held on Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Congregational Church, Rev. Harold Curtis officiating. Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer was organist.

Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery. Bearers were D. Fred Terry of Ware, William Terry, Loren Shumway, John Pranaitis, Arthur Henneman and Frederick Lincoln, all of Belchertown.

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Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of KATHERINE E. BASSETT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by FREDERICK J. HODSON of Palmer, in the County of Hampden, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of July, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH L. LYON, allas, late of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.

The guardian of said ELIZABETH L. LYON, allas, has presented to said Court his ninth and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Jy 19, 26, Aug. 4

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of EDWIN F. SHUMWAY, also known as EDWIN FOSTER SHUMWAY, and E. F. SHUMWAY, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by DONALD M. TERRY of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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SEARL NOTES RESCUE

John P. Searl, our good old friend in Staten Island, N. Y., ever watchful for Belchertown date lines, sends us a clipping from the Staten Island Advance, concerning a rescue here:

Belchertown, Mass. (AP)—An Air Force air-sea rescue team, trained to save distressed fliers, proved its versatility Tuesday by rescuing a horse.

An 11-year-old mare named Donna, ridden by her owner, Frank Hano of South Hadley, sank up to her neck in a swamp.

Unable to free the animal, Hano called the 44th Eastern Air-Sea Rescue Service at Westover Air Force Base, Chicopee.

A helicopter crew was dispatched to pluck the horse from the mud. Tree cover prevented the chopper from getting close to the animal.

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We wish to extend our sincere thanks to relatives, friends, neighbors, Vernon Lodge of Masons and the Police Association for the floral tributes and expressions of sympathy tendered during our recent bereavement.

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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Twelve tables were in play at card party last Saturday night, by Mary Judkins, instead of building committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Charlotte Hunt, 2 Nightingale, Lillian Madigan, M Judkins; 2nd, Ruth Kempkes, Ed Grover, Gaetane Fortin, Joy Wr 3rd, Esther Thayer, Esther Pres Kathrine Finn and Caroline Mit door, Nellie Jenks and Lillian M igan.

This week's party will be in ch of the insurance committee, Peck, chairman; R. Johnston an Peck.

GRANGE NOTES

The Grange Mystery Ride and nic for Grange members only be held August 6th in charge Howard Judkins and Leon Geo

Cars will leave the parking 5.45 p. m. The price of the supper will be $1.00. Reserv will be taken by Myrtle Will The event will be held rain or

The next meeting will be A 20 and will be Agricultural N A flower show will be held in nection with it. Classes for the will be given at a later date.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Old Home Day and Enfield Sunday at Methodist Church at 10.30 a.

Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

THURSDAY

Swimming program for children at town beach from 1 to 4 p. m.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of WSCS at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William French at 7.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

O. E. S. Paper Drive.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

First Friday services in St. Francis Church starting at 6.15, with Mass at 7 p. m.

TOMORROW

O. E. S. Paper Drive.
Grange Card Party.

AROUND OUR TOWN

This past weekend was a hot but successful one at the grand opening of the new Chadbourne Station Annex. Over 900 visitors filled out an entry blank for the drawing of prizes the following Monday. The owner is quite pleased, not only for the turnout, but also the fact that nearly 80% of the winners were from this area. The winners (first three) were: Bruce Clark of Ware, pair of tires; Lars Peterson of this town, ladies' watch; and Celia Styles of Pelham, one year membership in AAA Auto Club, Holyoke.

Not much change is evident over last week's work report on the new Jr. - Sr. High School building. The concrete footings are being placed this week.

Future students, if not paying heed to their studies, might be found taking in the beautiful view to the south

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QUICK TRIP SOUTH

Herbert Squires, William Chevalier and daughter, Mrs. Hazel Williams, motored to Columbus, Miss., starting last week Friday, to the home of another daughter, Mrs. Quincey (Joyce) Ferguson, returning to town early yesterday morning, accompanied by a grandson, Douglas Williams, who has spent the summer there. Mrs. Ferguson returned with them for a short visit here.

Coming Events

Aug. 14
Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper in Congregational Parish House. Servings at 5.45 and 6.45 p. m.
Aug. 17
Annual Reunion of Towne and Edson Families in the Congregational Parish House.
Aug. 23
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family.
Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 8
6th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church.
Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

COURT OF HONOR

Motorists were evidently rather puzzled as to the nature of the gathering on our common last Thursday evening at the Boy Scout Court of Honor. They had reason to be—after all the high temperature days, there on the common was a group around a *campfire!* Not only that, but it had the look of a courtroom, with "Judge" Bailey and his aides sitting behind a long table, flag at either end, and everyone else set out like so many jurors along the sides.

Court it was, but not there to judge guilt or innocence—rather to honor local scout youth, who in the past months have done remarkably well; this was the reason it was convened.

The gathering was held to the north of the war memorial, just beside the bandstand. It was well attended, both by scouts, and by parents and friends.

It opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag by scouts and spectators alike, and closed with taps followed by a prayer by Mr. Bailey. The value of the scout program has taken on an added importance since the recent Supreme Court ruling on prayer in our public school; where else will they (our youth) be given this public opportunity to remember their God and country?

The program section which consisted of awards, etc. followed a few skits and demonstrations by the scouts. One, was called "worst aid", and it truly was *worst* aid, but they followed that right up with correct procedures for giving first aid.

The awards are appended. Following the presentation of awards, Harold Ketchen came forward to receive the title of Eagle Scout from Scoutmaster John Bailey. Mr. Bailey presented his award, making Harold the first Eagle Scout here in many years. He in turn presented his mother with a pin.

Dignitaries present included the scoutmaster, his assistants, James Nolan, Ralph Munn and Harry Shakarian, wives, scout executive Warner, Chester Dzwonkowski and town scout committee chairman, John Cook. John Carr, president of the Lions Club, presented the troop with a check to pay a portion of the tuition for 20 scouts who plan to go to Camp Chesterfield.

THE AWARDS

Tenderfoot — Frank Heilmann, Gary Munn, Duane Pelchat, Richard Cole, Jay Spooner, Richard Ritter, William Dyer, Frank Brodeur, Kenneth Jackson, Robert Forest, Craig Farrington, Kenneth Dorey, Bruce Fitzgerald.

Merit Badges — Fred Fitzgerald, public speaking, weather; Kenneth

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ENFIELD SUNDAY AND OLD HOME SUNDAY

The Methodist Church will hold its 30th Annual Old Home Sunday and Enfield Sunday on August 4. The preacher for this service will be Chaplain Major Wilson Lyon. Chaplain Major Lyon is a chaplain in the regular army. He is an ordained Methodist minister and a member of the Maine Conference. He served several charges in that Conference before going on extended active duty with the United States Army in 1957.

In June of this year he returned from overseas duty in Germany, where for 33 months he served as Regimental Chaplain of the 11th Armored Cavalry. He is presently assigned to the United States Army Chaplain School, Fort Hamilton, New York, where he will be a student for the next five months in the Career Course.

Chaplain Lyon is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Leroy A. Lyon of Reading, Mass. The Rev. Lyon senior is a former resident of the town of Enfield, and a graduate of Belchertown High School.

Chaplain Lyon holds an A. B. degree from Boston University College of Liberal Arts (Class of '45), and the S. T. B. Degree from Boston University School of Theology (Class of '48). While pastor at the First Methodist Church in South Portland, he joined the Maine National Guard, in which he served from July, 1952 to June, 1957 as Regimental Chaplain of the former 103rd Infantry, regimental combat team.

When he entered upon active service in June of 1957, he was assigned as Battalion Chaplain of the 548th AAA (Missile Battalion (later the 3rd Missile Battalion, 61st Artillery) at Loring Air Force Base, Limestone, Maine. His military training includes the basic officers' and company officers courses at the U. S. Army Chaplain School, which he completed in 1956 and 1960 respectively. He was also selected last August to attend the Hospital Seminar at the U. S. Army Hospital, Munich, Germany, which was sponsored by the Chief of Chaplains in coordination with the Surgeon General of the United States.

A member of the Masonic Order, he holds a dual membership in York Lodge No. 22, Kennebunk, Maine, and Eureka Lodge No. 872, Straubing, Germany. While overseas he served as Master of Eureka Lodge, and as Grand Chaplain of the Provincial Grand Lodge of Germany (American-Canadian Group). He is also a member of the Royal Arch Chapter in South Portland.

Chaplain Lyon is married and has four sons and two daughters.

SUPPER PLANS MOVE TO FRONT BURNER

The Seventh Annual Firefighters Roast Beef Supper will be served on Wednesday, August 14, at the Congregational Parish House.

With Ken Bristol now living in Athol and the loss of the records from last year's event (dissolved in the left-over gravy) there is a little confusion in planning this year's menu. During the celebration of the muster victory at Hadley, the following menu was developed: Rusty Water Soup, Roast Fire Hose (rubber lined brass couplings), Mashed Fire Coat with Foam Gravy, Sliced Rubber Boot with mayonaise and rolls and primer pump grease.

Dave Staples and his dining room crew have approved this menu, but Captain Ken and his kitchen crew might change it a bit.

Don't take a chance on missing this leading event of the season; get your tickets and your appetite ready for a fine feed.

WON FIRST PRIZE

The local fire department placed first in the centrifugal pumping contest at Hadley on Sunday, bringing home $75 as a result. How is it?—they seem to be fortunate at Hadley.

The team consisted of David Staples, captain; Ted Fuller, Raymond Hill, Edward Gates, Lawrence Bowser, Richard McGinnis, William Lincourt, Donald Bock and John Hubbard. The time was 35.7 seconds.

Auxiliary members seem to be helping the team on to victory.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Mary Lane Hospital Association is putting on a membership drive. Annual membership is $2.00, and life membership is $100.

Letters are being mailed to prospective members, but if you don't happen to get one and are interested, contact Mrs. John Copithorne, director from Belchertown.

ENROLLED AT UNIV. OF MAINE

Orono, Maine—Enrollment for the Summer Session at the Orono and Portland campuses of the University of Maine has now reached approximately 3388.

About 1283 students enrolled for the first three-week session and another 2105 enrolled for the six-week term which is now in progress. The grand total will be increased even

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Trip to Gaspé Peninsula
Provides Many Enjoyments

For several months we have been talking about taking a trip this summer around the Gaspé Peninsula in the Province of Quebec. We had listened to conflicting reports from friends and acquaintances about this drive. Some had found it little but clouds, fog and rain, making sightseeing impossible and driving rather dangerous. Others pronounced the trip as a must for anyone who enjoys the sea and the mountains.

We made the trial for ourselves from July 20 to 25 with Guy and Vera Harrington in their car. We returned thoroughly happy and very much impressed by the beauty and variety of what we had seen in a jaunt of 1500 miles, portal to portal. In fact, given the fine weather we had every day that we were on the road, we'd gladly do it all over again very soon.

We started out from Eden, Vermont, where the Harringtons live at Guy's old home much of the summer, and spent the first afternoon and evening at Quebec City. It had been a pretty and interesting ride, though we found it hard to locate a place to eat our picnic in the middle of the day. Quebec does not furnish much in the way of roadside spots, and it was a long time before we located a corner of a hayfield where there was shade and no firmly fastened fence to ward off travelers—or, more likely, to keep in the stock.

Quebec is a fascinating city to all of us. It is surely the most "foreign" metropolis north of the Rio Grande and the only walled city this side of Mexico. There we saw the much-publicized eclipse, almost total there, which gave us weird effects in the "old city" late in the afternoon.

In Quebec, city and province alike, one feels in the presence of history. On the far-eastern tip of the Gaspé, Jacques Chartier once set up a cross and claimed Canada for France. That was in 1534, 73 years before the English came to Virginia, and 88 before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth.

After dinner (snails on the menu, but we took less exotic items), we drove to the Plains of Abraham in the early evening, and thought of the victory gained there by General Wolfe in 1759, which was to give North America to the English, who staved off the rebellious Yankess less than twenty years after Montcalm's defeat, and kept Canada for "His Majesty the King, God bless him!"

Despite these victories and defeats, as you know if you have visited any part of Quebec, the French are still in control throughout the province. The cross set up by Chartier is still the symbol of the people, and is in evidence on cliff top and mountain peak, with shrines everywhere, more frequent than "picnic areas" in Vermont or Maine. The language is French, in marked contrast with Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

More than that! Quebec has heard the rumblings of revolution within recent months, with bombs in mailboxes and signs "Free Quebec" on barns and sheds! These were not a plea for a return to French rule, but for a republic or some form of independence of their own.

We ferried over the St. Lawrence to Levis on Sunday morning and started northwest. All day we drove through good farming country and quite prosperous-appearing towns, where all the folks seemed to be sitting on their porches and watching the world go by. Except during the church hours, when it was obvious that everyone went to church and that there were plenty of churches for them to attend. As we got up the peninsula, we knew that the lighthouse and the cross were the guides for the sailors—one to welcome to harbor or warn away from dangers, the other to guide toward the harbor eternal, where all nets are drawn and sails lowered.

All the long way to the town of Gaspé, first the tremendous St. Lawrence River, then the ocean (Gulf of St. Lawrence), then Gaspé Bay would be close beside us on the left, visible almost all of the time, and at a pebble-tossing distance almost always. On our right were farms, fields, hills, mountains, all creating fascinating pictures.

We stayed at Cap Chat the first night out from Quebec City, way up where the river really becomes the sea, and where the Gaspé itself has really separated from the rest of the province. It was fun following the maps which we had in some abundance. Many towns in Quebec are named for saints. On the map of the Gaspé, we found *St. Guy* and *Ste. Florence*, but could not quite locate *Ste. Vera*, and there was definitely no *St. Steeple*!

As we progressed, the farming country with its miles of rail fences, and its peat bogs along the river, began to give way to more rugged terrain, where fishing eventually became the main industry, supplemented by tourists.

During the early part of the trip we found that almost all the villagers built their houses right up to the roadway, making cautious driving imperative, especially where so many folks used bicycles. Later, the houses were scattered, but still close to their highway. By the way, there was nothing that we could call dangerous driving. Some of the mountain roads were steep, some of the curves called for care, but all our routes were hard surfaced and trouble free except where reconstruction was going on.

Except in the "resort towns" of Gaspé and Percé, there was not much roadside selling. At times there were concentrations of salesmen, mostly children, retailing hand-made toy sailboats. These were of plywood and not especially well made, with little carving. Some even hitched up dog carts to make the sales spots more picturesque. Like gasoline stations farther south, there were either many or no salesmen. On the edge of a couple of fishing villages we were welcomed by kids with starfish for sale, lovely orange-colored ones. Each child could say clearly, "Twenty-five cents", and "Candy?". The rest was all French. The starfish ripened as we drove along and were ready to plant in the garden of eden at trip's end. There were little stands where homemade bread was offered—made in ovens right out in the yard. None of this bread appeared on the menus in the motels or restaurants.

As you really get out onto the peninsula, civilization is largely limited to the coast, and the interior is a forested wilderness, where hunting must be excellent. Many sportsmen go to the Gaspesian Park for fishing. There are moose, bear, deer, and even a herd of caribou. The Chic-Choc Mountains provide plenty of challenge to nimrods. Hunting, by the way, is strictly limited to the preserves, and in the Park, only fly-fishing is permitted, worms being destroyed!

Many people were out in the fields after wild strawberries. We saw little swimming in the river or on the beaches where we were. There were few pleasure boats. Campers are becoming legion, especially on the northern tip and around to the southeastern shore.

I suppose you could say that the Gaspé Peninsula, long cut off from the rest of Quebec in its early days when the only inhabitants were Bretton fishermen, and slow to get its roads built, is now at last becoming commercialized. I guess it is, but I am afraid I enjoy a good meal and a comfortable billet at the end of each day too much to be sorry that the people are profiting from outside visitors. We found the hospitality most cordial.

It is not always easy to find a pretty little restaurant right where you want it for a small lunch. There are cluttered little stands once in a while where fried foods are for sale. The breakfasts and dinners were always good in or near the sleeping quarters. One noon hour, having sought food for many miles and getting tired and hungry, Guy drove up to a little home in a village, where there was a "Salle a Manger" sign. And we were privileged to visit what was probably the *cleanest* home I have ever been in—present company not excepted. It was an old house, repainted freshly all over and round about. Upstairs a woman was scrubbing a room on her hands and knees, and I was startled almost out of the bathroom by a boy busily scrubbing all windows on the outside. The kitchen was much too immaculate to permit cooking!! The lunch, perfectly simple, was in keeping.

We had Gaspé fresh salmon more than once, the most advertized specialty. Our biggest thrill, though, was at a restaurant where we had a rare roast beef sandwich, tender and plentiful, for thirty cents! That was in Percé, where commercialization is at its peak. We found very fine waitresses, too, and should like to have brought home a couple for Stan, who is currently advertising for some.

The most interesting day was spent at Percé, where water and mountains have combined to create what the AAA book calls, "one of the most scenic settings on the continent."

It gets its name from "Rocher Percé", the great pierced rock formation offshore that rises from the sea like an enormous ship. Less than 300 feet wide, it goes up to 294 feet and is 1565 feet long, with a neatly

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THE STEEPLE

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pierced hole in one end something like the spillway at Quabbin.

At Percé, we had a grand boatride to Bonaventure Island, three miles out, where countless birds have sanctuary. The boat takes you close to the great cliffs, and you see unbelievable crowds of gulls, puffins, gannets, and many more, in flight or perched on every rock and ledge. Tiers upon tiers of birds, with spots apparently reserved for the babies. How they all find their own families is beyond me. This island, of which I had never heard (to remember) must be one of the wonders of the ornithological world. The ride around it is a new and very exciting experience. Be sure to do it when you go to the Gaspé.

And if you can get yourself the right weather, you really should go. If you like ocean beauty, mountain beauty, quaint villages of friendly people, plus the feeling of being far away in a foreign country where your lack of French is a real handicap, you will enjoy the Peninsula.

We returned to Eden via New Brunswick, Maine and New Hampshire. New England gave us a warm welcome! Aroostook potatoes are doing well, and we brought some home. Vermont is, of course, as lovely as ever, with all its herds chewing their cuds peacefully in the abundant shade beside the burbling waters.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Build for yourself a strong-box,
Fashion each part with care;
When it's strong as your hand can make it,
Put all your troubles there;
Hide there all thought of your failures,
And each bitter cup that you quaff;
Lock all your heartaches within it,
Then sit on the lid and laugh."

Bertha Adams Backus

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Mary W. Hale, who has spent many summers in town, died in Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 92.

M. E. Williams observed his 76th birthday on July 31. Relatives from Amherst and Vermont were present for the occasion.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Social Guild of the Congregational Church held their annual picnic at the Bardwell cottage on Lake Arcadia, with 28 ladies present. "The setting, the crowd, the entertainment, the eats" were all pronounced "a grand success." The weather only came in for criticism.

Clapp Memorial Library is the recipient of several hundred books—non-fiction, fiction and children's—from the Enfield Library, which has gone out of existence because of the flooding of the valley.

The first stop of the Hampshire County poultry tour was at Edward L. Schmidt's poultry plant. There were 38 cars in the party.

TEN YEARS AGO

July 26 was truly Victory Sunday in the the Congregational Church, as the campaign for $30,000 for the renovation of the Parish House came to a successful conclusion under the leadership of Rev. Harold Curtis, who preached at the morning service. The canvassers sat in a body in the front of the church, and the pastor, Rev. John A. Douglas, commissioned them for their task. Luncheon was served in the Parish House. The 46 canvassers were photographed in front of the church and final instructions given. The group then "hit the road" and reported in the evening. At 9 o'clock they had passed the $30,000 goal, and the church bell rang and the chimes rang out, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." The amount subscribed during the day was $31,365.00.

The Belchertown Historical Association and the Stone House came in for a little publicity a week ago, when at a meeting of the Ware Knitters, Blake S. Jackson was "interviewed" about the location of the Stone House, how to get in, the nature and arrangement of the collections, etc.

The firemen took a prize in the resuscitator fund drive, going over the top to the tune of 200%. $1200 was subscribed, when only $600 was asked for.

When Dr. and Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett returned from Wilmington, they brought with them a clipping from the *New York Times*, wherein was found a portrait of one-time Governor Jonathan Belcher, after whom the town was named. The *Sentinel* contained the picture of the governor.

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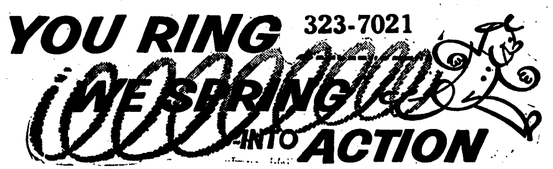

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— TODAY —

First Friday services: Confessions from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m., and Mass at 7 p. m. There were services at 7.30 this morning as well.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 10, 6-13. The first Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Luke 19, 41-47. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Jesus weeps over Jerusalem; cleanses the Temple.)

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practical Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— AUGUST DEDICATION —

August is dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Devotion to the Blessed Mother, under the title of her Immaculate Heart has developed greatly since the time of her appearance to three shepherd children at Fatima, Portugal between May 13 and October 13, 1917.

ST. FRANCIS PARISH HISTORY

This is the third of four installments dealing with the history of the church in our area. Continuing on:

The twenty-five years which elapsed immediately following the Civil War was a period of continued steady increase in Palmer's population. Much of this growth was amongst members of Fr. Lynch's parish who had now become so numerous that on July 1, 1878 the parish was divided in the following manner as recorded in the June 29, 1878 issue of *The Palmer Journal*: "The Catholic Parish of Eastern Hampden, of which Rev. Fr. Lynch has had charge for several years has been divided into two parishes, this village, Monson, Wales, Brimfield, Hampden, and Wilbraham, constituting one and Thorndike, Three Rivers, Duckville (name often used for Bondsville) and Belchertown, the other. Rev. F. J. Lynch will remove to Thorndike and Rev. Richard Welsh of Pittsfield will have charge of the Palmer parish. Ground has been broken on the parsonage lot in this village and a $3,000 church will immediately be built." This account erred concerning the new Palmer pastor who was Rev. Thomas J. Sullivan.

It is further stated in other records of the time that on July 1, 1878 the joint parish of Palmer-Thorndike-Monson, which had been established in 1864 was divided into two parishes, St. Thomas in Palmer and St. Mary, Thorndike.

St. Adalbert's, Bondsville

The first Polish immigrants to Bondsville and South Belchertown (some authorities put it over 1,000) were members of St. Bartholomew's parish.* In 1902, when Fr. Wenceslaus Lenz became the first pastor of Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Three Rivers, he obtained the old chapel located in South Belchertown, which served the French-speaking people of the village for many years until they moved en masse about this time. The parish remained a mission of the Four Corners' church for some eight years.

In June of 1910, Rev. Leo Kwasniowski was assigned to St. Adalbert's as its first resident pastor; he lived in a rented house not far from the church.

St. Francis Parish, Belchertown

The earliest recollected Mass in the town of Belchertown dates back to about the turn of the century when Fr. Bartholomew McKeany, pastor in Bondsville would come to say Mass in the home of the late Thomas Riley, that house is now part of the Belchertown State School. After Mass Fr. McKeany would administer other sacraments as needed and visit with his parishioners, then he returned to Bondsville by horse and buggy. When a death occurred, and burial was in an out of town lot, permission would be granted for the Mass to be sung in the church nearest to the place of burial.

With the advent of Fr. James W. McGrath to Bondsville (1918-1930) Mass was held more frequently for the growing congregation; it was at this time that use of the Town Hall here in town was secured.

That practice continued until the present church was purchased.

Belchertown was a Mission Chapel of St. Bartholomew's up until it became a parish in 1925.

In the Volume 1, No. 1 issue of the *Sentinel*, dated April 2, 1915 there was note of Catholic services under "The Week" which read: Sunday—Catholic Mission; Mass at 8 o'clock, Sunday School at 2 p. m., a Mrs. Garvey was noted as Supt.

The church itself dates back to 1834 (was 125 years old in 1959) when the Brainerd Meeting House Society (a division of the Congregational Church) was formed, and built the structure soon thereafter. In 1842 it became the Baptist Church and remained as such until 1913,** when, in the following year, the title to the building passed on to the Massachusetts Baptist Missionary Society of Boston. It was purchased from them by the B'town Community League, Inc., in March or April of 1916; to be used for the showing of motion pictures, stage shows, etc. It was acquired by the Catholics on Monday, November 13, 1922 according to an article published in the Nov. 17 issue of the *Belchertown Sentinel*. The sale was made subject to the lease of the town of the lower rooms of the hall, currently used for school purposes. The old High School had burned down a year previous, so three classrooms had been fitted out for the town's use until the completion in 1923 of the present High School.

The parishioners and townspeople joined in the work of renovating the structure and preparing it to serve as a Catholic Church. A beautiful altar was donated by Dr. Eulick Sullivan, a native of Belchertown, in memory of his son Eulick Francis Sullivan. This is how the church came to be dedicated under the patronage of St. Francis. At the same time windows, statues, stations of the cross and many other furnishings were donated. It was dedicated by the Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Leary of Springfield on June 24, 1923 followed by a Mass.

This however, was not the first Mass to be said in the church. Sunday, November 26, 1922 was the eventful day, with Mass being said despite the fact that alterations were still not completed.

* St. Bartholomew's is a Bondsville parish, but unlike St. Adalbert's, is located in Bondsville itself just across the smaller of the two bridges between Belchertown and Bondsville.

** Meetings for Baptist services were held in the homes of members from then on.

—conclusion next week—

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

9.30 a. m. Sunday School classes in the Educational Building.

10.30 a. m. Old Home Sunday and Enfield Memorial Sunday.

The preacher for the day will be Chaplain Major Wilson Lyon of Fort Hamilton, New York.

12 Noon. Our Old Home Dinner in the Vestry.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet at the Parsonage.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

8 p. m. Midweek Service of Fellowship and Praise. We will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

The Missionary Group of the WSCS will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William French on Friday, August 9, at 7.30 p. m.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 THRU SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Each evening at 7.30 p. m., Tommy Tyson will preach at Camp Meeting at Laurel Park. If you have not heard this powerful man of God, you will want to. If you have, then you will be there. There will not be a service on Saturday, as this will be Laurel Park Day. Supper will be served at 5 p. m., with all types of good things on sale through the day.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peck for the insurance committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Dawn Bump and Donald Bump of North Wilbraham, and Nellie Olson and Fred Olson of Palmer; 2nd, Mildred Waid, Mildred Hartmann and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holcomb; 3rd, Caroline Mientka, Lena Nightingale, Katherine Finn and Lillian Madigan; door, Ethel Sanderson and Ethel Lavella of Ware.

This week's party will be in charge of Rose and Godfrey Wenzel for the card party committee.

GRANGERS—Don't forget that our program calls for an auction at our September 17th meeting. We will need a few of your treasures, too.
Fred Very, Auctioneer
H. Peck, Chairman

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "The Innocence That Didn't Last."

Sermon by the Pastor.

The service of worship will be held at 9.30. Nursery care is provided.

The organist for the first three Sundays in August, while Mrs. Forde is on vacation, will be Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer. A young people's group will assist with the music on Sunday.

Attending Conference

Mrs. Walter Wadsworth, superintendent of the Church School, has been attending this week a conference on "The Theological and Educational Foundations of the Curriculum of the United Church of Christ" at Deering Conference Center, Deering, N. H. Workers are attending this conference from some fifteen states.

Missions

The Board of Missions will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Christian Education

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Baptism

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The Hampshire County Pomona Flower Show will be held at South Amherst on August 10, the committee being Mrs. Myrtle Williams, chairman; Mrs. Gladys Reed and Mabel West.

The supper is from 5.30 to 6.30, the menu consisting of potato salad, ham, sweet corn, tomato, cucumbers, rolls, coffee and cake. The price is 99 cents. Mrs. Marion Harrington and Mrs. Ruth Kempkes are co-chairmen for the supper.

There will be a program in the afternoon, the Granby accordion band furnishing music from 3.30 to 4.30.

There will also be an entertainment at 7.30.

As for the flower show itself, all exhibits must be placed for judging by 3.30 p. m.

All flowers must be grown by exhibitor. To be judged for horticultural perfection. At least three entries.

THE CLASSES

1. Zinnias 5 (large).
2. Zinnias 5 (small, all varieties).
3. Marigolds 5 (large).
4. Marigolds 5 sprays (small).
5. Asters 5 blooms (all varieties).
6. "Glads" 3 (any color).
7. Dahlias 3 (large).
8. Dahlias 5 (small).
9. Any other flower. (All judged in same class).

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2. Green arrangement, wild, cultivated or combination of both.
3. White flowers in white container.
4. Floating Material, flowers and foliage (accessories may be used).
5. Corsages (No hot house flowers to be used).
6. Fruit and/or vegetables in unusual container (men only).
7. Miniatures (not over 5 inches in height or width).
8. Flowers in shades of red, yellow or orange (unusual container).

House Plants

1. African Violets (double).
2. African Violets (single).

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Richard Blazo was honored by the elementary school teachers at a farewell luncheon last week Wednesday at DeMarco's Restaurant in Ludlow.

Mr. Blazo, who resigned as supervising principal of the elementary schools, will take a position in the Mansfield school system.

Twenty teachers from Cold Spring, Main Street and Franklin Schools were present and Mrs. Juskalian, school nurse, and Mrs. Cook, music supervisor.

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TOWN BOARDS TO MEET

A meeting to discuss the zoning by-laws is planned by four town boards, August 5, at 7.30 p. m. in Lawrence Memorial Hall.

Among those announced to attend are the board of selectmen, planning board, board of health, and the board of appeals. Also attending will be town counsel Paul Ford, planning consultant Theodore Bacon of Amherst, and John Brickett, agent and sanatarian for the board of health.

VISITED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. George DeLoriea have returned to their home in Chicago from a two-weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mason. While visiting here they were guests of honor at a family gathering of Mr. and Mrs. Mason's numbering 30, including children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mrs. Mason was guest of her sister and husband on a trip to Plymouth, Manomet and Provincetown, and on several daily trips to Ledyard, Conn, Clinton and Arlington, Mass.

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He occupied the pulpit of the Congregational Church in Chicopee, Mass. on July 21 and 28, and will preach at the Congregational church in Three Rivers on ~~this coming~~ Sunday. 11 ta

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing on Saturday, August 17, at 8 p. m. in the Planning Board room in the basement of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the petition of Francis P. Loftus, Jr. and Bertha M. Loftus for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a piece of property owned by them, and formerly by Charles F. Austin on the Ware Road.

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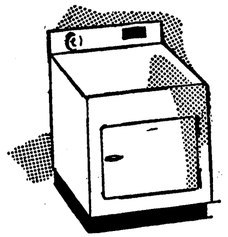

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D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mrs. Yvette Tanguay her property located on State Street to Mrs. Flora Brewer and Miss Mary Mayor, sisters, formerly of Agawam. Mrs. Brewer is a retired nurse and Miss Mayor a former teacher in the Springfield School system, now also retired. The sisters have already moved into their new home, while Mrs. Tanguay has moved to Holyoke.

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more when additional students enroll for the final three-week session on August 19.

Those who have enrolled to date in the Summer Session from this area include Mrs. Ruth B. Dobson and Daniel C. Dobson of this town.

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and west of the building—it is a distraction some might enjoy.

Concerning the building, it is understood that the gym will have a capacity near the 800 mark. The increase in size over the 400 mark was one of the alternate bids for the new school, and was chosen by the building committee—a selling point for the student body and sports fans alike.

Down on Bay Road the local volunteer firemen are now utilizing a regulation fire muster training area on land owned by J. Tolpa, who has offered them the use of the land. After watching them go through their paces with such vigor and enjoyment, it leaves no doubt as to the reason they won in their competition in Hadley.

We are told that there are three musters remaining—so if it is unusual entertainment that you want, then contact one from the department for the time and place of their next meet.

Long known as the Chadbourne development, the lots along Lloyd Ave. and Chadbourne Rd. are now nearly all built on and the new developer, Malcolm Stone, plans further expansion at the rear of the present project on land which he now owns.

Right now there is one house nearing completion; a second, the shell is up and enclosed, and a third is planned in the near future.

Building activity here in town is evident along all of the highways into town, and a good number are going up in the center—forward looking our town is.

THOUGHTS ON THE WEATHER

New England weather has long been a controversial subject. Temperatures rose to the high 90's last week and thousands of people flocked beaches, picnic areas and back yard pools (no matter how small) to escape the inevitable heat.

A whisper of a breeze crept into the atmosphere on Tuesday, alleviating the general public who by this time had given up any hope of any relief.

They tell me that the place to be is Mecca, when thousands of Moslem pilgrims return to their Holy City. Temperatures are unbearable. Devout worshippers often succumb from the heat. The W. H. O. (world health organization) has set up fountains and cool bath houses along the routes used from various neighboring nations in an effort to curb the rising number of fatalities. So next time you think the heat has got you.....

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELLIOTT SCOTT CORDNER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, praying that IRVING JAMES CORDNER of Wilbraham, in the County of Hampden, be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH L. LYON, alias, late of Belchertown, in said County, a mentally ill person.

The guardian of said ELIZABETH L. LYON, alias, has presented to said Court his ninth and final account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of EDWIN F. SHUMWAY, also known as EDWIN FOSTER SHUMWAY, and E. F. SHUMWAY, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by DONALD M. TERRY of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook #B1639 issued by said bank to George F. French, it being claimed that said book has been lost or destroyed.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
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Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
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Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Men's Bowling League Captains at Daisy Mae Restaurant at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Home Department with Mrs. Edward Bartlett at 2.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Firefighters Public Roast Beef Supper in Congregational Parish House. Seatings at 5.45 and 6.45 p. m.
Adult swimming lessons from 6.30 to 7.30 p. m..

THURSDAY

Holy Day Services in St. Francis Church, 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Annual Reunion of Towne and Edson Families in the Congregational Parish House.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Missionary Group of WSCS at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Finch at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

V. F. W. Paper Drive.
Grange Card Party.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

There will be a captains' meeting Monday, August 12, 1963, at 7.30 p. m. at the Daisy Mae Restaurant. All captains are asked to bring in their team rosters. There are still two team openings. Anyone interested in forming a team or just in joining, please contact Roland Lapointe, Tel. 323-7793.

AROUND OUR TOWN

The Springfield papers noted in a little box at the top of the front page that the weather for Wednesday would include showers—and all those who had the misfortune to be caught out of doors around 5.40 p. m. that evening well knew that it was true, *partly!*

Around 5.15 it began to rain lightly and twenty minutes later it was a full-fledged storm, with high winds driving heavy rain and hail in from the northwest. That was here in town; in Hadley it was nearly all hail, and in Ludlow it was very light rain! Here it caused near zero driving visibility and many motorists pulled over to the road-side to sit out the storm.

From what was seen around town during the downpour, we might say that the new storm drain at the head of the parking lot entrance worked out real fine and the employees at Dorey Motor Sales looked like they could have used one there on Rte. 9, for it was "swimming" deep.

We checked with Quabbin officials and found that a total of 3.65 inches had fallen there, 4.0 inches being the average August rain accumulation. It was also brought out that so far this year they are a few inches behind at

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Coming Events

Aug. 18
Firefighters' Muster at Mountain Park.

Aug. 23
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family.

Aug. 24
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Sept. 8
6th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church.

Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.

Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

ENFIELD SUNDAY OLD HOME DAY

Pleasant skies smiled on the 30th annual Enfield Sunday and Old Home Day observance last Sunday. While obviously the number of senior citizens returning diminishes each year, there is still good fellowship and a lot of reminiscing.

The sermon this year was preached by Chaplain Major Wilson Lyon, a college classmate of Rev. Mr. Green, the pastor, and a son of Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Lyon of Reading, who often come back to these memorial services.

Chaplain Lyon recalled coming here, while living in Enfield, on an October 12, and riding on Bert Shaw's ponies.

The burden of his message was not to confine God to the pulpit, but to bring him out into the highways and byways of our everyday lives. Some want to confine him to the sanctuary, he said, so he will not bother them on Main Street.

His thesis was that we should not compartmentalize religion.

He pled for a simplicity of faith and instruction that does not require a Dale Carnegie course.

Dinner followed in the vestry in charge of Mrs. Paul Bock. Rev. Mr. Green was master of ceremonies at the informal program following. He made sure that the different workers took a bow: Mrs. Bock and her dinner committee, the Frenches, host and hostess in the dining room, the Witts as greeters, Albert Dewhurst as head usher, etc.

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TOWN BOARDS MEET

Memorial Hall was the scene Monday evening of a meeting of various Town Boards called to discuss zoning by-laws and other similar topics.

Present at the meeting were members of the Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, Board of Appeals, Board of Health, Town counsel, and a few interested citizens. All sat in a circle—an informal setting which made the meeting a success. There was no actual moderator, though Mr. Henrichon led the way. All present spoke their mind when they saw fit, and surprisingly it didn't turn out to be a free-for-all.

Opening at 7.30, the first item up for discussion was the enforcement of our zoning by-laws. As all who attended the last town meeting know, the article in the warrant which would have required the Selectmen to appoint an agent to enforce these laws was not carried. In the last part of the meeting it still was not determined whether they would appoint such an agent or whether it would be legal for the town to vote such a measure, thus requiring the Selectmen to appoint an agent for this purpose. Mr. Henrichon did say however that a decision might be made

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LIBRARY TRUSTEES

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Clapp Memorial Library last week Thursday, officers were elected as follows:

President	Blake S. Jackson
Vice-President	Aubrey D. Lapolice
Treasurer	Isaac A. Hodgen
Secretary	Mrs. Doris Squires
Librarian	Mrs. Harold Ketchen

William Shaw, who had held the office of president for many years, resigned from that position, much to the regret of his colleagues.

SUPPER PLANS COME TO A BOIL

The Seventh Annual Firefighters' Roast Beef Supper will be served next Wednesday evening at the Congregational Parish House. There will be servings at 5.45 p. m. and 6.45 p. m.

Ken Bristol dropped down from Athol late last week to report that he was having trouble lining up ingredients for the Rusty Water Soup and some of the other delicacies originally planned. He made a few minor revisions in the menu printed in last week's paper. For your convenience, the revised menu includes: Firefighters' Roast Beef, mashed potatoes with Belchertown gravy, green beans, sliced tomatoes, rolls and butter and apple pie, and coffee. It's guaranteed to be as good as it sounds.

Captain Ken has his kitchen crew, Smokey Staples has his dining room crew, the food is ordered, everything we can do is ready. The rest is up to you; let's go Dad, take Mom and the kids out for a night on the town (fire department). Tickets are available from any firefighter: $1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children.

—We hope to see you there!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Byron A. Hudson of North Main Street will celbrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, August 18th. They will be honored at an open house to be held at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, the Stanford Harringtons of Park Street. Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. David J. Bodin will also serve as hosts and hostesses. Friends of the Hudsons are cordially invited to attend the open house, which will be from 2 to 5 p. m.

VISIT THE STONE HOUSE

THIS SEASON

COMMUNITY BAND PROPOSED

Adults and present and past members of the High School Band who are interested in forming a Community Band are invited to be present at the first rehearsal to be held Monday night, August 12 at 7.30 p. m. in Clapp Memorial Library. The band will be under the direction of John Maggs, Jabish Street. Mr. Maggs served as director of the High School Band during the second half of the past school year. He has been elected to the music staff of the Amherst Public Schools.

Mr. Maggs is being assisted in the details of organization by Superintendent of Schools Carl Peterson. The Trustees of Clapp Memorial Library have agreed to permit use o f the facilities in use during the school year by the High School Band. The School Committee is co-operating by permitting the use of percussion instruments, music stands, and music. Mr. Maggs states that if there is sufficient interest, it should be possible to present one or two out-door concerts before the end of the season.

GRANGE MYSTERY RIDE

The Grange had another of its interesting mystery rides on Tuesday evening. Eight cars were in the caravan headed by the Judkins car, that motored down the Holyoke Road, crossed in front of the monastery, then went on along Stebbins St., over on Bay Road to Malo's Pavilion at Lake Metacomet, where a steak cook-out, manned and womaned by Grangers, Master Judkins being the head chef, was enjoyed. There was hot corn right out of the kettle, salads, tomatoes and all the fixings, topped off with cake.

About 50 sat down to the eats, the group occupying just about half of the sheltered area.

After a little bowling on the green, with balls stockpiled by the Pecks, "just in case," Mrs. Judkins, lecturer, announced that TWA tickets would be furnished for a trip around the world, which with some gyrations, turned out to be a visit to the Skinner museum in South Hadley.

As folks know who have been there, the old meeting house, moved from Prescott, was chock full of interesting museum pieces on all three floors. Different groups had their own guessing games as to what was what, in many instances. Mrs. Very tried out one of the musical instruments, while some of the men slyly tapped the mammoth bell.

There was also a trip to the schoolhouse, nearby, with its collection of stuffed birds.

Yes, it was a pleasant evening, even though one had visions of Grangers washing the silverware back at Grange Hall when all was over.

Here Is a Good Recipe
Young Mothers Will Recognize

Among the materials of a course in Home Management which Mrs. Steeple took at the U. of Mass. earlier this summer was a mimeographed sheet containing the following "recipe". It tells an old story in a refreshing way!

How To Bake A Cake

Light oven. Grease pan. Crack nuts.
Get out bowl, spoons, ingredients.
Remove 18 blocks and 7 toy automobiles from kitchen table.
Measure 2 cups flour onto pieces of waxed paper.
Remove Johnny's hands from flour.
Wash flour off him.

Measure out 1 cup more flour to replace what is now on floor.
Put flour, 2½ tsp. baking bowder and ½ tsp. salt in sifter.
Get dustpan and brush up pieces of bowl which Johnny has accidently knocked off table.
Get another bowl. Sift ingredients.
With spoon work ¼ cup shortening against sides of bowl.
Answer doorbell.

Return to kitchen. Remove Johnny's hands from bowl.
Wash shortening off him.
Add 1 cup granulated sugar gradually.
Answer telephone.

Return to kitchen. Remove Johnny's hands from bowl.
Wash shortening, sugar, flour, milk and vanilla off him.
Beat—(mixture)
Take up greased pan; find it has ½ in. layer of salt in bottom.

Look for Johhny, who has disappeared.
Get another pan and grease it.
Answer telephone.

Return to kitchen and find Johnny—of all people.
Remove his hands from bowl.
Wash shortening, etc., etc., etc., off him.
Take up greased pan; find it has ½ in. layer of nut shells in it.
Head for Johnny who flees, knocking bowl off table.

Wash kitchen floor.
Wash kitchen table.
Wash kitchen walls.
Wash dishes.
Call up baker. Lie down.

Takes Variety of Educators
To Run Nation's Schools

With school openings in the offing and new personnel entering offices or classrooms for the first time, the following glossary of "Common Varieties of Educators" may be appropriate. It was written by William C. Miller, now or formerly educational consultant of the Wayne County Board of Educators in Detroit.

ADDministrator—spends the bulk of his day counting the lunch money instead of dealing with educational problems. He may be found at his desk behind a pile of pennies he has already counted three times.

adminisTRADER—runs his school like a swap shop, bartering books and supplies with other schools in the district. Given the opportunity, he will swap teachers with the skill of a baseball manager trading pitching talent or a Kentucky Colonel swapping horse flesh.

adMINISTERator—preaches and moralizes at great length. His favorite pulpit is the teachers' meeting which he is prone to call almost nightly.

adminisTRAITOR—still owes his allegiance to his last school district and talks glowingly about it as if it were an educational paradise. He is responsible for teachers going "over the hill" to his former district.

adminiSTRAIGHTor—can see straight ahead to long-term goals, keeps lines of communication open and direct, never descends to devious courses of operation. He agrees with Big Brother slogan, "No man stands so straight as when he stoops to help a boy."

SUPPERintendent—can be seen at all civic luncheons where he has developed a blimp-like look, the ability to speak on a full stomach, and an aversion to chicken a' la king.

SNOOPerintendent—recognizable by his keyhole-shaped eye and enlarged ears. He can be frequently found lurking by the door to the teachers' lounge.

SOAPerintendent—greatly interested in the use of soap, sweeping compounds, and paper towels and is often located in the lavatory evaluating the latest toilet bowl cleaner. Educational problems do not have nearly so much appeal for him.

SUPERintendent—a real superman who manages to be everywhere getting the job done. Highly respected by his staff, his board, and the community, he is easily recognized, but extremely rare.

princiPULL—a name dropper and influence peddler who, chances are, has a father or brother on the school board. Always has "inside" information on who is in line for what job and takes full credit for securing it for the one who gets it. Can be easily recognized by his favorite phrases "confidentially" and "I told him."

princiPILL—bad medicine and a real pain in the neck. This fellow acts as though the worst will happen and is seldom disappointed. He believes that every cloud has a radio-active lining.

princiPULP—obviously lacking a backbone; this jelly-like individual is shaped by whatever pressure is most current.

PRINCE-a-PAL—a right guy who puts the good of the kids and his staff first. In the eyes of young female teachers, he wears a gleaming suit of armor and is mounted on a white charger.

Petrick's Auction Gallery
Offers Fine Weekly Shows!

We were very late getting acquainted with it, but are in the way of becoming reasonably regular patrons of the Auction Gallery of Pioneer Valley over in Hatfield, where Auctioneer J. E. Petrick conducts weekly sales on Wednesday evenings, year round. At least we made our first trip on the "Night Before the Fourth" and closed out July by attending on the thirty-first.

Mr. Petrick has things set up and operating with smoothness and efficiency. He runs his advertising in the Sunday paper and invites folks to inspect the materials to be offered at the next sale on Sundays, Mondays, and Tuesdays between one and eight and on Wednesdays between one and sale time, which is promptly at six-thirty, lasting until about ten.

If you see something you'd like to bid on but know you can't be at the sale, you can leave your bid with the management and Mrs. Petrick will be your representative at the auction. You cannot, of course, make direct purchases at inspection times except in the Bookroom and Carriage Shed, where some minor items are offered for direct sale.

Hatfield is a pleasant village, as most of you know, located off the main traffic lanes. There is ample parking space, and the auctions are held in a large auditorium furnished with comfortable theater seats.

Some folks plan to arrive at the gallery shortly before six, reserve themselves seats by placing sweaters or newspapers on them, and then inspect the goods. No seats can be saved in this manner after seven. There are refreshments and rest rooms.

M. Petrick runs an excellent auction. He may well become your favorite auctioneer. He is fast, fair, and clear. He is friendly but firm. His customers are never slighted, insulted, or unduly favored, one over another. He never misrepresents his stuff. If he sees other auctioneers present, he introduces them and has them advertise their forthcoming events.

There is always a great variety of stock, with certain features emphasized on different nights. For instance, there may be old coins one night and then no coins for a few weeks, Oriental rugs another night, sterling silver another night, and so on. You know from the advertisements and inspection what will be offered.

Whether you buy or not, you will have yourself a good show. If it is expensive, you have none but yourself to blame.

Oh yes, you will find friends there, from Belchertown and other places. And if you go home with a Victorian ice box or a bust of Bacchus — so what!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * *

"Let us be of good cheer, however, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those that never come."

James R. Lowell

—Bob Jackson

Also discussed was the strictness the town should use in their dealings with zoning by-law violators—of which it was found, there are presently a few.

Town counsel Paul Ford outlined the machinery now existing within the Town government available to enforce the by-laws, and said that all that remained was to put it into operation. As to the legal aspect of the Selectmen appointing an agent (would also issue building permits) he said that it would be, and that such an agent could check around the town to note possible violations, and if there were any, he in turn would inform the Selectmen, who through town counsel would take the necessary action to end the violation.

Mr. Pittsley of Federal Street was present to make known the troubles which he has encountered concerning his attempt to have his property rezoned to business. He claimed that the town had not in his view, done anything to back up its claim of desiring more businesses in town and in his case, the lack of cooperation between town boards has caused him much inconvenience, and possibly the loss of money he has thus far invested in the construction of his proposed restaurant on Rte. 9 at Dwight.

With town counsel present, many small items were cleared up—at least partially on others.

Despite the often heated debate on the part of a few, it all brought out a need for the Selectmen to exercise their "executive" powers to keep the town government running smoothly and most important, to allow it to grow in a healthy and orderly manner always with the help of the boards of Health, Planning and Appeals working in mutual cooperation, not as separate boards with separate goals.

The meeting closed at 10 p. m. after the topic for the evening had been well "discussed". Perhaps a meeting between the town boards every six months might not be a bad idea—this way, there would certainly be nobody in the dark as regards the others' work.

TOWN BOARDS MEET

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at their meeting Thursday evening (we will have gone to press by then) and the reason he couldn't say now was because one member of the board was not present at the moment, and without all three present no decision was available.

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REVISED SCHEDULE

Rev. Mr. Granstrom sends us the preaching schedule for the next two weeks:

August 11, at 9 a. m., at Community Union Church, North Wilbraham.

August 18, at 10 a. m., at Union Evangelical Church, Three Rivers.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Fannie Martin of Gold Street entertained at a picnic on Sunday at her home for Nindee Council, Degree of Pocahontus of Springfield. Twenty-three guests were present from Springfield and Amherst.

POMONA FLOWER SHOW

Attention is again called to the Pomona Flower show at South Amherst tomorrow, and to the fact that the supper from 5.30 to 6.30 is open to the public.

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

At a special meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association, Mrs. H. F. Curtis, corresponding secretary, announced that Henry Ford who recently visited Belchertown, had offered to furnish funds with which to repair or replace the present barn. The offer was accepted and a Committee of five appointed to cooperate with Gaston Plantiff, Ford's representative in bringing about the new structure to be called the Ford annex.

A memorial service in honor of the late President Warren G. Harding was held in the Congregational Church. Rev. E. F. Blackmer presided, assisted by Rev. C. G. Burnham and Belding Jackson.

The class of 1920 B.H.S. held a reunion at Holland Glen. The following graduates were present: Francis Allen, Eleanor Bardwell, Alice Booth, Newell Booth, Osborne Davis, Gladys Gay and Earl Witt. Several members of the class of 1922 joined with the above seven in the festivities.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

About 80 young people took over Bert Shaw's grove for a picnic by the Legion and the Auxiliary. The afternoon was devoted to swimming in the pool (Sherman Gould in the role of a life guard), to rope swinging provided by Aubrey Lapolice and Bert Shaw, to the riding of the Shaw ponies, with Virginia Shaw as instructor, and to races with prizes. Hot dogs, egg salad and peanut sandwishes and soda were served in abundance. An unscheduled "bang" took place when Eddie Parent who commandeered the dump truck which transported the hot dog steamer, pulled the dump lever when he thought he had put on the emergency brake. This resulted in the "bang" and a dent in the steamer.

Everything went well at the Firemen's Carnival till a few minutes before ten p.m., when the weather man turned on the sprinkler and many of the concessions had to fold up. But even so, the receipts amounted to $1,831.55, and the midway was jammed, one man lost his wife, another his children, but the "sweet sixteens" and their escorts did not lose sight of each other for a minute.

Members of the Church Night Committees of the Congregational Church raised a fund of over $100.00 for the Hopes, as Mrs. Hope was leaving town.

TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. Anna R. (Tucker) Gold, wife of Frank L. Gold, died after a brief illness at the age of 65. She was a member of the Congregational Church, a past matron of Mount Vernon Chapter, O.E.S., a member of Union Grange and of the Legion Auxiliary. She was affiliated with her husband in the Belchertown Motor Sales, Inc. and conducted an insurance business.

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SCHOOL DEPT. NOTES

The School Committee announces that all teacher vacancies have been filled. At the meeting of the Committee on Monday night two High School teachers were elected.

Ronald R. LeBlanc of Leominster has been appointed teacher of French. Mr. LeBlanc received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in June from Michigan State College. He did his practice teaching in the St. Joseph, Michigan, Public Schools.

Eloi J. Laramee of Springfield has been appointed teacher of Business Subjects. Mr. Laramee received the Degree of Bachelor of Business Administration from Northeastern University and his Master's Degree in Business Administration from Western New England College. In addition he has done graduate work at Westfield State College, in preparation for teaching. He is currently employed as an assistant Cost Department supervisor at the Foster Machine Company in Westfield.

In other business the Committee accepted the bid of the Methodist Church for the lease of five (5) elementary classrooms. Chairman Merle Green of the Board of Trustees notified the Committee that a contract had been signed for the installation of hot water.

It was also voted to grant the request of Russell Tripp to furnish a Carpenter Body in place of a Superior Body in fulfillment of the School Bus Specifications for his transportation Contract. Before taking this action, the Committee carefully studied the proposal submitted by Mr. Tripp, and it was determined that the equipment to be furnished was comparable to the bus body originally bid.

It was voted to send letters to Principal Donald Geer and Band Director John Maggs and the High School Band thanking them for their part in representing the Town in the Wilbraham Bicentennial Parade.

The Committee spent considerable time in screening the twelve applications that had been received for the position of Supervising Elementary Principal. It was voted to meet on August 19 for the purpose of interviewing selected candidates.

OFFICE OPEN

The High School office will be open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily until the opening of school on September 4 for the registration of students in grades 7 to 12 who have moved to Belchertown during the summer.

The office of the Guidance Director will also be open for anyone who may wish to make an appointment.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Rose and Godfrey Wenzel for the card party committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Nellie Wetmore, Howard Judkins, Franklin Wenzel and Rose Wenzel; 2nd, Mrs. Eva Webb, Mrs. Blanche Bader, Doris Belanger and Catherine Germain; 3rd, Emma Grover, Geetene Fortin, Charlotte Hunt and Ruth Kempkes; special, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Lena Nightingale; door, Regina DeMers and Ethel Lavella.

This week's party will be in charge of the educational aid committee, George Poole, chairman; H. Curtis and G. Baker.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 12, 2-11. The first epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Luke 18, 9-14. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the Pharisee and Publican at prayer.)

— HOLY DAY —

Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary

Epistle—Judith 13, 22-25; 15, 10.

Gospel—Luke 1, 41-50. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Mary is praised by Elizabeth).

Thursday, August 15 is a holy day of obligation, with services as follow:

Wednesday—Confessions from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

Thursday—Mass at 7.15 a. m. at the State School, in St. Francis at 7.30 a. m. In the evening, confessions from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m., with Mass at 7 p. m.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

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ST. FRANCIS PARISH HISTORY

This is the final of four installments on the History of St. Francis Parish.

The first resident pastor of Belchertown was named in Jan. 1925 when Rev. James Dunphy, who died in November of 1955, assumed the pastorate; one of his first projects was to direct the construction of the rectory. This was completed in 1925. An article in the November 20, 1925 issue of the *Sentinel* states: "Although there are a number of finishing touches to be added to the parish house, Fr. Dunphy moved to his new quarters Wednesday. The building, which is a 12-room house, is not only pleasing as to its exterior, but the inner appointments combine beauty and durability.

"Not only has Fr. Dunphy had oversight of the work, but he was his own architect, planning the house in every detail."

Fr. Leo T. Rock, who later went to a parish in the Worcester area succeeded Fr. Dunphy in July of 1934; the next pastor was Rev. Edmund F. Curran (died Feb. 1959) from 1935 until 1938, with Rev. David E. Sherin of the Worcester diocese as assistant.

Rev. George B. Healy, now of St. Anne's, Lenox, followed; Rev. Raymond W. O'Brien, pastor of Holy Family Church, Brightside, Holyoke, was the next assistant. In July of 1942 Rev. James J. Donoghue came as pastor; when the died here in February of 1944 he was replaced by Rev. Andrew F. Sullivan who is now pastor of Holy Rosary parish in Holyoke: his assistant was Rev. Joseph T. Collins, who has returned a second time after going to a parish in Northampton and then one in Westfield.

From the time of its establishment in 1925 the Belchertown parish included the town of Granby and work at the Belchertown State School. The Granby mission grew down through the years until the time of Fr. Sullivan, after the second World War, when the increase was so great it was apparent the time had come when the parish would soon be established in its own right. This division was realized on December 12, 1951 when the present pastor, Rev. George R. Dudley came from Monson; at the same time Rev. George J. Friel, became pastor of the new parish in Granby.

Since Fr. Dudley's arrival in 1951, the church building, and the parish program have shown steady improvement. One has only to look at the interior of the main church, and the pine room below to see the physical improvements—and to attend the services Sundays and see the spiritual growth.

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COMING—September 8th, Trappist Sunday and the date for the 6th annual chicken barbecue.

The C. W. C. wishes to make the following announcement in connection with this event: Ladies homemade articles are needed for the Country Store sponsored by them on Trappist Sunday, Sept. 8th. Suggestions: Aprons, crocheted and knitted goods, children's items, and homemade candies. Contributions are welcome from summer parishioners. Call Mary Avery, Tel. Bel. 323-7416.

— MT. MARIE DEVELOPMENT —

We quote from a letter received a while back from the Bishop concerning the Mont Marie drive in September.

"As you know, we are making a fund raising effort on behalf of the Sisters of Saint Joseph for their new Motherhouse at Mont Marie. This Motherhouse will include an Infirmary for the aged and infirm sisters, a Postulancy and Novitiate and also a Juniorate where the educational program will be carried on to prepare the sisters for their teaching assignments and responsibilities of the future."

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

9.30 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Come Apart and Rest Awhile"
9.30 a. m. Sunday School
7.30 p. m. The start of Campmeeting at Laurel Park. Word from Tommy Tyson states that he will not be able to be with us Sunday night, but will preach, starting on Monday. The Sunday night service will be led by Rev. Marvin R. Green, with Mr. Green bringing the message of the evening from the Epistle to the Romans.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

Program of Campmeeting at Laurel Park—
10 a. m. Monday through Friday —study in Romans
3 p. m. Monday through Friday—Prayer Hour
7 p. m. Pre-meeting prayer time
7.30 p. m. Meeting with Tommy Tyson preaching

Miss Barbara Wilson at the Conn organ. Choir and Music under the direction of Bob Wilson. Tuesday through Thursday—Special Music by the Houghton College Trumpet Trio.

There will be baby sitting for parents who want to attend the program. There will also be a Children's Bible Hour in the early afternoon—time to be announced later. There will be a Youth program, with the Houghton College students in charge of it on Wednesday and Thursday. These programs will run all week.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "What Is The Real Meaning Of Prayer?"

The guest preacher at the service of worship on Sunday morning at 9.30 will be the Rev. Robert Eddy of Woburn, Mass. Nursery care will be provided.

The soloist on Sunday will be Mrs. Raymond Reece, with Mrs. Walter Blackmer as the organist.

Home Department

The Home Department will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. Edward Bartlett. Assisting Mrs. Bartlett will be Mrs. Henrietta Allen and Mrs. Ethel Giles.

Attending Camp

Tom Fuller is attending the Pilgrim Fellowship camp at Star Island, off the coast of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, this week.

Barbara Fiege and Christine Gould leave tomorrow for a week at Star Island. Mr. Varga will be serving on the staff at Star Island for the same period.

Baptism

Parents desiring the sacrament of Baptism for their children at the service of worship on Sunday, August 18, should speak to Mr. Varga immediately.

Dedication of Staff

The Church School staff will be dedicated at the service of worship on Sunday, August 25, which will be Mr. Varga's last Sunday in this church.

Camp Meetings

Members are reminded of the Camp Meetings at Laurel Park in Northampton during the coming week, with The Rev. Tommy Tyson as the preacher. Mr. Tyson preaches with great power and Christian love.

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WOMAN'S DAY AT LAUREL PARK

The annual summer meeting of the Springfield District Woman's Society of Christian Service to be held at Laurel Park on Wednesday, August 14, from 10.30 to 3 will have a distinctly Belchertown "flavor". Mrs. H. Suhm will give the morning devotions on the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Earle Martin is rehearsing a group of women from the local Methodist church for the musical part of the program. Mrs. Marvin Green will be the accompanist for the day. Mrs. William French will lead the afternoon devotions, and Miss Barbara Wilson has arranged for the Houghton College Trio to play during the afternoon session.

This meeting has been planned to give information on the study courses for the coming year. The main address will be given by Mrs. Emil Hartl of Boston, who is a member-at-large of the Woman's Division.

Each woman attending is to bring a picnic lunch, and beverages and ice cream will be available, served by the Northampton WSCS. There will be child care at the playground.

Woman's Day comes during the Camp Meeting week at Laurel Park, and it is hoped that many will stay all day to hear Tommy Tyson in the evening at 7.30.

Anyone needing a ride may call Ruth French, 467-3875 in Granby.

FLAHERTY—CARD WEDDING

Jane Ora Flaherty, daughter of Mrs. John T. Flaherty and the late Mr. Flaherty, became the bride of S/Sgt. Sheldon Harold Card of Westover Air Force Base, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Card of Calais, Me., Saturday in St. Francis Church in a double ring ceremony. Rev. Joseph Collins, rector of St. Francis Church, officiated.

James O'Leary of Holyoke was soloist and sang "On This Day," "Panis Angelicus" and "Mother at Thy Feet is Kneeling."

Mary Ann Flaherty, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Ruth Flaherty, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Ronald Johnson and Miss Adele Blackledge, college classmates of the bride.

The best man was S/Sgt. John Leadbetter of Westover Air Force Base. Ushers were S/Sgt. John Brown of Westover; Chester Christy of Calais, Me., and Thomas Flaherty of Three Rivers.

The bridal gown was of dupioni silk and was designed by Cahill of California. It was fashioned with a portrait neckline edged with lace medallions, elbow length sleeves and full princess skirt with cathedral train, bordered in the matching lace. Her chapel-length veil of imported illusion was arranged to a matching dupioni silk circlet.

Her attendants were gowned alike in dresses of satin in willow green and were fashioned with full controlled bell skirts, elbow length sleeves and detachable floor-length over skirt with side envelope effect. They wore matching circlets with flared shadow face veils.

A reception was held at the Homestead in Ludlow. The couple will live in Belchertown on return from their wedding trip.

The bride was born in Belchertown and is a graduate of Belchertown High School and Westfield State College. She will teach in the Belchertown school system this fall.

The bridegroom was born in Calais and is a graduate of Calais Memorial High School and the Rosary Business School of St. Stephen, New Brunswick. He is serving in the Air Force at Westover Air Force Base.

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GRANTED LICENSE

The Robin Farm, Inc. was issued an all alcoholic club license at the board of selectmen's meeting last week Thursday night. The board received the approval of the license from the ABCC

GRANGE FAIR AT LUDLOW

The Bowles call our attention to the 35th annual fair of the Ludlow Grange on Saturday, August 24. The Grange will serve an old fashioned chicken pie supper from 5 to 7 p. m. The price for adults is $1.50, and for children 75 cents.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency announces the sale for Mr. Harry Plant of his property on Jackson St., known as the former Anne Wood home, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Rufo of Ware. Mr. Rufo is a well known stone mason in this area. The new owners will do some remodeling before occupying the premises.

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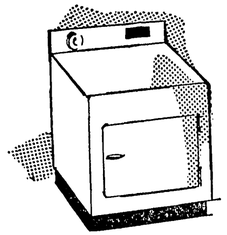

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MRS. L. DAVIS

Mrs. Lizzie Davis, 77, sister of Caddo District Judge Robert J. O'Neal, died recently at the Ruston Sanitarium located in Louisiana following a long illness.

Mrs. Davis was born near the historic Alabama Presbyterian Church, north of Choudrant, and lived there all of her life. She was the daughter of the late R. D. O'Neal and Mrs. Maude Kelly O'Neal, and was a member of the Alabama Church.

Funeral services were held on Sunday at the Alabama Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Clark Williams, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Choudrant.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Herbert Baker of Ruston, Mrs. Joseph Mercier, Stebbins St., Belchertown, Mrs. Fred Holmes of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. James Roach of Choudrant and Mrs. Cothran Haddad, Monroe; one son, William O. Davis of Memphis, Tenn.; 16 grandchildren, 4 greatgrandchildren and 18 nieces and nephews; two brothers, Judge O'Neal of Sheveport and W. A. O'Neal of Choudrant, and three sisters, Mrs. W. N. Baremore and Mrs. R. C. Alexander of Dubach, and Mrs. R. H. Alexander of Arcadia, La.

BAND CONCERTS

It is of much interest to note that several Belchertown young people are participating in the August Sunday evening band concerts at Amherst. They are:

Robert Wilson, Joyce Juskalian, Andrew Juskalian, Keith Farrington, David Papp, William Hackett and Donald Pratt.

The concerts are at 8 p. m. on the Amherst common.

ENFIELD SUNDAY OLD HOME DAY

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Letters of greeting from those unable to be present were read by Mr. Green from the following:

Florence and Kurt Zeuschner
Broad Brook, Conn.

James Gilpin
55 Noblehurst Ave. Pittsfield

Rev. Elmo F. Young
District Superintendent
Springfield

Rev. Raymond Moore
205 East Fourth St.
Moulton, Iowa

A happy announcement made at the start was that the Educational Building, consecrated at the service a year previous, was now free of all encumbranses. Different ones were then called on for remarks. Rev. Leroy Lyon said that he traveled a total distance of 8,000 miles to get his education at Belchertown High School, while living in Packardville. He said that there were four on the faculty at that time. He recalled that a Hickland and Thayer also entered the ministry from Enfield.

Rev. Walter R. Blackmer recalled that his mother was once a member of the Methodist Church in Enfield, described her as devout yet sensible, and told of her mother walking regularly to the Methodist Church here, a distance of 2½ miles, while living on lower North Washington St.

Lewis H. Blackmer read "The Streams of Change."

Rev. Henry Bailey, a former pastor here, spoke most interestingly. He said he came here with his family May 30, 1913, just 50 years ago. He spoke of the cordial welcome given him and his family at the parsonage on Jackson St. He spoke of evangelistic services he conducted here. They lasted for seven weeks, and 130 people went to the altar.

Others spoke on last days in Enfield.

At the conclusion of the service, Rev. Mr. Green invited any interested ones present to go to the auditorium, where he outlined changes had in mind for a planned restoration, not remodelling. It is had in mind to tear out the back wall, replacing the organ there, to discard the present siding and ceiling, reverting to plaster. The altar rail would be back of the pulpit, which in the old days was a high one. The floor would be of natural finish boards, and there would be a chandelier operated by a winch.

So, with one project paid for, there is apparently an ambitious program ahead.

The picture in this issue, and used on the program Sunday, is of the present church when it was the Union Street Church in Springfield.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

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he reservoir for the year. Usually, the arly total is near 46 inches there.

Despite the light rain which was ill falling at 6.30 Wednesday, Dave aples and his fire muster crew were ain at it down on Bay Rd., less two embers, who we understand were inolved in an accident the day before d were in the hospital.

The two, Richard McGinnis and ren Shumway were injured in a most usual accident: They were both on ctors, with McGinnis pulling a mowg machine, proceeding down South ain Street when a car driven by Wal- Wadsworth also of this town hit e mowing machine. This threw McinnIs from his tractor. Shumway was jured when he jumped from his trac- to prevent further damage as a cond car came up. At last report, ly McGinnis is still in Mary Lane ospital in Ware.

Dave tells me that their next muster ill be on Sunday, August 18th at ountain Park—so come on over. If e "Rusty Water Soup" at their sup- Wednesday night isn't to your ing, watch them pump the "lefters" out at the muster!

Apparently the contractor for the w school, Sullivan, Inc., of Northpton intends to meet the fall of 64 completion date, for it is evident each week at the site.

With the structural steel rumored to be on the way in a few weeks, all here in town certainly hope that it will arrive prior to the date set for the threatened rail strike—we all know what a long delay would do as regards classroom space needed in the 1964-65 school season.

Our neighbor to the south-west, Ludlow, has sent the real estate tax bills out (during the hot spell a few weeks back) and the taxpayers there by now have felt the force of the $5.50 per thousand increase in the tax rate.

Belchertown's tax bills went out this past week, and no doubt the $3 per thousand increase here will be a hard pill to swallow for some, yet next year will be more unbearable.

Real estate is in the news as regards Belchertown people lately. From the Amherst people we found that George Jackson and wife, and Stanford Harrington and wife are presently owners of seven eight-unit apartment buildings now under construction in Amherst near the Mill River.

That community is now undergoing a housing boom, though one student there states that this year's enrollment has far out-stripped the U. of M. new dorms that have recently gone up and private dwellings as well.

Other real estate deals in the news included a parcel of land which was sold recently by Walter Henry of this town. Another deal involved the consolidation of land holdings of Harold, Gould and Andrew Ketchen.

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Ruth L. Ward
Univ. Faculty Club, Amherst

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James Hickland

Thomas Hickland
457 Plumtree Rd., Springfield 8

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29 Parkview Dr., Feeding Hills

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Mrs. Jennie McPherson

Miss Shirley A. Gilman

To my friends in Belchertown:
I have sailed the ocean blue,
I have traveled up and down,
Today I know where I'd love to be—
And that's in Belchertown.

It's not my fault I cannot go
And mingle with you there.
In heart I will be with you
While I breathe a silent prayer.

—James Gilpin

The Streams of Change

Yes, another Enfield Sunday,
Anticipated so,
When we gather here to dream
Of the days of long ago,

When Enfield was a village,
And not a vast expanse
Of water filled with lake trout,
Of walleyes and of bass,

When Enfield teemed with people,
Those folks we knew so well,
Artisans of many kinds,
And those with goods to sell.

The whistles on her factories,
The ringing of church bell,
Proclaimed to all the countryside
That everything was well.

But fate decreed a different role
That Enfield was to play—
Last meetings, dances, valley trains,
Were the order of the day.

Then came the grand dispersal;
The life of Enfield flowed
To other towns as folks went out
To seek a new abode.

Her workers scattered far and wide,
Her church folks, without fail,
Sought God in other parishes,
At another altar rail.

The streams of fate still cross our lives,
And waft us hither, yon,
We had our dreams and our fond hopes,
But now they all are gone.

But God's red light changes to green,
Another path we trod,
So all is well, if at the end,
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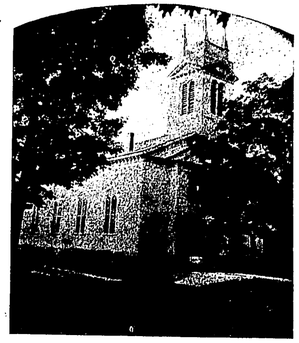

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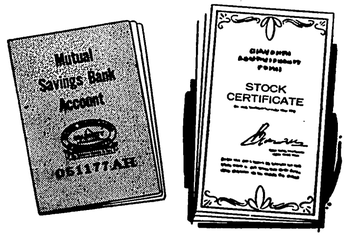

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELLIOTT SCOTT CORDNER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, praying that IRVING JAMES CORDNER of Wilbraham, in the County of Hampden, be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Bequire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of EDWIN F. SHUMWAY, also known as EDWIN FOSTER SHUMWAY, and E. F. SHUMWAY, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by DONALD M. TERRY of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of August, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Bequire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook #B1639 issued by said bank to George F. French, it being claimed that said book has been lost or destroyed.

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LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook #1552 issued by said bank to Karen Desforges, it being claimed that said bank book had been lost or destroyed.

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, Belchertown, under sections IV-(2)-d to carry on Mr. Black's trade as an artisan.

Board of Appeals

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8.30 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. located on Mill Valley Rd., Belchertown, for a permit, under section IV-B-2b, to conduct a private club not for profit.

Board of Appeals

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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing on Saturday, August 17, at 8 p. m. in the Planning Board room in the basement of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the petition of Francis P. Loftus, Jr. and Bertha M. Loftus for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a piece of property owned by them, and formerly by Charles F. Austin on the Ware Road.

The Planning Board

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Firefighters' Muster at Mountain Park.

MONDAY

TUESDAY
Grange Meeting and Flower Show.

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY
Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family in Congregational Parish House at 7.30 p. m.

SATURDAY
Sweet Corn Supper at Dwight Chapel. Servings at 5.30 and 6.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

TOMORROW
Annual Reunion of Towne and Edson Families in the Congregational Parish House.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Sept. 8
6th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church.
Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

SCHOOL BONDS ON SALE

It is of interest to note that bonds for the new junior-senior high school can be purchased locally in blocks of $5,000 only—through Blake S. Jackson, as noted in the advertisement appearing in this issue.

It is of interest, too, that this town has a Moody's Class "A" rating, possibly bearing out the contention of the late E. S. Cordner as to the town's financially improved condition in recent years.

FIREFIGHTERS' SUPPER

Belchertown's Firefighters and Auxiliary put on their annual roast beef supper with the same efficiency with which they fight fires, as was evidenced on Wednesday evening at the Congregational Parish House.

People still feel kindly toward the department. One patron at our table remarked, "They saved our house," and others were there who had been similarly served.

Ken Bristol had charge of the kitchen, Donald Bock of the dining room, with Mrs. Bresett decorating the tables, and Mrs. Mullane of Cold Spring School cafeteria, rendered valuable assistance. Mike's top grade meat went right to the spot. Carl Peterson and Harold Peck were the cut-ups at Cold Spring, and Johnnie Hubbard Rambled back and forth all evening.

Patronage was good, but not as good as some years—remember the night when there was a banner attendance, with a severe thunder storm in progress?

Posters concerning the event were clever. The one at Jackson's featured an old-time fire engine, which was an eye catcher. This was captioned something like. "You attend our supper, we'll go to your fire"—of course, they would go anyway.

The department tanker was parked on the parish house lawn, reminding folks of what was transpiring inside.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party for the Vargas, to which parishioners and friends are invited, will be held in the Congregational Parish House next week Friday evening at 7.30.

ST. FRANCIS CHICKEN BARBECUE

The sixth Annual Chicken Barbecue sponsored by St. Francis Church has been scheduled for Sunday, September 8, according to an announcement made by the pastor, Rev. George R. Dudley. This colorful annual event will again be held on the common here in the center of town. Trappist Monks at St. Joseph's Abbey in Spencer are cooperating with Fr. Dudley again this year by offering for sale jams, jellies, relishes and other preserves made by the monks. The ingredients in all products bearing the Trappist label are grown and harvested on the Abbey grounds in Spencer where the monks have dedicated themselves to a life of prayer and labor.

The main event will be a barbecued chicken dinner, cooked in open pits, and served with all the fixings at tables set up on the common. Candies made by Cistercian Nuns at Mount St. Mary's Abbey in Wrentham will also be offered for sale.

The combined efforts of the parishioners of St. Francis Church working together with the religious orders promises an interesting and pleasant outing for the entire family.

Rev. George R. Dudley, pastor, and Rev. Joseph T. Collins are heading the event with the assistance of Lay-Co-Chairmen Clarence Robinson and Mrs. James Mullane. Tickets for the dinner may be obtained in advance by writing to Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr.; Green Avenue, Belchertown.

AROUND OUR TOWN

Of late, we've had a rash of highway accidents here in town. Sadly, one took the life of a 50 year old man from Chicopee Falls. He was killed when his scooter went out of control on Route 9 near the Pelham line this past Sunday. This was the second road fatality of the year, the other was in July and occurred on N. Washington Street. It isn't enough to say that we here in Belchertown with over 100 miles of roads have in past years been most fortunate in this regard.

Only last week, and again this week there were accidents which nearly ended with serious injuries for those involved. The accidents in mind: On Saturday, a resident of North Main Street lost control of his car when it hit a soft shoulder. The car left the road and cleared a stone wall only to be halted by a tree beyond. Another accident of this nature involved a circus truck on Route 21, on August 2. It tore through highway guardrails and fencing before it came to rest, the cab was demolished, but the driver was uninjured. We mentioned the third ac-

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SWEET CORN SUPPER AT DWIGHT

A sweet corn supper will be served at Dwight Chapel on Saturday, August 24, with servings at 5.30 and 6.30.

The menu will consist of meat loaf, mashed potatoes, corn, cucumbers, tomatoes, pickles, rolls, iced tea, coffee and punch, with dessert of cake and ice cream.

Prices are 99 cents for adults, with children under twelve, 45 cents, with children under four, free.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fay are chairmen of the committee.

COMPLETE COURSE

Mrs. David Staples, who has had in charge the swimming instruction at the town beach, reports that the following have completed the course and passed their tests:

Beginners
Jane Rhodes
Lester Rhodes
Deborah St. Pierre
Danny Shea
Irene Theroux
Debby Wall
Paul Wall
Patty Theroux
Jeffrey Fay
Allen French
Corey Henrichon
Theresa Lapointe
Roland Lapointe
Peter Minkley
Richard Moreau
Alice Przybyla
Walter Robinson
Dianne Russell
Advanced Beginners
Frances Ablicki
Leo Ablicki
Robert Dewhurst
Christine Dzuris
Cathy Dzuris
Deborah Fennessey
Joan Fennessey
Wayne Henrichon
Betty Marshall
Susan Rioux
Yvette Rioux
Gary Spooner
Intermediates
Patricia Austin
Eileen Austin
Kathy Dyer
Sandra Henrichon
Rosalind Moreau
Gloria Ritter
Robert French
Swimmers
Richard Ritter
James Meaux
Matthew Soja
Jae Spooner
Douglas Shirtcliff
Adults
Advanced Beginners
Ruth Dowd
Alma Fay
Rita Lapointe
Claire Nute

BELCHERTOWN COMMUNITY BAND

Due to scheduling problems, next week's rehearsal of the newly organized Belchertown Community Band will be held on Thursday evening, August 22, at Clapp Memorial Library.

There are still openings in all sections, and all those interested are invited to attend this rehearsal, next Thursday at 7.30 p. m.

GRANGE MEETING AND FLOWER SHOW

Tuesday evening's Grange meeting will be in charge of the agriculture committee, with Rose Wenzel chairman. She has announced that Linwood Lesure of Ashfield will speak on his "People to People" program and will show slides. There will be a flower show, also. Classes in arrangements as announced by Mary Judkins, will be:

1. Miniatures.
2. Arrangment in a cup and saucer.
3. Arrangement using driftwood or wood.
4. In a basket or wooden container (for men) fruit and/or vegetables.

House Plants—Horticultural Class

1. "Glads" (3) spikes.
2. Dahlias (3) large.
3. Dahlias (5) small.
4. Asters (3).
5. Zinnias (3) large.
6. Zinnias (5) small.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Repeat Notice

Mr. and Mrs. Byron A. Hudson of North Main Street will celbrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, August 18th. They will be honored at an open house to be held at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, the Stanford Harringtons of Park Street. Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. David J. Bodin will also serve as hosts and hostesses. Friends of the Hudsons are cordially invited to attend the open house, which will be from 2 to 5 p. m.

FACTS VS. CONFUSION

It seems that there is a great deal of confusion about town over the workings of our town zoning by-laws and the move to get them enforced. At the urging of a townsman, it was decided at least to present the facts and let our readers do the rest.

All that was needed to get the information together were copies of the

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The Steeple Soliloquizes

Excitements and Anniversaries Hasten The Summer Season

I am enjoying the "Around Our Town" feature which has been appearing in the *Sentinel* lately. It is adding a "homey" touch that appeals to those of us who tire of the syndicated sameness which pervades most of our communications. It's the sort of thing I like to do myself. Guess I will.

Our summer is passing much too quickly. It always does.

Quiet Village Street?

Here on South Main it is very lovely and quiet on this most beautifully clear and cool weekend of the season. But the street has not been so calm all the time!

When I mentioned, some weeks ago, that the trees in town had been taking a beating from many directions during recent years and that South Main Street had had its share of heavy damages, I didn't suspect that there would be more of the same right away.

On Sunday, July 14, two days after the "Tree Column" had appeared, a savage thunderstorm hit us early in the afternoon with a small twister that seemed to have been postmarked for a small frontage on the east side of our street. No other part of town was reported affected. The gale tore a great branch from the big ash in front of Avery's, ripping the wires from the house, and causing such confusion among cars heading north that there were rather bad injuries done to one family whose auto bumped into the one ahead.

Hardly had the police arrived when another blast of wind tore a limb from the maple at the edge of the Montague House driveway, swept it across the front of that house, barely missing a woman and her two little children, who had gone out to the front walk to see what all the excitement up the street was about. The limb tore the wires off this house, too, but did little other harm. It was a squeaker for the mother and kids.

The street was a midway of activity for quite a while, what with officials, Mass. Electric Company workers, tree warden, Sunday motorists, and sidewalk superintendents.

We were impressed by the dispatch with which the damages were taken care of. The Electric Company had trucks here within a few minutes, and service was restored quickly. The big branches were reduced to cordwood by the tree warden. The police were most efficient at keeping the road safe. Both trees are left somewhat bedraggled by the experience, but may likely survive. Neither could well be spared.

Traffic has increased greatly on South Main, it seems to me. The Turnpike Exit at Palmer, the opening or expansion of recreational centers on Swift River, at Robin Farm, and in Mill Valley, and the building of a number of new houses may have helped. In any case, there is coming and going at all hours of the day and night.

More excitement took place right out front of the house a week ago Tuesday evening, just after dark, when two tractors, a hay rig, and a new convertible became involved in an accident which resulted in a runaway tractor and injuries to three local men. Fortunately, all three seem to be recovered or on the way to being O.K. We had a weird hour of a dim street, strange-looking vehicles, crowds of motorists and pedestrians, badly smashed car, disabled mowing machine, accident victims lying on the bank waiting for help—and a carload of Amherst folks still getting over the fright of having some nameless, riderless monster bearing down on them in the night.

To wind up this localized excitement, we lost our electricity last week Wednesday night at six o'clock during a violent storm, and it was ten-thirty before we found it again! The maddening part of this was that the houses just above us on the street kept the complete service, while we and all below us were juiceless and in blackness. We went supperless, as we had been sitting out the storm and, once the lights went out, we expected resumption of service momentarily.

During the interlude, we recalled the "olden days" when loss of power for shorter or longer periods was the normal expectancy during the thunderstorm season. We had not lost our current for anything like this length of time for ages.

Site and Sights

Belchertown does not change as rapidly as most towns around us, but we do change. I visited the great expanse of recently-rearranged earth off Springfield Road last weekend and marveled at the amount of displacement already achieved at the site of the new Belchertown High School. It will be a lovely location with the hills to the south and west, and a lot of room for the kids and adults. It seems like a dream that we are at long last on the way to a new building.

Every time I go down Mill Valley Road I am surprised to find Fuller Street coming out to meet me. It has been a long time, hasn't it, since there has been a really new street up here on the hill? Chadbourne Street and Lloyd Avenue are a bit farther out. It's good to have new streets. Their homemakers will help defray the cost of the schools!

Whatever the fatal attraction may be that draws cars into the field across from the Isaac farm, it looks as though somebody should do something to lessen the danger there. The long stretch of flattened guard rail bears evidence that two vehicles have already taken the plunge. Others have crashed after veering to the opposite side of the road. It's a dangerous place!

West to East

We've had Marjorie home with us for almost three weeks, and don't like to have her go back again this Sunday to her San Francisco work. As usual, the days have raced by with a program of sewing, swimming, painting, refinishing, chatting, and shopping, with a lovely interlude in Vermont.

Number Thirty-Seven

Our wedding anniversary passed quietly this week Wednesday, with the Firemen's Supper to furnish us with a big banquet. Our gift to each other this year will be, we hope, a new porch on the north side of the house, where we can sit in bugless comfort, eat, read, sleep, or what have you.

Florence has always wanted such a place and now it looks as though we may have it.

And here's the sonnet, the 36th in a row.

So here we are, atop another hill,
Some heavier, shorter of breath a mite,
With last year's clothes perhaps a trifle tight,
But last year's happiness a comfort still—
And love enough to last us both until
We see ahead the gleaming of the light
Where God will give us shelter for the night
And will his morning promises fulfill.

Many companions journey with us now
Who were not here when first we started out.
Their laughter fills the shadow-lengthening hours,
Empties our hearts of sorrow, teaches how
To take all changes cheerfully, nor doubt
That those we've lost will once again be ours.

Number Forty!

We shall all be wishing Byron and Gladys Hudson many happy returns on their Fortieth Wedding Anniversary this coming Sunday. Marjorie will be flying Golden Gateward as we shake the Hudson hands.

Belchertown was very fortunate to have the Hudsons make their home here. Their influence has been felt all through the community, in church, in business, and in their social and family lives. They have raised three fine daughters and now rejoice in the company of swell grandchildren.

In music alone they have given much enjoyment and inspiration to our people.

Byron is a great sportsman, and loves to fish in the waters of Narragansett Bay and hunt in the wilds of New Brunswick or Cooleyville. His luck varies, but his cheerful disposition stays constant. He has been hunting these many years, but never did so well as he did one August day in 1923!

* * *

Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * *

"Oh my luve is like a red, red rose,
That's newly sprung in June:
Oh my luve is like the melodie,
That's sweetly play'd in tune.

"As fair are thou, my bonie lass,
So deep in luve am I;
And I will luve thee still, my dear,
Till a 'the seas gang dry.

"Till a' the seas gang dry, my dear,
And the rocks melt wi' the sun;
And I will luve thee still, my dear,
While the sands o' life shall run
. . ."

Robert Burns

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The thirtieth President of the United States was inducted into office with profound simplicity. Calvin Coolidge stood in the sitting room of a Vermont farm house while his father a farmer from among the hills, and a notary public, in the presence of a small group of people, administered the oath of office to Calvin. Rev. Collins G. Burnham contributed a column for the SENTINEL regarding the event laying particular stress on the filial attitude toward his father and his mother (by his visit to her grave).

Rev. Harold W. Curtis has accepted a call to the Baptist Church in Rumford, Maine to begin work Sept. 18.

Leffie Lauree is taking orders for player pianos, rolls and also for the latest sheet music.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The final Pelham Hill service for the season was held Sunday. The program began with a half hour piano recital by Harold Bohmer, followed by an address on "The Shakers" by Mrs. Clifton Johnson, and a vesper service in charge of Rev. C. H. Smith of Granby. In the evening Rev. H. G. Green spoke on "The Strength of the Hills", which was followed by an out-door service, when Rev. W. E. Soule presided at the organ.

The community picnic was held in Rohunta Park. The program was as usual, except there was no ball game. The one thing unusual was Wm. French's hypnotic power. Supposedly he was impartial at the rope pull, but he would coach one side till it was on the way to win. Then he would coach the other side till victory was in sight. So he went back and forth, his presence never failing to turn the tide.

Miss Gertrude Knight was married to David Cleverdon at the Congregational Church.

The five year class out of B. H. S. (i.e. the class of 1933) held their first reunion at Forest Lake. Eleven out of the 24 graduates were present.

TEN YEARS AGO

The idea of a Shopping Center for Belchertown, seems to be taking root. The Dairy Bar building will soon be erected.

About 160 were present at the Methodist Church for Enfield Sunday and Old Home Day. Greetings came from two former pastors, Rev. Horatio F. Robbins, and Rev. Rockwell Smith. There was an unusual number of people who responded in the program which followed the dinner.

TOWN ITEMS

The town clerk announces that he will be on vacation next week.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph Trombly Agency, realtors, have sold the former Vernon Beals property on East Walnut St. to Mr. and Mrs. Leland W. Sample of Chicopee, who have already taken possession. Mr. Sample is a musician and band leader and is currently appearing on Channel 40, WHYN-TV.

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BELCHERTOWN PHARMACY

CORN ROAST AT MARY LANE

The Ware River News has this to say about the corn roast at Mary Lane Hospital:

"One of the gustatorial events of the summer season, the annual corn roast sponsored by the Mary Lane Hospital Auxiliary, will be held on the hospital grounds Wednesday, August 21, from 5.30 to 7.30 p. m.

"On the menu for the roast will be hot dogs, hamburgs, salads, corn and beverages.

During the course of the lawn party which is being held in conjunction with the corn roast, various booths and tables will offer a variety of items to those present. The odds and ends table will be presided over by Mrs. Neil Rice; Mrs. Arlan Schoonmaker will head the group at the plant and flower table; Mrs. Latimer Hyde will supervise the gift cart sales; the food table will be staffed by Mrs. William Wright, Sr, and Mrs. Roger Person; and Mrs. John Pilch will preside at the table offering vegetables and preserves.

"For youngsters, a pony ride concession will be operated by Mrs. William E. Wright; and a fish pond by John Person.

"A popular attraction at the corn roast in previous years will again be offered, when Mrs. Elizabeth Howe Lincoln sets up her portrait booth.

"In the event of rain, the roast will be postponed to Thursday."

ALMON W. DAMON

Almon W. Damon, 81, of Boston, formerly of this town, died on Sunday, August 4.

He was born in Holyoke, and was educated and spent his boyhood here, the family living on Warner Road.

He was a member of the Belchertown Congregational Church, and was a past deacon of the South Boston Broadway Church.

His funeral was held at Waterman's Funeral Parlor in Boston last week Thursday. He was buried in Mt. Hope cemetery in this place, Rev. Paul Varga, pastor of the Congregational Church, conducting the commital service.

He is survived by two brothers, Ira E. Damon of Dorchester, and Fred F. Damon of Beverly; also three nieces and nephews.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the educational aid committee, George and Florence Poole, co-chairmen. Prize winners were: 1st, Fred H. Fuller, Howard Judkins, Mary Judkins and Rose Wenzel; 2nd, Doris Belanger, Blanche Bader, Eva Webb and Catherine Germain; 3rd, C. Mientka, Esther Prescott, Esther Thayer and Lena Nightingale; door, Rose Wenzel, and Regina DeMers of Ware.

This week's party will be in charge of the relief committee: E. Grover, chairman; K. Butler, H. Lister and N. Wetmore.

REUNION

Miss Arna Gollenbusch of Springfield, Mrs. Larry Greene (Dora Noel) of Florence, and Mrs. John Bachiochi (Ruth Spencer) of Stafford Springs, Conn., met for the first time together in 30 years at the home of Mrs. John Bachiochi last Sunday. They are graduates of B. H. S., Class of 1933. A picnic lunch was enjoyed with their families, and there was plenty of reminiscing.

POMONA GRANGE FLOWER SHOW

Union Grange won first prize for a one place table setting at the Hampshire County Pomona Flower Show held in South Amherst last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Williams was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Gladys Reed of Amherst and Mrs. Mabel West of Hadley. Mrs. Marion Harrington and Mrs. Ruth Kempkes of this town were supper chairmen.

Mrs. Harrington, who is Pomona lecturer, directed an evening variety show.

Other Belchertown winners were Mrs. Mary Judkins, greenery arrangement; Mrs. Ruth Kempkes, white flowers in a white container and best arrangement in the show; Carl Bowles, asters and small dahlias.

In the children's contests Scott Judkins won first prize for his miniature bouquet while his brother, Allen, won first prize for the best wild flower arrangement. Margaret Lawliss won first prize in the contest for an arrangement suitable for Flora's table in the Juvenile Grange. Mrs. Williams gave the prize winners vases in various designs.

Judges were Mrs. S. L. Garrison of Amherst, and Mrs. E. S. Cordner of this town.

BOY SCOUT AWARDS

Twenty-four Boy Scouts from Troop 507 have completed a week of camping at Camp Chesterfield, being accompanied by Scoutmaster John Bailey, and assistant scoutmasters, James Nolan, Ralph Munn, Harry Shakarian, and Merit Badge Counselor, Peter Wilmoth.

At the close of the encampment, a Court of Honor was held, with over 30 parents and friends attending. Eagle Scout Harold Ketchen was in charge.

Harold received a Bronze Palm to add to his Eagle Scout award. This was for merit badges earned over and above those needed for the Eagle Scout award. He also received the Tepee award. He had to undertake a project to improve the camp, serve as a lifeguard, and then pass an unknown test. He also received other merit badges and partial credit for other badges.

Kenneth Nolan, Fred Fitzgerald, Jr., and Richard Plowucha, patrol leaders, were judged by Mr. Bailey on leadership, skill, enthusiasm and discipline. Kenneth Nolan received 135 points, Fitzgerald 133 and Plowucha 117.

Raymond Breton, Jr. was given recognition for leading six boys in first aid skills. Robert Powers and Fred Fitzgerald were given credit for one week's work on a camping merit badge. Special mention was made of three boys who advanced from non-swimmers to beginners, and five boys who advanced from beginners to swimmers. Merit badges were presented to Ketchen, Douglas Camp, Joseph Dyer, Kenneth Nolan, Robert Powers and Richard Powucha.

Paul Wall received the Pathfinder award; Robert Powers the Beaver award.

Leaders Bailey, Nolan and Shakarian received staff troop awards, including staff quadrant and staff neckerchiefs.

SERVICE NOTES

Newport, R. I. (FHTNC) Walter E. Leja, Jr., disbursing clerk seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Leja, Sr., of Belchertown recently completed Disbursing Clerk Class "A" School, graduating in ceremonies conducted at the Naval Supply School, Newport, R. I. The 11-week course covered payroll records and allowances, naval accounting systems and naval correspondence.

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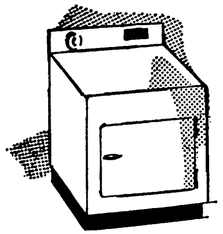

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 15, 1-10. The first Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Mark 7, 31-37. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Mark. (Relates the cure of a deaf-mute by Christ.)

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE

It's that time of the year again—time for the annual chicken barbecue sponsored by our parish. The front page article has all the particulars so there isn't much more to say except to ask that you help out by spreading the word to relatives and friends who might have a liking for chicken.

— CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB —

All women of the parish are invited to make contributions to the Country Store which will be sponsored by the Catholic Women's Club at the 6th Annual Trappist Sunday, Sept. 8th. The following items are greatly needed: House plants, home canning, homemade candies and pastries - specialty items, stuffed animals, animal pajama bags, mittens, crocheted items, knitted goods of any nature, felt slippers, slipper sox, clothespin bags, and money donations for the purchase of materials.

— U. S. CATHOLIC HISTORY —

The date of Father John Carroll's appointment as superior of the American missions, June 9, 1784, has been called the birthday of the church as now established in this country. At that time there were about 25,000 Catholics among the general population of four million.

Named the first American bishop in 1789, when Baltimore was approved as the first diocese, Most Rev. John Carroll was consecrated in England August 15, 1790. Ten years later Father Leonard Neale became his coadjutor and the first bishop consecrated in the United States. Bishop Carroll became an archbishop in 1808 when Baltimore was designated a metropolitan see and the new dioceses of Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Bardstown (Ky.) were created. These jurisdictions were later subdivided, and by 1840 there were, in addition to Baltimore, 15 dioceses, 500 priests, and 663,000 Catholics in the general population of seventeen million.

Thirty years later the Springfield Mass. diocese became a reality when Bishop Patrick T. O'Reilly, 1870-92, became the head of the church in this area. Following him; Thomas D. Beaven, 1892-1920; Thomas M. O'Leary, 1921-49; and presently the Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon—with a 1962 Catholic population in the diocese of 380,000.

— CHURCH NAMES; WHY? —

Every Catholic church has its own distinctive patron and title. Such has been the pious custom over the centuries. Some are dedicated to the Holy Trinity, to our Divine Saviour, others to our Blessed Mother or to saints or angels. Just why a church has its particular patron or how it came to be suited to be so titled would make a story in itself.

Perhaps some good pastor had a special devotion to a favorite saint; perhaps the congregation made the choice; sometimes the donors select the title. Sacred history relates many examples of churches and shrines which were built to commemorate a singular miraculous favor, such as Holy Mary of Guadalupe on our own continent or Our Lady of Lourdes in Europe. The naming of a church is an expression of Catholic faith.

THE GOOD LORD SPOKE

The Pope was only eighty-one,
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To Me, he's friend and he's so dear,
To all My saints and angels here;
To Me especially that's clear."

"Since I have plans to save the world,
With truth and lovely things untold.
I plan to send another bold,
To make all men My One True Fold."

—Fr. Edw. Overberg, O.F.M.

—Courtesy of *The Word of God*, a Catholic Weekly.

TOWN ITEMS

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Blackmer of Mill Valley Road were their son, Victor A. Blackmer, Jr. of Fort Pierce, Florida; Robert E. Blackmer of Daytona Beach, Florida; and Rev. and Mrs. F. Ross Blackmer and three children of Cleveland, Ohio.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Sermon: "The Work of Ministry"

Children will receive the Sacrament of Baptism at the service of worship on Sunday at 9.30. The soloist will be Miss Jane Peterson, with Mrs. Walter Blackmer as the organist.

There will also be a trio consisting of Miss Peterson, Miss Sandra Field and Miss Susan Miner.

Nursery care will be provided.

An invitation has been received to attend morning worship at the Methodist Church, where the Rev. Tommy Tyson will be preaching. All those who wish to are welcome to attend, but services will be held in our church as usual, however, and the sacrament of baptism will take place.

Deacons

The Board of Deacons will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Dedication of Staff

The Church School staff will be dedicated at the Service of Holy Communion on Sunday, August 25, which will be Mr. Varga's last Sunday in this church.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

9.30 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building

9.30 a. m. Morning Worship

Sermon by the Rev. Tommy Tyson of Goldsboro, North Carolina. Tommy Tyson is the Camp Meeting Evangelist at Laurel Park and will preach for us on Sunday morning. All are invited to hear this great preacher.

7.30 p. m. There will be no Evensong in the local church, as all are urged to be at the closing session of the Annual Camp Meeting at Laurel Park, Northampton.

COMING

SEPTEMBER 8

This will be the Third Annual Laurel Park Day for the local church, as they join with Bondsville to worship in this great spiritual center of Methodism.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Henry of Holyoke Road their home and about 50 acres of land to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Couture of Aldenville. The Henrys have built and are now occupying, a new four room home adjoining their former property. The Coutures took possession of their new home about August 1.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

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cident last week; it was out of the ordinary—two tractors and two autos were involved.

Last week we only mentioned briefly news of the formation of Ketchen Realty Trust of Maple St., and that in part was in error. The trustees do not include Andrew Ketchen, owner of Crystal Spring farm on N. Main Street. The trustees are: Harold B., Frances G. and Gould Ketchen.

It is said that roughly 14 acres of land here in town are now under their control as members of the realty trust.

Each week, it seems that the subject of new residential construction keeps jumping into this column—and it is well that it should!

It has been published elsewhere, that "This town is probably the poorest town in the entire Commonwealth and will stay that way, etc." Hardly complimentary for a town with an A in the financial rating. True we don't have many industries, only Quabbin, the State School, the Town, farming to a degree, fruit growing, a machine shop, a camping area, a country club, gas stations, garages, restaurants, and quite a number of small businesses including food stores, etc. However, the bulk of the tax revenue for this town is derived from taxes on real estate. It is unfortunate that the home owner should carry the burden, but the more there are, the less each has to pay. Naturally more homes mean larger outlays for fire, police, utilities, and school programs, but this cannot be avoided—it is here now, today.

It is obvious then, that our major industry is in reality, that of providing a place to live. It is due to our location in respect to the Springfield metropolitan area and Westover Air Force Base. The term "bedroom city" might well apply to Belchertown with its 60 odd square miles of territory, where people come to live, not to work.

As evidence of this, houses can be seen under construction all around town; not big 50-75 unit housing developments where one can't tell his house from his next door neighbor's, but instead small, neat country type developments of five units or less.

As one example of this growth, take the Western fringe of town, the area bordering Stebbins Street.

Ten years ago there were ten homes along the entire street, from Bay Rd. to the Granby line. Today, it is over the 40 mark, with five more presently underway—if two newly dug cellar holes are any indication of what is to follow. The heart of this is around Daniel Square on land developed by Mr. Ducharme and now being further developed by Leo Lemay of South Hadley.

FACTS VS. CONFUSION

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recent Town Reports, a copy of the Town By-Laws and a quick phone call to get the legal view of it all.

Starting out with the original copy of our Town By-Laws it was found that they contained no provision giving the Selectmen the power either to enforce zoning by-laws (were not then in existence, 1959) or to appoint someone else to do so. However, in the Town Report containing the warrant for the 1961 annual town meeting this was found:

TOWN BY-LAWS

Article 9. To see if the town will adopt the following By-Law: No building shall be erected, externally altered or changed in use, in the Town of Belchertown without a permit from the Selectmen.

The Town Report for the following year indicated the results of this town meeting in regard to this article.

TOWN BY-LAWS

Article 9. Voted to adopt the following By Law: No building shall be erected or changed in use, in the town of Belchertown without a permit from the Selectmen.

(Vote 43 Yes—14 No)

Prior to their ammendment in the latter part of 1962, the Zoning By-Laws read:

ZONING BY-LAW

7A. This By-Law shall be enforced by the Selectmen or a Building Inspector appointed by them. No building shall be built or structurally altered, and no use of land or a building shall be begun or changed without a permit having been issued, etc.

Amended, this section reads:

ZONING BY-LAW

(as Amended Through March 12, '62)

VII.A Enforcement. This By-Law shall be enforced by the Selectmen or their agent. No building shall be built and no use of land or a building shall be changed or begun until a permit has been issued by the Selectmen or their agent. No building shall be occupied until a certificate of occupancy has been issued by the Selectmen or their agent. Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law may be fined not more than (20) dollars for each offense. Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

It would seem then, that we have two valid answers—one, only the Selectmen can issue a permit; the other, the Selectmen or their Agent.

1. Which one should be considered valid?

2. Could the Town require the Selectmen to appoint an agent against their will?

A telephone call to Mr. Ford, the Town Attorney, produced the following answers.

To the first question: Because the Zoning By-Law was voted by the townspeople more recently, it supercedes the other. Therefore, the Town is correct in following with the wording "the Selectmen or their Agent" contained in section 7 of the Zoning By-Laws.

To the second question: The Town cannot require the Selectmen to do so at Town Meeting in the manner last attempted. They can, however, vote a By-Law change which would require them to appoint an agent to issue building permits and to enforce the Zoning By-Laws.

There is no question as to the legal right they have now under our present laws to appoint such a person if they choose to do so.

Last town meeting, article four of the warrant, had it been voted, would not have been proper or legal as it read. Objections were raised at that time as to the legality of it all and it was put aside after an attempt was made to get legal advice.

In conclusion, it is hoped that this article has not caused further confusion—but rather helped to set the facts out where all can see them and act accordingly.

FROM THE DAILY PRESS

Bids Sought—Another Accepted

The Selectmen have mailed three requests for bids on some 300 tons of bituminous concrete for resurfacing of Park Street. The bids will be opened at 8 p. m. on Thursday, August 22.

It was also announced that Warner Brothers Company of Sunderland was the successful bidder on some 1250 tons of bituminous concrete for the completion of Chapter 90 highway construction on Route 21.

School Loan Bids Opened

As mentioned in the press, the bids for bonds to supply funds for the new school were opened this past Thursday. The Bonds will be issued as Belchertown School Project Loan, Acts of 1948, and will be dated September 1, 1963.

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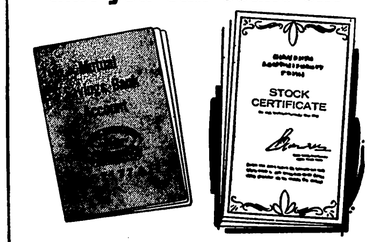

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of ELLIOTT SCOTT CORDNER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, praying that IRVING JAMES CORDNER of Wilbraham, in the County of Hampden, be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of July, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of RAYMOND J. SULLIVAN, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that CATHERINE W. SULLIVAN of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of August, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Aug. 16, 23, 30

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, Belchertown, under sections IV-(2)-d to carry on Mr. Black's trade as an artisan.

Board of Appeals

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8.30 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. located on Mill Valley Rd., Belchertown, for a permit, under section IV-B-2b, to conduct a private club not for profit.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Paul V. Varga, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Story Hour at Library at 2.30 p. m.
Men's Bowling League—Captains' meeting at Daisy Mae's at 7.30 p. m.
Firefighters' Association.

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Mont Marie Drive Personnel will meet in the Pine Room at 7.30 p. m.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Farewell Party for Rev. Paul V. Varga and family in Congregational Parish House at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Sweet Corn Supper at Dwight Chapel. Servings at 5.30 and 6.30 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Square Dance Club Annual Picnic and Dance at Carpenter-Nute Grove at 6 p. m.

SUBMITS RESIGNATION

School Superintendent Carl J. Peterson has been wonderful in putting out fires here, but what he can do for a community suffering shock by reason of his resignation is problematical, for that it suffered a shock is true. We had supposed he was a fixture here and would keep on staying with us, but it seems he has always had the urge to teach at the college level.

And so with the opening of the fall term the middle of September, he goes to Westfield State College as a professor of education and supervisor of students.

He has been superintendent here for ten years and connected with the Belchertown school system in an educational capacity for nearly a quarter of a century.

The school committee has accepted his resignation with regret, and the townspeople are not looking forward to his leaving. For a time, anyway, he will be commuting.

He feels he is not leaving the schools in too bad a way—practically all the teacher vacancies for the coming school year have been filled, and he has expressed a willingness to be of assistance in an unofficial capacity during the interim between superintendents here.

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HUDSON ANNIVERSARY

The Stanford J. Harrington home on Park Street was the scene last Sunday afternoon of a second 40th Wedding Anniversary within two years. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harrington, parents on the paternal side, received a surprise celebration on their 40th anniversary in November, 1961; and last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hudson, parents on the maternal side, celebrated their 40th anniversary in the same house.

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Coming Events

Sept. 8
6th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church.
Sept. 11
O. E. S. Inspection.
Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
O. E. S. Chicken Barbecue on the Common.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

TOWNE AND EDSON REUNION

The 72nd annual reunion of the Towne and Edson families was held in the Congregational parish House last Saturday, some of the members making special trips from New Jersey and Ohio. The group has met in Belchertown for over 25 years.

The event started at noon with dinner in charge of Mrs. Harvey Dickinson. While at the tables, Dr. Harry W. Allen of Moorestown, New Jersey, president, asked each to rise as he read the names from the registration book..

Rev. Walter R. Blackmer, chaplain of the organization was asked to tell of the early days of the Reunion, before giving his talk on "Fellowship." Lewis H. Blackmer, secretary, was asked to give another of his humorous essays.

Donald McMahon of Springfield contributed several accordion selections, the group joining in singing the selections.

Among those making remarks were Donald Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parker of Springfield, and Richard Allen of Cambridge, Ohio, the latter telling of the activities of Willis Towne of Stamford, Ct., one of the prominent members of the Reunion.

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SWEET CORN SUPPER

Attention is again called to the sweet corn supper tomorrow night at Dwight Chapel. Servings will be at 5.30 and 6.30 p. m.

Prices are 99 cents for adults, and 45 cents for children, with children under four, free.

SERVICE NOTES

George C. Zitka, Jr., MM2, USN, a nuclear specialist, received his honorable discharge on August 13th. Native born in Belchertown, he graduated from B. H. S., last in a class of 24.

He enlisted in the Navy April 14, 1959, took boot and M.M. training at Great Lakes, Ill., submarine and nuclear physics schools at New London, Conn., six months practical training on the G. E. prototype reactor at West Milton, N. Y., graduating 8th in a class of 218. His comment "For the first time I'm on my own—who you are or where you came from doesn't count."

George was assigned to the U. S. S. Triton, the world's largest nuclear submarine May 13, 1961 and served in the engine room until his separation. He was one of a dedicated group whose services are 100% voluntary. No one is drafted for either the sub or nuclear service. He holds the Pres-

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TELEGRAM AND LETTER

D. Donald Hazen, chairman of the Water Commissioners received a telegram this past week from Congressman Boland and Senator Kennedy, and a letter from Senator Leverett Saltonstall, which no doubt they will be glad to keep in their files. We print them herewith:

The Telegram—

"Happy to advise CFA today approved $6635 advance for planning water supply improvements.

"Edward P. Boland,
Member of Congress
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US Senate."

The Letter—

"I was pleased to learn that the Community Facilities Administration of the Housing and Home Finance Agency had approved a $6,635 advance for preliminary planning of water supply improvements for the Belchertown Water District.

"I am hopeful that this federal assistance will help increase the distribution of water in the Belchertown area and help make it an even better community in which to live.

"Sincerely,
Leverett Saltonstall
United States Senator"

The Water District at its annual meeting in March voted to ask for this grant for study, which now has been O. K.'d.

The commissioners were authorized to conduct a survey at the pumping station for installing a gravel packed well with automatic pumping facilities.

The contract for the survey wll be let out for bid as soon as the money is available. It is expected that work will start this fall. Two or three small two-inch wells will be dug and when a good supply is found an eight-inch well will be drilled and a pump installed with water being pumped around the clock so that an estimate of the supply can be made.

The ultimate purpose of the project is the installation of submersible pumps that will be fully automatic.

The present pumps at the wells at the station have been installed for over forty years and are in very good condition, considering their age, due to the fond care given them by Bert Butler and Harold Davis, but the commissioners realize they can't last forever. If submersible pumps are finally installed, it is stated that the present pumps will likely be retained in position for emergency use.

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A delicious barbecued chicken dinner served right on our own beautiful common, Trappist preserves, candies made by Cistercian Nuns, and a sale of homemade articles, candies and plants at the Country Store, are the highlights of St. Francis' 6th annual Trappist Sunday to be held September 8. Everyone in Belchertown is invited to attend to enjoy a wonderful dinner and an opportunity to socialize in a setting that can't be beat.

Tickets are now on sale and may be purchased at $1.50 each from Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr. Give Vicky a call at 323-6359. She will be glad to provide you with tickets in advance.

Lay chairman Clarence Robinson reports that plans are being made for a bigger and better barbecue and that this year no one will be turned away without a dinner. Servings are scheduled for 1 to 4 p. m. Come early and stay late—Bring the entire family.

NEW APPOINTMENT

News has been received that the Rev. G. Louis Johnson, formerly of this town has been appointed as a full time supply pastor to the Methodist and Congregational Churches of Colrain and the Methodist Church of East Colrain. Mr. Johnson is now living in New Salem and will be moving to Colrain on August 28th where he and his family will occupy the Methodist parsonage there. It is his intention to continue as Dean of the School for Christian Workers to be held here in the Methodist Church Educational Building this fall each Monday night from September 30 to November 4.

FAREWELL TONIGHT

Parishioners and friends of the Vargas are invited to the farewell party at the parish house tonight at 7.30. Those serving on the committee are Mrs. Harvey Dickinson, Mrs. Guy Harrington, Kenneth Main, Harold Peck, Sandra Field and Leslie Squires.

STORY HOUR

There is to be another Story Hour at the Clapp Memorial Library on South Main Street. It will be held on Monday, August 26 at 2.30 p. m.

The storyteller for the event will be Marianna Rowe of the Greenfield Regional Library. All children are invited. Some fifty children came to the last story hour—come again if you like.

Visit Belchertown's House of Treasures
The Stone House

B4 Holds Third Convention
At South Main Street Home!

That neat sign you could have seen on the lawn in front of the Steeple home today is hopefully welcoming to town two other members of an ancient and honorable organization known as the "B4", which has been in business longer than the Hudsons, who celebrated their 40th a week ago!

The William Bridgmans of St. Petersburg, and the William Parkers of St. George, Maine, are supposed to be arriving from Merrimac, Mass., today for the third annual get-together of a group that was informally founded in Belchertown High School way back about the year 1916. The third member of the "B4", William F. Kimball, Sr., is already in town, so he will not have to travel. The retirement of Colonel Parker from the United States Army in 1961 made these reunions possible. Before that, the Colonel had been in San Francisco, in Maryland, and in Germany. As you may have been able to figure, the "B4" consisted of three Bills and a Bob!

Tomorrow night we are meeting with several others of the Classes of 1917-1920 at the Homestead in Ludlow, for a reminiscing supper. We hope there may be as many as 20 of us on hand to talk ourselves up to date.

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Springfield's Changes Include
Loss of Famous Hotels!

The news last week that the Kimball Hotel in Springfield will close soon as a hostelry and as a center for conventions brings again the realization that times indeed are changing and that "the scenes of our childhood" are becoming only memories!

"The Kimball" has been the *big name* hotel in Springfield for a long time. It was opened in 1911. It boasted a large ballroom and 350 rooms. It has been the place where the conventioneers have banqueted and slept, and where the Rotary, Kiwanis, and many other "top" groups have had their luncheons and dinners.

To have a meal at home compared favorably with one at the Kimball has been a compliment. For a number of years we used to take a Sunday dinner to a shut-in neighbor. On many occasions she would remark, "You couldn't get better at the Hotel Kimball!" That has become a traditional line in our home repartee. Soon it will be as meaningless as "Every meal a pleasant memory", which was the trademark of the old Hotel Highland in the same Springfield. My folks always liked the Highland and we had a number of fine meals there. Until its closing Tech High held its Senior Banquets there. Commerce and Classical went to the Kimball. Now they will probably follow Tech to the Schine Inn!

The departure of the Kimball or its change to other uses will leave downtown Springfield seriously short of living and eating quarters for groups which are large enough to use the huge Municipal Auditorium for the general sessions.

Large motels are invading the center of the city. There are many good places for small groups to dine. However, the loss of the Kimball will mean the need for readjustments, for much consideration among the planners for a new Springfield. Holyoke suffered a similiar blow when the Roger Smith sold out.

So the Kimball and Highland have gone. Down on the corner of Worthington and Main, the "Worthy" advertises "Rooms by the Day-Week-Month". This was once a leading hotel. The Bridgeway and the Charles are still doing business.

Hotel names from the really older days still ring bells in my memory. Cooley's Hotel, established in 1848, could be proudly mentioned in 1905 in this fashion: "Some idea as to its appointments may be gained when it is mentioned that it has accommodations for three hundred guests and contains seventy-five private bathrooms. Many are the notable men who have responded to toasts within its famous banquet hall. The Board of Trade banquets held here have as their special guests of honor men of high office and distinction, the most recent of which — being Baron Kaneko, the Mikado's special peace envoy to the president."

Also in 1905, the Massasoit House, erected in 1843 and called the "oldest and most widely known hotel in Western Massachusetts", still had "interior appointments of a luxurious character". The Chapins ran this hotel.

All up and down the Valley great hotel names have been lost in the decades of the auto and the throughway. The Draper, the Mansion House, the Park View, the Amherst House — where are they now?

Even more than the cities, the mountains and the seasides have seen their huge hotels dwindle and disappear.

It is indeed interesting to note what famous names of the past still remain in present-day Springfield and what have gone. The Armory, founded in 1776, and always at the same location; and the Mass. Mutual, founded in 1851, and located in 1905 at the corner of State and Main, are among the oldtimers which have grown and prospered down the years.

The Springfield Street Railway System is still with us, too. It was founded in 1869 as a horse railroad and started with a line from Hooker to Oak streets, with fares 16 for a dollar. Until 1876, their cars used snow and runners in the winter instead of tracks and wheels. It was against the law to remove snow from their tracks!

By 1905 the company had electric cars going on 94 miles of track, 48 of the miles within the city limits. Fares were then seven cents—later they went to ten, three for a quarter. Now they have just gone to thirty cents!

G. and C. Merriam is still great, and started in Springfield in the 1840's. Smith and Wesson has been going since 1857. Milton Bradley is another oldtimer.

Among the memories, perhaps the most prominent of the industrialists were Barney and Berry, which made skates; Hendee, which made motorcycles; and Bay State, which made corsets!

Here and There

I have always been happy that Belchertown seemed to escape the sort of news stories that set down all the arguments among town officials, and all the information that makes good reading regardless of the effect it might have on folks who might be interested in the town. Lately, however, we seem to be edging toward that kind of thing. All communities are finding many problems these days, and the paths of progress are not likely to be smooth. Angry arguments and severe criticism, one department of another, won't help much, particularly if it gets reported verbatim.

It's high time this column complimented the Dorey Motor Sales on Ware Road for keeping itself so spick and span at all times. It is a pleasure to drive past it and observe the neatness and orderliness with which the company does its business. It must be an asset rather than a liability to residences near it. It deserves the praise of those who want more business in Belchertown!

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Bill Webster, whose death last week took from us one of our finest citizens.

Mr. Webster built himself an excellent business here, and had every reason to look ahead to a long and happy retirement in his new home on Fuller Street. It's just too bad that he was called away so soon.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * *

"Of all plagues, Good heaven, thy
wrath can send,
Save, save, oh! save me from the
candid friend."—

George Canning

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings the Catholics held a party on the lawn south of the church. Running the party two successive nights did not detract from its intensity, for enthusiasm ran high to the very end. Mrs. Garvey had charge of the party, and Rev. Fr. Gould of Bondsville was present.

Frost was reported one night during the week.

Mrs. Mary Plantiff celebrated her 80th birthday on Sunday.

Lawrence Memorial Hall is ready for the dedication as soon as the chairs arrive. The completion of this approximately $82,000 building makes a landmark in the town's history. For we now have not only a High School we can be proud of, but a Memorial Hall seating 500 people, a gift to the town by Mrs. Sara Robinson in Memory of her father, Hon. Myron Lawrence.

A citizen of the town writes under the pen name of Belcher Towne an article entitled "A Fair for Farmers, not for Fakirs." He writes that as he passes through the Mid-Way on Fair Day, he is led to feel he is attending a gambling event rather than an agricultural Fair.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

75 were present at the Towne and Edson reunion in the Congregational Parish House. One of the features of the afternoon was the taking of pictures of various groups by Willis Towne.

Mrs. Alice Lofland was elected President of the Auxiliary of The American Legion.

The Congregational Church was nearly filled (the gallery also being used) for the marriage of Miss Christine Fuller to Hudson Holland. Dr. James Gordon Gilkey, pastor of the South Congregational Church of Springfield, performed the ceremony, with Miss Mary Allen at the organ.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Grange Mystery Ride was as much a mystery as ever. Thirteen cars carrying 52 people followed a circuituous route, which took them first to Sugarloaf, where supper was served and a social hour enjoyed, and then to the Amherst Grange Hall, where the Amherst Grangers put on a card party.

SUPT. RESIGNS

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He has always carried himself well at town meetings, his explanations and recommendations being most lucid. As an ex-officio member of the school building committee he has rendered valued assistance to that board. And he and his family have been most helpful in church and town.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. George Peetz of South Hadley, former owners of Peetz Cafe now operated under the name of Pike Cafe, their property on Ludlow Road to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Patson of Chicopee Falls. The Patsons have already occupied the premises.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett had as their house guest for the week-end their grand nephew, Robert Brundage of Toledo, Ohio, a junior in Toledo University, in radio astronomy, who is working at the Bureau of Standards in Washington, D. C., for the summer.

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LYSIK - ROBERTS

Christ the King Church in Ludlow was the scene Saturday morning of the wedding of Miss Jean Lysik, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lysik of South Washington St., and Ronald John Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Roberts of Three Rivers. The double ring service was used.

Mrs. Patricia V. Lemon of Jabish St., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Carol Lysik, sister of the bride, Mrs. Edna Watson, sister of the groom of Ludlow; Mrs. Maureen Bernat of Three Rivers; and Miss Sylvia Sibik of Ludlow.

The best man was Walter Maslon of Three Rivers. Ushers were David Roberts and Michael Lysik, both of Three Rivers, Thomas Poulin of Monson, and James T. Haley of Springfield.

The church was decorated with white gladioli.

The bride's gown was of silk organza with lace appliques, and was fashioned with a scoop neck, bouffant skirt, long sleeves and a chapel train. Her fingertip veil was of silk illusion and fell from a crown of pearls and sequins. She carried a cascade of sweetheart roses, stephanotis and ivy.

The matron of honor was attired in a buttercup maize taffeta cocktail length frock with a scoop neckline, brief sleeves and melon taffeta cummerbund with bow. The bouffant skirt had shades of melon embroidery at the hemline. She wore a matching melon crown with seed pearls and a face veil. Mrs. Lemon carried a crescent bouquet of pink roses and white feathered carnations with a touch of yellow.

The bridesmaids were attired in similar gowns in orchid with lavender cummerbund and matching headdresses. They carried bouquets of pink roses and carnations, with a touch of orchid.

A reception was held at the Amvets Hall in Three Rivers for 225 invited guests. The Silvertones of Ludlow furnished music. After a wedding trip to Canada, the couple will live on Front St. in Three Rivers.

The bride was born in Belchertown and graduated from the Belchertown High School. She is employed by the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Springfield. The groom was born in Palmer and graduated from the Palmer High School. He is employed by the Alamac Mills, Inc. of Indian Orchard.

SERVICE NOTES

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idential unit citation awarded to members of the crew for the trip around the world while aboard the Triton.

He married the former Edith Annie Prindle of Springfield, Mass. on May 27, 1961. The couple live at 24 Hi Rock Trailer Park, Groton, Conn. in their own trailer. They have no children.

On August 26 George will become associated with the General Dynamics Corp., Electric Boat Division of Groton, as a nuclear Quality Control Inspector of new and used nuclear propulsion units and their fueling and refueling. George is 22, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Zitka, Sr., of Barrett Street, who are also Belchertown natives.

GRANGE FLOWER SHOW

The Grange Flower Show of Tuesday evening was quite outstanding. There was an abundance of flowers, and the lecture by Mr. Lesure on his travels was declared "wonderful."

Prize winners at the show were as follows:

Miniatures
1st, Mrs. Ruth Kempkes
2nd, Mrs. Carl Bowles
Arrangement, Cup and Saucer
1st, Mrs. Kempkes
2nd, Mrs. William Aldrich
Men—
1st, Donald Kempkes, with his wheelbarrow of vegetables
2nd, Howard Judkins
House Plants
1st, Mrs. Dorothy Waite
2nd, Mary Judkins
Arrangement Drift Wood
1st, Mrs. Judkins
2nd, Mr. Judkins
Chidlren—
Miniatures
1st, Margaret Lawliss
2nd, Scott Judkins
Wild Flowers
1st, Alan Judkins
2nd, Debby Whidden
Horticultural Class—
"Glads"
1st, Mrs. Henderson
2nd, Mrs. Daigle
Dahlias
Mrs. Carl Bowles
Asters
Carl Bowles
Zinnias
1st, William Aldrich
2nd, Carl Bowles

Credit for the securing of Mr. Lesure goes to Mrs. Rose Wenzel, chairman of the Agricultural Committee.

The next meeting will be election of officers.

Don't forget to turn in your articles for the auction at the September 17 meeting.

MARY LANE BIRTH REPORT

Neil and Mary (Feild) Robidoux of Rockrimmon Road, Belchertown, are the parents of a son born on Thursday, August 15.

Roy and Suzanne (Greenen) Reece of Lloyd Avenue, Belchertown, are the parents of a son born on Sunday, August 18.

TEXAS BIRTH

Dr. and Mrs. Donald C. Sawyer announce the birth of their son Douglas Tyler born August 16th in San Antonio, Texas.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Tyler of Palmer. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter U. Sawyer of Rochester, Mich. Great-maternal grandmother is Mrs. Jennie B. Jepson of St. Petersburg, Florida.

TOWNE AND EDSON REUNION

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At the business meeting the following officers and committees, elective and appointive, were chosen:

President
Donald S. Cole of Springfield
Vice-President
Mrs. James Nolan of Belchertown
Secretary & Treasurer
Lewis H. Blackmer of Belchertown
Chaplain
Rev. Walter R. Blackmer of Belchertown
Ways & Means and Program Committee
Mr. & Mrs. Robert McMahon of Springfield
Hospitality Committee
Mrs. Harvey Dickinson of Belchertown

It was voted to meet in Belchertown again next year.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Mrs. James E. Allen, Jr. (Dona M. Copithorne), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Copithorne of Blue Meadow Road, Belchertown, has been named to the Dean's List for the second semester of the past school year at Simmons College.

Mrs. Allen will be a senior in the School of Home Economics at the college in the fall. Active as Home Economics Club treasurer and Dean's List Scholar at Simmons, she is a graduate of Belchertown High School.

HUDSON ANNIV.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Harrington were assisted in entertaining by Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Harrington of South Hadley and Mr. and Mrs. David J. Bodin of Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson were married August 18, 1923, at Mrs. Hudson's home in South Hadley. When first married the couple lived in Woonsocket, R. I., then moved to South Hadley Center and in October, 1940, to Belchertown when Mr. Hudson joined the insurance firm of the late George Bell. He conducted the Bell and Hudson Insurance Co. here until his retirement five years ago.

They are both active members of the Congregational Church. He was choir director for many years and Mrs. Hudson served as president of the Women's Guild.

Mr. Hudson is a director of Ludlow Savings Bank, vice-president of Prudence Island Navigation Co. and serves on the board of S. J. Harrington Co., Inc.

They have three daughters and seven grandchildren, all of whom attended the celebration.

CLOVER CLUB

Members of the 4-H Clover Club took part in a Hampshire County Garden project. Marjorie Officer received an Excellent on the advanced garden, and Robin Stone placed Excellent on a first year project.

Very Good awards went to Glen and Gary Butler on their vegetable garden.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

The selectmen have sent a letter to the Department of Public Works requesting assistance in correcting a dangerous section of road on Chauncey D. Walker St. at Isaac's Corner, where several accidents have occurred. A warning sign was suggested.

The Selectmen announce that lot size be stated on applications for building permits.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—2 Corinthians 3, 4-9. The Second Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Luke 10, 23-37. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the parable of the good Samaritan.)

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— IN PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL —

Most have heard or read that our pastor is a patient at the Providence Hospital, and no doubt most know that he is doing fine. He has sent a heartfelt thanks to all those who have sent him cards and flowers. He regrets that he is not able to have open visiting at the present time.

His Address:
Fr. George R. Dudley
Room # 211
Providence Hospital
Holyoke, Mass.

— MT. MARIE DEVELOPMENT —

There will be a meeting of the captains and other drive personnel in the Pine Room on Wednesday, at 7.30 p. m. for the coming effort to raise funds for Mont Marie.

— MONT MARIE, HOLYOKE —

Sisters Of Saint Joseph

We are indeed fortunate in having four Sisters of St. Joseph every Sunday here at St. Francis, to provide religious instruction for our children during the school year. With this in mind we are asking for your support in their efforts to complete the dream of Mont Marie* where each aspirant receives the spiritual formation of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

Mont Marie is 65 years old—it was purchased by Bishop Beaven in 1897. Now there is a great expansion program underway and our help is needed.

Progress Report

In September of 1960 there were a frame Chapel, the main Infirmary of the Community to take care of the ill and aged Sisters, also a Postulate and a Novitiate. The old Chapel, Infirmary, the Summer House and the Chaplains Quarters have been demolished.

Shortly, the present obsolete Postulant building will be torn down. Presently the Infirmary, Refectories and Chapel have been completed.

Additional plans in Building Program include: Administration Building, Classrooms, new Postulate, Novitiate, Juniorate and senior Sisters' Quarters. Entire program when completed will constitnte the new Mother House of the Community.

It is within the walls of the Postulate and Novitiate that young women develop the spiritual, intellectual and physical needs required for the Religious life. There is a growing demand for valient young women—won't you help those who do go into this life with your generous support in the coming drive?

Their Work In Catholic Education

Over 800 Sisters staff one girls' college, sixteen high schools, thirty-five grade schools, seventy catechetical schools and seven vacation schools for religious instruction.

During a period of eighty-two years the Sisters of Saint Joseph have taught 835,924 pupils in the Dioceses of Springfield, Worcester, and Providence.

At the present time they teach some 24,500 pupils in these Dioceses.

* Located off Route 5 (Riverdale Road) on a hill overlooking the Connecticut River in the Brightside area of Holyoke, Mass.

— C. C. D. CONGRESS —

The 17th New England Regional Congress of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine is to be held at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass. on August 23, 24, and 25, 1963.

Host for the event will be His Eminence Richard Cardinal Cushing. In the invitation to this congress he writes:

Of the C.C.D.: "No other parish organization is as needed today as the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine. Less than half of our Catholic children and youth are enrolled in Catholic schools. As for the majority, their only hope for systematic religious instruction and formation is the C.C.D.

"There is, in addition, the problem of providing religious education for that large segment of our Catholic adult population whose knowledge of their faith is only elementary."

It is hoped that St. Francis Parish of Belchertown will be well represented.

If you are interested in attending, please contact Francis Longtine immediately at 323-7758.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The Festival of Christ the King.

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Church School
Mr. Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25
9.30 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "Christ the King"
9.30 a. m. Sunday School classes in the Educational Building.
This is the last Sunday of 9.30 Worship Services and Sunday School.

NEXT WEEK THE FOLLOWING HOURS (September 1st)—
11 a. m. Morning Worship.
9.45 a. m. Sunday School. Please note the return to the usual hours for fall and winter services.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28
8 p. m. Mid-week hour with the Lord.

COMING

SEPTEMBER 8
This will be the Annual Laurel Park Sunday for the Belchertown and Bondsville Methodist Churches—the worship service and the annual dinner at the Park.

TOWN ITEMS

Grace Jackson, 9, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of Bay Road will compete in the 11th annual Pepperel Horse Show to be held August 25 in Pepperel. She recently placed sixth in horsemanship out of a class of 21 riders at the National Morgan Horse Show held in Northampton, riding a Morgan from Bobbin Hollow Farm, which she will again ride.

Marsha Henry and Woodrow Henry II, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Henry, own and operate Bobbin Hollow Farm, will accompany Miss Jackson.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Communion Meditation: "No Longer Strangers."

Staff Dedication

Members of the Church School staff—teachers, assistants and board members—will be dedicated at the service of Holy Communion on Sunday morning at 9.30.

This will be Mr. Varga's last service before moving to Walpole.

The choir will be singing on Sunday.

Attending Camp

Richard Merrell and Susan Miner will attend the Officers' Training Conference at Deering, New Hampshire, beginning tomorrow. Richard is the president of the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship for the coming year, and Susan is the vice-president in charge of the Faith Commission.

Staff Meeting

Rev. John Westerhoff, III, Minister of Christian Education at the Congregational Church in Needham, will speak at a meeting of the Church School Staff on Tuesday evening, September 3. This is an open meeting, and all members of the church are invited to attend. Mr. Westerhoff will speak on the United Church Curriculum, which will be used for the first time throughout the Church School this fall. He is extremely well qualified to speak on the subject, and is in great demand all over the state.

Church School classes will begin on September 8.

P. F. Retreat

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will hold a planning retreat on September 6 and 7 at Grotonwood, which is the Baptist Conference Center in Groton. The purpose of the retreat is to set up the program for the coming year.

Return Materials

Indiviiduals still possessing books or other materials borrowed from Mr. Varga are requested to return them immediately.

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WILLIAM N. WEBSTER

William N. Webster, who had always been considered one of Belchertown's forward looking business men, died last Saturday in Holyoke Hospital after a brief illness. For over 25 years he owned and operated most successfully Webster's Store on the Amherst Road, a business he sold to Mitchell Duda a few years back.

Not only did he conduct his own business, but he and Ralph Trombly fathered the present Chamber of Commerce. He was quite prominent in the organization during its honeymoon days.

He was born on June 1, 1894, in Lanesboro, son of the late Arthur and Lettie (Northrup) Webster, and lived in this town for 32 years. For some time he had been a salesman for Gibson Chevrolet Co., Amherst. He was a charter member of the Chamber of Commerce, charter member and past president of the Lions Club and a member of Vernon Lodge of Masons, Doric Club of Vernon Lodge, the Fire Department and Chauncey D. Walker, Post 239, American Legion. He was a World War I veteran. He also served on the town's Finance Board.

Besides his wife, Ann (Shimmon) Webster, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Doubleday of East Longmeadow; a brother, Stephen of Springfield, a retired Springfield policeman; a sister, Mrs. Mildred Grizey of Los Angeles, Cal.; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. The funeral was held at the Beers and Story funeral home, Park St., on Monday at 2 p. m. Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor of the Belchertown Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetary, Ware. Memorial contributions can be made to the Heart Fund.

Bearers were Louis Fuller, Ike Hodgen, Lloyd Chadbourne, Albert Fitts, Charles Ayers, and George Booth.

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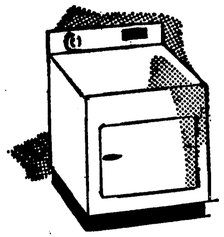

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SQUARE DANCE CLUB

This weeks' dance is on Saturday, August 24. This will be our annual Picnic and will be held at the Carpenter-Nute Grove, Bay Road, Belchertown at 6 p. m. sharp. Each couple is asked to bring their own forks, knives and plates.

This is a closed dance.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Eaton, their property on Rockrimmon Road to Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Chapin of Bondsville who have already taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton are building a new home on North Washington Street.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Twelve tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Relief Committee, Mrs. Grover, Chm., N. Wetmore, K. Butler, and H. Lister. Prize winners were: 1 st, Eva Sawyer, Agnes Samson, Christine Henry, and Ada M. Underwood; 2nd, Lena Nightingale, Lillian Madigan, C. Mientka and Godfrey Wenzel: 3rd, Bobby Hatch, Joy Wright, Ruth Kempkes and Gaetane Fortin; door, Nellie Jenks and Bob Hatch.

This week's party will be in charge of the Legislative Committee, L. Hubbard, Chm., H. Shirtcliff and J. Davis.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The next meeting of the 4-H dog club will be held on Tuesday, August 27 at 7 o'clock at the home of Wallace Chevalier on Sargent Street.

LOFTUS BID APPROVED

The Planning Board voted this week to approve the zone change petition of Francis Loftus, Jr. of his property on the Ware Road near Dorey Motor Sales. Now action must be taken at a town meeting, in order to make the change from agriculture to business legal.

Mr. Loftus plans to clear the land of existing structures, cut some of the brush and growth out, move some fill in, and construct a building where he plans to make and sell soft ice cream.

POLICE TO CONDUCT CRACKDOWN

Alarmed at the recent wave of accidents which recently have been occuring on our highways, the Police Department plans a drive to prevent such reoccurances, which it is feared, may result in near fatal or fatal injuries not only to passengers in motor vehicles, but to school children who will soon be awaiting their buses along our roadways.

Unmarked vehicles will be utilized on an accellerated road patrol.

RECEIVE BURNS IN CONN. FIRE

Town Clerk, Robert D. Camp, Sr., who is on vacation in Connecticut, suffered burns from a tent fire at a camping area Wednesday.

His son, Robert Camp, Jr. of East Longmeadow also suffered burns. A time previous to the fire, their wives and a child had left the tent and were not injured.

Although doing well, Town Clerk Camp announces he will not be in his office next week.

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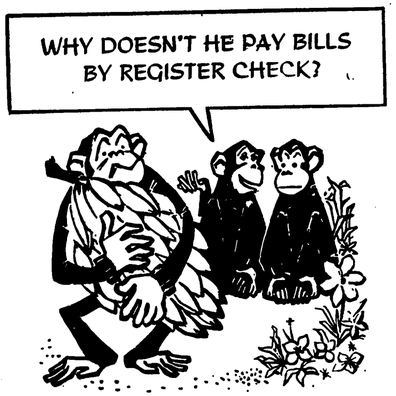

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To all persons interested in the estate of RAYMOND J. SULLIVAN, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that CATHERINE W. SULLIVAN of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of August, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Aug. 16, 23, 30

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, Belchertown, under sections IV-(2)-d to carry on Mr. Black's trade as an artisan.

Board of Appeals

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8.30 p. m. on August 26th in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. located on Mill Valley Rd., Belchertown, for a permit, under section IV-B-2b, to conduct a private club not for profit.

Board of Appeals

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TOWN ITEMS

Fr. George R. Dudley is a patient at the Providence Hospital, Holyoke.

On Monday, the fourth accident to date this month in which the auto was demolished, but the driver escaped uninjured, occurred on Route 21.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Grange Meeting.

TUESDAY

Masonic Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Garden Club at Library at 2.15 p.

THURSDAY

First Friday Services in St. Francis Church at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

Congregational Church School Family Picnic at Laurel Lake, leaving at 4 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

TOMORROW

Coming Events

Sept. 8
4th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church. 1 - 4 on the common.
Sept. 11
O. E. S. Inspection.
Sept. 14
O. E. S. Auction.
Sept. 17
Jaycee Information Meeting at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 29
O. E. S. Chicken Barbecue on the Common.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

FOND FAREWELL!

It is hard to believe that it was over six years ago that we came to Belchertown. Part of the reason is that we have enjoyed it here so much. There are so many wonderful things that have happened to us while we were here that it would take pages to enumerate them all. But God has called us to a new work in a different place, and though we find it hard to leave our many friends in Belchertown, we feel that it is necessary.

We wish to thank all of our parishioners and friends for their many kindnesses to us as we prepare to leave. The farewell party, the cards, and the final service of Holy Communion will always be remembered. Your gifts will be a constant reminder to us of your generosity.

We hope that many of you will plan to stop at our new home at 20 Front Street in Walpole to pay us a visit.

God bless all of you!

(s) Paul and Joanne Varga
Paula, Jan and Alan

WIN MANY 4-H AWARDS

The Belchertown Junior Farmers' 4-H Dairy Club have been showing their dairy cattle at the Mass. State Jersey show at Greenfield, and at the Mass. State 4-H Dairy Show held in Spencer and bringing home ribbons and trophies to show the quality of their animals and the work with them.

Sandra Opielowski, 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Opielowski of Franklin Street, received a pair of brushes as the youngest girl exhibitor of the Jersey state show. She also received a trophy for a N. E. S. B. A. sired cow that placed first in the Junior Show.

Bonnie Opielowski, and Richard Cole III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cole, Jr. of North Main St., exhibited Jerseys and received second, fourth and sixth place ribbons on the twelve Belchertown 4 H Jerseys exhibited.

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THE VARGA RECEPTION

The reception for Rev. Paul Varga and family at the Congregational Parish House last week Friday night was a delightfully informal occasion. Of course, there were gifts, and they were opened and exclaimed over as if it was a bridal shower.

When Don Geer, master of ceremonies presided, he emanated the same atmosphere of informality. When the young ladies' quartet was called on, it was "Sandy, Jane, Patty and Sue," Field, Peterson, Menard and Miner being understood.

Don said, in taking up his task, it was a case of sadness overshadowed by joyfulness. He recalled the Sunday when he first caught a glimpse of Paul at East Derry, N. H., when the supply committee, of which he was a member, was out scouting.

There was certainly some informality mixed in as concerned the gifts. One prize in this particular was a miniature robe—Paul was forever found scooting over to the parsonage at the last minute to get that item, often stranded there.

And there was informality (if it wasn't delightful) as concerns the verses read by the senior deacon emeritus on his "dream," etc.

When it came to tributes, they were sincere but not sickish. Rev. Joseph T. Collins of St. Francis Church brought greetings from Fr. Dudley, pastor, a patient at Providence Hospital. Fr. Collins spoke of the good relationship between the churches, which he felt was more pronounced than when he was here in '44-'51.

Rev. Harold Curtis, one of the retired, yet active ministers belonging to the church, was highly complimentary in his remarks, stating that the quality of the church's ministers seemed to improve with the years.

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SCHOOL DEPT. NOTES

On Tuesday, September 3, there will be a luncheon meeting for all staff members in the Cold Spring cafeteria at 12.15.

The School Committee, accompanied by George Dewey, Head Custodian, will inspect the summer maintenance program and attend the luncheon.

Following the luncheon, secondary teachers will meet with Principal Donald Geer and elementary teachers will meet with newly elected principal John Dell.

Schools will reopen on Wednesday, September 4 with full day sessions. The cafeteria will be in operation on the first day with the cost of lunch remaining at thirty cents.

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OLD-TIME COUNTRY AUCTION

On Saturday, September 14, the Common will be the scene of an all-day auction sponsored by Mount Vernon Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. John Malone of Granby, popular auctioneer, will wield the gavel, starting at 10 in the morning.

Calls have been coming in with donations of articles, assuring a fine assortment of bargains on hand for the auction. There is still time to have your unwanted (by you) articles picked up by calling Evelyn Lodge, 323-7119, or Doris Grover, 253-2732. Members or friends in Granby may call Ruth French, 467-3875.

Something that is "junk" to you may be just the bargain someone else is looking for.

Betty Rhodes and Doris Grover are co-chairmen of the committee to serve hot dogs, hamburgers and other refreshments during the day.

Circle September 14 on your calendar, and come, see; come, buy at the Eastern Star auction.

WENZEL MASS. DELEGATE

Frank Atwood of WTIC-TV, R. F. D. 3, recently announced that Franklin Wenzel would be the Massachusetts 4-H member to attend the National 4-H Dairy Conference in Chicago in early December—surely a great honor.

Mr. Atwood took pictures of Franklin on the farm recently. He will be one of several boys to appear on television sometime in October.

NEW PRINCIPAL

The School Committee announced last Friday the appointment of John A. Dell of South Natick to the position of supervising elementary principal.

Mr. Dell, who is married and has two young children, was a fourth grade teacher and assistant principal in the Dover school system. He has a bachelor of science and master's degree, both in education, from Boston University and was in the service from 1949 to 1953. He was a sixth grade teacher for three years in Hopkinton and for two in Lexington.

While in Lexington he worked on the development of a new mathematics program, which he continued at Dover. He has also served as director of various summer camps. He and his wife, who is a nurse, served on the staff of the Rotary Camp at Boxford this summer.

Dell is in town this week to familiarize himself with his dutie which will begin September 4. His family will move to town as soon as housing is obtained.

SIGNS SCHOOL BONDS IN HOSPITAL

Whoever expected that Belchertown's new school bonds would be signed in the Grace-New Haven Memorial Hospital, New Haven, Connecticut? But such was the case. Town Clerk Robert D. Camp, Sr., who with his son, Robert D., Jr., are in the above-mentioned hospital as the result of burns received when their camp stove exploded in a tent, got to thinking about the work that needed doing here, especially as to the signing of the school bonds, rather immediately required.

So, with a little connivance with Ike Hodgen, chairman of the school building committee, the latter took the bonds, 186 of them, totalling $934,000 to Bob, who although not in too good shape to sign, managed to make it in two installments, with a bite of lunch in between.

Possibly this is the latest local illustration of devotion to duty.

One is pleased to know that the Camps are coming along well. Bob Sr. will not be there too much longer, while Bob Jr. is in for a longer time, although he is doing remarkably well.

TO SELL CANDY

Announcement was made at a meeting of the Boy Scout town committee on Monday evening at Scoutmaster Bailey's home that Boy Scouts would shortly be ringing door bells to take orders for boxes of candy at $1.00 each. There are 3 varieties—Nougats, Fudgettes and Nutchews—all made by the Surrey Candy Co. The Scout troop will realize 40 cents on each box.

These will go on sale next week Thursday, the sale lasting about a month. Ten cases, or 300 boxes have been ordered. It is estimated that with 37 Scouts on the roster, each ought to be good for selling close to ten boxes.

But selling candy was not the only project discussed on Monday evening. Even though the Boy Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge next year is a long way off, the hope was expressed that one and possibly two local boys would be

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LIONS CLUB

The first meeting of the season of the Lions Club will be held on Tuesday evening, September 10, at 7 at the Daisy Mae Restaurant, when the speaker will be Harold P. Brennan of the New England Tel. and Tel. Co. His subject will be "Satellite Communications." There will be slides with narration.

Our High School Weekend Featured Friends and Memories

The "B4 Third Convention", held last weekend at the Steeple home on South Main Street, was lots of fun, at least for the host family. Our only regret was the old one of inability to be in two places at the same time. Our get-together, planned early in the spring, came simultaneously with the reception to the Vargas and Rev. Paul's final services here. These were events we hated to miss.

As most of you must know, down the years this column has devoted literally hundreds of yards of space to Belchertown High School. When we were but two years old as a soliloquizer (1934), we did a complete directory of graduates and teachers, making it as reliable as possible with the help of alumni and friends, including the invaluable Mrs. Iva Green Gay Peeso and Miss Ella Stebbins. Now, almost thirty years later, these articles are still useful. Only last Saturday evening I checked one of them to determine exactly what teachers were on duty here in 1914 and 1915. My file of bound *Sentinels* is complete from 1932 except for a year or two still down at the printer's, waiting bindings.

A short time ago we traced the story of the principals through the administration of Guy Harrington.

I feel that the more interest alumni have in the institution which held their lives for four years the better it will be for the present school. Although I wanted very much for Belchertown to regionalize a few years ago, now that the decision has gone the other way I am glad that the name "Belchertown High School" will go into the future. It has meant much to many people!

It would be splendid if there could be a real alumni organization with an all-out reunion every five years or so. There have been such reunions, the last occurring in the fifties. However, the work involved is tremendous and those with the time, strength, and devotion become fewer and fewer. Sometimes I wonder if the "spirit" is as good now as it was once. Perhaps the fact that so many go on to college and divide their loyalties may have its effect. Yet I attended a ten-year Tech reunion this spring that had almost half of a class of several hundred in attendance! We miss the old timers of the classes before 1900 and even a bit later, who engineered the former reunions. How proud C. L. Randall was of the school here! My own children seem to share the indifference common to many graduates.

This year we tried to get many of the classes of 1917-20 together so that the visiting B4's could renew friendships. We had much good luck and a number of disappointments.

Three of the B4 were here at the house, as indicated last week. The visitors greatly enjoyed seeing the work being done at the site of the new high school, going through Cold Spring School, and reminiscing on the grounds of the Center Grade School, which was the site of the big white building where we got the courses to warrant the diplomas we received at the Congregational Church. They were surprised to see the original bell now used as a foundation for the present flagpole and wished that it could be so marked with a bronze plate. Other trips included a visit to the Stone House, rides to Jabish Brook, Spencer's Pond, former residences of the "youngsters", and an evening drive through lovely Quabbin, which never fails to elicit wondering admiration from those who have not seen it.

Outside the porch door at the house they have pinned up a cardboard "skull and crossbones" in memory of a day when that pirate flag is said to have floated over the high school and for a while resisted all efforts to bring it down.

On Saturday we had others here and finished the day with 18 of us going to dinner at the Homestead, which did itself proud, I thought.

Since members of the classes of 1917 and 1918 started the get-together, we'll begin there. 1917 had five graduates and four of us were present! Two of the four girls have remained single. Ethel Dewey, now retired from a nursing career in Worcester and living at the old Dewey house on North Main Street, was on hand. Irene Orlando, a teacher at Cold Spring School who lives on South Main, came with her young sister Madeleine Lambert of the ultra-modern Class of 1923, a mere child among us Golden Agers! Emma Stadler Loftus, teacher at the Main Street School, was there with Pat, though delayed a bit because some of the young stock had broken loose from the pasture. Isabel Bardwell Braim, living at Hopkinton, couldn't make it. We haven't seen Isabel in a long time.

From 1918, the percentage of attendance was 62.5. Catherine Austin, now a supervising nurse and a member of the local Board of Health, could not come but sent a lovely bouquet of flowers to our "Open House". Neither William Kimball nor Harold Davis, both of Belchertown, answered the roll call. It is interesting that four of the five coming to the reunion from this class live out of town. Susie Squires Grayson, salutatorian, came with Emory from Amherst. Emory, formerly Placement Director for the Univ. of Mass., is now retired. We all remembered him for his athletic prowess back in the teens and twenties. Louise Davis Kimball, the class valedictorian, was with us. Adelbert C. Potter of Milburn, New Jersey, his wife Dorothy, and 12-year-old daughter Linda drove up Saturday, and Del had a good day showing his family the haunts of his boyhood. Del lived with the Williams Family of Turkey Hill for two years. He recalls entering B.H.S. as a junior, being mistaken for a freshman, and hurled over the fence. Apologies came later! He has been in the lumber-supply business in New York City for many years (business once his father's) and now calls himself "semi-retired."

From 1919 came Bernard Bowler with his wife Bernadette Shea of 1915. Bernard is with Monsanto and will soon retire. Much to the regret of everyone, Bernadette retired last June from teaching and supervising at Center Grade. Bernice Bridgman also hails from 1919, and was the salutatorian.

She was married to Bill in 1921 and—mirabile dictu!—the wedding was on August 24 (Steeple was best man at the ceremony at the J.V. Cook Farm). So we had an unexpected 42nd anniversary on our hands and celebrated it at the Homestead!

I contacted several from the Class of 1920 with no success. Francis Allen, the salutatorian, still in business education in Rhode Island; Eleanor Bardwell Baker, art supervisor of the Stoneham schools; and Earl Witt, superintendent of schools in Stafford Springs, Conn., all sent regrets. Alice Booth Suhm had other commitments, and her valedictorian brother, Bishop Newell, is busy with Africa.

We had a perfectly wonderful time with pictures. Bill Bridgman brought scads of individual "class portraits" as well as the matted school photos. What a task we had identifying kids and teachers."

And what about those instructors? Where are they now? Here I was frankly at a loss. Principal Thomas Allen has, of course, been dead for many years. Our "Aunt of 1917" and hostess for the remarkable class trip, Edith Wheeler Ackerman, now living in Benson, Vermont, the wife of a dairy farmer, would love to have been here, but you know how it is with "caows" (her spelling!). We all wrote messages to her. Ethel Dewey is planning to visit her this fall.

I tried to find Grace Anderson Bailey (Mrs. Harold), here in 1914. Her son is a minister, and not long ago was at the church in old Hadley. The Baileys lived for ages on Amherst Street in Springfield, but do not now appear in the phone directory. Anyone know where Grace is?

I'd like very much to get word of Ruth Perkins (1913-14), Gertrude Callender (1914-16), Marguerite Lord (1914-17), Hazel Gibbs (1917-18), Alice Coon (1918-22) and Josephine Perry (1918-22), just to determine if they are and where they are with the purpose of letting their little children know! If any reader has any information, please advise!

By Sunday noon the visitors had gone, the sign had been taken in, and we had many memories and some food to tide us over for a while. The B4 still presses on.

As one of the visitors said, "It's remarkable that the men continued their friendship so long-but to have their wives so compatible is wonderful." And so it is.

* * *

Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * *

"How dear to this heart are the
scenes of my childhood,
When fond recollection presents
them to view."

Samuel Woodworth (1785-1842)

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The death of J. R. Gould at the age of 90 removes a man prominent in the business life of the town. He enlisted in the Civil War and engaged in a number of campaigns. Before coming to Belchertown he was in the carriage factory business at Coventry. He built the block known for a long term of years as the Gould block, in a portion of which he carried on a grocery store and a meat market.

The Rev. E. F. Blackmer begins his ministry with the No. Hadley Congregational Church.

A start is being made to install Belchertown's Water system. The first effort is to supply the schools.

The Chapin bridge is now giving place to a new iron structure.

The Bartlett and Bardwell families held a picnic at East Longmeadow.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Rev. Arthur H. Hope, who recently resigned as pastor of the Congregational church on account of ill health, died after a comparatively short illness. He had a five year pastorate here, preaching his last sermon three months ago.

Miss Margaret McPherson became the bride of John Leslie of Sandy Lake, Pa, and they will make their home at Franklin, Pa.

52 were present at the Ward Family reunion, held at the home of Mrs. Evelyn R. Ward.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Greenlawn Restaurant on Main St. has been closed.

Seavey D. Morse and family are moving to Thomaston, Conn., where Mr. Morse has accepted the position as Superintendent of Schools.

Working bees have been held at the Congregational parsonage, cutting over the ground to the east and north of the barn, cutting underbush, thinning out the trees, and completing the painting of the barn.

Fred Fontaine, a resident of the town for the past 21 years, passed away at his home on Bay Road, after a brief illness. He and his wife owned and operated Fontaine's beach and store.

TO REGISTER DANCERS

Jimmy Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance, will be in town tomorrow (Saturday) from 9 to 1 a. m. only, for registration of pupils. Previous pupils and parents are requested to be at Legion Hall that morning.

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TO SELL CANDY

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able to go. The cost is $115 per Scout, so here's where candy proceeds will come in handy, although the plan is to divide the cost as follows: one-third by the boy, one-third by the troop, and one-third by the sponsoring organization.

Money is needed also to recoup losses suffered from vandalism at the Scout camp. Two chests of pots and pans were taken, a window was smashed and a door broken. It is estimated that the total damage is around $50.

To help recoup these losses and put something into the treasury, plans were made for a Scout booth on Fair Day. Committeeman Nolan drew a rough plan of the setup, using tarps and rustic tables. Any number of things were suggested for sale. They included coffee, cider and doughnuts, cookies, cupcakes, home-made cake and pies—and possibly some of those boxes of candy. Mrs. Heilmann and Mrs. Marcella Fletcher volunteered to solicit material for the booth, once it is put up.

The next committee meeting will be September 30. The next leaders' meeting will be next Monday night at James Nolan's.

Not a part of the program, but sandwiched in at the meeting were reminiscences on the part of the men concerning that week at Camp Chesterfield. One wondered who took first prize for pranks, the boys or their dads.

VARGA RECEPTION

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Rev. Harold Suhm, pastor at Dwight, spoke of the community having become more friendly since the coming of Mr. Varga.

Rev. Walter R. Blackmer, dean of the clergy here, and still teaching a men's class, catalogued Mr. Varga as one of the busiest men in town, and one who had not only carried on his duties here, but had also rendered service to the Association, State Conference, etc.

Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of the Methodist Church, brought up the procession of ministers paying tribute, and wished for him the strength and wisdom to carry on his new tasks.

Rev. Elmer Granstrom, newly come to town, took a bow as the clergy were called on.

Rev. Mr. Varga was quite overcome with the kind words and gifts. He expressed appreciation for "Allowing us to be a family" and for having the feeling that they were "accepted."

He expressed appreciation for all the kindness and cooperation accorded them, and hoped the folks here would make it a point to call on them at their new home, 20 Front St., Walpole.

More particularly as to the gifts, Richard Merrell, president of the Senior Pilgrim Fellowship, presented Mr. Varga a framed portrait of Christ from the combined Junior and Senior Fellowships. The Double or Nothing Club presented a mirror, with John Bailey, the president, making the presentation. Mrs. Donald Geer, president of the Women's Guild presented Mrs. Varga several pieces of silver.

Kenneth Main, deacon of the church, presented the church gift of a sterling silver Paul Revere bowl and a pair of silver candlesticks. They were also presented a purse. The Varga children, Paula, Jan Marie and Alan, also received gifts.

A social hour followed the program with Rev. and Mrs. Varga greeting their many friends. The Women's Guild was in charge of the refreshments. Serving on this committee were Mrs. Arthur Henneman, Mrs. Donald Geer, Mrs. Houghton Snow, Mrs. Louis Shumway, Mrs. Harriet Hill and Mrs. John Hubbard.

Miss Sandra Field was in charge of the guest book. Mrs. Kenneth Hawkins and Mrs. Elwyn Bock made the floral arrangements. The committee included Kenneth Main, Harold Peck, Mrs. Vera Harrington, Mrs. Doris Dickinson and Sandra Field and Leslie Squires, representing the youth groups.

The "Dream," Etc.

I had a dream the other night
About our good friend, Paul.
Perhaps I should not tell it,
At least not tell it all.

I dreamed that Paul stopped here in town
In days not too remote
To say hello and check on things,
But it sure got his goat

The way that things were going,
Or rather how they weren't;
He was a bit discouraged
When all the news he'd learned.

I dreamed he went into the bank,
Found Skinner was not there,
And Mrs. Wadsworth couldn't be found.
Paul knelt right down in prayer.

"What has this old church come to?"
Our one-time pastor said,
"The key folks are around no more;
Are they asleep or dead?"

Paul found the morning service
Had just about passed out,
"The one essential thing," he said,
They should not do without.

He found committees met no more,
No longer two each night,
Yes, Paul was really quite disturbed,
In fact his face turned white.

Few folks around, what had become
So soon of this here town,
For whom he'd worked and toiled and prayed
In good old Belchertown?

At last he spied a townsman
Out on the village green,
Demanded explanation
Of all the things he'd seen.

"Calm down young man," the fellow said,
You know things aint so bad,
There's no use getting upset
Or getting fighting mad."

"To tell the truth, the reason, Paul
For lack of your elation,
Is that you worked those folks so hard,
They've all gone on vacation."

So that's the dream, I swear I haven't
E'er dreamed about Paul's wife,
But she's the kind I know I will
Remember all my life.

She's shook our hands as we passed out,
All of a Sunday morn,
With a grip that's reached right to our hearts—
We're glad that she was born.

It sure sounds bad to say it,
But I have touched her hand
More times than any parson's wife to date—
Oh please do understand.

So Paul and Jo, as now you go
To serve another fold,
May this night's recollections
Stay with you till you're old.

"Spend and be spent" Paul's
Motto might well be,
But have a care, don't spend your strength
Too all-fired recklessly.

For if you do, some nurse, I know,
Will get you in her care,
And it will cost you plenty
In doctor's pills and prayer.

We've said kind words about you,
Yes, cracked you to the skies,
And who are you to say, dear friends,
That anybody lies?

And so with praise, and "Papa Says",
We bid good-bye to you,
You are a dedicated pair,
You are the tried and true.

Yes, you'll ring the bell in Walpole,
Achieve something of renown,
But leave a part of you, we pray,
In good old Belchertown.

SCHOOL DEPT. NOTES

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The Elementary Teaching Staff:

Franklin School

Grade 1—Mrs. Marilyn Hayward
Grades 2 & 3—Miss Eleanor Fitzgerald
Grades 3 & 4—Mrs. Carolyn Schott

Miss Fitzgerald will also serve as the Building Assistant to the Supervising Elementary Principal, Mr. Dell.

Main Street School

Grade 3—Mrs. Anita Wadhams, Mrs. Elizabeth Fox, and Mrs. Olive Hodgen
Grade 4—Mrs. Emma Loftus, and Mrs. Mildred White

Mrs. Loftus will also serve as Building Assistant to the Supervising Elementary Principal, Mr. Dell.

Cold Spring School

Grade 1—Mrs. Barbara Yanginski, Miss Mary Ann Flaherty and Miss Bonta Falk
Grade 2—Miss Irene Orlando, Mrs. Julia Corbin, and Mrs. Mary Lou Ismail
Grade 4—Mrs. Ruth Dobson
Grade 5—Mrs. Madeleine Lambert, Mrs. Georgia Atwood, and Mrs. Juanita Foor
Grade 6—Mrs. Margaret Austin, Mrs. Mary Avery, and Mr. Alan Hurlburt

The High School & Jr. High Faculty:

Donald Geer, Principal - Jr.-Sr. High

High School

Mathematics—Walter Brown
English—Joan Clark
Science & Mathematics—Barbara Ernest
Business Education—Madeline Fitzgerald
Home Economics—Florence Jackson
Business Education—Eloi Laramee
French & Social Studies—Ronald LeBlanc
Soc. Studies & Coach of baseball and basketball—James O'Leary
French & Biology—Marie Pepin
English & Latin—Sophia Pero
English—Helen Renouf
Chemistry & Biology—Jerome Shea
Social Studies & Math—Gerald Tremaine

Center School

English & Math; Assistant to the Supervising Principal, Donald Geer—Barbara Field
English & Social Studies—Jane Card
Social Studies—Collon Norcross
Math & Science—Paul Paschetto
English—Jane Wardwell
Science, Math, Physical Ed., also coach of soccer, basketball & baseball—Paul Whitlock

Dr. Kenneth L. Collard is the School Physician. Mrs. Tirzah D. Juskalian, R. N. is the School Nurse and her office is located at Cold Spring School.

Parents of third and fourth grade pupils not attending Franklin School are reminded that all third grade pupils will attend the Main Street School. All fourth grade pupils will also attend the Main Street School, except those pupils whose parents will be notified by mail that they will attend the fourth grade at Cold Spring.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The Garden Club will hold the first meeting of the season Thursday, September 5 at the Library at 2:15 p. m. Each member is invited to bring her favorite grown flower, telling of the planting, growth and type of soil. These may be single flowers, a bouquet or an arrangement.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 3, 16-22. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians.

Gospel—Luke 17, 11-19. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the cure of ten lepers by Christ).

Due to Fr. Dudley's hospitalization, visiting priests are assisting at some of the Masses each Sunday.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

All parishioners are urged to purchase their tickets in advance for our 6th Annual Trappist Sunday barbecue dinner. The event to be held September 8 needs the support of the entire parish. The event is scheduled for 1 to 4 p. m.

LADIES: The success of the Country Store for Barbecue day depends entirely upon you. The proceeds from this store are annually used to provide religious instruction for the children of the parish. Funds are necessary to bring the good Sisters here weekly to conduct Catechism classes.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the first Friday in September will be Thursday evening September 5, from 7.30 to 8.30.

On Friday—Mass in St. Francis at 7.30 a. m.; confessions in the evening from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass following at 7 p. m.

— NEWS FROM FR. DUDLEY —

Father Dudley reports that his condition is continualy improving. He enjoys the messages and cards he receives.

— SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH —

The Sisters of St. Joseph of the Diocese of Springfield have written an outstanding record of service to the Church since their community was established in 1880 by the first Bishop of Springfield, Mass., Bishop Patrick T. O'Reilly.

From a tiny band of pioneers has sprung a teaching order of more than 800 Sisters. In 1880, they staffed but one school. In 1963 they teach in 1 college for women, 16 high, and 35 elementary schools.

The extent of their accomplishments must be measured, however, in the context of the facilities in which the community's marvelous spirit has developed and grown. For this story see next week's Sun. Bulletin or *Sentinel*.

— SEPTEMBER DEDICATION —

The dedication of months of the year to certain saints and mysteries in the life of Christ is more the result of popular piety than of official action by the Church. In general, the dedication is made in view of an outstanding feast observed during the month. The practice is of long standing but is not completely uniform.

September—Mary, Queen of Martyrs

Mary is called the Queen of Martyrs because of the intense spiritual sufferings she endured, particularly during the Passion of her divine Son.

Mary's sufferings, or dolars, as they are also called, are commemorated in two feasts of the Seven Dolors, on September 15 and on Friday of Passion Week.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH BARBECUE

Advance reservations for the sixth annual Trappist Sunday-Chicken Barbecue to be held September 8 under the sponsorship of St. Francis Church, are now being received by Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr., Ticket Chairman.

Trappist preserves and Trappistine candies will be on sale throughout the afternoon as long as they last.

The dinner will include a half-chicken barbecued, plus salads and all the fixings that add up to a fine experience in outdoor eating. The chicken may be split for children with extra quantities of vegetables available at no extra charge. Rev. George R. Dudley, general chairman of the activity, extends a cordial invitation to all.

Many attractive and unusual home-made articles have already been donated for the Country Store and this year's display will be an interesting one.

The price of the dinner is $1.50. Tables will be set up on the Common but shelter will be provided in the event of rain. Tickets may be purchased in advance or at the event.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Fourteen tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Howard Shirtcliff for the legislative committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Fred and Nellie Olson of Palmer, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Anair; 2nd, Franklin Wenzel, Howard Judkins, Linda Wright and Glen Stillings; 3rd, Lena Nightingale, Rose Canavan, Katherine Finn and Lillian Madigan; door, Lillian Madigan and Glen Stillings.

This week's party will be in charge of the conservation committee, H. Judkins, chairman; K. King, L. Curtis, B. Aldrich and H. Renouf.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
9.45 a. m. Sunday School classes in the Educational Building.
11 a. m. Morning Worship.
Sermon, "Christ the King."
7.30 p. m. Evensong.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
8 p. m. Mid-Week Service in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
The Missionary Group of the W. S. of C. S. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Friday, September 13, at 7.30.

COMING

SEPTEMBER 8
Annual Laurel Park Sunday for the Belchertown and Bondsville Methodist Churches—at 11 a. m., Worship Service followed by dinner at the Park.

POSSIBLE JR. CHAMBER HERE

The possibility of organizing a Junior Chamber of Commerce in Belchertown will be aired at an open meeting which has been scheduled by the Amherst Jaycees for 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, September 17, at the Lawrence Memorial Hall.

According to Amherst Jaycee members, the meeting was set at the request of many town young men who have expressed an interest in forming a Junior Chamber unit here.

George Suhm, extension chairman of the Amherst chapter, has reported that many young men, already contacted, will be present for the meeting. One of them, Ralph Pittsley, will provide free transportation and may be contacted at 323-7128.

At the briefing meeting, Amherst Jaycees will explain various phases of their own operation, community and membership benefits resulting from Jr. Chamber operations and Jr. Chamber chapter and membership requirements. A question and answer period will close the session, which is expected to last an hour and a half.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is a civic service organization whose membership is open to all young men between the ages of 21 through 35.

Purpose of the world-wide organization is the improvement of the communities in which units are located and personal development of its members; both objectives being accomplished through a wide variety of project activities.

Junior Chamber chapters are located in 3,900 communities in the U. S. and have a total membership of over two-hundred thousand.

APPOINTED

The board of selectmen have announced that Sebastian Dudek of Bardwell St. has been appointed as zoning bylaw enforcement agent for the town.

Mr. Dudek is a lifelong resident here and operates a dairy farm on Bardwell St. He served five years in the Army with the 26th Infantry Division. He was discharged with the rank of lieutenant. While in the service, Mr. Dudek took an Army course in carpentry.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. Ronald J. Tamblyn of South Hadley will be the guest preacher Sunday morning at the 9.30 service. This will be the last of the summer services at the early hour.

Miss Jane Peterson will be soloist. Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer will preside at the organ.

Beginning September 8, services will be held at 10.45.

Parent-Staff Meeting

Rev. John Westerhoff III will speak on Tuesday evening, September 3, at 7.30 p. m. This is a very important meeting and all members of the church are urged to attend. Mr. Westerhoff will speak on the United Church Curriculum. He is extremely well qualified to speak on the subject, and is in great demand all over the state. Belchertown is very fortunate to have him here to speak to us. Please make every effort to attend.

Church School Picnic

Our Family Picnic will be held at Laurel Lake on Saturday, September 7. Families are asked to meet at the church at 1.30 p. m. and go in a group. Each family will supply their own picnic supper. Fireplaces are available at our area in the Park. In case of rain, the picnic will be cancelled.

Church School Reopens

All Church School classes, nursery through adult, will commence on Sunday, September 8.

Senior Pilgrim Fellowship

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship is planning a retreat at Grotonwood on September 6-7. Chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. Gould Ketchen. Anyone who will be in the Senior P. F. is invited to come. Those interested are asked to please contact Jane Skinner, 323-6226.

Church Cabinet

The next meeting of the Church Cabinet will be on Monday evening, September 9, at the Parish House.

GRANTED

The Board of Appeals has voted unanimously to grant the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. a permit to operate a private club, not for profit, under Section 4B2b of the zoning by-laws.

PERNETT G. BRACEY

Pernett G. Bracey, 67, of Munsell Road, died Monday at his home. He was born in Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 11, 1895, son of George P. and Sarah C. (Gregory) Bracey. He lived here 52 years. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of Chauncey D. Walker Post 239 American Legion for more than 40 years. Bracey had been a member of the Legion color squad in countless parades.

He leaves two brothers, Henry and Orin, both of this town, and several nieces and nephews. The funeral was Thursday at 2 at Beers and Story funeral home with Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

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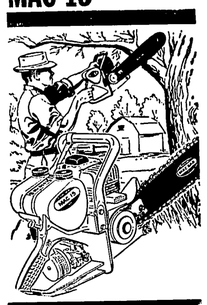

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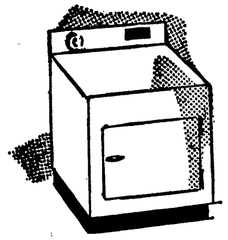

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WINS MANY AWARDS

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At the Mass. 4-H Dairy Show for members 12 years old or over, Bonnie was selected to go to the Eastern States Exposition at Springfield after two days of 4-H activity, including fitting and showmanship contests, breed judging, and as a member of the Hampshire County Senior Judging team. She started for the show with five Jerseys, but she returned with an additional calf born at the show that received the admiration of all the young visitors.

The 4-H Dairy Show banquet was held Tuesday evening, August 27, at the Worcester County 4-H camp in Spencer, where the ribbons, trophies and special awards were presented to the 4-H winners.

Many state and 4-H officials were present to speak to the boys and girls, and an excellent talk on India was given by Raymond Woodis of Worcester County, who had been a 4-H, I. F. Y. E. representative in India for six months.

Bonnie received the following awards:

Champion Senior Showman of all breeds.

Champion Jersey Showman.

Reserve Champion Jersey Award with her 3 year old cow.

Framed Picture of her champion cow from N. E. S. B. A.

Selected Mating Award from Curtiss Breeding Service.

Two trophies for Reserve Champion Cow and Senior Jersey Showman, awarded by the Mass. Jersey Cattle Club, were presented to her by her mother, Mrs. Marion Opielowski, who is the Jersey Breed representative of the Mass. 4-H Dairy Show.

When the winners of the dairy judging teams were given their ribbons, Bonnie received a medal for the highest score as a judge of Holstein cattle, presented by the Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

An award of a silver Paul Revere bowl was presented by the Cooperative Credit Association for her work as a Senior Showman.

The final honor was her selection to represent Massachusetts 4-H Dairy Clubs at the Eastern States Exposition in Springfield, given to 25 4-H boys and girls from the state by showing her Senior yearling, who had presented her a bonus calf at the show on the previous evening.

This impressive list of honors to a 15 year old girl is a tribute to many hours of work and study, following the 4-H motto—*To Make The Best,-Better.*

CUB SCOUT NEWS

This article concerns anyone who has an interest in the young boys of our town. We are reorganizing the Cub Scout program in September, but we are in desperate need of a new cubmaster and committeemen. Those of us who are continuing our service to the boys will help any new members who would at least like to try.

Den Mothers are also an important factor in the Cub program. Any person who would be so good as to fill any of these positions, are asked to attend our first Leaders' Meeting and find out what it's all about. Our first meeting will be September 11 at the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m. This will be followed by a Pack Registration Meeting on September 25 for all boys to reregister or register any new Cubs and to arrange them in dens.

If we lack Den Mothers, we will have to turn away boys with heavy hearts, but we will have to go by previous years, and our experience of overcrowded dens. The maximum number of boys in a den is "8". The committee plans to keep this rule, as it does not want to overload dens, so that the boys can receive proper attention.

If you cannot come to our meeting, but are still interested, please call Mrs. Lapointe, Secretary at 323-7793.

TOWN ITEMS

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Farley have been Rev. and Mrs. Richard G. Irving and son of Long Beach, California who were on a trip across the country to the east coast. Rev. Irving is minister of the Community Presbyterian Church of Long Beach.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. John Conkey are parents of a son, John, Jr., born on Thursday, August 15.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Warren Oliver of Wendell, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Conkey of Belchertown.

Greatgrandmother is Mrs. Celia Jenks of Belchertown.

SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Pelouquin their property located on Bachelor Street, Granby to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ponton of New Ludlow Road, also of Granby. The Ponton's will occupy their new home about September 1. The Shaw Agency leased the New Ludlow Road property for the Ponton's to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Councilman of Greenfield. Mr. councilman is a June graduate of Mass. State and has accepted a position with Tampax, Inc. of Three Rivers.

TOWN ITEMS

William C. Squires, who resided in Belchertown from 1948 to 1952, living on the Webster property on the Amherst Road, and now residing at Winston Salem, North Carolina, was in town Tuesday calling on former acquaintances. He now has a position in the research department of the R. J Reynolds Tobacco Company in Winston Salem.

FROM THE DAILY PRESS

From the daily paper we read that the Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen will recommend that the sewer project to service the new school be limited to that specific purpose. Their recommendation will be made at a special town meeting next month.

The plan which they favor, would serve only the school at present and will cost an estimated $24,000. It would mean connecting onto the present line at Maple street, running across the Piper and Vanasse properties to the Old Springfield Road, and the school.

Two other possibilities have been found following recent surveys. They at present are too ambitious for our town, according to these officials.

It is expected that state and federal funds will pay from 30 to 50% of the costs involved.

AROUND OUR TOWN

Two projects, each miles distant, are shaping up, and appear to be ready for the final assault of the paving machines and cement mixers. They are the town beach bath-house and the final segment of the reconstruction of Route 21. Both will be used by the majority of townspeople for many years to come—the swimmers one, and the commuters and shoppers the other.

Very noticeable to passerby, is the breadth of the new intersection there where Route 21 meets with 202. It may mean a larger plot with which the Grange might be able to beautify as compared with the small island of the past.

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To all persons interested in the estate of RAYMOND J. SULLIVAN, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that CATHERINE W. SULLIVAN of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in sa'd County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock 'n the forenoon on the eleventh day of September, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of August, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Aug. 16, 23, 30

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m. on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, for permission to operate a restaurant, proposed restaurant to be located on the southeasterly corner of the intersection of Rt. 9 and Gulf Road.

Henry Renouf, Chairman
Board of Appeals
Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Harold Mellin

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m. on the application of Harry Plant, of Daniel Shays Highway, for permission to build an apartment house containing four apartments on land owned by Mr. Plant on Federal Street, Rt. 9, in Belchertown, to be located approximately 500 feet from the corner of Bay Road, down Federal Street.

Henry Renouf, Chairman
Board of Appeals
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CARD OF THANKS

Thank you for your kind thoughtfulness in your expressions of sympathy in the loss of my father.

Joan Poole

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks everybody for remembering me in so many ways since my accident.

Richard McGinnis

HEARTIEST THANKS

Our heartiest thanks to the many kind friends who made our anniversary celebration such a happy one. All the cards and personal greetings meant so much to us and we are most grateful to all.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

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At the school construction site nigh[t] before last, it was observed th[at] things are still moving along at a nic[e] steady pace—and it may soon riv[al] the new Prudential building in "th[e] new Boston" as a tourist attraction. At least it would seem that it w[as] so on some evenings, when intereste[d] townsfolk and future residents stoppe[d] by to check on the progress. One o[f] these visitors, we won't mention h[is] name, drove around the site—and i[n] to the building (what there is) an[d] turned around where the gym will b[e] in a matter of weeks, and then dro[ve] off—the antique he drove was in def[inite] contrast with the times. Perhap[s] it drove through Lawrence Memori[al] Hall when it too was only foundatio[n] high!

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Church School at 9.30 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at Laurel Park 11 a. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

6th Annual Trappist Sunday and Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by St. Francis Church. 1 - 4 on the common.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Church Cabinet at Congregational Parish House at 7 p. m.
Registered Nurses' Association at home of Mrs. Burridge.
First Night—Men's Bowling.

TUESDAY

Home Department at Parish House 2.30 p. m.
Mt. Marie Drive personnel meeting Pine Room at 7.30 p. m.
Lions Club.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service at Parish House at 9.30 a. m.
O. E. S. Inspection.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.
First Night—Women's Bowling.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of WSCS at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood at 7.30 p. m.
Registered Nurses Hat Sale in the Pine Room from Noon until 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

O. E. S. Auction.
Grange Card Party.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

The cafeteria building at the State School, wherein was held the Volunteer Award party, was the scene last Friday afternoon of a farewell reception to Estelle J. Foote, M. D., clinical director and director of psychiatry at the School, who retired the next day, August 31, after 22 years of state service.

Many friends and co-workers came to greet her and do her honor. In fact the reception was a most personal one, practically no one but herself being aware of the tributes quietly spoken, but long to be remembered. She was assisted in receiving by Dr. Magdalena Torres, a co-worker at the School.

The cafeteria staff served a delicious buffet luncheon, at the conclusion of which Mrs. Valliere introduced Dr. Pauline Frankowski, who after a few appropriate words, presented Dr. Foote, on behalf of her colleagues, a transistor radio, and a check "for fun at auctions or to buy

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ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

Following is some data concerning the new assistant superintendent at the State School—Dr. Richard H. Price—who came here in June and is succeeding Dr. Lonnie Farrar, who retired some time back.

Dr. Price was born in Auburn, N. Y., June 7, 1895. He is married and has two children—a daughter, Minerva, and a son, Andrew, 23.

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TODAY

First Friday Services in St. Francis Church at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.
American Legion.
Mont Marie Personnel Meeting in Pine Room at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Congregational Church School Family Picnic at Laurel Lake, leaving at 1.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Sept. 17
Jaycee Information Meeting at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Sept. 28
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Sept. 29
O. E. S. Chicken Barbecue on the Common.
Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

SCHOOL OF DANCE OPENS

Jimmy Dominique of The Dominique School of Dance, who has studios in Ludlow and Springfield, will return to this town every Saturday to instruct in dancing and dramatics at the American Legion Hall.

Jimmy, who is a dedicated dancer, has studied many different kinds of dance. He was at the dance convention in Chicago for two weeks, where he studied Creative dance for preschool children. This is a refreshing program on dance, whereby children will give of themselves freely.

Creative dance for pre-school children is a world of dreams and imagination, and will interpret in their

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CANDY SALE

The Boy Scout Candy Sale is in full swing and proceeding with great success. With the combination of hard-working boys, an excellent product, and enthusiastic response from friends, neighbors and the general public, results are very gratifying. More candy is available, and may be obtained from any Boy Scout or from Scoutmaster John Bailey. The Scouts are engaged in brisk competition to see who can sell the most, with several boys having sold over 50 boxes.

Mothers of Boy Scouts will be called on within the next few days for contributions of baked goods to be sold at the Boy Scout booth at the Belchertown Fair. The committee, with Mrs. Marcella Fletcher and Mrs. Martha Heilmann, co-chairman, will sell cakes, pies, cookies, and doughnuts, as well as cider and coffee, to the fair goers. They will also take advance orders from townspeople for various items.

CAMERA CLUB

On Sunday, September 15, the camera Club will be guests of the famous Lake Wickaboag Boat Club at West Brookfield. Les Campbell will be in charge of the local group, his brother, Ed Campbell, president of the ski club will be in charge of skiing, and Don Gray will be in charge of boating. Processed pictures will later be featured in a club contest.

The first regular meeting of the Club will be October 18. A fall foliage tour to Vermont will be held October 11, 12, 13.

AROUND OUR TOWN

This week saw the climax of a brief but much enjoyed summer vacation, at least for the youngsters! The opening day was like the first day of school in all of my school days, damp and *dreary*!

Here in Belchertown, not counting many school age youngsters at B. S. S.,

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SWIFT RIVER PROJECT UNDERWAY

Options on several parcels of land along the Swift River in Ware and Belchertown have been obtained by the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game.

The sections under option total over 130 acres and include two miles of river frontage on this cold, crystal-clear trout stream below Quabbin.

State fisheries and game director Francis Sargent says that this acquisition is especially important to anglers as the Swift River is noted for its summer-long low temperatures seldom exceeding 55 degrees and the sustained trout fishing it provides. It is equally important, Sargent adds, that the stream and its environs can now be preserved and improved as an open-space reservation for many kinds of outdoor recreation.

While the acquisition process is not complete, options so far obtained cover in substantial part, the heavily fished section below route 9 downstream to the deep water area accessible by boats. Additional acquisition to provide access for boat fishermen is also being considered but no definite location has been selected.

Central district manager Em Chandler states that placing this section of the

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AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Attention Legionnaires! Important meeting tonight, September 6. Let's all plan to attend. Refreshments following the meeting. Here are some of the matters to be acted on:

By-law changes.

Nomination and election of officers for the coming year.

Installation.

The nominating committee is composed of the following Legionnaires: John Avery, Norman Howland, Isaac Hodgen.

The American Legion extends an invitation to all veterans who are not members of the Legion to visit their headquarters on North Main Street and learn why they should become American Legionnaires. The eligibility dates are April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918; December 7, 1941 to September 2, 1945; June 25, 1950 to July 27, 1953. If you are unable to visit and wish more information, contact Commander Mitch Sroka, 323-6393.

The American Legion Post 239, wishes to inform the townspeople that it has on hand a limited number of American 50-star flags for sale. Anyone desiring to purchase a flag, or flag kit, which consists of flag, pole and pole holder, should contact Isaac Hodgen, tel. 323-7434, or any member of the Legion.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH BARBECUE

Everyone is invited to St. Francis' 6th annual Chicken Barbecue and Trappist Sunday event to be held on the Common Sunday from 1 to 4 p. m. Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor and General Chairman is anxious to make this day a success in terms of a family day together. Assisting, is Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Assistant General Chairman.

Lay Chairman, Clarence Robinson, Sr. has announced that an added feature this year will be a take-out table, where dinners may be secured by those who wish to take them to their homes for enjoying. The price for the take-out dinner will be $1.50, the same as the regular charge for those enjoying the event on the Common. Chairman Robinson further stated that the chicken servings are sufficiently large enough to be shared by two children, and that additional vegetables will be provided at no extra charge. Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Forgue will be in charge of the special take-out table.

Mrs. James Mullane, Lay Co-chairman, is in charge of preparing and serving the vegetables. She will be assisted in the kitchen by Mrs. Mary Scialla, Mrs. Romeo Joyal, Mrs. Delia Bronner, Mrs. Christine Davin, Mrs. Dorothy DeWitt, Mrs. Leo Daignault and Mrs. Emmons Smith. Assisting with the service will be Mrs. Rosario Bergeron, Mrs. Jessie Crisafulli, Mrs. Alice Willey, Mrs. Agnes Sampson, Mrs. Margaret Austin, Mrs. Nancy Pelczarski, Mrs. Mary Mathras, Mrs. Frank Kosiba, Mr. John Krol and Thomas Krol. Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Perron and Mr. and Mrs. Philias Pelchat will be in charge of the coffee Young people volunteering to assist Mrs. Mullane are Lee Mullane, Sandra

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HAT SALE

The Registered Nurses Association will hold a hat sale Friday, September 13, from noon till 8 p. m. in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church.

METHODIST BAZAAR

The date has been chosen, November nine,
In the Methodist Buildings, rain or shine.
We are speaking, of course, of our yearly Bazaar.
We solicit your patronage, near and far.
We open at ten, and we're proud of the scene,
From outstanding hand work to yummy cuisine!
We'll expound more later, as you shall see.
This is just to whet your curiosity.

The Steeple Soliloquizes

Superintendent Carl J. Peterson Changes To A Quieter Life!

The recent resignation of Carl J. Peterson as superintendent of the local schools takes from us a most devoted and able administrator at a time when the town needed him greatly to care for our expanding educational plant, which has done much of its expanding under his supervision.

It is not easy to locate a good replacement for such a position at this particular season of the year, when the last "All aboard!" has been sounded for the departure of the good ship "Public Education" and the gang plank has been pulled up.

It is to be hoped that he will indeed be "of assistance in an unofficial capacity" in the interim. Not many years ago we had a most disturbing experience with an employee who was secured late to fill a local vacancy and we need no more of that!

Certainly no one can blame Carl for taking the opportunity to go into work for which he is well prepared and where he will in all likelihood not need to face the perennial volleys and snipings from folks who are disturbed at the way schools are planned, built, and managed.

Carl has been the center of more than one hot session in Lawrence Memorial Hall and the achievement of a favorable vote on the junior-senior high school presently under construction was not won without many wounds, some of which may very likely still ache when the weather is right.

Carl Peterson had worked himself up from the "ranks" here in Belchertown and grasped our needs, our limitations, and our potentialities better than any other person I can readily think of. Whatever some of his critics may have felt about certain of his policies or objectives, no one could doubt his loyalty, his industry, and his integrity.

More than all this, Carl is a tremendous asset to Belchertown as a citizen, voter, taxpayer, family man and all those sorts of things. In the Fire Department he is invaluable. In church, he is always a leader. His family is a credit to him. We hope it will be possible for him to maintain his residence here with us. We are sure that is what he would like to do.

In spite of experiences which were probably inescapable with conditions as they are, with mounting taxes, exploding population, and all, Carl likes Belchertown very much.

The Steeple is sorry that he has resigned. May his years in the "Halls of Higher Learning" be most pleasant ones!

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There Are Bicycle Rules
All Well as Rules for Autos

Now that school has started, motorists are being given their annual warning to be especially careful to avoid injuring youngsters who are dashing to and from school. This warning is a timely tradition.

One of the chief fears in the minds of most automobile drivers is the kid on a bicycle. As we see young cyclists on the roads, we often feel that there can be no particular set of rules that they are following. They choose the left side of the road as often as they do the right, they go through red signals without stopping, they ride two or three abreast, and so on. They surely do "teeter-totter more'n they otter."

The fact that few cyclists seem to land in the accident stories may be more of a compliment to the ultra-careful motorists than to the youngsters on bikes. Possibly, too, at the age when a cyclist is ready to be a cowboy-on-wheels, he turns 16 and gets himself an auto licence.

There does happen to be an excellent set of a dozen rules put out by the Bicycle Institute of America. If you or your children ride bikes, perhaps a review of these would be in order. Numbers 1, 2, 7, and 11 are those I see most frequently disregarded:

1. Observe all traffic regulations, signs, and lights.
2. Keep to the right. Ride single file.
3. Have a white light in front and a red light or reflector on the back for night riding. Wear light-colored clothing at night.
4. Have a workable horn or bell. Maintain safe speed.
5. Watch for cars pulling into traffic. Be careful of doors opening on parked cars.
6. Never hitch a ride on another vehicle.
7. Carry no passengers or objects which interfere with vision or control.
8. Keep your bike in perfect operating condition. Make sure brakes are functioning properly.
9. Stop, look, and listen at all intersections.
10. Use proper hand signals when stopping or turning.
11. Ride in a stright line. Do not swerve or wave.
12. Avoid sidewalk riding. Always give the pedestrian the right of way.

And—we would like to add: Never do "stunt riding" on a public road. "No hands" means "No brains."

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HERE AND THERE

Anxious Abuttors

A bit ago I saw where someone was quoted in the press as saying that not too much attention should be paid by the Planning Board and other officials to abuttors when someone proposes to open a new business near their homes. I should think that the anxiously interested abuttor deserves all the attention he can get.

There is always a chance that peace and quiet will disappear when a business starts to operate, and that the beauty of a neighborhood will evaporate unless the new business is orderly and neat.

Sometimes a business will prove to be the best sort of neighbor, then sell out and be replaced by something much less attractive.

A town like Belchertown, with hard-to-decide on lines for business, residences, and agriculture, has to do a lot of thinking before it can move too fast. Citizens in general do most certainly like new business and the town needs it desperately, but that should not stop abuttors from keeping a most anxious eye on any business that wants to come next door.

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Rusty Roadsides

I know that roadside spraying is a money-saving and labor-saving device, and that it is probably necessary in a town with as many miles of roadside as Belchertown possesses. However, I still do not like it, I still feel it hurts our appearance greatly, and I still must express my unchanged opinion.

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Most Dangerous Road!

For several years the title of "Belchertown's Most Dangerous Road" seemed to be securely held by that stretch of the Amherst Road this side of Dwight Station.

Now the old champion finds a most able challenger in the Isaac's Corner section of Route 21. The remarkable comeback staged by this road has been a feature of the spring and summer, with no sign of any letup in the succession of successful accidents.

P.S. Let's hope no other roads decide to join this league!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Sept. 7, 1923 was a great day for Belchertown, for at 4:00 p.m., on that day Reuben L. Roberts laid the corner stone of Lawrence Memorial Hall, while at 8:00 p.m., the building was dedicated, D. D. Hazen being Master of Ceremonies. After a half hour of music by Heidners of Holyoke, Mr. Roberts the Senior Trustee of the Lawrence estate, presented J. V. Cook, the chairman of the Selectmen, the deed of the land on which the building rests, which deed was graciously accepted. And George E. Scott, chairman of the Building Committee presented to the town the keys to the new building. The main address for the occasion was by Dr. Payson Smith of the State Dept. of Education. The program was interspersed with a cello solo, a piano solo, and a choir of sixteen voices. Following the dedication, the gathering inspected the building.

The clambake of the Metacomet Fox, Rod and Gun Club on Labor day was a huge success.

Painters have begun work on the Congregational Church.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Dr. Arthur E. Westwell has been elected Commander of the American Legion. Blake S. Jackson has been elected Master of Vernon Lodge.

The Lawn party of St. Francis Church, held at the south end of the Common was a highly successful affair. There were many stands, and many of them folded up because they had run out of supplies. The sugar stand in charge of Andy Sears was one of the last to quit, the hour being 11:30.

There have been 489 registrations for the Belchertown schools for the new year.

The Social Union held their annual picnic at the home of Mrs. Gollenbusch.

TEN YEARS AGO

Under the leadership of the Missionary Committee of the Congregational Church, a farewell reception was tendered the Hacketts who leave soon for Burma. Billy Hackett gave a violin solo. Mary, the Burmese young lady who accompanied them, and who has studied at Cornell, expressed appreciation to the church for making possible her coming to America. Marion spoke of her dreams, and Bill of how much good the projector which the church made possible would be. Rev. Moore of the Methodist church tendered felicitations, and the two older Hudson girls sang solos.

At the Family Night meeting of the Grange, Frances Moore was presented with a fifty-year jewel and Roy Whidden was elected Worthy Master.

WILLIAM A. RADDIN

William A. Raddin, 80, of 45 Jackson Street, Saugus, a member of one of Greater Lynn's oldest families, died suddenly on Friday, August 30 of a heart attack at his home.

Born in Saugus, he was a graduate of Northeastern University Law School. For many years he was an accountant at the General Electric Co. and later was active in the real estate field.

He was a member of the Essex Institute in Salem, the Essex Historical Society, the Quaker Fellowship Recollection and was historian of the Raddin family.

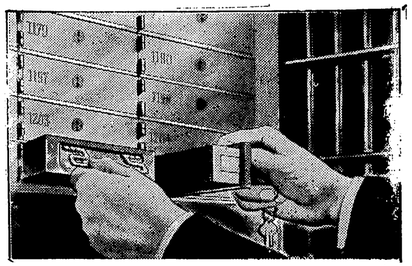
He was the son of the late Hiram A. Raddin and Marietta (Macy) Raddin.

He leaves a sister, Mrs. Annie French of Saugus and of Belchertown, and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held in the Bisbee funeral home, 549 Lincoln Avenue, Saugus, on Tuesday of this week.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Loland of Jabish Street, their Summer camp on the Swift River to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wills of Pelham. The property was formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin and was purchased by the Loflands about a year ago.



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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 5, 16-24. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians.

Gospel—Matthew 6, 24-33. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Christ states the impossibility of serving God and mammon, teaches trust in God).

— NEWS FROM FR. DUDLEY —

It was learned Wednesday that Fr. Dudley is coming along fine and expects to be home within a week or so.

— BARBECUE —

All the news available is printed on the front page. Any names left out will be printed at a later date if it is brought to the attention of the publicity committee.

— MEETINGS THIS WEEK —

There will be a meeting tonight at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room of all the parish officers, secretaries, captains, and area directors involved in the coming Mont Marie Drive. At that time, a photographer will be on hand—so look your sharpest!

For all those parishioners interested in learning more about Mont Marie first-hand, there will be an Open House at Mont Marie in Holyoke this Sunday from 1.30 to 6 p. m. The Bishop will be present, and will address visitors at 3. Everyone is welcome.

On Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. there will be another meeting for these people to be held in the Pine Room.

— SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH —

The extent of the Sisters of St. Joseph's accomplishments must be measured in the context of the facilities in which the community's marvelous spirit has grown. The Sisters began their religious life in overcrowded frame buildings erected at Mont Marie in 1897. Often they ended that life in a dark and cheerless infirmary which they brightened not by light but by smiles of satisfaction at the opportunity they had to serve God and His children. Between the beginning and the end were years of constant work, the confinement of a classroom during three seasons of the year and in the fourth, confinement again. Vacation time had to be used for college training. Mont Marie was too overcrowded to afford them the luxury of a complete formation before they began their teaching careers.

ST. FRANCIS CHICKEN BARBECUE

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Joyal, Sheila Mullane, Robert Labrecque, Frank Kosiba, Richard Robinson and Jimmy Krol.

Lawrence Whitcomb will be in charge of the barbecuing and he will be assisted by Alfred Brighenti, Donald LaPorte, Roland Lapointe, Richard Pratt, Clarence Robinson, Jr., John Coty, John Wadsworth, Robert Sutcliffe and Clarence Robinson, Sr.

Harold Willey will head the crew who will set up the tables and chairs on the common, as well as the necessary booths. Assisting him will be Samuel Joyal, Harvey Samson, Clarence Robinson, Sr., Peter Adzima, John Krol, Thomas Krol, and Robert Rule.

Mitchell Sroka is chairman of the Trappist Booth, where jams, jellies, various preserves and candies will be sold. His helpers will be Mrs. Helen Robinson, co-chairman; Walter Papp, Mrs. Mitchell Sroka, Lionel Miron, James Rioux, Richard Robinson, Bertha Townsend and Carol Beynar.

The Country Store, featuring many unique homemade articles, plants, and candies will be in charge of Mrs. Mary Avery. Also on this committee are Mrs. Marie Vanasse, Mrs. Esther Carr, and Mrs. Arlene McCrea.

Tickets for the day will be handled by chairman, Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Brennen and Mrs. Mary Longtine.

A public address system to keep everyone aware of the progress of events will be run by Frank Kosiba and John Milner. The clean-up committee will be Harold Willey, Clarence Robinson, Sr., Peter Adzima, Harvey Samson, Robert Rule, John Krol, Thomas Krol and Samuel Joyal.

The Barbecue publicity committee are Michael Forgue and Mrs. John Avery.

Chairman Clarence Robinson has stated that this event will be held rain or shine. Cover will be provided in case of rain. A bigger and better barbecue is planned for this year and no one will be turned away without a meal. Chairman Robinson further stated, that due to the increase in the quantity of chicken purchased for the event, that any unsold chicken may be purchased at the wholesale price. If you have a freezer and would be interested in such an opportunity, contact Mr. Robinson at any time.

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SWIFT RIVER PROJECT

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Swift River in public trust realizes a dream long held by conservationists and state fish and game personnel. He adds that use of sportsmen's funds for this purpose deserves praise from all those interested in the future of unspoiled natural areas.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Emerson L. Green Acolyte

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

9.45 a. m. Sunday School will be held in the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship at Laurel Park. This will be a combined service of the Bondsville and Belchertown Methodist Churches. The service will be at the Tabernacle, with sermon by the pastor. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will serve drinks, and those attending will bring their own lunch. There will be an opportunity for those who desire to do so, to tour the Park grounds.

7.30 p. m. The Service of Evensong in the Church in Belchertown. All are welcome to either or both of these services.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

7.30 p. m. The Continuing Committee will meet at the Methodist Church in Ware. The delegates from the church are urged to attend.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service of prayer, praise and song will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

7.30 p. m. The Missionary group of the WSCS will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood.

COMING

Monday Nights from Sept. 30 to November 4—

The Continuing Committee will have its second School for Christian Workers at the Methodist Church in Belchertown. The School is designed to help meet the needs of all who work with Children in the Sunday School and who serve in the various offices of the Sunday School. Again this year the sessions will be two hours long. It is hoped that those associated with the Sunday School will take advantage of these opportunities.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Guest Minister

The Rev. Robert Berkey of the Dept. of Religion at Mt. Holyoke will be the guest minister Sunday morning.

Sermon title: "Standing at the Burning Bush"

Church Cabinet

The Church Cabinet will meet on Monday evening, September 9th, at the Parish House, at 7 p. m.

Home Department

The next meeting of the Home Department will be held on Tuesday afternoon, September 10, at 2.30, at the Parish House, with Miss Ethel Corliss and Mrs. Olive Hamilton as hostesses.

Friendly Service

The first fall meeting of Friendly Service will be held on Wednesday morning, September 11, at 10.30. All ladies are invited to participate in this worthwhile program of sewing, sorting, mending, and packing clothes. Clothing may be left at the Parish House before Wednesday.

Parish Representatives

The Parish Representatives committee will meet on Thursday evening, September 12, at 7.30 at the Parish House with Miss Ethel Corliss and Mrs. Edward Bartlett as hostesses.

Senior Pilgrim Fellowship Retreat

The Senior Fellowship leaves this afternoon for a two-day retreat at Grotonwood. Mr. and Mrs. Gould Ketchen are the chaperones.

Church School

All Church School classes, nursery through adult, will begin on Sunday, September 8.

Church Family Picnic

The annual family picnic will be held tomorrow at Laurel Lake. Families are asked to leave the church in a group at 1.30. Supper, supplied by each family, will be cooked at the lake. In case of rain, the picnic will be cancelled.

Trustees

The trustees will meet at the Parish House on Wednesday, September 11, at 8 p. m.

LIONS CLUB

The first meeting of the season of the Lions Club will be held on Tuesday evening, September 10, at 7 at the Daisy Mae Restaurant, when the speaker will be Harold P. Brennan of the New England Tel. and Tel. Co. His subject will be "Satellite Communications." There will be slides with narration.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

BOWLERS BEWARE ! !

As the Belchertown Mens' Bowling League gets ready to begin its 1963-64 season, we find there are many new faces. Through the summer, the teams have shaped up like this:

1. Jabish Brook Country Club—a new team that has all young blood and a "hot shot" bowler named Pete Wisniewski, led by Parker Ketchen, Captain.

2. Reece Auto Body—Roy figures his team will get out of the cellar this year with the aid of Richie Robinson who recently got out of the service.

3. Jackson's—the team that led the League most of last year and say they'll be trying to go all the way this year, with Ken Main as Captain.

4. Park Lane—a team which has lost four bowlers with high averages last year, but say they will give any team a roll for their money. Roland Lapointe, Captain.

5. Independents—the team that had all the tough luck of last season, but they are convinced "Lady Luck" will be with them this year. Ed Field, Captain.

6. Bud Ross—the team to watch this year. Bud has picked up two good bowlers from last season, Ken Snow and Howie Main, with a new man, Joe Yanginski who we hear is a fairly good bowler.

7. Cook's—Harold says they are ready for their best season this year but if his boys don't shape up, he is going to sell their contracts! Good luck Harold!!

8. Belchertown Salvage—Though we haven't seen Joe Tolpa at any of the meetings this year, he says "Don't worry, we'll be there."

9. Ed Gates Garage—the Longview Garage team of last season! Capt. Dave Barrett says the change of name will surely bring them up from the bottom of the standings.

10. B. S. S.—a team that has five new bowlers, but with the aid of Howard Judkins and Leon Geoffroy will give any group a "tough go" this year.

11 Cole Contractors—the original Daisy Mae team of years ago and as we remember this was a hard team to beat. Don Cole, Captain.

12. Turkey Hill—Leo Small and his team members will not hold back at all because Leo wants the League Trophy this season.

13. Henneman's Esso—Art says he is ready to bowl but doesn't know about his team. Of course Dick Pratt is set to start where he left off last year with his 106 average. (A lot of boys are going to be after it, Dick!)

14. American Legion—Harold Mellin is Captain and has kept his team members secret from us, so we don't know too much about the team.

On Monday, September 9, the bowling will be underway when we find these teams opposing one another:

Alley	*Teams*
1&2	Reece vs. Cook's
3&4	Salvage vs. B. Ross
5&6	Jabish Brook vs. Jackson's
7&8	Ed Gates vs. B. S. S.
9&10	Cole Contrac. vs. Turkey Hill
11&12	Amer. Legion vs. Henneman's
13&14	Park Lane vs. Independents

The most interesting match of the evening should be between the young boys of Jabish Brook Country Club and the "old pros" from Jackson's Store!

Good luck to all the teams this year!

J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Don't forget, girls, bowling starts next Thursday, September 12th. We wish you all the best of luck, your President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange held its election of officers at its Tuesday evening meeting:

Master	Mrs. Ruth Kempkes
Overseer	Mrs. Marion Harrington
Lecturer	Mrs. Mary Judkins
Steward	Mrs. Joy Wright
Asst. Steward	Henry Eskett
Chaplain	Mrs. Emma Grover
Treasurer	Harold Peck
Secretary	Mrs. Myrtle Williams
Gate Keeper	Franklin Wenzel
Ceres	Helen Lister
Pomona	Mrs. Iola Shirtcliff
Flora	Nellie Wetmore
Lady Asst. Steward	Linda Wright
Executive Committee, 3 years	Howard Judkins

Invitations were received from Sunderland for September 25th, and from Hardwick Grange to neighbor with them on September 19th, when Past State Lecturer Dorothy Warden will be guest speaker.

Just eleven more days to get your treasures ready for the Grange meeting and auction September 17th. Fred Very can sell anything, so come loaded and make him prove it.

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Committee

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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the conservation committee—B. Aldrich and H. Judkins. Prize winners were: 1st, Herbert West, Florence Damon, Lillian Judge and Celia Jenks; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Howard Judkins; 3rd, Ruth Kempkes, Gaetane Fortin, Joy Wright and Emma Grover; door, Bertha Aldrich and Elsa Haller.

This week's party will be in charge of the tableaux committee, D. Snow, chairman, J. Henneman, I. Cook, C. Beaudoin and D. Trombly.

NURSES' ASSOCIATION

A Belchertown Registered Nurses meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Herbert Burridge on Monday evening, September 9. Plans for the hat sale will be made, plus an important business meeting.

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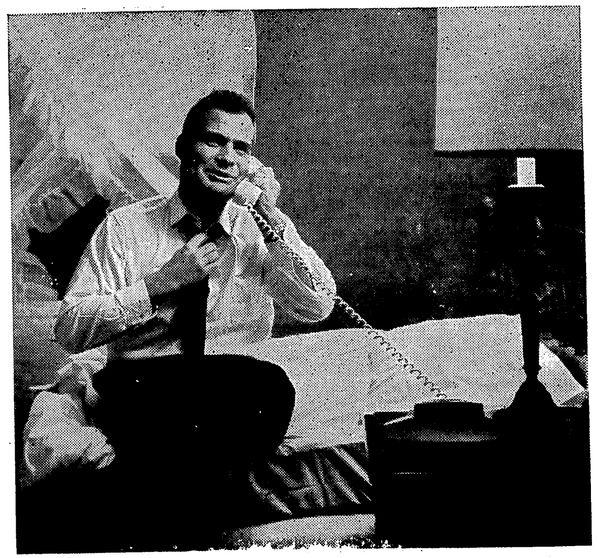

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old books, and materials for braiding rugs," of which she is a master.

Dr. Foote expressed appreciation, turned on and proudly held aloft her radio, and commented on how she and her colleagues had "suffered" together. She said that the goal of all was to give "good care to the children committed to our care" which lent "unity to the work of all of us."

Dr. Foote was born in Cornwall, Vermont, daughter of the late Abram W. Foote and the former Kate D. Nichols. Her father was Lt. Governor of Vermont in 1920. At the present time, Ralph A. Foote, her nephew, is Lt. Governor of that state.

She received her A. B. degree from Middlebury College in 1920, her M. D. from the University of Vermont in 1926, Diplomate - National Board of Medical Examiners in 1927, and engaged in general practice in Vermont 1927 to 1941.

She came to Massachusetts to the Walter E. Fernald State School in 1941, and transferred to Westborough State Hospital in 1943 to 1946. She returned to Walter E. Fernald State School in 1946, where she served till 1955 as senior physician and psychiatrist in charge of the traveling school clinic. She was certified in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology in 1950.

Dr. Foote transferred to Wrentham State School in 1955 till 1957. She came to Belchertown State School on September 8, 1957 as clinical director and director of psychiatry.

Upon retirement, Dr. Foote will go back to Middlebury, Vermont, and she also plans to do some travelling.

She is the author of the book, "Six Children," which deals with differential diagnosis in children having difficulties in school, and was printed by Charles C. Thomas Company in 1955.

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Genesee State College.
University of State of New York (Med. Student Certif. 1913)
University of Buffalo Medical Department (1913-1916).
College of Physicians and Surgeons (1916-1917) (M. D. 1917).
University of Buffalo Medical Department (1919-1920).
University of Pennsylvania (1936-1937).
University of Virginia (Extension Course, Roanoke (1944-1945).

Experience:

Millard Fillmore Hospital, Buffalo; Genesee Hospital, Rochester, intern.
Massachusetts Mental Health Center (1918-1919).
U. S. Public Health Service (1920-1923).
U. S. Veterans Bureau (1923-27).
DuPont Company (1927-1937).
Nat'l Institute of Health (1937-1938).
Naval Service (1939-1954) (Retired as Captain, 1955).
Veterans Hospital, Wilmington, Del. (Chief of Neurology and Psychiatry). (1954-1955).
Mental Hygiene Clinic, Petersburg, Va. (Director) (1959).
Private practice in child guidance (1959-1962).
Director of Psychiatry; O. P. D., Brockton Hospital, and Foxborough State Hospital (1962-1963).

He belongs to many medical associations, and has contributed to many publications.

FAMILY GATHERING

Mrs. Myrtle Williams attended a family gathering and luncheon at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Edith Putnam Thornton, a former resident of this town, on Sunday at Jewett City, Conn.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Putnam, Mrs. Harry Putnam, Mr. & Mrs. Guy Reed of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roach of Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Paine and Mr. Merrill Paine and son and daughter of Ludlow, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Wheeler of North Wilbraham, and Mrs. Eva Olds of Springfield.

After the usual horseshoe pitching, etc., we were treated to a short organ recital at the Methodist church, where Edith is organist.

The church is being redecorated and began with the purchase of an electric organ.

It will be remembered that the Putnams were very active in the Methodist Church here.

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PERNETT G. BRACEY

Military funeral services were held for Pernett G. Bracey at 2 Thursday afternoon of last week at the Beers & Story funeral home with Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor of the Methodist Church here officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Rev. Green and John Reed, chaplain of Chauncey D. Walker Post 239, American Legion, conducting the committal services. Bracey was a member of the town Legion Post for more than 40 years. Bearers were Lt. Col. Sidney Wheeler, Howard Shirtcliff, Romeo Joyal, Morgan Rythe, Harold Davis and Lincoln Cook. William Squires and George Carpenter served as color guards. Nelson Hill carried the colors and Francis Goodrow the post colors. Members of the firing squad were Samuel Joyal, David Staples, Harold Mellin, Isaac Hodgen and Howard and James Lemon. Frederick Very played taps. The flag was boxed by Howard Shirtcliff and Lt. Col. Wheeler, who presented it to Mr. Bracey's brother, Henry.

TOWN ITEMS

William A. Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Terry of Turkey Hill Road, who has been attending Holyoke Junior College, will matriculate to Northampton Commercial College for an Associate Degree in Business Management. He is a graduate of Belchertown High School, Class of 1961. He was Vice President of his class, and also a member of the Student Council. He was a prominent athlete, being active in both Basketball and Baseball during his entire four years of High School, and recipient of the B. H. S. Booster Club Trophy in 1961.

ANTIQUE DEALERS ASSN.

The Pioneer Valley Antiques Dealers Association will open its fall season on Tuesday evening, September 10, with a meeting in the delightful setting of an early American landmark, the 1774 Ben Smith Tavern in Hadley, Mass.

The tavern is now open as an antique shop under the ownership of The Johnsons who will be hosts to this association of which they have long been members. The group will gather in the famous old ballroom at 6.45 p. m. to enjoy a smorgasbord catered by Alexander's. During the business meeting following dinner there will be a discussion of the two-day antiques show to be held by the association on the first Saturday and Sunday of October.

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LEGION AUXILIARY

The first meeting of the season of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held on September 17, at 7.30, instead of September 10.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Catherine Germain is in Holyoke hospital with a fractured leg just above the knee as the result of a traffic accident in front of the new post-office last Saturday.

As we go to press, we learn of the death of Mrs. Ida Hunt at the Hilltop Nursing Home in Gilbertville. She died Thursday.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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some 1,000 enrolled in the schools, and it is normal to find that by the end of September, a dozen or so have swelled the ranks. The figures released: Elementary, 590; Jr. High, 164; and Senior High, 247.

Due to the lack of space this week, we will have to keep our "bits of news" in bit size. So to conclude, it might be mentioned that they are spreading loam on the ball field at the new school—something to look forward to, kids—we mean, of course, spring and baseball!

DANCE SCHOOL

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own inimitable manner. With the help of their teacher, dance will be a wonderful experience and not just so much work, as it seems to preschoolers at times.

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m. on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, for permission to operate a restaurant, proposed restaurant to be located on the southeasterly corner of the intersection of Rt. 9 and Gulf Road.

Henry Renouf, Chairman
Board of Appeals
Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Harold Mellin

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m. on the application of Harry Plant, of Daniel Shays Highway, for permission to build an apartment house containing four apartments on land owned by Mr. Plant on Federal Street, Rt. 9, in Belchertown, to be located approximately 500 feet from the corner of Bay Road down Federal Street.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Opening Day for the Mont Marie Development Drive in St. Francis Parish.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Speaker at B. H. S. Assembly at 10.15 a. m.
Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m. Registration at 6 p. m.
P. T. A. Meeting at Cold Spring School at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Jaycee Information Meeting at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Guild at 8 p. m.
W. S. C. S.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Missionary Group of WSCS at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood at 7.30 p. m.
Registered Nurses Hat Sale in the Pine Room from Noon until 8 p. m.
Adult Square Dance Lessons at Legion Hall.
Square Dance Teenage Fun Night at Memorial Hall.

BELCHERTOWN FAIR

Belchertown's most looked forward to event is just around the corner. The Farmers' and Mechanics' Club are holding meetings and making the necessary plans to have things run smoothly. The parade will be held as usual, with prizes for various entries, the town hall will be bursting with home grown produce, handmade articles and BABIES galore in the baby contest at 2.30 in the afternoon. The horse drawing will also attract many at 1 p. m.

The churches, schools and various organizations will also be bustling with activity, as each serves meals, parks cars or has a snack stand on the mid-way. Also home-made articles will be sold by several organizations. Most fun of all will be for the kiddies, when various rides will be offered.

The Fair is to be held Saturday, October 12, starting at 8.30 with the opening of the town hall.

JR. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

On Tuesday, September 17, there will be an open meeting at Lawrence Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m. This meeting has been scheduled by the Amherst Jaycees at the request of many young men in the town who have expressed an interest in forming a Junior Chamber unit here.

George Suhm, of this town, extension chairman of the Amherst chapter, has reported that many young men, already contacted, will be present, with others expected, following the mailing of personal letters sent out this past week. Those who are interested, but

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TOMORROW

O. E. S. Auction on Common at 10.30 a. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Sept. 24
4-H Achievement Night in Grange Hall.

Sept. 27
Women's Guild Public Supper in Congregationla Parish House at 6.30 p. m.

Oct. 12
Annual Fair of Belchertown Farmers and Mechanics Club.

Oct. 26
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 9
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

BOY SCOUT LEADERS

The weekly meeting of the leaders of Troop 507 was held at the home of Ralph Munn on Monday evening.

Mr. Isaac Hodgen, as representative of the Farmers' and Mechanics Club allotted the Scouts space for their refreshment booth and for the First Aid tent which the Scouts will run this year, with adult supervision, as part of their Community Service program.

Plans for the First Aid tent and Boy Scout refreshment booth have been made as to space, location, equipment, and schedules for workers.

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SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Belchertown Square Dance Club is sponsoring a series of Western Square Dance lessons. Lessons will be held at the American Legion Hall in Belchertown every Friday night from 8 p. m. to 10.30 p. m., starting on Friday, September 13.

John Alden of Monson is the instructor and caller.

Any adult couples interested in Western style square dancing are welcome.

FIREFIGHTERS' NOTES

The Firefighters' muster team took first prize last Sunday in the centrifugal pumping contest at Greenfield Fair, bringing home $75 on a spectacular run of 34.2 seconds.

Time was when the local group took more second prizes than firsts, but this season it has been firsts or nothing. They took first prize at Hadley a few weeks back, getting $75 there, so their total for the season is $150.

Last year their total was $115, by winning one first and one third prize.

A Report on Suppers—In the past six years average profit has been $359. This year the proceeds were $265, but with several nice donations added in, the 1963 total is $372.

Yes, apparently the Department still has the goodwill of our citizens.

PREMIUM LISTS—OFFICERS

The Farmers & Mechanics Club is issuing premium lists for the 106th Annual Fair to be held Saturday, October 12. Premiums are practically the same as last year.

Officers of the club are:
President Nelson Hill
Vice-President Donald Terry
Secretary
Mrs. N. Harold Tucker, Jr.

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BATON TWIRLING LESSONS

Mr. William O'Brien will start lessons in baton twirling on Monday, September 16, at 6.30 p. m. at the Old Town Hall.

Registrations will be at 6 p. m. New students will be accepted at this time, along with former pupils. Batons will be on sale before lessons.

Mary Farina will be assisting Mr. O'Brien this year.

ARTS IN THE CHURCH

Congregational Church Notes

The Rev. J. Thomas Leamon will lecture and show slides on "The Arts in the Church" on Monday evening, October 7. The Rev. Mr. Leamon is an especially well qualified speaker on this subject. An understanding and appreciation of the arts is receiving major emphasis in all phases of our church work. Rev. Mr. Leamon is trained in the field of art, and has written many articles relative to art in the church. He was pastor of the Second Church in Amherst until 1955.

This meeting is open to all churches in the Hampshire District, and we expect a large representation from other churches.

This meeting will be an exceptionally important meeting for all church members. Remember the date, October 7.

EASTERN STAR AUCTION

Tomorrow is the day to drop all your usual Saturday chores and come to the Eastern Star Auction on the common, beginning at 10.30 a. m. There is a good assortment of household articles for that summer camp, and others, for those whose hobby is refinishing. Other hobbyists will find photographic equipment, and plaster-molding articles.

John Malone of Granby is auctioneer. John's genial manner provides a day's entertainment, besides the chance to pick up some rare bargains.

Harriet Hill and Marjorie Wickham will serve as bookkeepers.

Lunch will be served during the sale by Mrs. Harlan Rhodes and Mrs. Frank Grover, with the help of other members of the "Star." An assortment of new plastic items will also be on sale at the refreshment booth.

The auction is sponsored by the ways and means committee, with Mr. and Mrs. James Lodge as co-chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wickham, Mr. and Mrs. William French, Sgt. Sheldon Barker, Mrs. Jack Poole, Mrs. Philip Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rhodes, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grover.

THE BARBECUE

Promptly at 12 noon on Sunday, Frank Kosiba stepped to the loud speaker and welcomed the folks to the 6th annual Trappist Sunday and chicken barbecue on the Common. Although it was still an hour before the scheduled opening— 1 o'clock, the dispensers of chicken and edibles were already in line, set to go, and so the procession started.

At the time of the welcoming, regular tickets were being exchanged for tickets numbered around 250. By 1 p. m., the starting hour, numbers 500 to 600 were being called.

It was a grand day for the event-in fact a bit on the sunny side at times. Even the ticket sellers soon sought the shade, and stayed there all afternoon.

Clarence Robinson, lay chairman of the event, has kindly handed us an account of this 6th annual event:

ST. FRANCIS PARISH BARBECUE

A very fine day and a fine group of workers plus a very large and orderly crowd of hungry people made this event our best one up to date.

Our ticket chairman, Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Brennen and Mrs. Mary Longtine, did a very remarkable job. I also want to thank Mrs. Phyllis Mullane, co-chairman, for the capable way she handled her duties; and all the rest of her assistants for their fine team work. Thanks to Mrs. Midura for the fine table decorations, the police department for their efficient handling of traffic and general order, and other faiths for their courtesies to us.

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SATELLITE COMMUNICATION

Harold P. Brennan of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. was the speaker at the meeting of the Lions Club on Tuesday evening at the Daisy Mae Restaurant. His subject was "Satellite Communication," and while he tried to be as non-technical as possible, the subject seemed almost too staggering to comprehend.

He said that our communication needs have skyrocketed over the years, and that all this research going on is but to make sure our needs in the coming years are provided for.

He pointed to the achievements already attained—among them the fact that due to direct distance dialing, we hereabouts have at our fingertips 70 million telephones.

He said that cables on the ocean floor can handle only a small part of our communication needs. Here is where Telstar and all the satellite

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Massachusetts History Seems
To Have Completed A Circle!

One of these days we may be treated to an interesting picture involving a strange sort of reversal in Massachusetts history. Time was, so we are told, when men were imprisoned hereabouts for not paying enough attention to the Word of God. Now there is a very real danger that some otherwise blameless person may be jailed for admitting there *is* a God!

Back in the early days, say our history books, Pilgrims and Puritans came to the stern and rockbound coast of New England because they sought the opportunity to worship God as they pleased.

The Basic History of the United States, by Charles A. and Mary R. Beard, states: "In the case of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, religious affairs took a course unlike that in Virginia or Maryland. Although, like Virginians, the Puritans who settled on the Bay were members of the Church of England when they arrived, they had wanted to alter some of its practices and soon they separated from it entirely in their new home. After the separation each town set up a church of its own, called Congregational, and taxpayers were required by law to support it. For a long time every voter in Massachusetts had to be a member of a Congregational church."

The ancestors of our earliest settlers had been imprisoned for reading the Bible in England. In the New World men were imprisoned or placed in pillories or stocks because they did not behave in accordance with what the Pilgrim or Puritan fathers believed was the will of God.

Here almost everyone learned to read. To quote the Bairds:" "To Protestantism must be attributed the main source of this wide literacy. The colonial population was overwhelmingly Protestant and a tenet of dissenting faith was the right of everyone to read the Bible for himself instead of merely listening to its exposition. Hence the Protestant clergy, especially among Puritans, Baptists, and Presbyterians, made it one of their prime duties to see that children of their sects acquired the ability to read and actually carried reading forward, as they grew up, with a sense of religious obligation."

Our earliest Massachusetts school textbooks were deeply colored with religion. The most famous of these, *The New England Primer,* started with "A Divine Song of Praise to God, for a Child":

"How glorious is our heavenly King,
Who reigns above the Sky!
How shall a Child presume to sing
His dreadful Majesty!"

And ends with the "Advice to Children" of the late Rev. Nathaniel Clapp, who said: "Good children should remember daily, God their Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier; to believe in, love and serve him; their parents to obey them in the Lord; their bible and catechism; their baptism; the Lord's day; the Lord's death and resurrection; their own death and resurrection; and the day of judgment, when all that are not fit for heaven must be sent to hell. And they should pray to God in the name of Christ, for saving grace."

In between these selections are two religious alphabets (Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God; Elijah hid-by Ravens fed), a "Shorter Catechism", and much more, including the most pathetic little verse I know:

"I in the burying place may see
Graves shorter far than I,
From death's arrest no age is free,
Young children too must die."

In short our Massachusetts public schools were traditionally tied to religion, and though the bonds were quite soon loosened so that no one branch of faith was favored, there was always a tie of the schools to God.

Always, that is, until September, 1963.

Now we have completed some sort of circle and the time may come soon when a brash teacher will cause himself to be arrested for presuming to lead his schoolroom in reciting the Lord's Prayer or for daring to read the Bible aloud to his school children without making that reading a part of an exercise in literary appreciation.

Perhaps he will stand trial because he has stated, as a start to a day: "The fear of God is the beginning of wisdom."

In our desire to protect the rights of our people to believe as they wish without interference, we may somehow have encouraged them not to believe in much of anything.

Children look to their elders for guidance. I wonder what the kids really think of their adult leaders who have suddenly stopped a practice which they had followed for centuries, apparently in the belief that kids should realize that education, like the nation, was "under God".

In a book of mine there is a stanza of our great song "America", which is labeled: "Discarded Stanza". It reads:

"Our glorious land today,
'Neath Education's sway,
Soars upward still.
Its halls of learning fair,
Whose bounties all may share,
Behold them everywhere,
On vale and hill."

In view of the judgment that youngsters should not be asked to participate in exercises that could be an affront to their beliefs, I expect we also must "discard" the last stanza of the same song:

"Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee I sing;
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King!"

And if we follow the logical arguments of our highest courts to their logical conclusion, we must omit one phrase of the *Pledge of Allegiance* and the last words of the "National Anthem."

* * *

Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

* * *

". . . that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom . . ." *Abraham Lincoln*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The High School is using their new quarters in Memorial Hall for the first time. The total enrollment is now 126, 25 of whom come from Enfield and Greenwich.

Efforts are being made to secure a piano for Lawrence Memorial Hall. $265.00 has already been pledged and a Committee of three have been appointed to secure additional money.

The Domestic Science Fund from the friends and alumni of B.H.S. is growing, $265.00 having been pledged to date.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Blackmer have moved to his parish in North Hadley. Their son, Stanley, will still remain on the farm in Mill Valley.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Downing of Enfield are moving into their new house on Maple St.

The special town meeting, began, continued and ended in protest. Art. 1 to appropriate $2000.00 for W.P.A. project was voted down. While there was a rising vote of thanks to Mr. Parsons' daughter, Mrs. Marion F. Spencer, for the gift of the Recreation Field, there was a barrage of argument concerning the control of the land, and to quote the Steeple, "Thanks might well have been expressed to Dr. McPherson for his influence in gaining this excellent gift". When the meeting came to the article of voting $60,000 for an addition to the Center Grade building, there seemed to be little interst even to hear about the proposed plan or of receiving information. The vote went down by a sweeping majority.

TEN YEARS AGO

Henry R. Gould, a resident of Belchertown all his life, died at the age of 84. He and his father conducted a meat market for years, following which he engaged in farming and in running a milk business. He retired 15 years ago.

665 children are now enrolled in Belchertown's public schools.

Rev. Edward P. Kelly, who was pastor of the Congregational Church from 1911-1916 died last April at the age of 84.

Rev. Rockwell Smith, a former Methodist pastor, spoke to a full house at the Methodist church, the Congregationalists joining in the service.

Miss Virginia Booth became the bride of Irving Hislop, and Miss Mary Kellogg the bride of Lester Rhodes. The former couple were married by Rev. Rockwell Smith, and the latter by Rev. Louis Tappin of N.H.

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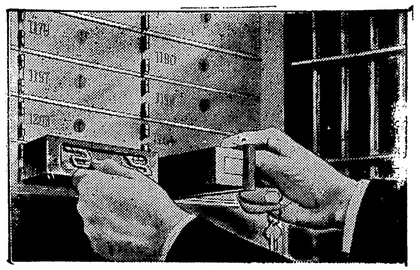

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DOG OWNERS WIN PRIZES

Dogs entered by seven members of the Belchertown K-9's, a 4-H Dog Club, won ribbons at the Three County Fair in Northampton.

Karol Kimball's entry won first place in the Open A Class with Bambi, and she was presented with a bronze 4-H trophy and a blue rosette. They also placed first in the Blue Ribbon Showmanship Class which is open to those who have won blue ribbons previously. She also received a bronze trophy and blue rosette for this class.

Richard Hawkins and his dog Lucky, placed second in the Novice Y Class. Marsha Staples and her dog, Happy, placed second, and Carol Ann Bergeron and her dog Tammpy, placed fifth in the Novice X Class. Gail Whipple and her dog, Queenie, placed first, and was awarded a blue rosette, and David Brown and his dog, Duchess placed second in the Novice Class.

In the Junior Showmanship Class, Carol Ann Bergeron placed first, and receeived a blue rosette. Marsha Staples was third, David Brown was fourth, and Linda Louise Burridge was fifth.

In the Senior Showmanship, Gail Whipple placed second.

SCHOOL FOR CHRISTIAN WORKERS

The following courses of study will be offered at the Belchertown-Ware Area School for Christian Workers to be held in the Methodist Education Building here starting on Monday, September 30.

1. The Life of Jesus A survey of the events of the life of Jesus for a clearer understanding of His personality and His work.
2. A study of the Book of Romans This great book setting forth the doctrine of salvation through faith in Christ and the duties and privileges of Christians.
3. Helping Children grow in Christian Faith. Development of Christian concepts and attitudes of children, the influence of adult concepts and attitudes on the child.
   a. Kindergarten; b. Primary and Junior Children.
4. The Use of the Bible In Teaching youth. Methods of teaching the Bible to youth and helping youth to apply the Bible to every day living.

B. H. S. NOTES

Mr. Joseph Demos, a volunteer worker from Springfield, will be the guest speaker at an assembly to be held at B. H. S. at 10.15 a.m. on Monday. His talk will be of the Danny Thomas Leukemia Drive.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, September 9th, the bowling got underway with Reece defeating Cook's, 4 to 2. High for the winners was Russ Robinson with 304 and Sam Dana 330 for the losers. Bud Ross and his men won out over Salvage 4 to 2 with Howie Main's 347 for the winners, and Jake Bodzinski 312, for the latter. The "Old Pros" of Jackson's showed the young men from Jabish Brook how it's done by taking all 6 points from them. High for Jackson's was Bill Dickinson with 341 and Bob Gawlik high for Jabish Brook with 310. Gates' Garage defeated B. S. S. 6 to 0 with Dave Barrett's 288 high for the garage and Howard Judkins' 269 high for the losers. Turkey Hill also took 6 points from Cole Contractors. High for the winners was Earl Henrichon with 287 and Don Cole with 298 for the opposing team. Henneman's defeated American Legion 6 to 0 with Andy Sears and Art Henneman having 323 each for the winners and Pete Adzima 298 high for the Legion. Independents took 4 from Park Lane with Ed Field's 302 and John Coty's 124 single for the winners. Tony Pereira was high for Park Lane with 301.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's Esso	6	0	1529
Jackson's Store	6	0	1510
Gates' Garage	6	0	1381
Turkey Hill	6	0	1379
Independents	4	2	1490
Bud Ross	4	2	1428
Reece	4	2	1376
Salvage	2	4	1456
Park Lane	2	4	1443
Cook's	2	4	1373
Jabish Brook	0	6	1466
Cole Contractors	0	6	1290
American Legion	0	6	1270
B. State School	0	6	1117

High Single	Howie Main, 126
2nd High Single	John Coty, 124
High Three Strings	Howie Main, 347
2nd High Three	Bill Dickinson, 341
Team High Single	Henneman's, 532
Team High Three	Henneman's, 1529

110 Club: S. Dana 123, 112; R. Robinson 110, 110; H. Main 126, 112; P. Menard 113; B. Dickinson 117, 119; B. Gawlik 112; P. Ketchen 114; E. Lowe 121; D. Cole 110; A. Sears 112; A. Henneman 110, P. Adzima 112; J. Coty 124; E. Field 118; and J. Bodzinski 122.

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J. Hubbard, Secretary

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F. Lincoln

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Women's Bowling League started the fall season last night at the Rolla-way Lanes in Ware, with 14 teams in competition. Vi Main is captain of the Bowl-aires; Pat Staples is captain of the Chadson Gals; Darsa Snow, Congo's; Hazel Williams, Crystals; Janice Stone, Gay Rollers; Ann Kimball, Harmony Five; Harriet Hill, Hit or Miss; Rita Lapointe, Jolly "5"; Martha Barrett, King Pins; Edith Depot, Night Outers; Alice Bodzinski, Outskirters; Ida Cook, Pin Pickers; Joan Hutchinson, Pin Spinners; and Lois Lowe, Roll-a-ways.

SORRELL—CIRCE

St. Francis Church was the scene recently of the wedding of Miss Theresa Rose Sorrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sorrell of Gold St., and Reginald Robert Circe, son of Mrs. Anna Circe of Indian Orchard. The double ring service was performed by Rev. Joseph T. Collins.

Mrs. Clarence Tetrault, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Edmund Nolan of Springfield, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. James Kilbride of Indian Orchard.

James Kilbride was best man and Edmund Nolan and Clarence Tetrault were ushers.

RAY—HOLLAND

Brookville Reformed Church, Brookville, L.I., was the setting Saturday afternoon for the marriage of Miss Sandra Potter Ray, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Henry Ray 3d, of Syosset, to Hudson Holland, Jr., of Grosse Pointe, Mich., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Holland of Ely Rd., Longmeadow. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John M. McCombe, Jr., Asian director of the World Bible Society, assisted by Rev. Stanley Addis, pastor of the church. A reception was held at Nassau Country Club.

The bride was escorted by her father. She wore a gown of white tribute satin and a full-length veil of Lierre lace that had been worn by her grandmother. She carried a cascade bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids and stephanotis with camellia leaves.

Miss Pamela Eldredge Ray was maid of honor for her sister whose other attendants were the Misses Mary Christina Holland and Susan Clarke Holland, sisters of the bridegroom; Miss Carolyn Hama Potts, cousin of the bride; Miss Randi Lee Reeve, Miss Candace Bancroft McElroy and Miss Suzanne Brown August, the latter three former classmates at Westover School. Flower girls were Susan Palmer Ray, sister of the bride, and Sarah Ramsey Murray. The bridesmaids wore full-length gowns of willow green tribute satin. They carried cascade bouquets of pale pink Fuji chrysanthemums with camellia leaves, and wore bands of camellia leaves in their hair.

Christopher Fuller Holland was his brother's best man. Ushers were Ethelbert Holland Low, cousin of the bridegroom; Nelson C. Holland, 2d, another cousin; Matson B. Holbrook, Jerry P. Goodwin and Joyn C. Byers, former classmates at Williams College; Rev. David B. Harned and Elmer F. Twyman.

The bride attended Friends Academy, Locust Valley, L.I., was graduated from Westover School, Middlebury, Conn., attended Smith College, and is a member of the Junior League of the North Shore. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Ray of Dongan Hills, N.Y., and of Mrs. Nanette Overhysser of Syosset, L.I., and the late Gustav Overhysser, Jr., of Middletown, Conn.

Mr. Holland is an alumnus of Deerfield Academy and Williams College, class of 1961, where he was a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity. He is a member of Detroit Country Club, and is employed by the J. L. Hudson Co. He is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dwight Fuller of Springfield and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Clarke Holland of New York City.

After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Grosse Pointe, Mich.

MRS. IDA HUNT

Mrs. Ida I. (Packard) Hunt, 82, of Cottage Street, died last week Thursday at the Hilltop Nursing Home in Gilbertville.

She was born in Pelham, August 24, 1881, daughter of Eldridge and Marie (Baker) Packard. She lived here about 20 years. She was a member of Pelham United Church. She leaves no near relatives.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 at the Beers and Story funeral home, with Rev. George G. Condon, Jr., pastor of the Pelham Church, officiating. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetery, with Rev. Karl J. Bohmer, an Episcopal clergyman, and a one time neighbor of Mrs. Hunt, conducting the commital service.

TOWN ITEMS

Sgt. Sheldon Barker of Stebbins St. is a patient at Westover Hospital with an eye injury.

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They go together — the power of God and the triumph of man. One is the source. The other is the reflection. It's an idea worth pondering, for it holds the key to dominion over evil in all its forms. You're invited to hear a one-hour public lecture on this subject by Noel D. Bryan-Jones of The Christian Science Board of Lectureship. The title is: "God Omnipotent Makes Man Triumphant." All are welcome.

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 5, 25-26; 6, 1-10. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians.

Gospel—Luke 7, 11-16. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the raising to life of the dead son of the widow of Nain).

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— FR. DUDLEY HOME —

As noted in the item dealing with the Barbecue (which, by the way, totaled near or over the 1,600 mark for the number of people served) Fr. Dudley returned to Belchertown Monday. He wishes to extend thanks to all who remembered him while in Providence Hospital.

— MONT MARIE FUND —

According to an article in last week's *Catholic Observer,* the $400,000 mark has been reached in the special gifts fund portion of the drive. This portion of the drive ended on Wednesday of this past week.

This Sunday, an army of more than 8,000 volunteers will begin a house-to-house solicitation for family pledges. Amounting to $180.00 per working person, the pledges will be payable over a three-year period.

Sixty-nine parishes in the four county area of the Diocese of Springfield are participating in the formal Development Fund campaign. In these parishes, the Sisters of St. Joseph conduct elementary or high schools. The drive will close throughout the Diocese on Monday, September 30.

—BISHOP WELDON —

Bishop Christopher J. Weldon left New York for Rome and the second session of the Vatican Council on the 12th, Thursday of this past week.

Sailing with him were the same consultants who assisted him during the first session: Msgr. Joseph I. Johnson, head of the diocesan marriage Tribunal, and Father Thomas F. Devine, chairman of the education department at the College of Our Lady of the Elms, Chicopee.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "God's Love"
Prelude, "Romance" Flavell
Anthem, "With My Hand in Thine" Wells
Offertory, "Offertoire" Battmenn
Postlude, "Adagio" Ashford
Junior Sermon by the Pastor

There will be Junior Church for children in the Morning Worship Service.

7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Missionary Group of the W. S. of C. S. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

10.30 a. m. District Ministers will meet with Dr. E. Stanley Jones at First Church in Pittsfield.

7 to 7.30 p. m. Blankets that are being sold by the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be shown in this half hour before the regular meeting of the Women's Society. Mrs. Ernest Gay will bring the evening meditation, with Rev. Marvin R. Green as the speaker of the evening. The regular meeting will start at 7.30.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

The first fall meeting of the Hitched and Unhitched, time and place to be announced later.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

2.30-4.30 p. m. M. Y. F. Officers Training at Providence Methodist Church in Easthampton.

COMING

Sub-District Area Survey Meeting at Ware Methodist Church, September 27, at 10 a. m. District Conference at the Asbury Methodist Church in Springfield, 4 p. m. The afternoon will be a panel discussion on the area survey. In the evening, Dean Walter Mulder of Boston University School of Theology will speak.

September 30 will be the first meeting of the Belchertown-Ware area School for Christian Workers. These meetings will be held each Monday night through November 4.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Guest Minister

Our missionary to India, the Rev. Gifford Towle, will be the guest preacher at the service of worship on Sunday morning.

Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship

The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship will hold its first meeting on Sunday evening, from 7 to 8.30. The topic for discussion will be "The Purpose of Pilgrim Fellowship." All high school students are invited to attend the Fellowship meetings.

Women's Guild

The first meeting of the fall season of the Women's Guild will be held in the Parish House on Wednesday evening, September 18. A short business meeting will begin promptly at eight o'clock in the Ryther Room. At 8.30 we will adjourn to the Chapel, where Mrs. Frank Towne, Jr., will lead us in a devotional period, and Mr. Leighton Cheney, director of the Protestant Youth Center in Baldwinville, will give us a progress report on the Center and will show slides. Because of the interest in this project, and because Mr. Cheney is such a busy man, we have invited the women's groups from six churches in the immediate area to hear him. Mrs. Kenneth Collard of our own group is a member of the board of directors at the Center.

Guild Supper

September 27th marks the first public supper sponsored by the Women's Guild. This will be a casserole and salad supper to be served at 6.30. Mark the date on your calendar.

Adult Study Group

An Adult Study Group based upon the United Church Curriculum adult course, "The Parables of Jesus," will meet on Thursday evenings at 8 in the Parish House. This group will be conducted entirely upon a discussion basis. All are welcome.

INSTRUCTORS NAMED

The Ware Area Council of Methodist Churches has announced the instructors for the courses of study in The School for Christian Workers to be held in the Methodist Church Educational Building this month and next. The Reverend Clarence F. Avey has again consented to teach a new course of "The Life of Jesus," and the Reverend Glenn Glazier will teach a course on "The Book of Romans." Both of these courses are for Bible enrichment and are open to anyone interested in gaining knowledge of the Bible.

Mrs. Clarence Avey will teach "Helping Children Grow in Christian Faith" on the Junior, Primary level, with Miss Ruth Decker, D. D., Minister of Christian Education, also teaching this course in the lower levels.

The Reverend Leslie Johnson, D. D., Superintendent of the Worcester District, and the Reverend Elmo F. Young, Superintendent of the Springfield District are advisors of the school.

The opening date is September 30, 7.30 p. m. to 9.30 p. m., and will be held each Monday evening through November 4. All interested people are invited.

Rev. G. Louis Johnson is dean of the school.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eleven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the tableaux committee, Darsa Snow, chairman; Ida Cook, June Henneman, Nancy Beaudoin and Dot Trombly. The prize winners were Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Howard Judkins; 2nd, Jane Bowler, Elsa Haller, Christine Henry and Ida Underwood; 3rd, Libby Lavella, Ethel Lavella, Ethel Sanderson and Frank Szczepanski; door, Christine Henry, Frank Szczepanski.

This week's party will be in charge of the card party committee, Mary Judkins, chairman; K. Hubbard and R. Breton, Jr.

LIONS CLUB NEWS

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communicatiions come in.

By means of colored slides, Mr. Brennan showed the mammoth ground installation at Andover, Me., and described in detail the functions of the equipment. Satellite installations were found necessary, he said, due to the curvature of the earth's surface. Mr. Brennan told of obstacle after obstacle that had been overcome in perfecting this new medium of communication.

Although the telephone system is spending millions, he said that ultimately it will mean cheaper communication. He said that the first cross-country telephone calls were $24, whereas the same service in now obtainable for $1.00. He pointed out that all this progress was made possible through our free enterprise system. Stockholders pay the bills, not the tax payers. He maintained that growth is an absolute necessity in a free society.

And so the members went home dreaming of messages going out into space, bounding against satellites, and being re-directed to their desination.

The next Lions Club meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 25, when the speaker will be Leon LaRoche of the Springfield office of the McLean Trucking Co., who will speak on the operations of a Class 1 motor carrier.

Arlan Skinner and Kenneth Thayer volunteered to provide programs for the several meeting nights of the year. It was stated Tuesday evening that meetings for the first half of the year are fairly well booked, and they are now working on the last half.

John Carr, the new president of the club, presided at the business meeting.

Fred Farley reported at the meeting that he had sent 17 pair of glasses to "New Eyes for the Needy, Inc.," at Short Hills, N. J. Lions clubs are especially interested in sight projects.

TURKEY SHOOTS

The big money-making project of the Lions Club this year is the turkey shoots. The first shoot will be held Sunday, September 22, and they will be held on ten consecutive Sundays at 1.30 p. m. at the Salvage grounds.

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THE BARBECUE

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With our take-out table easing the strain on the regular serving table, the affair went along much more satisfactory for everyone.

The Trappist products were well patronized and did a fine business. The Country Store had a very successful day.

Publicity Chairman Mrs. Mary Avery and co-chairman, Michael Forgue did a fine job. Public Address was handled by Frank Kosiba and Mike Forgue in the best possible manner. The pit workers showed their usual great ability, always having plenty of chickens available. Thomas Krol and his young assistants did a very fine job.

Harold Willey, our set-up chairman, Harvey Samson, Samuel Joyal and other helpers made sure that there was plenty of table space and seats for everyone.

With our pastor, Rev. George R. Dudley, in the hospital, we all tried our best to make this barbecue a success, which fact we knew would cheer him up and shorten his stay on the sick list. He was released the following day, September 9, and to say he was happy when he heard the results would be putting it mildly.

Well, that about covers the barbecue for 1963. Hope to see you all again another year. Thanking you all again.

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P. T. A. MEETING

The first meeting of the P. T. A. Association will be held at the Cold Spring School on Monday, September 16, at 8 p. m.

At this meeting the faculty from all schools in town will be introduced.

The membership chairman will be available at that time and would appreciate dues paid.

Refreshments will be served.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Fred J. Skinner is a patient at Holyoke Hospital.

Mrs. C. A. Bissell of Kerrville, Texas, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jensen of this town, and who spent the week-end here after vacationing two months in the East, returned to Texas early this week.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE

The power of God and its effects on man will be explored at a one-hour public lecture on Friday, September 13th, by Noel D. Bryan-Jones of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship.

NOEL D. BRYAN-JONES
Christian Science lecturer

The lecture is being sponsored by Christian Science Society, Ware, and will be given at 8.15 p. m. in Ware High School Auditorium, West St., Ware, Mass. Title of the lecture is "God Omnipotent Makes Man Triumphant."

Mr. Bryan-Jones is from Worthing, Sussex, England, and was formely a Council member of The British Optical Association. For the past few years, he has been devoting full time to Christian Science practice, and is currently on an extensive lecture tour.

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BOY SCOUT LEADERS

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The leaders also discussed plans for a hike on the 26th of October, Parents' Night, and a Tenderfoot Institute.

Tentative plans for the not so near future include such projects as repairing their camp on Route 202, a winter hike, the Klondike Derby at Camp Chesterfield, and the building of a swimming pool by the boys at their camp.

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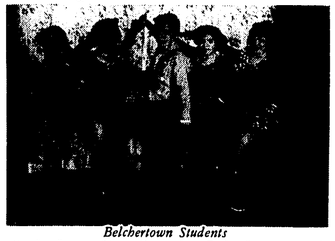

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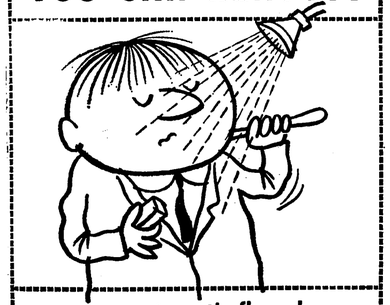

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JR. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Teenagers of the area are reminded of the Free Fun Night Friday, the 13th, sponsored by the Belchertown Hilltop Twirling Square Dance club.

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It will be held at Memorial Hall, Belchertown, from 7.30 until 10.30.

Refreshments will be served.

Lessons for those interested will start the following day in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church from 1.30 to 3.30. Teacher and caller in Red McCain.

AT MOUNT HERMON

Mount Hermon, Mass.—Among the 593 boys enrolling this week as the 83rd school year opens at Mount Hermon School is Frederick D. Fitzgerald, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick D. Fitzgerald, Three Rivers Road, Belchertown.

PREMIUM LISTS—OFFICERS

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Treasurer Isaac Hodgen
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Preston Atwood
Stanley Antonovitch
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William Aldrich
Eva Cunningham
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BIRTH

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Eric Olsen of McCoy Air Force Base, Orlando, Fla., are the parents of a daughter, Carolyn Sue, born August 31. Mrs. Olsen is the former Lillian Cartier of this town.

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Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

Sept. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing held in the Selectmen's Rooms on September 26, 1963 on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an all alcoholic beverages Club License. The premises to be licensed is located approximately 1200 feet from the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and approximately 600 feet from the easterly boundry of same property with one (1) front entrance and one (1) rear exit. This business to be carried on in a building having one floor, using the large room at the easterly end of the building for serving liquors and storage room in basement.

The Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. lists the following officers:

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Peter Demetropoulos, Sr. Vice President
Doreen Demetropoulos Secretary

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Michael S. Mathras

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D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Harry Plant his newly built home on Everett Ave. to Mr. and Mrs. William Russell of Jabish St. Mr. Russell is a research chemist for Chicopee Manufacturing. The Russells intend to occupy their new home on or about October 1.

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m. on the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther A. Black, both of Federal Street, for permission to operate a restaurant, proposed restaurant to be located on the southeasterly corner of the intersection of Rt. 9 and Gulf Road.

Henry Renouf, Chairman
Board of Appeals
Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Harold Mellin

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing, September 16, in the Recreation Room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m. on the application of Harry Plant, of Daniel Shays Highway, for permission to build an apartment house containing four apartments on land owned by Mr. Plant on Federal Street, Rt. 9, in Belchertown, to be located approximately 500 feet from the corner of Bay Road down Federal Street.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —

Church School. Classes at 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.

Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

Business meeting of the Church at noon.

Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 3.30 p. m.

Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor

Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.

Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate

Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor

Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.

Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the Salvage grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Club. Supper at 6.30 p. m.

Chamber of Commerce Dinner Meeting at Daisy Mae Restaurant at 7 p. m.

4-H Achievement Night in Grange Hall at 7 p. m.

Jaycee Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Cub Scout Registration Night at Legion Hall at 7 p. m.

Lions Club.

FRIDAY

Women's Guild Public Supper in Congregational Parish House at 6.30 p. m.

Western Square Dance Lesson in Legion Hall.

SATURDAY

Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Grange Card Party.

Senior Class Paper Drive.

IMPORTANT CHURCH MEETING

A special warrant-called meeting of the Congregational Church is being called for next Sunday noon, following the morning service to hear and act on the report of the pastoral committee. A letter has gone out to the parish this week telling of the committee unanimously recommending one presently serving a church in Hawaii, who was in town a while back and manifested considerable interest in the community and the church. The committee expects to submit further data at the meeting on Sunday.

Members of the pastoral supply committee are William E. Shaw, George A. Smith, Mrs. Louise C. Wadsworth, Mrs. Mary Pratt and Frederick E. Lincoln.

JAYCEES MEETING

"Do you want to help shape the future of Belchertown?" That perhaps was the most challenging question asked at the Jaycees informational meeting at Memorial Hall on Tuesday evening, when a group from the Amherst organization were out to sponsor a similar group here. George Suhm was chairman of the meeting, introducing the key leaders, who told of features of the Jaycee set-up.

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TODAY

Record Hop sponsored by the Police Association.

Western Square Dance Lesson in Legion Hall.

Hitched and Unhitched.

TOMORROW

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Oct. 12
Annual Fair.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall—Fair Day Special.
Oct. 26
Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Dec. 21
Square Dance Annual Mistletoe Ball at Memorial Hall.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

All boys who wish to re-register, or have just recently turned eight years old and wish to join, are asked to come to the American Legion Home on No. Main St., from 7 to 8 p. m. on September 25.

Since we have a limited amount of Den Mothers, and are still in need of more, we would more than welcome adult registrations because we will not have the necessary amount of dens for the amount of boys we usually have turn out to register each year. The rule will have to be, first come, first placed, till the present Den Mothers have filled their individual quotas, and no more will be accepted, except on a waiting list, which may be through the whole year.

We are also in need of a Cubmaster and Committeemen for our Pack in Belchertown. The load of handling the duties is left to a very few.

We will help anyone who is willing to give us just a little of their time each month for the young boys in our town.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

"Around Our Town" hasn't been very much in evidence of late—in fact, it is probably due to the fact that the correspondent just hasn't been around our town in the past few weeks. With everyone back from vacationing, and the youngsters off to their studies, multitudes of little bits of news are much in evidence, though not always published. It is these bits of news this column hopes to keep before you.

With Autumn's arrival due next Monday, our attentions will be turned towards the foliage, the fair, Halloween, basketball and Thanksgiving.

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DWIGHT CHAPEL LADIES' AID

The Dwight Chapel Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting Tuesday, September 10th at the Dwight Chapel. Among the various projects discussed was one pertaining to the bazaar being held the night of the chicken pie supper on October 26th.

All articles being made for this bazaar should be brought to our next meeting on October 8th at the Dwight Chapel. All members please note the date and place as we hope to have all attending.

RECORD HOP

The Police Association is giving a free record hop for the young people this Friday night from 8 to 11.30 at Memorial Hall.

Another hop (not free) will be held October 19.

NURSERY ASSOCIATION

The Belchertown Nursery Association announces officers as follows:

President	Mrs. Bertha Loftus
Vice-President	Mrs. Shirley Dorey
Treasurer	Mrs. June Kimball
Secretary	Mrs. Ruth Johnston
Teacher	Mrs. Dorothy Brennen
Assistant	Mrs. Doris Dickinson

Our kindergarten and nursery school classes' enrollment is filled. We are sorry that we could not accept all, but the law allows only twenty-five children in our establishment.

In the event that some drop out, your name may be put on a waiting list.

School starts Monday, September 30.

ALSAC

On Monday, September 16, Mr. Joseph Demos spoke to the faculty and student body of Belchertown High. Mr. Demos is the Western Mass. chairman for ALSAC, Aiding Leukemia Stricken American Children. His work is completely voluntary and very impressively done. The movie which he uses "The Dream That Grew," featuring Danny Thomas, the supporter of the drive, is exceptional. All the students watched it intently and one was quoted as saying, "It really shakes you up!"

I hope you will take a minute to look at the display in the window at Jackson's Store. Surely, the pictures of the children, in connection with leukemia, will "shake you up."

Miss Darlene Willey is the town chairman for Belchertown in the Danny Thomas Leukemia Drive. The drive is concentrated on teenage marchers but adult cooperation is welcomed. Miss Willey and some workers attended a

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C. OF C. MEETING

There will be a Dinner and Business meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce at 7 p. m. at the Daisy Mae Restaurant on Tuesday. The town Planning Board is invited to attend.

PAPER DRIVE

The Seniors will conduct a paper drive on Saturday, September 28, starting at 8 a. m. It It is requested that all papers be tied. The collection will include old newspapers, magazines, books and cardboard. Call any of the following:

Dennis Sulewski	323-6398
Pat Wadsworth	323-7711
John Ribeiro	323-6335
Beverly Weeks	323-6959

TURKEY SHOOT

The first Lions Club turkey shoot is this coming Sunday, September 22, at the Salvage grounds at 1.30 p. m.

P. T. A. MEETING

The first P. T. A. meeting of the present season on Monday evening ran true to form in that there was a banner attendance (cars backed up as far as South Main Street) and it is the shortest meeting of the year.

The new committee chairmen were introduced by the president. They include Mrs. Chester Pinkos, ways and means; Mrs. Margaret Austin, publicity; Mrs. Ruth Dobson, membership; Mrs. Anita Wadhams, program; and co-chairmen of the hospitality committee, Mrs. Leo Hall and Mrs. John Bailey.

The president said that the by-laws, which are being revised, will probably be ready for consideration early in 1964.

In appreciation of Carl Peterson's service as superintendent for the past ten years, and his service in our school system for some 25 years, it was voted to award him a life membership in the P. T. A.

Harold Willey, chairman of the school committee, pled for a strong P. T. A. organization, even though committee members themselves could probably come but little. He said the group could be of great help, especially at this time when we are building a new school.

Speaking of the new school, Isaac Hodgen, building committee chairman, was given a hurry call to bring folks up to date on the project. He said the foundations were in, and spoke especially about the gymn. By picking and choosing as concerns alternate bids, he said it was possible to have one with 800 capacity, instead of 400 as first thought. The $6,500 transfer would at a later time cost $10,000 to $15,000.

He spoke of the good rate we had gotten on the bond issue.

He said that goal is still to have the building available in September, 1964.

He also said that as of now, the project is "on time."

It is planned at the start not to have an entrance on Old Springfield Road.

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ACHIEVEMENT NIGHT

4-H Achievement Night will be next Tuesday evening, September 24, at 7 p. m. in Grange Hall.

Awards will be given to members who have completed their various projects for the year. There are seven active clubs in town, but there is also a great need for more leaders.

All interested persons are invited to Achievement Night, where they can get acquainted with 4-H activities.

Besides the presentation of awards and the candlelight service, there will be group singing, entertainment and refreshments. The public is invited.

Tomorrow Is 25th Anniversary Of Great Hurricane of 1938!

In another column of this paper, I imagine you will be reading something pretty special under "25 Years Ago." The *Sentinel* of September 23, 1938, was veritably an "emergency issue", trimmed down in size, and with the principal news stories handset. It was run off when Belchertown had no electricity, no telephones, uncertain water, and lots of trees in new positions.

Twenty-five years ago tomorrow, on the afternoon of Wednesday, September 21, we were visited (along with a large hunk of the Eastern seaboard), by the still unbelievable *Hurricane of 1938*, which created a new high in storms. To quote the "Steeple" of September 30: "It is safe to say that Belchertown can now begin dating its events from September 21, 1938, instead of from March 12, 1888" (the day of the Great Blizzard.)

In retrospect it might seem that 1938 was an appropriate time to have a hurricane here. Only two weeks before the great wind, our voters had blown down a special town meeting article to accept the plans for a $60,000 addition to the Center Grade School (45% to come from the P.W.A.—ever hear of it?) to the accompaniment of much fast-moving warm air. Among the opponents was "Roswell Allen, who fired the opening gun." E. S. Cordner was in at the kill of this addition, too, saying he had had plans made on his own account, calling for less money. As you may remember, the addition was really postponed until Cold Spring was built. At the same meeting the town voted to accept the gift of Parsons Field but argued so much about its supervision that noone remembered to thank Dr. George E. McPherson, through whose influence the gift had been made. That was a stormy meeting.

The world was stormy, too. I wrote here on September 13: "The world seems closer to the verge of war than it has been since the delirious morning of November 11, twenty years ago." The "Surrender at Munich" was only two weeks away, coming on September 29 and 30.

The Hurricane of 1938 took 600 lives and did millions of damage. Some idea of its impact on Belchertown may be obtained from viewing an excellent scrapbook at the Stone House. We thumbed it through this summer.

It is hard for me to realize how many of you cannot remember the storm at all. If you are younger than twenty-seven, 1938, is as remote to you as 1871 is to me.

In 1938, the local Congregational Church was waiting for a new minister, even as it is today, Kendig Cully got his call four days after the Hurricane. Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney were starring in "Boys' Town" at the Amherst Theater.

Sally Westwell will be 25 years old this September 22. She was born in Wesson Maternity in Springfield after the closed Ludlow Bridge had been opened to let Hilda through. That's Doc Westwell's girl, and folks thought it was a terrible mistake not to have named her "Gail", but Doc explained that the definition of "Sally" was "an excursion, especially one off the usual track."

Ken Martin, brother of Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. Lawrence Rhodes, was killed as a result of the storm. He was in Montpelier, Vermont, working on debris, fell from a tree, and was killed by a car. Frank Fuller should probably be classified as a hurricane victim, too. He died the Sunday after, but had been under much strain during the storm.

Well, here is a summary of my personal hurricane.

This part of the world had soaked up some three days of rain in one of the wettest "line storms" we had ever had. Rivers were flooding and lowlands were covered. Flood control in the Connecticut and other valleys was still largely in the future. There was no warning that a severe storm would be likely to strike this part of the country. Our present custom of checking on every stage of all tropical disturbances was unknown in 1938. That storm was not even called by a feminine name!

I was working at the High School of Commerce then. About noon on Wednesday we had word that our building would be a haven for flood refugees from Springfield's North End on Thursday. That meant a repetition of 1936, when, in March, we had learned a lot about refugees. It was a sad experience and we organized a set-up right after that, to be used if another such emergency should ever rise. We still do the same thing today, and I spent some hours this summer bringing the personnel for the "Tech Emergency Relief Center" up to date. In 1938, I would be in charge of the 2 to 10 p.m. shift and got permission to leave early on the 21st, and started home via Chicopee Falls, Fairview, and Granby. Floodwaters were causing bridges to be closed all around, but I had clear going until the wind started to come up. Of course, along with everyone else, I knew it was just a tough thunderstorm. Nothing to worry about.

By the time I reached the little reservoir on Route 202 near where the Green Pine Dairy is now, I began to realize that this was no ordinary breeze. Trees were coming down and pieces of roofs were hurtling across the highway. By the time I had arrived at Granby center I had decided that I was likely to be hit by something huge at almost any time, but I wanted to get home and see how it went with the family. Met Dr. James Collard down near Bill French's and we moved some branches from the road. When I got to the State School, further progress was impossible. Everything was plugged up. I got into the school's parking lot and rode it out from there.

The hilltop was being flattened as I watched. The wind howled from the south as it had never howled before. I really thought there would not be a living soul in the center when and if the "whatever-it-was" let up. Eventually I was able to leave the Plymouth and go up the hill crosslots to avoid wires. Through Piper's Pasture and Dickinson's Lot. Then past the water tank and into my own backyard. House still there. Mother, Florence, and the two kids all safe, and as glad to see me as I was to see them.

There was still a heavy wind until after dark. Trees down everywhere. The soaked ground allowed them to be taken from the earth by the storm, stumps and all. Pines were the exception. Many of them snapped off. In Frank Gold's yard twenty trees were felled! In ours we lost eight. Blinds had blown away from the fasteners and had broken about 20 panes of glass. Later we were to fasten them all back with brass screws. A large maple leaned cozily against the front peak of the house. Actual damage outside of windows was under $25 to the buildings. We had no wind insurance, but took some out next month!

All the trees had been in full green leaf, and what a jungle there was everywhere! The kids all had a ball, and we don't mean maybe. Those slightly off-the-ground trees, kept from being entirely flat by uprooted stumps, made tremendous playgrounds—jungle gyms in the original. Tarzan never had it so good. And for a little, there was no school.

South Main Street was a lumberyard. It was part of the only "dry route" from the east and south and had to be cleared. Working in the glare of Fire Department lights, many men—volunteers—sawed a narrow winding roadway which was open to through traffic about one the next morning.

Our own damage was handled rather easily. I had to worm my way back to those refugees early next day (and was one of the last to enter the city by the last bridge to stay open), so Florence glazed windows. The Bissonnette boys came and cleaned up all the trees in jig time, stacking the wood in cord lengths out back. Stumps stayed where they were until spring came and they got hauled out.

The beloved "Bill Cully", father of Kendig, arrived next door in the parsonage before we had cleared away. He said that in five years we'd never know there had been a storm. He was almost right. However, our lovely avenues of shade trees were never the same again.

Trees, chicken houses, barns, and chimneys suffered the most in this community. There were "near misses" by the score. Noone here was actually injured by falling trees or flying debris, as I remember. Trees eased over rather than falling. The steeple of the Congregational Church did a powerful lot of swaying; a great win-

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dow in the library was pushed in several inches but did not fall.

The "Oliver House" on Mill Valley Road was the worst hit and was never really rebuilt. Community spirit was high during the emergency. Everyone helped. Three neighbors had dropped in to see how my folks were doing before I got home.

And what do you suppose! The Common was cleared by the Farmers and Mechanics Club and there was a "fair as usual" on October 12. Among the judges at that 81st edititon were Jacob V. Cook, Jason W. Hurlburt, and Charles H. Egleston. There was no wood-chopping contest!

One interesting news note was in the Sentinel the week after the storm. "No passenger trains are yet running on the Central Vermont."

Many things have changed since the hurricane and because of it. Chief among these has been an inbred distrust of the weather. We have had no confidence in it for twenty-five years. We watch all reports with concern, and listen to them a score of times each day. And almost every home now has its barometer!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * * *

"Blow winds and crack your cheeks! rage! blow!
You cataracts and hurricanes, spout
Till you have drenched our steeples."

Shakespeare—"King Lear" III (1606)

—Bob Jackson

STATE SCHOOL NEWS

Judy Barrett and Jon Rose of Recreational fame had various projects afoot this summer—building tepees with Volunteer Boy Scout Troop 303 of South Hadley; Ball Games at home and at Fernald State School; Bingo games; Block dances; Teen-age Canteen; walks and countless trips to the Merry-Go-Round. They were ably assisted this summer by Gerry Ostheimer, a medical student from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

The Merry-Go-Round surely has had a good work-out. 9,800 children have had the pleasure of rides, complete with music (mostly twist). George Wyman kept it going, even volunteering on his days off. Thanks, too, to Gerry Ostheimer for taking over while George was vacationing.

The Birthday Bus was kept on the "go" also, with trips to the ball games in Boston and Springfield, and just sightseeing trips around the countryside. Nearly 5,000 miles have been racked-up since February, and Mr. Brodeur deserves a load of thanks for all the time he has "given".

The Barbecue Gang turned out en masse to continue this greatly anticipated warm weather event. Two of our regulars—Lou Fuller and Rod Valliere, have dropped by the wayside, due to Fireman and Pill-pushing "biz". Perhaps we should change the night next year to get them back to work. Our thanks to Volunteers Eva Cunningham, Frank Grover, Phyl and Jim Mullane, Rae and Lou Shumway, Mary and Howard Judkins, Mr. and (future) Mrs. "Boots", Sam Berger, Dr. Kim, Frank Kohanski and the BOSS-MAN, Dr. "B".

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On September 16, Belchertown State School rolled an upset over Jabish Brook Country Club by taking 4 points. High for the winners was H. Judkins with 295 and B. Gawlik high for Jabish Brook with 259. Turkey Hill won over Gates' Garage by the score 4 to 2. W. Jensen was high with 307 and E. Lowe was high for the losers with 305. Cook's took all 6 points from the Legion with M. Hubler high with 327 and J. Yanginski high for the Legion with 308. Reece won 4 points from Salvage, T. Bodzinski being high with 288, and brother Jake being high for Salvage with 345. The Hilltoppers lost 4 points to the Independents. High for the winners was H. Squires with 323, and D. Cowher 292 for the losers. Jackson's took all 6 points from Park Lane. P. Menard was high for Jackson's with 313, and R. Lapointe had high for Park Lane with 286. Henneman's also took all 6 points from the Cole Contractors. A. Henneman was high for Esso with 321, and D. Cole had high for Coles with 279. A. Skinner also bowled a fine string of 133 for Esso, which is a new high for the season.

Next week's matches will find:

Gates Garage vs. Jackson's
B. S. S. vs. Cole Contractors
Reece vs. Henneman's
Hilltoppers vs. Cook's
Park Lane vs. Salvage
Jabish Brook vs. Independents
American Legion vs. Turkey Hill

110 Club—M. Hubler 118, H. Cook 120, J. Yanginski 114, Richie Robinson 126, L. Frost 121, J. Bodzinski 122-129, A. Skinner 133, A. Henneman 113, E. Field 118, H. Squires 123, K. Main 127, T. Piekara 110, R. Hawkins 111, P. Ketchen 119, D. Barrett 110, E. Lowe 115, J. Mullane 120.

310 Club—J. Bodzinski 345, M. Hubler 327, H. Squires 323, A. Henneman 321, A. Skinner 320, H. Cook 316, P. Menard 313, T. Piekara 310.

League Standnigs

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's Esso	12	0	3037
Jackson's Store	12	0	2983
Turkey Hill	10	2	2791
Independents	8	4	3012
Reece	8	4	2838
Cook's	8	4	2794
Gates' Garage	8	4	2738
Hilltoppers	6	6	2800
Salvage	4	8	2919
B. S. S.	4	8	2475
Jabish Brook	2	10	2848
Park Lane	2	10	2759
Cole Contractors	0	12	2578
American Legion	0	12	2521

Season's Records

High Single String—A. Skinner 133
2nd High Single—J. Bodzinski 129

High Three Strings—H. Main 347
2nd High Three—J. Bodzinski 345

Team High Single—Independents 547
Team High Three—Henneman's 1529

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Well, it's that time of year again. Although we didn't start off with a "bang," like the storm that evening, we finally did get rolling at 9 p. m. The following are the results of the Women's Bowling League:

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	8	0	1274
King Pins	8	0	1215
Crystals	6	2	1327
Jolly "5"	6	2	1249
Roll-a-Ways	6	2	1232
Harmony Five	6	2	1228
Chadson Gals	6	2	1211
Congo's	2	6	1240
Hit or Miss	2	6	1229
Gay Rollers	2	6	1207
Bowl-Aires	2	6	1191
Pin Spinners	2	6	1108
Nite Outers	0	8	1127
Outskirters	0	8	1125

Sorry to report no 300 club last week. The 110 club included B. Boucher with 123, and E. Tolpa with 113. Individually, Barbara Boucher took high three strings with 299, and high single with 123. Second high single went to E. Tolpa with 113. Second high three went to Joan Perham with 287.

Ruth Dowd,
Secretary.

TOWN ITEMS

Felix Mish, who has been connected with the horticultural department at the U. of M., has retired from that position. He has accepted the janitorship of the local Congregational Church.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer last Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bissell, Miss Ora I. Bissell, and Mrs. Marion Peterson all of Twinsburg, Ohio, and all of them parishioners of Mr. Blackmer over fifty years ago.

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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

Saturday too is an Ember Day, with but one meal with meat allowed.

— SUNDAY —

Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 5, 16-24. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians.

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— CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB —

The Catholic Women's Club of St. Francis Church, Belchertown, will hold its opening meeting of the 1963-1964 season at the newly constructed Newman Center at the University of Massachusetts on Tuesday, September 24th.

Members will attend benediction there at 8 p. m., followed by a tour of the building and a business meeting. Those who attend may buy their own refreshments, if they desire, at the snack bar following the meeting.

Members are encouraged to invite friends and teenage daughters to the gathering.

Cars will leave from the Church at 7.30. Anyone wishing transportation should call Mrs. Agnes Samson.

Arrangements for the evening have been made by Mrs. Christine Davin, program chairman, and Mrs. Helen Papp, hostess.

— RETURNS DUE —

Returns on solicitations for the Mont Marie Improvement Fund Campaign now in progress, will be made next Wednesday, Sept. 25, from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. in the Pine Room.

NUMBER GROWS

Some 52 *Sentinel* issues back, or a little over a year ago, the Dearness brothers were scattered across the globe; one, with the Naval Air Force stationed in Iceland, another living in northern New York State, another in Colorado, and the fourth stationed with the Air Force in Southeast Asia. Today, 1963, as though by magic, three are living here in Belchertown again, with the other brother finishing his tour of duty in the Orient in eight months or so.

The most recent arrival was Robert and his family. They, wife Mary Lou, and daughters Tamre and Jacqnene are now residing on North Main Street. Robert grew up here, while his wife is from Pennsylvania. He is currently employed at the Ludlow Hospital as an X-ray specialist, a skill learned during the seven years he served in the Army.

A year ago, there wasn't a one of the family living here—now there are 13, almost! Back in 1948 there were five, all attending local schools.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

9.45 a. m. Sunday School classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Listening to Hear"
Junior Sermon, "So Close, Yet a Reject"
Prelude, "Devotion" Flatvell
Anthem, "Lift Your Eyes and See" Carrington
Offertory, "Gebet" Beethoven
Postlude, "Postlude," Ashford

7.30 p. m. Evensong. There will be a Gospel Message by the Pastor and a Song service of beloved Gospel Hymns. If you enjoy singing, this service will fulfil your spiritual needs.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

The Evening Group of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

10 a. m. Mr. Green will attend the Conference Board of Evangelism at Wesley Methodist Church in Worcester.

8 p. m. The Mid-Week service of Praise and Prayer will meet in the Vestry. The study of the Book of Romans will continue.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

10 a. m. There will be a sub-district meeting to receive the Area Study Book to prepare for the District Conference. The pastor is the only one needed at this meeting.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

This will be Rally Day in the Sunday School and the Church.

4 p. m. The Fall District Conference will be held at Asbury First Methodist Church in Springfield. There will be a panel discussion on the Area Survey. (This area survey has been made of the Boston Area, which includes all of New England except Vermont).

Starting September 30—School for Christian Workers will be held in the Belchertown Methodist Church. This is for all who wish to enrich their spiritual lives. The First Session at 7.30 will be led by the Rev. Clarence F. Avey, who will teach a course on the Life of Jesus Christ. This session is open to all. The Second Session at 8.30 p. m. will be divided, yet those who wish a course on Biblical enrichment will have a course on the book of Romans taught by the Rev. Glenn Glazier of West Brookfield. Mrs. Clarence Avey will teach a course for those teaching kindergarten. Dr. Ruth Decker will teach on Intermediates and Juniors. The Rev. Marvin R. Green will be the instructor in a course for using the Bible with High School students. These courses will run for six weeks.

The Belchertown Methodist Church will hold its Eighth Fall Mission, announces Mrs. Fred Very, chairman of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism. The Missioner will be the Rev. Olivia Henry, an ordained minister of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. Henry was the first woman ordained by her branch of the Methodist Church and is at present serving a church in Philadelphia.

The Mission will start on Sunday, October 27, in the Belchertown church. The evening meetings are open to the public.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Guest Minister

Rev. Robert F. Berkey of Mount Holyoke College will be the guest preacher on Sunday morning. His sermon title will be "The Power of God."

Junior Pilgrim Fellowship

The first meeting of the fall season will be held this coming Sunday afternoon at 5.30. Miss Joan Pelham and Robert Wilson are the advisors to this group. Seventh and eighth graders are invited to attend. Plans will be made for a retreat in the near future.

Senior Pilgrim Fellowship

The meeting of the Senior Fellowship will be a most interesting one. Several members will speak on their experiences at summer conferences. All high school students are invited to attend.

Layman's Council

The Layman's Council will hold a meeting from 4 to 6 o'clock at Chesterfield on Sunday, September 22nd. Contact Mr. Sidney Wheeler for reservations.

Double or Nothing

The first meeting of the Double or Nothing Club will be held Tuesday evening, September 24. A smorgasbord will be the feature of the evening, beginning at 6.30. All couples are asked to bring either a hot casserole or a salad. Rolls, coffee and dessert will be furnished by the committee of officers—the Baileys, the Bresetts, the Hudsons and the Hennemans. An entertainment will follow. Plan to attend.

Adult Study Group

The Adult Study Group will meet Thursday evening at 8. All are welcome.

Public Supper

The first public supper of the season will be served by the Women's Guild on Friday evening, September 27th, at 6.30. Watch next week's paper for details.

Arts in the Church

The Rev. J. Thomas Leamon, pastor of the Danielson, Conn. Congregational Church, will lecture and show slides on "The Arts in the Church" on October 7. Prior to his ministerial training, Rev. Mr. Leamon was an art illustrator, and he is an exceptionally well qualified speaker on the subject.

This meeting is open to all churches in the Hampshire District, and we expect a large representation from these other churches.

Rev. Mr. Leamon's lecture and slides will help all to more fully understand the place of art in our church. Belchertown is indeed fortunate that he accepted our invitation to lecture here. Remember October 7th.

Dates to Remember

Oct. 5—P. F. Car Wash
Oct. 6—Hampshire Association at Hadley
Oct. 7—"The Arts and the Church", Rev. J. Thomas Leamon
Oct 19—Work Day for Christ—P. F. sponsored

TELLS OF WORK IN INDIA

Rev. Gifford Towle, missionary to India, who is partially sponsored by the local Congregational Church, was guest preacher here on Sunday morning. He recalled that he last visited the Belchertown Church, January 5, 1960, and went on to bring the folks here up to date on the missionary activities with which he is connected.

He said, "We've a story to tell to the Nations"—and how do we tell it? He went on to enumerate some of the ways—religiously, educationally, medically, and raising the standard of living by means of demonstration farms, etc.

He said that India is about the size of that portion of the United States east of the Mississippi, but with a population of 400 million as compared with about 100 million here.

The percentage of Christians in India is from 2 to 3 per cent, with the average about 10 per cent where he is located. He spoke of their rural High School which started with 66 pupils, but which now has an enrolment of 201, and of the fine work it is doing.

He spoke of the TB and Leper Control Center, where 10,000 examinations can be made yearly. He told of plows rented for 5 cents a day (the average annual income is $70 a year), of pumps being installed in greater numbers, and of repair shops, manned by Indians, that are being set up. He said that the people are being taught to help themselves.

This area in Massachusetts is, of course, very familiar territory to Mr. Towle, as he served churches hereabouts before going to the missionary field. Incidentally, he says that he was married 31 years ago this month in the Packardville church, which was razed with the coming of the Quabbin Reservoir.

Rev. Mr. Towle had his old-time enthusiasm for his work.

CHORAL WORKSHOP

The Choral Workshop conducted by Alec Wyton at Edwards Church, Northampton, was well attended by organists, choir directors and ministers of the Connecticut valley. Attending from this town was Ruthella Tucker, organist of the Christian Science Church of Ware.

The Workshop was sponsored by the Conneticut Valley Junior Choir Festival and included not only a session on Junior Choirs, but Adult Choirs and repertoire for Adult choirs.

Mr. Alec Wyton is organist and Master of Choristers at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City. He presented a most informative and inspiring day for everyone who attended.

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The Belchertown Square Dance Club is sponsoring a series of Western Square Dance lessons. Lessons will be held at the American Legion Hall on North Main Street every Friday from 8 p. m. to 10.30 p. m. The second lesson of the series will be tonight.

John Alden of Monson again will be the instructor and caller.

Any adult couples interested in Western style square dancing are welcome.

CLOTHING EXCHANGE

Grace Church Clothing Exchange of Amherst will reopen Tuesday, September 24, with extended hours, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

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We need YOU, and you leave it to your neighbor, who is probably thinking the same line of thought. This is the reason we lack the necessary help.

The Boy's Life magazine subscriptions will be taken the same evening at $1.00 per boy for one year's subscription, and the balance of 50 cents to be paid from the pack treasury, so that more boys will have the opportunity to receive this helpful magazine. The registration fee is 50 cents.

Den Mothers will announce their starting dates for their respective dens on that evening.

Rita E. Lapointe,
Secretary

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JR. CHAMBER

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It seems that most any project under the sun can be undertaken—social, civic or what-not. Sociability was considered the starting point for it all—the projects would automatically follow.

There was no great gripe on the part of the Belchertown contingent because they have little part in town government, although it was mentioned. Literature by the armful was passed out, so that those attending got a fairly good idea of what the organization is all about.

It was voted to meet again on next Tuesday night at 8 to see what the local people want to do. Ralph Pittsley will be chairman for this meeting, and Donald Cole, secretary.

It was decided to meet at Robin Lodge, but that establishment has already been booked.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE

To accept God as "the only real power in our lives" is the key to man's victory over evil, said Noel D. Bryan-Jones of England, Christian Science lecturer, last Friday evening at Ware.

Title of the lecture was "God Omnipotent Makes Man Triumphant."

A rule of Christian Science, Mr. Bryan-Jones said, is that "we must always begin with God."

He noted that the Bible speaks of God as "Almighty."

"If He weren't almighty, He wouldn't be God," said the lecturer.

"God isn't merely the greatest power in the universe; He is the only real power there is. He isn't just a glorified being: He is the only Life there is, the only Principle of existence."

"Accept fully the omnipotence of God," he said, and we experience the dominion of man as spiritual, under the complete control of divine Mind.

P. T. A. MEETING

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There were the usual introductions. Donald Geer, acting superintendent and High school principal, introduced the B. H. S. faculty, and Mr. Dell, the new principal at Cold Spring School, introduced the rest of the teachers in town.

The attendance banner went to Mrs. Yanginski's Grade 1 room.

Refreshments were served in charge of Mrs. Leo Hall and Mrs. John Bailey.

GRANGE NOTES

The auction at Grange on Tuesday evening was a success both financially and entertainingly. It couldn't be otherwise with Fred Very the auctioneer. H. F. Peck was chairman of the mittee in charge, other members being Houghton Snow, Fred Lincoln and Fred Very.

Guests were present from Northampton, Amherst, Chesterfield and Granby.

An invitation was received to Amherst this Friday night to open house, when James Kentfield will tell of his trip to Russia.

The Grange is invited on the 24th to Petersham for Booster Night; on the 25th to Sunderland; on the 26th to Hardwick.

There will be installation of officers at the next meeting, October 1.

THANKS

My deepest appreciation and thanks to each and everyone who donated or helped in any way to make our O. E. S. Auction a success, and to John Malone our many, many thanks for his job of auctioneering. I also extend my thanks to those who gave us their papers in our recent paper drive.

My many thanks to Ernest Streeter, who helped me so much on both these projects.

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By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Sarah Walker Cowles, widow of Samuel Cowles, and mother of Prof. W. L. Cowles of Amherst College, who spent a good portion of her life in town, died in Amherst and would have been 93 years of age next month.

Asa C. Smith, a former resident of the town, and who for several years, served the town as selectman, died in Wilbraham and was buried in South Cemetery.

Belding Jackson asked the 23 members of the Senior class of B.H.S. to write essays on "Should Belchertown Have Another Fair?" Everyone responded. 16 advocated that Belchertown should have some kind of a fair. Dig up your Sentinel of Sept. 21, 1923 and get the opinions of the Senior class.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

This was the week of the great hurricane when wreckage lined both sides of the common. If one went down So. Main St., he had to thread his way as though he was going through a woodlot, train service was canceled till further notice, electric power was off for days, roofs of homes were blown off, etc., etc. For the first time it looked as though *the Sentinel* would not appear. But it did and on time although reduced in size, all because the editor worked half the night to run off the issue on the big press by hand. Kenneth Collard is entering Williston Academy.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Civil Defense Advisory Council have purchased a much needed ambulance for the town.

William H. Squires, Jr. has been elected Commander of the American Legion.

It was Agricultural Night at Grange, with the program in charge of Mrs. Wenzel, Chairman of the Agricultural Committee.

Mrs. Susan Pranaitis tells in *the Sentinel* an interesting story of her 4,553 mile vacation trip.

The Steeple tells us that autumn is sneaking up on us much too fast.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

The leaders of Boy Scout Troop 507 are considering the possibiltiy of changing the Troop's meeting night. This week a questionnaire is being sent home to all parents to determine the preferences of the majority.

Meanwhile, plans are progressing rapidly for the Scouts' two projects for the Fair: their refreshment booth and their First Aid Station for the general public.

Public response to the candy sale has been gratifying, and the candy is so popular that two additional shipments have been received. Candy is still available, however, and may be obtained through any Boy Scout, or by telephoning Scoutmaster John Bailey or Assistant Scoutmaster James Nolan.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the card party committee, Mary Judkins and Kathy Hubbard. Prize winners were: 1st, Ethel Sanderson, Erla Wright, George West and Rachel West; 2nd, Caroline Mientka, Esther Prescott, Katherine Finn and Lena Nightingale; 3rd, Petronella Squires, Rose Wenzel, Godfrey Wenzel and Franklin Wenzel; door, Nellie Jenks and Frank Szczepanski.

This week's party will be in charge of the juvenile committee, J. McCallum, Dr. S. Berger, M. Carmondy and B. Potter.

KRUPKA—HENNEMANN

St. Adalbert's Church in Providence, R. I., was the scene of the wedding last Saturday morning of Miss Joan Patricia Krupka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Krupka of Lydia St., Providence, to William Herbert Hennemann, Jr., son of Mrs. William Hennemann of East Walnut St.

Rev. Frederick Slota officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Serving as maid of honor was Miss Joanna Snyzyk of Providence, cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. James Dick, sister of the bride, of Providence; and Miss Andrea Augustine, a cousin from Pawtucket. Two nieces, Diane and Debra Dick, served as flower girls.

Mr. Robert Sutcliffe of Poole Rd. served as best man, and James A. Dick of Providence and Richard Cook of Park St. were ushers.

The bride's gown was of ivory peau de soie with Alencon lace appliques, and bell shaped skirt, which swept into a chapel train. Her ivory Alencon lace mantilla was held in place by a crown of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade of gladiola roses, stephanotis and ivy.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore powder blue chiffon full length gowns with a sash of aqua satin ending in a rose in the back. Their headdresses were powder blue rosebud hats with satin bows. They carried cascade bouquets of peach and white gladioli and roses.

The flower girls wore peach taffeta gowns and carried colorful bouquets of sweetheart roses.

A reception was held at the Loggia-Romo-Hall in Pawtucket, R. I. The bride's mother received in a gray and black print dress, and the bridegroom's mother was attired in a beige dress with brown accessories. They both wore corsages of tea roses.

After a wedding trip to Nova Scotia, the couple will reside in Belchertown. The bride wore a cranberry knit three-piece suit with white underblouse and black accessories.

Mrs. Hennemann was born in Providence, R. I. and graduated from Hope High School there. She was recently employed as library assistant at the Providence Public Library, and in October will be employed as librarian at the Northampton School for Girls.

The bridegroom was born in Holyoke and graduated from Belchertown High School. He is employed as a research technician at the Tecnifax Corp.

CARRIER OF MONTH

Philip Page, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Page of Oceanside, Cal., formerly of this town, has received a trophy honoring him as Blade-Tribune carrier of the month. The citation read in part, "We salute you and find it a pleasure to honor you as carrier boy of the month of August, 1963."

Philip is 12 years old and is attending Washington Junior High School. He entered the 7th grade.

Philip has been a carrier boy for the past 10 months and has built his route up from 9 customers to his present 36. He has given complaint-free service and is well liked by his customers. He hopes to become an auto mechanic upon graduation from High School.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION NEWS

The Bay State Historical League will hold its fall meeting and foliage weekend at Williamstown on October 12, the day of the Fair here, so probably no great number of Historical Assn. members will attend.

Registration is at 11 a. m., luncheon will be served from 1 to 2, and the meeting is at 2.30, when Prof. Benjamin W. Labaree, dean of Williams College, will be the speaker.

Because some plan to stay overnight to enjoy the fall foliage on Sunday, a dinner and evening program has been added for their enjoyment. A pre-dineer reception is at 5.30.

ALSAC

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meeting at the Sheraton Kimball Hotel in Springfield on Tuesday, September 10 to obtain information and instructions. We are very pleased with the number of volunteers from the high school and hope to have more. We truly appreciate the help of the reporters and photographers of the several papers for publicity. We express special thanks to Mr. Staples for his cooperation; without his help this drive could not be done as effectively.

The ALSAC drive will be held Sunday, October 6, from 2-5 p. m. In this town the teenage marchers, with proper identification, will collect door-to-door during this time limit. If you are not reached by these workers, there will be a container in Jackson's for contributions.

It is felt that this drive is very worthwhile since 94 cents out of every dollar goes directly to St. Jude Hospital in Tennesee for research, care of the patients, and maintenance costs. The hospital is open to children in any part of the country of any race or creed. Even transportation costs are paid for by the hospital.

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MASS. ELECTRIC RELEASE

Customers of Massachusetts Electric Company, served by the Palmer, Southbridge, Webster and Spencer offices recently began receiving bills, which were figured and printed on the company's two new IBM 1401 computers.

The new paper bills in red and blue replace the card-type bill which the company had used for several years.

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Each month additional bills will be handled by the computers until, at year end, all 620,000 Mass. Electric customers will be billed by computer.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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A sure sign that summer has fled is the crisp smell of apples ready for picking; the *crisp* cool mornings, and the Belchertown Fair. In just a few short weeks the 106th Fair will take place here, one of the last Fairs of the season, but the one most attended by folks hereabouts despite the often heard cry, "not really a Fair for farmers, but fakers".

After all is said though, the kids enjoy it, especially those from the State School. It provides the local clubs and churches with the opportunity to vie in preparing a meal or snack for the multitude of fair-goers. For the local police force, it brings hours of traffic control practice, not that they need or desire it.

It's a shame that there isn't any real "barometer" to gauge each year's attendance—be nice to see just where we stand in comparison to the Eastern States Exposition, one day's attendance, that is!

Belchertown has quite a large number of road-miles as we all know, but few notice the gradual elimination of dirt roads in the past dozen years or so. This past twelve months has seen a few miles treated or surfaced, with still more being re-surfaced including the just finished Route 21 and Park Street projects.

This last segment of Route 21 to be rebuilt and repaved brings that work to its final stages. From there it is understood, the town will go on to another area, presumably the Stebbins St.-Bay Rd. area. Perhaps with Amherst completely rebuilding their portion of Bay Road from Route 116 to our line, our project might tie in with that. It carries nearly as much traffic as Route 9 both ways, though it is only a "back road" to Amherst and Northampton.

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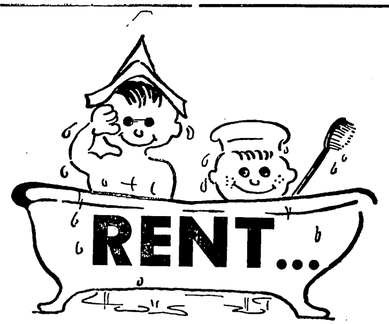

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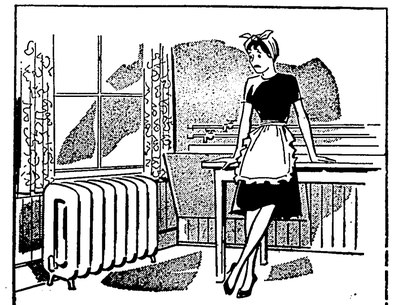

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of IDA P. HUNT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by BRUCE G. BROWN of Amherst, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the ninth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

Sept. 13, 20, 27

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM N. WEBSTER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ANN S. WEBSTER, also known as ANNA S. WEBSTER, of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that MARGARET ANN DOUBLEDAY of Longmeadow, in the County of Hampden, be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Sept. 27, Oct. 4, 11

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing held in the Selectmen's Room on Sept. 26, 1963 at 8 p. m. on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an all alcoholic beverages Club License. The premises to be licensed is located approximately 1200 feet from the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and approximately 600 feet from the easterly boundry of same property with one (1) front entrance and one (1) rear exit. This business to be carried on in a building having one floor, using the large room at the easterly end of the building for serving liquors and storage room in basement.

The Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. lists the following officers:

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Earl F. Henrichon, Chm.
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Michael S. Mathras

S 13, 20

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing at 8 p. m., October 8, in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Peter Demetropoulos for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a portion of his property on Mill Valley Road.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —

Church School. Classes at 9, 9.30 and 10.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 3.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worshhip at 11 a. m.

—St. Francis Church—

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Danny Thomas March.
Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the Salvage grounds at 1.30 p. m.
Joint Installation of Legion and Auxiliary at 2 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.
School for Christian Workers at the Methodist Church.

TUESDAY

Grange Meeting—Installation of Officers.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service at Parish House at 9.30 a. m.
Jaycee Meeting at Crystal Room of Dairy Bar at 8 p. m.
Vernon Lodge.

THURSDAY

Garden Club at the home of Mrs. John Topping at 2 p. m.
Official Board and First Quarterly Conference in Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Republican Town Committee Food Sale.
Western Square Dance Lesson in Legion Hall.

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

The semi-annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association will held on Friday evening, October 4, at 8 p. m. The speaker will be Miss Agnes Dods of Amherst.

CARL PETERSON HONORED

Carl J. Peterson, former superintendent of schools, was honored at a dinner Tuesday night at the Robin Farm Lodge by members of the Belchertown Teachers Association. More than 70 present employees of the local school system and retired employees were present.

Also present and seated at the head table were School Committee members, Harold Willey, Mrs. John Flaherty, David Staples, Lloyd Chadbourne and Arthur Brennen; Acting Supt. Donald Geer; and Edward Burgess, Mrs. Barbara Field, Mrs. Barbara Yanginski and Mrs. Ruth Dobson, officers of the PTA; Mrs. Rose Dewey, secretary to the superintendent; and Andrew

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Semi-annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association at Stone House at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

Senior High Fellowship Car Wash.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Women's Guild Public Supper in Congregational Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
Western Square Dance for Teenagers in Legion Hall at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Senior Class Paper Drive.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Oct. 12
Annual Fair.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall—Fair Day Special.
Oct. 26
Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Vernon Lodge Installation.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

CALLS PASTOR

The Congregational Church last Sunday made history. For the first time in its over 200 years' existence, it called a pastor whom the committee only had seen, and no one had heard preach.

It was not because the church had suddenly got careless, but unusual circumstances entered into the picture. The candidate is serving a church in Hawaii, so he couldn't easily come here for a week-end. Recently in this country, he came to Belchertown, looked over the church, parish house, parsonage and town, and had a two hours' conference with the committee, who were greatly impressed, and later voted unanimously to recommend him to the church.

They searched for and secured information on the candidate, with the recommendations uniformly favorable. Hesitant first to do so, the committee decided to recommend him to the church, sight unseen.

This was done last Sunday noon as before stated, with the church extending a unanimous call to Rev. Elvert Miller, who, it is expected, will accept and begin his duties here around December 1.

Thus ended a rather interesting ministerial search. Those on the Committee to secure a pastor were William E. Shaw, chairman (who presented the report on Sunday), George A. Smith, Mrs. Louise C. Wadsworth, Mrs. Mary Pratt and Frederick E. Lincoln.

He was born January 14, 1916 in Rockingham County, Virginia. Received his B. A. degree from George Washington University in 1939. His B. D. degree from Bethany Biblical Seminary in 1942. Studied one year at Hartford Seminary, three years at University of Connecticut, and attended Yale School of Alcoholic Studies.

His pastorates include: Flint, Michigan, 1942-44; Bridgewater, Virginia, 1944-49; Chaplain, Connecticut, 1949-53; Unionville, Connecticut, 1953-59; Hawaii, 1959-63.

Rev. Miller is married. His wife has a B. A. degree and a B. S. degree in Library Science. Rev. and Mrs. Miller have two children, Frances Sue, born in 1941, and Michael Frank born in 1945. Both are in higher institutions of learning in this country.

FAST WORK

After the meeting of the Congregational Church on Sunday, a cable was sent to Rev. E. F. Miller, "CHURCH UNANIMOUSLY VOTED TO EXTEND CALL".

In just about 24 hours, Rev. Miller's cablegram was received, "UNANIMOUSLY ACCEPT CALL".

MOVES TO MAIN STREET

Marguerite's Shoppe, which has operated at several locations here in town, is now moving to Main Street, Mrs. Lincourt having leased the store occupied by the Towne Shoppe, and earlier by Hopkins' Store for a hundred years or over. She has purchased the stock remaining at the store.

Not only will Marguerite's carry the fabric lines she has been handling, but she will add items which have always been procurable at Hopkins'.

Painting and renovating are going forward at the store. It is hoped to open about October 1.

SHOWS AT HOSPITAL

Mr. Dominique of Dominique's School of Dance, announces that pupils of his will give two shows at Springfield Hospital for chronic patients on Sunday, the first show being at 2 p. m., and the second at 3 p. m.

Belchertown pupils participating are:

Mary Oberly, Pat Adam, Kathy and Debbie Morey, Brenda Potter, Mary Opalenik, Terry Lindsay, Hazel Morey and John Pinkos.

FIFTY-EIGHT VOLUNTEERS

The Belchertown committee reports that fifty-eight teenagers have volunteered for the Danny Thomas march on leukemia, Sunday, October 6. Good town coverage has been planned for this important drive, the contributions of which are used for the maintenance of the basic and clinical research program of St. Jude Hospital, Memphis, Tennessee. A canister will be placed in Jackson's Store for those who are not reached, and wish to contribute.

HILLTOP TWIRLERS

Attention—Teenagers who are interested in joining the Hilltop Twirlers. A series of Western Style Teenage Square Dance lessons will be sponsored by the Hilltop Twirlers Square Dance Club this fall if enough teenagers are interested. At least 40 teenagers are needed to begin these lessons. For further information contact Bonnie Opielowski, Palmer 283-6465 or call John Carpenter at 323-7102.

Attention Club Members—There will be a club dance on Friday, September 27, at 7.30 p. m. with a guest caller at the Legion Hall in Belchertown.

SUPPER TONIGHT

The first public supper to be served by the Women's Guild this season will be at 6.30 tonight in the Parish House dining room. The menu consists of meat casseroles, fish casseroles, baked beans, jellied salads, French bread, coffee, milk and knobby apple cake. Price for adults is 75 cents, and children twelve years and under, 50 cents.

The committee is Mrs. Houghton Snow, Mrs. Neilson Cochran, Mrs. John Nelson, Mrs. Stanford Harrington, Mrs. Byron Hudson and Mrs. Fred Waite.

ACHIEVEMENT NIGHT

The young folks of Belchertown have their courts of honor, achievement nights, get pins, certificates, etc., but as Mr. Wissenbach, 4-H club agent, said at the Achievement Night ceremonies in Grange Hall on Tuesday evening, overshadowing these tokens of recognition, is the satisfaction of work well done.

The agent was most complimentary in his opening remarks—said the clubs here were really active, and in some cases especially active. He said that there were more 4-H'ers in the county now than ever before, their work is of the best quality, and their exhibits amazed him. As is so true in many fields, he said that what one gets out of club work depends upon what one puts into it.

The speaker pled for using spare land—for Christmas trees, vegetable gardens, etc., asked them not to always repeat their projects, but to launch out in something with a greater challenge, and to participate in town, county, state and interstate projects.

As Mrs. Julian Hussey read the names of those receiving awards, Mr. Wissenbach passed them out, giving each recipient a hearty hand-shake, and in many cases a personal word.

The club agent complimented the several clubs. He spoke of the dog club leaders, Wallace Chevalier and Mrs. E. H. Rice, Jr., helping groups in other places to get started.

Considerable disappointment was expressed that the dog club now has no place to meet, especially sad because this is the charter club of the kind in the county.

Mr. Chevalier said that a room 40x40, with some heat, is needed twice a week, to accommodate 23 children and 23 dogs. Has anyone any ideas?

One lady suggested that possibly the abandoned schoolhouse at Dwight might be available, but we have since found that the size of that building is only 24x30.

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The Steeple Soliloquizes

1963 March For Freedom
Comes Close To All Of Us

Last Saturday afternoon, while Florence was enjoying herself no end at the Chaffee auction, I took a couple of grandchildren and went to the "Football Preview" at Trade High Field in Springfield.

We had a very good time, what with Tech winning its short game against Cathedral and the weather staying dry, and with the bands, cheerleaders, drill teams and all adding noise and color to the festivities.

As I watched the activities, involving the pupils of five Springfield high schools, four public and one parochial, I thought of the great tensions that have been felt over our country these recent months, as the Negroes have pressed for equality on many fronts and in many places.

There were no tensions evident in this crowd of youngsters except those evinced by the shouts and cheers that always come when there is competition among schools.

Many Negro children were in the two bands, playing instruments and twirling batons. Negro girl cheerleaders linked arms with white girl cheerleaders. The star back on the Tech team was a colored kid by the name of Harris, and he was overwhelmed by boys of Italian and Yankee extraction when he had completed his long run for a touchdown. All four public-school teams had Negroes in their lineups. The stands were filled with colored as well as white kids.

All this is not in the least remarkable in the minds of those who have known Springfield down the years. Races and nationalities have lived there together for a long time, and have got along just fine.

I have been in Springfield high schools for thirty-seven years now, and have yet personally to see anything which could be called "race trouble". Naturally I have seen scraps or arguments involving a colored versus a white youngster, but it was trouble caused by something else than race prejudice. This statement should not be construed to mean that there has never been any race trouble in any Springfield school, but simply that I have not seen it in the schools where I have been. As I read the papers each day, I keep my fingers crossed!

Perhaps this is a natural state of affairs in a city which attracted nationwide attention a bit less than twenty years ago when people from other places christened the program of education for democracy in the Springfield public schools as "The Springfield Plan."

Somewhat to the amazement and considerably to the annoyance of the local people, Springfield was shown to the rest of the world as a place where there existed, according to authors Alexander Alland and James Wise:

"1. . . . exceptional understanding of the citizen's stake in a democracy, and of heightened eagerness to assume the obligations as well as enjoy the privileges of freedom.

"2. . . . A growing appreciation of the contributions of all the people who have helped to build America, and of the necessity for all Americans to live in mutual respect for one another.

"3. . . . an awareness on the part of the people of Springfield, though they are frequently unacquainted with the details of the plan, that they have undertaken something which calls for team-play in the broadest sense of that phrase. The result is not a sudden conversion to perfect brotherliness, but a subtle change in the human climate which bears far more realistic promise for the future of their city." (Quote from *The Springfield Plan*, Viking Press, 1945).

However, as those who praised the "Plan" in 1945 were pleased to admit, Springfield was no Utopia, nor is it today, when we no longer hear of the "Plan", though its purposes are still in effect. Negro and white children are together in many ways, apart in others. One sees them together as I have described them a few paragraphs back, but they tend to stay in their own groups in cafeterias, at dances, and on the streets. Both races appear to like it better that way. I don't know. There is little mingling of the races in the churches, either. Job opportunities may be equal, but often I wonder. Certainly the opportunity to own real estate is not without restrictions.

In forty years a whole section of Springfield has become predominantly colored, while other sections have remained entirely white. There are six public schools in Springfield now, including one junior high school, which have a Negro enrollment of more than fifty per cent.

Springfield is very proud of its reputation as a city of cooperation among all of its people, and of its relative freedom from prejudice, but it finds itself caught up in the revolution which has caused outbreaks in the South, demonstrations in the Mid West and West, and the impressive March on Washington.

150 Catholic, Protestant and Jewish clergymen met last week in Springfield to endorse a conference on race and religion to be held in November at Trade High.

Mayor Ryan called racial discrimination "the great moral challenge of our age."

Rev. Charles Cobb, a Negro minister whose son is presently sentenced to fine and imprisonment in Mississippi for his efforts in behalf of racial equality, said: "In the South, they say, 'Negro, get up, but don't get close.' In the North, they say, 'Negro, get close, but don't get up.'"

He explained that Southerners will permit Negroes to advance within a racial caste, but not to break segregation barriers. He contended that whites in the North permit Negroes in restaurants, hotels and "social experiences", but block them from better jobs and opportunities.

He said that what he called the "Negro ghetto" around Winchester Square "is no accident" and is evidence of the white community's efforts to keep Negroes out of other neighborhoods. "In Wilbraham, a Negro cannot even be shown a home," said Rev. Cobb.

A study is about to be made on the "de facto segregation" in Springfield schools, and there has been the quiet assurance that sit-downs are likely to be arranged unless steps are taken to correct lack of balance. One thing is certain. In our region, noone desires that there shall be any of the violence that has taken place elsewhere. However, it is equally certain that the time is at hand, even in a municipality proud of its race-relations tradition, when the situation must be evaluated in the light of 1963.

Is it not true, even in a litttle community like Belchertown, that a good many folks talk one thing and think another? Is it not true that many of us are all for democratic living unless it happens to offend us? There are people who will gladly play on teams with people of other races, eat with them, go to the movies with them, but would fight their coming to live next door. Is it not true that we are all for fair employment unless our own jobs or those of our children might be endangered by fair employment?

We have a long way to go on the "Freedom Road" and the journey may become increasingly perilous unless we are willing to review our own feelings and make a real attempt to get our actions into line with our avowed beliefs.

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How's Your Match?

Saw this in a periodical the other day. The author had picked it up from his daughter, who found it in a library book, so I'll hand it on to any of you who like to play with figures. Can you tell in what order of arrangement this series of numbers has been made? There is a definite reason for this particular order. Can you work it out?

8-5-4-9-1-7-6-3-2-0

You'll hate me!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On September 23, at the end of the night's matches, we found two new records. Bill Terry rolled a 139 to take the high single away from Arlan Skinner who previously had 133. Henneman's bowled a new team high single of 550, taking high away from the Independents with 547 which they rolled just last week. The team results were as follows:

Cook's 3, Hilltoppers 3; Gates 4, Jackson's 2; Turkey Hill 4, American Legion 2; Independents 6, Jabish Brook 0; Henneman's 4, Reece 2; Cole's 4, B. S. S. 2; and Salvage 6, Park Lane 0.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's Esso	16	2	4551
Independents	14	4	4485
Jackson's	14	4	4418
Turkey Hill	14	4	4222
Gates' Garage	12	6	4105
Cook's Garage	11	7	4191
Salvage	10	8	4351
Reece	10	8	4279
Hilltoppers	9	9	4154
B. S. S.	6	12	3784
Cole Contractors	4	14	3908
J. Brook C. Club.	2	16	4226
Park Lane	2	16	4119
American Legion	2	16	3881

Season's Records

High Single String	W. Terry, 139
2nd High Single	A. Skinner, 133
High Three Strings	H. Main, 347
2nd High Three	J. Bodzinski, 345
Team High Single	Henneman's Esso 550
Team High Three	Henneman's Esso 1529

310 Club: C. Robinson, Jr. 338, W. Terry 318, R. Pratt 324, H. Goodrow 337, F. Grover 323, and H. Squires 317.

110 Club: T. Bleau 118, J. Bodzinski 126, C. Robinson, Jr. 111, 129, W. Terry 139, R. Pratt 112, 117, H. Goodrow 122, 111, J. McInnis, F. Grover, J. Mullane 111, P. Chelebus 112, J. Adams 113, K. Main 110, J. Hayward 112, W. Dickinson 127, R. Hubbard, Sr. 113, R. Robinson 113, W. Lynch 114.

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

SQUARE DANCE CLUB NEWS

The Belchertown Square Dance Club will be dancing this Saturday at Memorial Hall with John Alden calling. Host and hostess for the evening are George and Dottie Carpenter. The refreshment committee have planned a special treat of pie and ice cream. Committee members are Frank & Arlene Goodrow, chm., Phil & Flo Grennon, Harley & Evelyn Whitcomb, and John & Helen Karch.

PAPER DRIVE

The Seniors will conduct a paper drive on Saturday, September 28, starting at 8 a. m. It is requested that all papers be tied. The collection will include old newspapers, magazines, books and cardboard. Call any of the following:

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Beverly Weeks	323-6959
Dennis Sulewski	323-6398
Pat Wadsworth	323-7711

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

High scores in the Women's Bowling League last week went to the Pin Pickers with 1300 for the high three. The Roll-a-ways took team high single with 449. Jean Reilly made the "300" club with a 311. Those in the "110" club were Lois Lowe with a 111, and Ellie Tolpa with a 110. High three went to Jean Reilly, 311, and second high three to Carol Hubbard, 297. High single went to Lois Lowe, 111, and second high single to Ellie Tolpa with a 110.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	16	0	2574
King Pins	14	2	2374
Roll-a-ways	12	4	2504
Jolly "5"	10	6	2477
Crystals	8	8	2533
Gay Rollers	8	8	2482
Hit or Miss	8	8	2445
Chadson Gals	8	8	2428
Harmony Five	8	8	2371
Pin Spinners	6	10	2246
Congo's	4	12	2487
Outskirters	4	12	2345
Nite Outers	4	12	2261
Bowl-aires	2	14	2405

Anyone interested in bowling, call Joan Poole at 323-7496 or Ruth Dowd at 323-6900.

Ruth Dowd
Secretary

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

William Squires and William Aldrich of the planning board were the guests of the Chamber of Commerce at their dinner meeting at the Daisy Mae Restaurant on Tuesday evening.

Squires read from some amendments he had outlined for the zoning by-laws, but said that some questions had been raised as to how sure-fire and enforcable they might be.

It was hoped that permits might be issued to small businesses and renewed if they kept in line, but there was some concern that there could be possible court action at renewal time, in case of adverse action.

The great fear has been that a person granted permission to operate a desirable business could sell out to one conducting one not desirable, with nothing that could be done about it.

As for zoning in particular areas, it was stated that most applicants want to designate the particular spot where they want to locate.

The planning board members stated that they were largely a recommending board as to zoning. The townspeople at town meeting have the final say.

It was stated that the appeals board had greater latitude of action than do they.

It was announced the By-law consultant is working on revisions, even though it seems rather hopeless.

According to Mr. Aldrich, the sale of building lots would in some cases result in more revenue to the town than a business that might drive away those desiring to build in the area.

Squires said that the two great problems are interpretation and enforcement.

Theodore Smist, president, presided.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dzuris of State Street, accompanied by Mrs. Ada Staples of Jackson Street have just returned from a two weeks' vacation in Nova Scotia.

Recent guests at the home of Mrs. Ada Staples, Jackson Street, on Sunday, September 22nd were Mrs. Elsie MacLaurin of Vancouver, British Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Allison Staples of Providence, Rhode Island; and Mr. and Mrs. Cheeber Hill and daughter Leta of Boston, Mass.

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Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
(Feast: St. Michael, Archangel)

The feast (of St. Michael) venerates all the angels, particularly those who are appointed as guardians of mankind.

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass. Conducted by Sisters of Saint Joseph, and lay teachers from Parish.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Ephesians 4, 1-6. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Ephesians.

Gospel—Matthew 22, 34-46. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Christ explains the evil of scandal and praises child-like simplicity.)

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— MONT MARIE —

Wednesday night another tabulation was made of the donations pledged for the Mont Marie Development program. According to this report, the parish has pledged (some in outright donations) over $6,000—and we understand that this figure is over the quota hoped for. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday are the only days of the drive still remaining after Wednesdays' count so it is anticipated that the total figure may even be greater.

— CAPTAINS' MEETING —

All the captains for the Mont Marie Development Drive are asked to report in person at the Pine Room on Monday night at 7.30 p. m. This will be the final tabulation of returns, as the drive is officially closed that night.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the first Friday services in October will be held before each Mass on that day, Friday, October 4. There will *not* be any confessions Thursday evening.

Masses at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Confessions 7 to 7.25 for the morning Mass; and from 6.15 to 6.45 prior to the evening Mass.

— ECUMENICAL COUNCIL —

Next Sunday, September 29 is the date set for the reconvening of the Second Vatican Council. This tremendous gathering of the Church will be needing our assistance. We can give that assistance in prayer, asking our Lord to watch over their deliberations, and to guide them in everything which they may do. All of the Christian World is watching, and awaiting what may come out of this Council.

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Or lift of spirit,
Like the call of wild geese,
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And in joyous trills—
Sing, as pages once more,
Turn, on a tree.

—Mrs. Alvin Bush

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Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9.45 a. m. Sunday School. Classes in the Vestry and the Educational Building.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon Topic, "Have You Joy?"

4 p. m. Fall District Conference. The Fall District Conference will meet at Asbury First Church. The afternoon session will be used to present the Area Survey and to do this a panel will present it. The evening session will feature an address by Rev. Dr. Walter G. Muelder, Dean of the Boston University School of Theology.

There will be no service of Evensong in the local church for this night only.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

7.30 p. m. The opening session of the School for Christian Workers. The second session will be at 8.30 p. m.

The first session will be led by the Rev. Clarence F. Avey, who will lead a class on the life of Jesus.

The second session will include the use of the Bible with all age groups through High School. The second session will also include a session on the Book of Romans. All classes will be out by 9.30 p. m., so those who must get home early will be able to do so.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the Church study.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service of Prayer and Praise will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

3.15 p. m. The first fall session of the Good News Club. The club will meet in the Church Vestry.

7.30 p. m. The meeting of the Official Board and the First Quarterly Conference will meet in the Vestry of the Church.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the parsonage.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

This will be World Wide Communion Sunday in the local church. A special offering will be taken for the Commission on Fellowship and Suffering. This will help support emergency needs of the Church and support the Chaplain work of the Church.

6 p. m. The opening meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

W. S. C. S. NOTES

ATTENTION LADIES of W.S.C.S.

If you have not been contacted for the annual apron sale for October 12, please take notice:

Aprons, pot holders and fancy work will be welcomed. The sale will be in the Church Vestry. You can leave articles any time with the committee.

Catherine Dyer, Chm., Laura Wood, and Anna Witt.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Guest Minister

The guest minister will again be Rev. Robert F. Berkey of the Department of Religion at Mt. Holyoke College. His sermon topic is "Our Christian Vocation."

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Fellowship will meet at 5.30 Sunday afternoon in the Parish House. All seventh and eighth graders are invited to attend.

Senior High Fellowship

The Senior High Fellowship will meet at 7 o'clock on Sunday evening. High school students are welcome.

Friendly Service

Friendly Service will meet Wednesday morning at 10.30 in the Parish House to complete articles for the Fair Day sale and to sort and pack used clothing to be sent to our various projects. Ladies should bring their own lunch, and coffee will be provided.

Church School Classes

After serious consideration it has been decided that all Church School classes which have formerly met at 9.30 a. m. will meet at 9 a. m. This includes all classes from grade five through the Senior High Youth Ministry Forum. The reason for this change are: class sessions can be a full hour long, parents with children at both sessions will have ample time for a trip to their homes between sessions, there will be time for the rooms to be made ready for the second session before the children arrive. There will be a half-hour of free time between the early session and the Church service which will be a disadvantage to some, but this is the only logical solution we can see. The men's class will meet at its usual time this Sunday.

The Arts In The Church

Monday evening, October 7th is the date for Rev. Mr. Leamon's lecture on *Art in the Church*. We will be host to the other churches in the Hampshire Hampden District. Mark the date on your calender.

Parish House Schedule

Rev. Harold Curtis has compiled a chart listing all church and civic meetings which will be using the Parish House. This chart lists the date and time of the meetings, and will be very valuable to all in scheduling use of the Parish House. Will all church organizations please contact Rev. Curtis with their complete schedule, so that these charts may be complete and accurate. These charts are posted on the bulletin boards in both the church and the Parish House.

Adult Study Group

The Adult Study Group will meet on Thursday evening at 8 p. m. in the Parish House. All are welcome.

Dates To Remember

Oct. 4 & 5—Jr. High P. F. Retreat
Oct. 5—Sr. High Car Wash
Oct. 6—Hampshire Association
Oct. 7—Arts In The Church

HERE TODAY

Rep. James R. Nolen will hold his regular office hours in Belchertown this week on Friday evening from 7 to 9 p. m. in the basement of Memorial Hall. This change from the usual Saturday morning hours is being made for this week only.

DOUBLE OR NOTHING

There is variety about the meetings of the Double or Nothing Club. The opening meeting of the fall at the Congregational Parish House Tuesday evening was no exception. It isn't often that we have a smorgasbord supper, but this one was especially good with the officers of the Club in charge. In fact the entire meeting was in charge of the new officers.

The writer does not remember a meeting when the group was given the opportunity to show how much attention they give to the pictures of notable persons appearing in the daily public press. But the opportunity was ours due to the fertile brain of June Henneman. And the writer is sure that he has never been to a meeting of the Club for the last fourteen years, at least, when a part of the entertainment consisted of a whistling soloist. We discovered that our new President John Bailey has excellent talent along that line.

At the next meeting of the Club the Bell Ringers who came to us a little while ago, will provide the entertainment which will be held in the sanctuary. Several sister churches are being invited. There is sure to be a good attendance.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eleven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the juvenile committee, Julianna McCallum, chairman. Prize winners were: 1st, Florence Damon, Herbert West, George West and Celia Jenks: 2nd, Regina DeMers, L. Lavella, Ethel Lavella and Frank Szczepanski; 3rd, Riva Hebert, Gaetane Fortin, Franklin Wenzel and Godfrey Wenzel; door, Rose Wenzel and Joy Wright.

This week's party is in charge of the agricultural committee, R. Wenzel, chairman; G. Atwood, F. Wenzel and F. Waite.

JESSIE L. RICHMOND

Miss Jessie L. Richmond, 50, of Poole Rd., died Monday in Mary Lane Hospital, Ware. She was born in New Haven, Vt., March 1, 1913, the daughter of the late James A. and Ellen (Carrier) Richmond. She had been a resident here for four years and had lived previously in Three Rivers, and in the nurses' home at the Monson State Hospital. She was employed as a registered nurse at the Monson State Hospital for 23 years.

Miss Richmond was a graduate of Brandon (Vt.) High School, and the Rutherford (Vt.) Hospital School of Nursing. She was a member of the Belchertown Registered Nursing Association, the Massachusetts Psychiatric Nurses Association of the American Nurses Association.

She leaves a brother, Horace J. Richmond of Porters Corners, N. Y., and a sister, Mrs. Ellen Mallory of Schuylerville, N. Y.

The funeral was held Thursday at 2 at the Beers & Story funeral home, Palmer, with Rev. Guy Judkins, pastor of the Second Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Mount Hope cemetery.

AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President Mrs. John Reed
Senior Vice-President Mrs. Milton Butler
Junior Vice-President Mrs. Francis Goodrow
Secretary Mrs. Harvey Plant
Treasurer Mrs. George Carpenter
Historian Mrs. Romeo Joyal
Chaplain Mrs. Florian Czupiewicz
Sergeant-at-arms Mrs. Fred Clapper

Joint Installation

Officers of the district installing team will conduct a public joint installation with elected officers of Chauncey D. Walker Post, on Sunday, September 29, at 2 at Legion Hall.

Auxiliary members will serve a buffet luncheon following the installation.

JAYCEES TO GET CHARTER

The Jaycees met in the Crystal Room at the Dairy Bar on Tuesday evening, sixteen being present, and voted to get a charter. Dues were set at ten dollars a year.

Officers chosen until election were:
Chairman Ralph Pittsley
Secretary William McHaffie
Treasurer William Hennemann, Jr.

Several possible projects were discussed.

The next meeting will be held next Wednesday evening at 8 at the same place.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The meeting of the club will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. John Topping, on Thursday, October 3, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Topping will show slides and give a talk on Japan, where she has spent much time. Mrs. Neilson Cochran, Mrs. Edison Bresett and Mrs. Frederick Farley will be assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Peter Godin is chairman of the committee for the Garden Club exhibit in the Town Hall on Fair Day.

Anyone desiring transportation to the meetings, please call Mrs. Harold D. Kimball, Mrs. Frank Peeso, or Mrs. Howard Shirtcliff.

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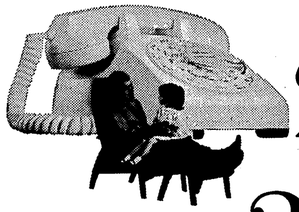

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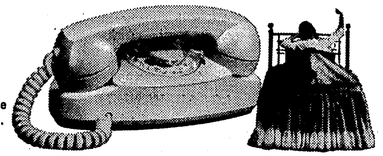

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ACHIEVEMENT NIGHT

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The young folks came in for a big hand, and the leaders came in for an even bigger. Franklin Wenzel, who has a trip to Chicago coming to him by reason of his activities, was recognized, as was also Bonnie Opielowski and others.

Mrs. Dupuis, town chairman, presided. The evening's program closed with a candlelight service, and refreshments served by Mrs. Wenzel's poultry club.

AWARDS

Name Project Yrs. in Club Work
James L. Authier—Horse 1
Arlym L. Baucom—Dog 2
Carol A. Bergeron—Dog 2
Alberta A. Birge—Clothing 1
Lloyd B. Butler—Sheep, Veg. Garden, Conservation 2
Gary C. Butler—Veg. Garden, Conservation, Poultry 2
Glenn R. Butler—Dairy, Veg. Garden, Conservation 2
Lawrence Breton — Conservation, Poultry, Beef 2
David A. Breton—Veg. Garden, Conservation 1
David A. Brown—Dog 2
Linda L. Burridge—Dog Cloverbud 12-23-54
Paul J. Ciesluk—Horse 4 Jr. Ldr. 2
Yvonne J. Cisneros—Clothing 1
Richard I. Cole III—Dairy 1
Mary E. Collins—Horse 3
Jeanne Dominique—Horse 4
Arthur R. Fish—Conservation, Rabbits 1
Cynthia M. Gudette—Horse 1
Danny J. Hagen—Poultry, Automotive 1
Wendy S. Hagen—Veg. Garden 1
Deborah J. Ham—Horse 1
Elizabeth Ham—Horse 3
Bruce D. Hemond—Horse 2
Richard M. Hawkins—Dog 4
Sandra J. Henrichon—Child Care, Clothing, Food Preparation, Conservation, Food Preservation 2
Wayne Henrichon — Conservation, Garden Club, Child Care, Cooking 1
James P. Holt—Poultry 1
Susan V. Hussey—Horse 6
Karol L. Kimball—Dog 4
Mary Ann Krol—Flower Garden 1
James F. Krol—Auto, Tractor 6
Thomas J. Krol—Auto, Tractor, Field Crops 7
Lucille J. Lapointe—Dog 1
David E. Lariviere—Horse 1
Roland A. Lecirac—Dairy, Conservation 1
Cynthia M. Lincourt—Clothing 9 Junior Leader 6
Marie A. Malmstedt—Poultry 4
Barbara Menard—Dog 1
Helena T. Mikolajczyk—Horse 1
Linda J. Nolan—Clothing 1
Marjorie A. Officer—Clothing, Veg. Garden, Food Preparation, Conservation 2
Junior Leader 1
Bonnie Opielowski—Clothing, Vegetable Garden, Food Preparation, Dairy, Poultry 6
Junior Leader 1
Sandra L. Opielowski—Dairy. Food Preparation, Poultry 2
Mary Jean Paul—Horse 2
Judith Phaneuf—Food Preparation 3
Erleen M. Poitras—Horse 1 (2 yrs. Cloverbud)
Beth Ann Powers—Clothing 1
Brian R. Potter—Poultry 1
Cecil E. Potter—Vegetable Garden, Poultry 1
Robert D. Puder—Horse 3
William E. Rae—Horse 3
Ellen L. Rice—Dog 4 Jr. Leader 1
Francis J. Rollet—Dog 1
Robert J. Squires—Dog, Vegetable Garden 2
Robin F. Stone—Clothing, Food Preparation, Vegetable Garden, Conservation 1
Mike I. Sullivan—Sheep, Beef, Conservation, Rabbits 2
Franklin D. Wenzel—Dairy, Auto, Veg. Garden, Po., Tractor, Field Crops 9 Junior Leader 4
Gail C. Whipple—Dog 4
Caroline M. Wood—Sheep 1
Frederrica E. Very—Clothing 1

Leaders

Mrs. Preston Atwood—11
Wallace Chevalier—4
Mrs. Richard I. Cole—21
Mrs. Winifred Ham—2
Mrs. Juliary H. Hussey—6
Mrs. Fred Opielowski—5
Mrs. Earl Poitras—2
Mrs. Edward Rice—3
Mrs. Godfrey Wenzel—10
Miss Joyce Wenzel—4

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REPAIRS AT SCHOOLS

At the high school, the corridor and basement floors were painted. The cafeteria floor was painted and waxed, and the walls in classroom 21 were paneled and painted. All classroom furniture was examined and repaired.

At the Center Junior High School, both basements were painted, floors were washed, sealed and waxed, all furniture was checked and repaired, and all areas were cleaned.

At the Main Street School, Franklin School, superintendent's office, and the Household Arts Room in Clapp Memorial Library, general cleaning and repairs were carried out.

A great deal of work also was done at Cold Spring School. Painting included the principal's office, the nurses' clinic, teachers' room and four primary classrooms. Some 70 desks were refinished, the boiler firebox was repaired, a mixing valve was repaired, all floors were stripped and waxed, univents cleaned and lighting fixtures cleaned. The roof was repaired under the original bond issue for the construction of the school. Repairs were made to the floor mats.

George Dewey, head custodian, supervised the summer repairs, assisted by William F. Kimball, Jr., Robert Welch, Walter Lebida and Charles H. Eskett. Some extra help was employed during the summer in those portions of the repairs which required professional workmanship.

LOCAL WINNER

The New England Archery Tournament, which consists of all the New England states participating, was held in Westerly, Rhode Island at Burlingame State Park on August 31st and September 1st.

There were 864 men, women and children who registered to bend their bows on Field targets on Saturday. But Sunday they had to use their skill at shooting at animal targets.

A winner representing the Nonotuck Bowmen Club was Mrs. Wilbur E. Eaton who finished 2nd in her class. There were 26 in the 125 class in which she competed.

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Clambake put on by the Metacomet Fox, Rod and Gun Club was so unusual as to lead the editor to say: "It will be long remembered." Evidently things did not go exactly right in the bake for when the lid was taken off, "things were wondrously rare from start to finish. Even the watermelons needed another hour or two of sun.'" The chefs were so conscious stricken that they offered to refund the money taken in, but no one would accept it. "But the trap shooting was a howling success . . . Starting with a full barrel of 'pigeons' at noon, all were 'dead' at night."

Discussion about the "Annual Fair" still goees on. Four columns of the *Sentinel* pro and con are devoted to it.

The Water Commissioners have provided the new schools with water.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Rev. Kendig B. Cully was called to be pastor of the Congregational Church.

George A. Hussey died at his home on Jabish St. at the age of 65.

Frank D. Fuller, the President of the Moore Drop Forge Co. and much beloved by his associates died at the age of 53. His beautiful estate was the pride of Belchertown and expressive of his personality.

Most of the space in the *Sentinel* was devoted to the story of the aftermath of the Hurricane. Five pictures of the wreckage appeared, viz.,—the Collis Place, the Frank Gold place, the Oliver House, the Congregational parsonage, and H. F. Peck's residence. The editor takes nineteen paragraphs to tell the story of the damage, while The Steeple fills almost the whole of page two in his Soliloquies on the hurricane. This second Hurricane issue of *the Sentinel* was run off by power furnished by William Squires' saw outfit. The local paper did not miss an issue.

TEN YEARS AGO

St. Francis Church is holding a week's mission.

H. Morgan Ryther has been elected president of the Color Camera Club.

Mrs. Vicki Sears has been elected President of the "Y.M." Club.

In a nation-wide sampler contest, Mrs. E. F. Shumway won first prize at Eastern States. Her entry is dated 1803. The sampler was done on handwoven linen. Besides the usual alphabet, there were several of them. There was a row of digits and below them was embroidered a tree with the serpent coming down on it with the long ago apple for Eve.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

Registration went fine Wednesday night. There was a lot of hustle and bustle in the hall from 7 to 8 p. m. We want to thank those of the adults who came forward and offered their help, which is most needed. We registered the boys, in spite of the fact we still lack an important part of our Pack, our Cubmaster. No one has yet come forward to help out, in spite of all the public appeals we have made to this date, so we are repeating our appeal with a little more emphasis.

HELP WANTED: Cubmaster for Pack 57. We need YOU.

PETERSON HONORED

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Ketchen, former member of the School Committee.

Gerald Tremaine presented a life membership in the PTA to Mr. Peterson. Mr. Willey, chairman of the School Committee, presented a plaque on behalf of the townspeople for his "good and faithful service."

The guests presented him with a tape recorder, with Mrs. Dewey, chairman of the gift committee, making the presentation.

Mr. Peterson is now professor of education and supervisor of student teachers at Westfield State College. He was in our school system for over 25 years, serving as superintendent for the past 10 years.

TOWN ITEMS

Rev. Cato Dick, former pastor of the Methodist Church, and Mrs. Dick were in town this week. They presently reside at Lake Junaluska, No. Carolina, and are in a busy Center of Church activities.

Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr., is a patient at Malden City Hospital, where she was taken on the 13th, after being taken ill at the home of a relative in Malden.

Richard H. Cook of Park Street graduated on Friday, September 13, from the New England Institute of Anatomy, Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook and Sharyn Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Story, Jr., attended the graduation and open house.

TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP OF QUABBIN

Featured at the Belchertown Fair in the Town Hall will be a topographical map of Quabbin Valley as it was before the Metropolitan District took over and the Valley became Quabbin Reservoir. Mr. Fred Brigham of North Brookfield is maker and owner of the map, and he has worked on it for several years, doing hours of research to make every hill and valley and river to scale.

Every house that was in the valley is represented by a replica of the original. Along with this four by eight (4x8) foot exhibition will be photographs of the houses represented on the map. So come and see Quabbin Valley as it was, at the Belchertown Fair, Saturday, October 12, 1963.

GONE TO AFRICA

Elwyn J. Doubleday, former principal of Cold Spring School, and later principal of East Longmeadow High School, left September 10 by air to take up his new work at Kampala, Uganda, East Africa, working under contract between the U. of M., the Agency for International Development, and the Uganda government, setting up and equipping a girls high school.

Mr. Doubleday has had experience along this line in setting up the school at East Longmeadow, getting it ready to open.

Mr. Doubleday's contract is for two years. His family expects to join him at a date to be determined.

BIRTH

A daughter, Pamela Sue, was born to Lloyd and Marion (Horta) Chadbourne of Federal Street on September 17, at the Mary Lane Hospital, Ware.

Paternal grandparent is Mrs. Catherine Chadbourne of North Main St. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ramon R. Horta, Granby Road, Belchertown.

NUMBERS ALL AROUND

The following article is taken from the September issue of *The American Press*, and was written by Don Robinson, editor of that publication.

HI THERE ONE-TWO-THREE

When I recently became a grandfather, the parents went to considerable effort to pick a name for the new baby. It seemed to me rather a waste of time, for long before the baby grows up, there is little doubt that names will be entirely abandoned in favor of numbers.

If my opinion had been asked, I would have named the new baby One-Two-Three Robinson, thus giving her an opportunity to be near the head of the list when our final numbers are assigned.

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It is apparent that names are rapidly on the way out. To get me by telephone, people used to ask a live operator for Lebanon, N. J. Now they ask their dial for 201, which means northern New Jersey, and for 236 which is the new name for Lebanon. Then they get around to me, personally, by adding 2242.

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Under the new ZIP program of the Post Office, my terminal area in New Jersey, which used to be named New Brunswick, is now named 088, and my town is designated by adding an 85 to the 088. I still go under the name of Don Robinson, but I am also known in government circles as good

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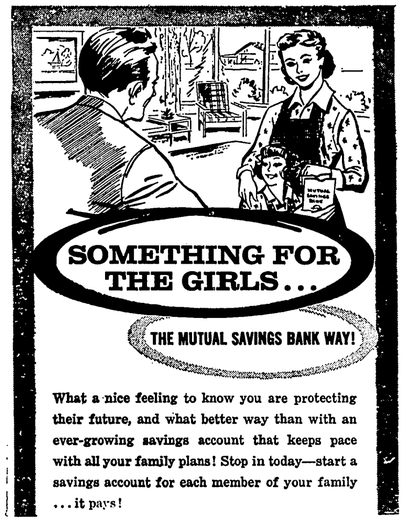

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To all persons interested in the estate of IDA P. HUNT, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by BRUCE G. BROWN of Amherst, in the County of Hampshire, praying that he be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the ninth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

Sept. 13, 20, 27

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM N. WEBSTER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ANN S. WEBSTER, also known as ANNA S. WEBSTER, of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that MARGARET ANN DOUBLEDAY of Longmeadow, in the County of Hampden, be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September, 1963.

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NUMBERS ALL AROUND

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old 056-10-4753, my social security number becoming more and more the key to my existence. In the hospital they have me down as International zero, a rather ignominious designation based on my blood type.

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In view of all this infatuation with numbers for designating states, towns, and people, there is little reason to believe that personal names can hang on. When my granddaughter gets married I expect to hear the preacher say: "Do you, One-Two-Three take Thee Seven-Six-Five-Two to be thy wedded husband?"

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 d 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 30 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 ass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning orship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Leukemia Drive.
Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the Salge grounds at 1.30 p. m.
Juvenile Grange Installation at ange Hall at 3.30 p. m.

MONDAY

"The Arts in the Church" in Congational Church at 7.30 p. m.
Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old wn Hall at 6.30 p. m.
School for Christian Workers at the thodist Church.

TUESDAY

Home Department with Mrs. Har Curtis at 2.30 p. m.
Lions Club.
Toy Party at Dwight Chapel.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.
Cub Scout Leaders' Meeting in American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Hilltop Twirlers' Pre-Fair Dance Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

Missionary Group of W. S. C. S. with Mrs. Ada Staples.

SATURDAY

Annual Fair.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall—Fair Day Special.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Western Square Dance for Teenagers in Legion Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Semi-Annual Meeting of Historical Association at Stone House at 8 p. m.
Republican Town Committee Food Sale in front of First National Store at 2 p. m.

TOMORROW

Senior High Fellowship Car Wash.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Oct. 14
Special Town Meeting in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Oct. 19
Eastern Star Food Sale.
Oct. 26
Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Vernon Lodge Installation.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

AROUND OUR TOWN

Crowded conditions do not always apply to cities. It is a condition we here in Belchertown, with over sixty square miles of territory, have run into—at least as concerns Mount Hope Cemetery here in the Center.

Those who use East Walnut Street (runs from the post office down the hill towards Ware to Jabish), brave souls they are, no doubt have seen the changes which have been brought about by the Cemetery Commissioners. This week, an access was created into the back lot off E. Walnut St., so that the land remaining in the cemetery can be used. This was done by clearing out the brush and debris and grading the area. At a later date,

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HAVE YOU HEARD?

If you haven't noticed any of the recent publicity for the Danny Thomas Leukemia drive, here's your chance. 58 teenage volunteers from Belchertown will canvass the town this Sunday, October 6, from 2 to 5.

They will be properly identified to collect your contributions for the St. Jude Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., which benefits children of all races and creeds without charge.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

The second meeting of the Belchertown Boy Scout committee was held at the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar on Monday, September 30. There were seven members, and Chester Dzwonkowski, our neighborhood commissioner, present.

Commissioner Dzwonkowski gave a short talk on the sidelights of the annual Boy Scout Jamboree, and explained the qualifications to stress in choosing a boy for the Jamboree.

Future activities planned include weekly swimming at the Amherst College swimming pool, the hike from Markert's orchards to the Summit House at Mt. Tom, the annual Klondike Derby at Camp Chesterfield, and winter camping at the troop's own camp on Route 202.

A tentative schedule was set up for the First Aid Tent to be manned by Scouts and Leaders in two-hour shifts starting Friday from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m., and Saturday from 8 a. m. to 8.30 p. m. There will be a State Trooper on duty at all times; and the boys will serve as litter bearers, help to keep the crowds away from the persons needing First Aid, and to guide such persons to the First Aid tent.

The committee has decided to have its regular meeting on the third Tuesday of each month at either the Pine Room or the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar, depending on whether or not movies will be shown.

Mr. Don Cole has very kindly offered to bulldoze the road and area around the camp, and, at a later date to clear out an area for a swimming pool. The Troop is most appreciative of Mr. Cole's offer.

So far, the Scouts have sold approximately 900 boxes of candy and will have more for sale at their booth on Fair Day. Scouts Nolan, Forrest and Wall are leading in the sale of candy.

GOODWILL TRUCK

A truck from the Springfield Goodwill Industries will be at the Methodist Church vestry on Monday, October 7. Anyone wishing to donate used clothing or similar items may leave them there over the week-end.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

The selectmen have drawn up a warrant for a special Town Meeting to be held Monday evening, October 14, at 7.30, in Memorial Hall. The articles are printed in this issue.

JOINT INSTALLATION

The joint installation of the Legion and Auxiliary was held in the Legion Hall last Sunday afternoon, District 2 installing teams officiating.

The Auxiliary officers were first installed, Mrs. Marion Jeffers of Granby, Senior Vice Director, being the installing officer. Mrs. John Reed, president elect, expressed thanks to the Auxiliary members for electing her, saying she would try to do her best.

Installation of Legion officers followed. Emil Jaescke, Commander of District 2, being the installing officer. Commander elect Francis Goodrow also expressed thanks for his election and spoke of trying to fill the shoes of his predecessors.

Both retiring heads thanked their associates for their support this past year.

After the joint installation came the memorial service for veterans in Belchertown and the area who had passed on. As usual, this part of the program was impressively carried out. Featured in the ceremony was a white cross, replete with flag, wreath and helmet, a sermonette, and "Abide With Me" and "God Be With You."

The meeting closed with prayer by the Post Chaplain, Isaac A. Hodgen.

Following the meeting a buffet luncheon was served by the Auxiliary.

At the meeting, District officers praised the work of the local groups this past year, making special mention of Rehabilitation activities at the Northampton V. A. Hospital.

In this connection, mention was made of the orientation and endoctrination course on October 9 and 16, of the Thanksgiving dance November 4, and the Christmas dance December 9 at the institution.

The names of officers installed were in a recent issue.

TOY PARTY

The Ladies Aid of Dwight Chapel will hold a Toy Party on Tuesday, October 8, at 8.30 at the Chapel. The public is invited.

CAR WASH

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will sponsor a car wash at the church parking lot tomorrow, October 5, beginning at 10 o'clock. Prices are $1.00, with 25 cents extra for white sidewall tires.

ANOTHER CAR PRESENTED

For the fourth consecutive year, Gibson Chevrolet of Amherst is providing a new Chevrolet for the driver education course at Belchertown High.

The new 1964 Bel-Aire model rolled into the school driveway Tuesday morning shortly after 9. The personnel present was a bit different this year, due to the passing of Bill Webster, and the resignation of Supt. Peterson.

Harlan Page, Gibson Chevrolet manager of Amherst, was on hand, as usual, as was Gerald Tremaine, driving instructor. Roy Reece, new local sales representative, who drove in the car, was there, as was Donald Geer, acting superintendent, high school principal, and incidentally the driving instructor for the school several years back.

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FOOD SALE TODAY

A food sale will be held this afternoon at 2 in front of the First National Store for the benefit of the Republican town committee.

PRE-FAIR SPECIAL

There will be a Pre-Fair Special Square Dance for members of the Hilltop Twirlers on October 11th. Jack O'Leary will be the guest caller for this dance which will begin at 7.30 p. m. in Lawrence Memorial Hall.

Other teenage square dancers are invited to attend. Carol Oliveira will be in charge of refreshments.

JUVENILE GRANGE INSTALLATION

Union of Belchertown Juvenile Grange officers will be installed Sunday, October 6, at Grange Hall at 3.30 p. m. by Ware Juvenile Grange installing suite. A tea will follow the installation, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

NUMBERS GET THROUGH

The article we reprinted last week on numbers evoked some interest. H. Morgan Ryther showed us a letter he mailed to himself in Holyoke at 3 p. m. on September 11, carrying nothing but numbers for the address:

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When he was in the local post office at 5.30 the same afternoon, he was handed this letter.

Yes numbered mail gets through, even though it is dehumanized.
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The Simple Soliloquizer

When You Shoot With Lions
You Blast At Eye Diseases

Every Sunday afternoon at this time of year, there is a Turkey Shoot at the grounds of the Belchertown Salvage Company on Bay Road. The competition gives enjoyment to a lot of people, many go home with turkeys, and those who are managing the shoots take in quite a fistful of money.

These shoots have become the main source of income for the Belchertown Lions Club, and a large percentage of the members of this rather small organization gives up precious time to sell the tickets and man the targets. Ten weeks of this work add up to quite a chore.

Why should the Lions be so absorbed in getting money? Why should the public be urged to support their enterprises? You probably know the answer. All the money taken in by these men *must* go to services for the community or for mankind in general. None of it can benefit the club as a club. The members must pay for all their own suppers or banquets, and for all other such affairs out of their own pockets and not with the profits from projects. Money collected from such events as shoots, circuses, and public suppers has to go to good causes: like Boy Scouts, Hallowe'en parties, Thanksgiving baskets, scholarships, and—most important of all—"eye research."

Just as crippled children have long been the concern of the Masonic Shrine, so has research into the causes of blindness been the concern of Lions. In fact, so close is *sight* to the Lions, that they have collected eye glasses, sold electric-light bulbs, and even provided the money for school kids who were desperately in need of glasses but had no money to pay for them.

Is there need for the money that Lions International is giving to eye research? The following is quoted from official reports:

"Here are the major diseases that result in blindness:

"1. *Glaucoma.* Caused by pressure within the eye which subjects the eye to abnormal strains, much as an over-inflated football can be distorted out of shape. When this pressure is exerted on the optic nerve, the nerve is slowly throttled, just as a tree can be throttled by a vine twined around its trunk, and blindness is the result.

"One out of every 200 has glaucoma, and may go blind at any time. There are about 70,000 people in America blinded by glaucoma and over three-quarters of a million who have glaucoma at one stage or another, and who are potentially members of the nation's blind population.

"Glaucoma is the subject of a good deal of research discussion but, *because of lack of funds,* comparatively little research is being done on it. While over ¾ million people are affected, there isn't enough money devoted to glaucoma research to keep one laboratory going for more than one year at a time. *No one knows what causes glaucoma, how to prevent it or, once acquired, how to cure it completely.*

"2. *Cataracts.* Caused by the clouding of the crystalline lens of the eye, much as the windshield of safety glass becomes clouded when the inner layer is affected by sun and air. Research is hobbled, however. *There is not money enough available for a full-scale project on cataracts. Actually, very little has been discovered about the disease since it was first detected in India 5,000 years ago.* Until a sustained program of research, with a good chance of successful results, is properly financed, cataracts will always be with us, particularly in the aged. *The disease affects about 24 percent of the nation's blind, and strikes particularly at the middle-aged and aged.*

"3. *Retinitis pigmentosa.* An insidious degeneration of the retina which strikes people of all ages, it first manifests itself in night blindness. There are many thousands with retinitis pigmentosa in various stages. *Nothing is known about the cause of the disease—or its prevention—or its cure.*

"4. *Uveitis.* Organic, this is often the result of systemic illnesses. Not curable in its latter stages. Fairly prevalent, but, like glaucoma, can be arrested *if caught in time. However, also like glaucoma, its causes, its prevention and its cure are absolute mysteries.*

"5. *Detached retina.* Nearly all that is known of this is that, once the retina is shaken loose from its proper place around the outer rim of the eye, blindness results. Thousands owe their blindness to this cause, and research men would like to give time to finding its sources. Neither the time nor the money is available to them.

"There are other eye diseases which could be enumerated, such as optic nerve atrophy, corneal disease, retrolental degeneration and others, leading to blindness. The causes of most of these diseases are *"Unknown to Science."* It has been said by able doctors and scientists that so neglected has been the field of basic research in the Blinding Eye Diseases that it is inconceivable that such a condition should exist in this country.

It is agreed by competent authorities that tremendous possibilities for eye research can be instituted if funds are provided. Few disasters can compare with the tragedy of blindness and yet little money has been available for its study in research laboratories.

"The need for research is desperate. The hope in the future lies in the search for fundamental knowledge and the application of such knowledge."

It should make those who support Lionism locally very happy to know that their money is giving pleasure to themselves and help to humanity. Even if one never gets a turkey, he is making a bullseye in the shoot against blindness.

We don't see many blind folks out here in Belchertown. Nor in other places either—not as many as we once did. Americans are able to take pretty good care of their eyes. Safety programs in industry, elimination in many states of explosives like fireworks, and other factors have kept us bright-eyed. Infant care has brought to a minimum blindness to the newly born. Every child in the Massachusetts public schools must have his eyes and ears tested annually—a tremendous job. Lighting surveys are in progress constantly.

Yet these facts remain: 60 Americans go blind every day. One out of every 550 Americans is blind. Research will eventually learn more about the causes of glaucoma and the rest, if the money is provided. The Lions have a good cause on which to spend their organization's energy.

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Need a Caning Job?

Despite all precautions, people still lose their sight, sometimes in unbelievable ways. Take the case of the man who canes chairs down in Ludlow—a Mr. Ledoux. He lives on the right side of Route 21 as you are entering Ludlow, right after you have passed the Carmon Cleaners and the Miller's Dairy Bar. There's a sign outside the house.

Some years ago, he went to the hospital for a minor operation and was blinded by ether! Imagine the tragedy—with an eight-year-old child to get to maturity. He learned a new skill by virtue of one lesson for an hour once a week, and now has a pretty good business. But he'll never see again.

By the way, he does an excellent job at cane or splint seating, at a reasonable rate.

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How's Your Math?

The last little item in the column last week should have been headed this way and *not* "How's Your Match?", which made no sense at all.

If you haven't solved it, and whether you want to know or not, I'll give you an answer next week!

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame."

Bible—Job—xxix, 15

Bob Jackson

TELEPHONE TRIP

Earl Henrichon represented the selectmen at a guest night of the telephone company in Springfield on Tuesday evening, when their automatic billing system was demonstrated. A special bus from Palmer took the group. Following the demonstration, the guests were served dinner at the Oaks Inn.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

University of Massachusetts Volunteers were joyfully welcomed for another season on Saturday, September 28. They were taken on a tour of the grounds by Mrs. "G" and shown the various areas where they will be working with the children. Co-ordinators for the coming year are, Doris Hakes, Beverly Trull and John Francisco.

On Sunday, September 29, at 5 p. m., while the officers and members of the Belchertown Birthday Box Board of Directors held their combined breath (or is it breaths, R. G. S?)—the name of Frank Moryl of Gilbertville was drawn as the -"Bermuda Bound Boy". Francis J. Longtine, Steward at B. S. S., attended the meeting as our special guest to make the "pick of the season."

The proceeds from this latest project will be used to install chimes on our organ, speakers on the roof of the school building with connected turntable and public address system so that all the children in the Infirmary, Hospital and other buildings who are unable to attend church services, musical entertainments and holiday festivities, will now be able to at least hear these various things and enjoy them, albeit from a distance. Many thanks to all of you who helped us. We are very grateful.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Frank Grover asked, "And now—what is the next project?"

We're a thinkin' about one right now and will let you all in on it, probably after the holidays.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

September 30 results are as follows: Jackson's 6, Cole's 0, with R. Hubbard, Jr. high for the winners with 337, and C. Robinson, Jr. high for the losers with 324. Cook's 4, Park Lane 2, with R. Hubbard, Sr.'s 308 high for Cook's, and T. Pereira's 306 for Park Lane.

Jabish Brook won 6 over Salvage. High for the winners was P. Wisnewski with 286, and L. Frost 281 for Salvage. Hilltoppers and Henneman's split with 3 points apiece. H. Main and B. Ross each rolled 307 for the Hilltoppers, and D. Pratt's 301 was high for Henneman's. B. S. S. took all 6 from the Legion, with H. Judkin's 285 high for State School, and P. Adzima 288 for the Legion.

Turkey Hill 4, Reece 2. P. Chlebus rolled 365 for Turkey Hill, which is the new high three, and H. Goodrow was high with 314 for Reece. Gates Garage lost 6 to the Independents. High for the winners was H. Squires with 329, and D. Barrett 294 for Gates.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Independents	20	4	5977
Jackson's	20	4	5904
Henneman's	19	5	5999
Turkey Hill	18	6	5746
Cook's	15	9	5641
Reece	12	12	5739
Hilltoppers	12	12	5598
Gates Garage	12	12	5486
B. S. S.	12	12	5155
Salvage	10	14	5666
Jabish Brook	8	16	5634
Park Lane	4	20	5449
Cole Contrac.	4	20	5289
American Legion	2	22	5192

Season's Records

High Single String—W. Terry, 139
2nd High Single—P. Chlebus, 134
High Three Strings—Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three—H. Main, 347
High Team Single Henneman's 550
Team High Three Henneman's 1529

310 Club—P. Chlebus 365, H. Goodrow 314, J. McInnis 312, C. Robinson, Jr. 324, R. Hubbard, Jr. 337, K. Main 311, and H. Squires 329.

110 Club—M. Hubler 112, R. Hubbard, Sr. 120, R. Hawkins 115, J. Hubbard 110, A. Henneman 119, B. Ross 112, P. Adzima 126, P. Chlebus 113, 118, 134, H. Goodrow 114, J. McInnis 129, J. McDermott 115, H. Squires 117, C. Robinson, Jr. 111, R. Hubbard, Jr. 125, 120, K. Main 110, and E. Henrichon 110.

Next Week's Matches—

Cook vs Cole Contractors
Reece vs Independents
B.S.S. vs Park Lane
Turkey Hill vs Jabish Brook
Henneman's vs Gates
Salvage vs American Legion
Hilltoppers vs Jackson's

J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On September 26th, the Pin Pickers of the Women's Bowling League had the high three with 1322 and also took team high single with 452. The team results were as follows:

Pin Pickers 8, Hit or Miss 0; Roll-a-ways 8, King Pins 0; Gay Rollers 8, Nite Outers 0; Chadson Gals 7, Outskirters 1; Congo's 6, Jolly "5" 2; Harmony Five 6, Bowl-aires 2; and Pin Spinners 4, Crystals 4.

300 club—B. Boucher 324 and C. Hubbard 304.

110 club—D. Snow 117, B. Boucher 114, D. Fitts 111 and C. Hubbard 110.

High three—B. Boucher, 324
2nd high three—C. Hubbard, 304
High single—D. Snow, 117
2nd high single—B. Boucher, 114

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	24	0	3896
Roll-a-ways	20	4	3799
Gay Rollers	16	8	3738
Chadson Gals	15	9	3608
King Pins	14	10	3622
Harmony Five	14	10	3597
Jolly "5"	12	12	3704
Crystals	12	12	3658
Congo's	10	14	3735
Pin Spinners	10	14	3396
Hit or Miss	8	16	3691
Outskirters	5	19	3457
Bowl-aires	4	20	3607
Nite Outers	4	20	3383

Ruth Dowd
Secretary

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Bock are parents of a son, Edward Francis, born September 24 at Wesson Maternity Hospital, Springfield. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cutting. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Paul Bock.

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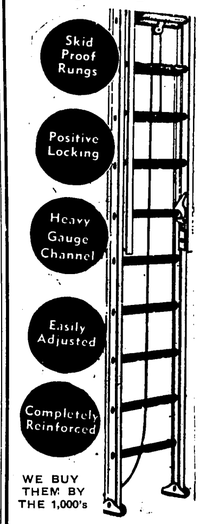

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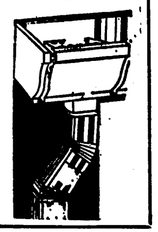

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Fr. Josephh T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 1, 4-8. The first Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Matthew 9, 1-8. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Relates the healing of a paralytic.)

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

Today is the first Friday in October. Confessions will be held from 7 to 7.25 a. m. and 6.15 to 6.50 p. m. Mass at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

— ATTENTION MOTHERS —

In regards to First Communion—It is very important for the parents or guardians of children planning to receive their First Communion next Spring to register with the Sister who is in charge of this class following the 9.30 Mass on Sunday at the Church.

— MONT MARIE —

Fr. Dudley and Fr. Collins wish to thank the Captains, Workers, and the Parish Committee for the very successful results on the Mont Marie drive—and especially thank the parishioners for their helpfulness and generosity, which resulted in a total for the parish far above their expectations—$8,165.00 to date (Monday night).

Any others who would like to give or pledge, kindly contact one of the priests or call Philip Labrecque at 323-7775 or Mrs. James Baker at 323-6913.

According to campaign officials, the fund for a new motherhouse at Mont Marie now stands at $2,579,426., an amount of $579,426. over the goal of $2 million set when the drive opened in June.

— HOLY NAME SOCIETY —

The Holy Name Society recently elected its new officers for the 1963-64 season. The new President of the club is Lionel Miron.

The priests and members are grateful for the fine job done by John Coty, former president, who we understand has moved to Amherst.

— OCTOBER DEDICATION —

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Paul Wall, Acolyte

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

World Wide Communion Sunday

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sacrament of Holy Communion
Communion Meditation by the Pastor

A special offering will be received for the Fellowship of Suffering and the Chaplain work of the Methodist Church.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet. This is the first meeting of the fall, and reports will be given by those who attended the fall institute.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet. This meeting will feature the election of officers and program planning for the year. Mrs. Earl Henrichon and Mrs. Helen Plant will be the sponsors of the Junior High group.

7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

10 a. m. A meeting of the District Ministers for the Bishop's Study Day at First Church in Pittsfield. The evening meeting is designed for laymen.

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

7.30 p. m. The School for Christian Workers will meet in the Vestry for the First Session.

8.30 p. m. The Second Session of the School will meet in various rooms of the Educational Building. It is still not too late to enroll in these courses for credit.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

8 p. m. The Mid-week service of song, praise and prayer will meet at the Parsonage.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet in the Church Vestry for a supper meeting. The program for Layman's Sunday, October 20, will be discussed. A presentation of the National program for visitation will be presented to the Men.

7.30 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet with Mrs. Ada Staples.

COMING—

Eighth Annual Fall Week of Evangelism, October 27 through November 1.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Guest Minister

Rev. Robert F. Berkey has chosen for his sermon topic for Sunday morning, "And Now I See."

Men's Class

Commencing this coming Sunday, the men's class will meet at 9.15, concluding at 10.15.

Hampshire Association

Delegates from our church will be attending the Association meeting in Hadley on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Sidney Wheeler is one of the members of the panel which will be discussing the question of civil rights—"The March on Washington—the Pro's and Con's."

Junior Fellowship

The Junior High Fellowship leaves the Parish House this afternoon at 3 for a retreat at the Canoe Club in So. Hadley. They will return tomorrow afternoon. Their regular meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 5.30.

Senior Fellowship

On Sunday the Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will go to Hadley for the evening program of the Hampshire Association. There will be special discussion groups set up for the young people.

Home Department

Mrs. Leslie Curtis and Mrs. Walter Blackmer will be co-hostesses for the Home Department on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 at the Curtis home on So. Main St.

Trustees

The trustees will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday evening, October 9, at 8 o'clock at the Parish House.

Adult Study Group

The adult Study Group on "The Parables of Jesus" will meet Thursday evening at 8 in the Parish House. All are welcome.

Fair Day

Men of the church will park cars in the church parking lot and at the parsonage on Fair Day. The Friendly Service will have a large display of aprons, fancy work, toys, jams and jellies, etc. on sale in front of the Parish House. The Women's Guild will serve their customary turkey dinner in the dining room, with servings beginning at 11.45.

The Arts in the Church

This Monday evening, October 7, at 7.30, Rev. J. Thomas Leamon will lecture and show slides on Art in the Church. We are host church for this meeting. Mark the date on your calendar.

Dates

Oct. 16—Women's Guild
Oct. 19—Work Day for Christ
Oct. 22—Double or Nothing Club Open Meeting

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FALL MEETING

The Fall meeting of Hampshire Association on Sunday at the First Congregational Church of Hadley will be of special interest to the Congregational Church in Belchertown, and already there have been eleven reservations for supper at 5.30. It will be of interest to Belchertown for the main address of the afternoon at 3.15 will be by Rev. Gifford Towle of Vadala, India, who is our church missionary. Also because Sidney Wheeler is one of the speakers at 6.30 on "The March on Washington".

A special invitation is extended to the Pilgrim Fellowship groups for supper and the evening. At 4.30 there will be three reports on the General Synod held at Denver, following which there will be a roll-call of the churches on civil rights.

The Association begins at 3 and closes at 8.15.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Jenks of Orchard Road, Belchertown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Muriel Ann, to Melvin George Atwell, son of Mrs. Roland Strange of Fontana, California, and Earl Atwell of Arizona. Miss Jenks was graduated from Belchertown High School in 1961 and is employed at the Registrar's Office, Amherst College, Amherst. Mr. Atwell, who attended New York schools, until recently, was employed at the Student Union at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. He is now working at Fran Don Welding, Harkness Road, Pelham.

An April wedding is planned by the couple.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mr. & Mrs. David White of Daniel Shays Highway their property on State Street to The Reverend Ellen H. Rollins and Miss Ramona A. Apker both of Riverton, Conn. The Reverend Rollins is a recently ordained Congregational Minister while Miss Apker is a school teacher. The new owners intend to use the former White property as a weekend and summer place.

LADIES AID BAZAAR

Last Tuesday evening, October 1, some members of the Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid met at Eunice Griswold's home. The purpose of this meeting was to make articles for the Ladies Aid Bazaar being held October 26 at Dwight Chapel.

A toy party is being held next Tuesday night, as elsewhere noted.

As a reminder, ladies, don't forget your hand-made articles for the bazaar.

AMHERST NATURE CLUB

The Amherst Nature Club will meet on Tuesday, October 8, at 7.30 p. m. at the Skinner Auditorium, University of Massachusetts. The program will be "California in the Spring." Dr. Charles P. Alexander will talk about their trip and show pictures of the wonderful spring wildflowers there, as well as other selected subjects.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Agricultural committee, Rose Wenzel, chairman. Prize winners were: 1st, Ruth Kempkes, Emma Grover, Walter DeFord and Arline H. Powers; 2nd, Esther Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks and Rose Canavan; 3rd, Joy Wright, Richard Hatch, Gaetane Fortin and Franklin Wenzel; door Flo. Damon and Christine Henry.

This week's party will be in charge of the music committee, M. Plant, P. Very, R. Martin and T. Kempkes.

STAND ON FAIR DAY

The Commission on Education of the Methodist Church will have a stand on the church side of the common on Fair Day. Cold drinks, hot dogs, hamburgs, pies, doughnuts and coffee will be on sale.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

All Brownies, girls in 2nd and 3rd grades, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3.15 in the Pine Room. On the same day at 3.15 in the Parish House, Junior Scouts, girls in the 4th, 5th and 6th grades, will meet.

Leaders this year will be Mrs. Jack Poole, Mrs. Edwin Whipple, Mrs. John Carr, Mrs. Winfred Fay, Mrs. Carl Fay, Mrs. Russell Robinson, Mrs. Charles Dowd and Mrs. Roland Lapointe. As yet there are no leaders for the Cadet Scouts, girls in 7th, 8th and 9th grades. Volunteers are requested to contact Mrs. Jack Poole.

LIONS CLUB

Eye research is again the official fund raising project of the Lions clubs of Massachusetts, John C. Carr, president of the Lions Club, has announced.

The local club's drive is being held from September 22 to November 24, when members of the Belchertown club will conduct turkey shoots.

"This is the 10th year the Lions have campaigned for Eye Research," Mr. Carr said. "As a result of our past efforts, we are now supporting projects at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, the Joslin Clinic, the Ophthalmics Plastics Laboratory, the E. B. Dunphy Eye Research Fellowship and the Neurological Laboratory of the Tufts-New England Medical Center.

"Of all the crippling diseases, blindness ranks among the most tragic, because the affliction is often the result of lack of knowledge. The need for more research to discover and prevent the causes of blindness is desperate."

GRANGE NOTES

The officers of Union Grange were installed Tuesday evening by Harlan C. Wheeler, past deputy of Massachusetts State Grange, and suite. Mrs. Wheeler served as marshal, Christina Olson was emblem bearer, and Carolyn Gagne was regalia bearer. There was a duet by Patricia and Barbara Barna. The installing chaplain was Arthur Jefferson, and the pianist was Mrs. Fred'k Olson. All were from Wilbraham.

Guests were present from South Amherst, Amherst and Northampton.

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Bids will be accepted for daily removal if covered 55 gallon drums or similar containers are used and for weekly removal if a Dempster Dumpmaster type container is furnished. Bidders must furnish the containers.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the Town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Belchertown School Committee
Belchertown, Massachusetts
Oct. 4, 11

TRUCK BID
TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN

The Board of Selectmen is accepting bids on a heavy-duty dump truck as nearly comparable to the Brockway 147 L as is manufactured by your company. Bids must be submitted in an envelope plainly marked "TRUCK BIDS". These bids will be opened at 8:00 P. M. on October 10, 1963 in the Selectmen's Office. This Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. We have available for trade a 1955 Brockway Dump Truck Model 146-L. Price must include transfer of snow plow attachment from our present truck to the new vehicle.

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—40 gallon gas tank, safety type, hydraulic jack.
—Garwood hoist and body or its equal, 4 yard with 6 yard ends 7x9 with head board, 8 gauge with heavy duty hardware A60 hoist, tail gate with sand door.

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INVITATION FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TRANSPORTATION BIDS

Sealed proposals for a contract for the transportation of Vocational Education pupils attending New Salem Academy, New Salem, Massachusetts, will be received at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Clapp Memorial Library, up to **8:00 P. M.** on **Wednesday, October 9, 1963,** at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The contract will become effective immediately upon award and will be effective for the balance of the school year (June 30, 1964.) Bids will be considered for a vehicle with a minimum seating capacity of nine (9) persons exclusive of the driver. The vehicle while being used for transporting pupils must be identified as a school bus in accordance with the requirements of Clause (1) of Section 7B, Chapter 90. Bidders should include a brief description of the vehicle to be used to fulfill the contract. Pick-up station will be Belchertown High School, and pupils will be returned to same.

This vehicle in addition to meeting inspection requirements of the Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles, must be equipped with a heater, defroster, and chains. The Owner is responsible to see that all Drivers are properly licensed for the operation of this vehicle, and comply with the physical examination, and other requirements specified by the Commonwealth and School Committee for all school bus operators.

Bidders must submit with bids conclusive evidence of ability to secure a Performance Bond for the annual amount of the Bid. The successful bidder must file such Performance Bond upon acceptance of the contract.

All proposals are to be in a sealed envelope marked **"Proposal—New Salem Vocational Education Transportation".** The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals if such action is in the best interest of the Town.

Belchertown School Committee
Belchertown, Massachusetts

THE WARRANT

Art. 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the treasury a sum of money to pay for interest on temporary notes or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 2 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the former Union School property or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase a new dump-truck for use by the Highway Department or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 4 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds a sum of money to the insurance account or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 5 To see if the Town will vote to rezone from Agricultural to Business the property of Francis Loftus, Jr. and Bertha M. Loftus and formerly of Charles F. Austin, located on Ware Road, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 6 To see if the Town will vote to purchase or take by eminent domain for the purpose of a sanitary sewer an easement in land from a point on the southerly side of Rte. 202 in said Belchertown and extending in a southerly direction across land of Robt. N. Vanasse and land of Walter Paige Piper to Springfield Rd. and for the aforesaid purpose to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money therefor, or act otherwise.

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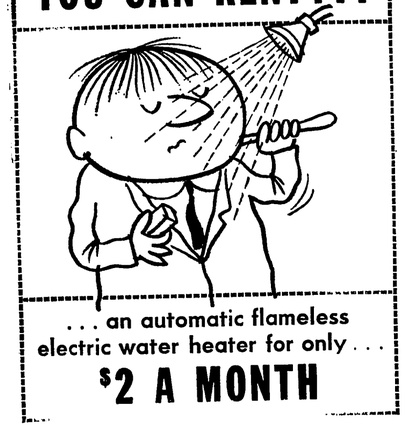

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By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Elmer E. Peeso, a native of this town, and who spent the greater part of his life as warden at almshouses in town, in Leverett, in Sterling, and in Ware, died at his home at the age of 84. He was a man of staunch integrity and made friends wherever he lived.

The painting of the Congregational Church is completed.

A Four Door Ford Sedan may be purchased of D. D. Hazen for $685.00.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Although the electric crew did not get to town till Friday, The Sentinel came out on time full size. For the past two weeks on account of the hurricane the paper was of a smaller size. There is much rehabilitation yet to do. There is no passenger service yet on the C.V. Railroad. Only 50% of the telephones are working. Some schools have not yet reopened. It has been estimated that damage to roads and bridges has reached $40,000.

TEN YEARS AGO

"Enter" and "Exit" signs have been erected for the Parking lot.

Donald Howe of Ware, at the semi-annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association, spoke on how he came to write the book, "Quabbin, the Lost Valley". He showed many pictures of Enfield.

Dr. Henry Smith Leiper, an internationally known churchman, was the preacher at the Congregational Church on World Wide Communion Sunday. He took for his subject: "The Meaning and the Miracle of the World Wide Church."

Ballou's Taxi Service is running a bus two times daily between Belchertown and Ware.

Alfred Samson of Rural Road, who has lived in Belchertown for 35 years, died at the age of 73. He was a painter by trade.

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HISTORICAL MEETING TONIGHT

The semi-annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association will be held tonight, October 4, at the Stone House at 8 p. m. The speaker will be Miss Agnes Dods of Amherst, who will talk on the Erastus Field paintings (of which there are two at the Stone House). She will also have something to say about the Williamsburg group visiting the Amherst Historical Society.

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Among the Pomona officers installed last night at Easthampton were three from Belchertown: Leon Geoffroy as Worthy Master; Howard Judkins as overseer; and Henry Eskett, Jr., as gatekeeper.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett is a patient at Holyoke Hospital.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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it will be terraced, and thus the last remaining land will be made available for plots—giving Mount Hope a short reprieve on its useful life.

According to some early records of our town's history published in 1879 in a history of the Connecticut Valley, this cemetery is not as old as others here in town, as it was laid out around the year 1846. The oldest by the way, is known as the "Old" or "Forward Burying Ground" and it is located on Mill Valley Road, about a mile southeast of the Center. It is now known as the South Cemetery.

It is often mentioned by this writer that Belchertown is quite large geographicaly, and for a reason—for if any of our readers have ever traveled over all of our roadways, both the main roads and the back roads, they would certainly be in agreement.

Geography bores some, so this will be brief, and I hope of interest.

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One particular historical account of our town describes the town's geography as follows: "The town ranks among the largest in area in the state, and is about twelve miles in length north and south, and has an average width of about five miles.

"The surface is rocky and somewhat difficult of cultivation, but fairly productive. The south part, being more level than the other sections, contains the best land, although some very good land exists in the north. The Town is hilly throughout its entire extent, etc."

If you really would like to know just how varied the land is around you, one should travel its length and breadth.

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ANOTHER CAR PRESENTED

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There was no speech making or undertone Thank You—just the passing of the keys and a few appreciative smiles.

Mrs. de Sherbinin of the *Amherst Journal Record* and feature writer for that publication, was the official photographer.

For the fourth consecutive year, Belchertown High School students will take driver training lessons in a new Chevrolet from Gibson Chevrolet in Amherst. (Above: Left to right, Principal Donald Geer and driving instructor Gerald Tremaine accept keys from Gibson representative Roy Reece. Gibson general manager Harlan Paige is at right.)

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **WILLIAM N. WEBSTER,** late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **ANN S. WEBSTER,** also known as **ANNA S. WEBSTER,** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that **MARGARET ANN DOUBLEDAY** of Longmeadow, in the County of Hampden, be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
Sept. 27, Oct. 4, 11

PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing at 8 p. m., October 8, in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Peter Demetropoulos for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a portion of his property on Mill Valley Road.

The Planning Board

AROUND OUR TOWN

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It contains, probably, some of the most beautiful countryside anywhere—including Quabbin (world's largest man-made body of water for domestic use only), half a dozen lakes, Holland Glen, Gulf Road area, thousands of acres of forests and many other attractions of nature at its best.

This is Belchertown at its best, and at this particular time of the year, it has even more. We speak of course, of the foliage. It is an attraction here at the *Sentinel* Office, with the shop located as it is, with a view to the east which rivals H. F. Peck's view to the north—not that we're bragging! Come and See!

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

— Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the Salvage grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Special Town Meeting in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.
School for Christian Workers at the Methodist Church.

TUESDAY

Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Guild.
Woman's Society of Christian Service.
Jaycees at Robin Farm Lodge.

FRIDAY

Camera Club at Memorial Hall at 7.45 p. m.
Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

Eastern Star Food Sale on Common at 2 p. m.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Vandalism continues to be a problem at the Boy Scout Camp off of Route 202, and Scoutmaster John Bailey has notified the state police at the suggestion of the town police department. The state troopers will be keeping a close watch on the camp.

Awards are being presented to the Troop's top three salesmen, as a result of their efforts in the candy sale. Kenneth Nolan was the most outstanding, having sold 135 boxes. Robert Forest was second with 89 sales, and Paul Wall came in third with 44. A number of boys came pretty close and they all did a terrific job, thanks to the fine support of folks around town. Candy will be available at the Boy Scout booth at the Fair for those who want additional boxes.

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All Church Family Night at Methodist Church at 6 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Police Association Teen Age Record Hop at Memorial Hall from 8 to 11.30 p. m.

TODAY

Hilltop Twirlers' Pre-Fair Dance in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

Missionary Group of W. S. C. S. with Mrs. Ada Staples.

TOMORROW

Annual Fair.

Square Dance at Memorial Hall—Fair Day Special.

Coming Events

Oct. 22
4-H Dog Club in Pine Room at 7 p. m.

Oct. 26
Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Vernon Lodge Installation.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 2
Legion Harvest Dance, 8-12 p. m.

Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.

Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.

Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

STONE HOUSE SPEAKER

Miss Agnes Dods of Amherst was the speaker at the semi-annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association at the Stone House last Friday night. She spoke on the life and work of Erastus Field, who was born in Leverett and did considerable painting in this area. Miss Dods told of how his works were very distinctive, and showed copies of his portraits.

She and Prof. French of Amherst have spent many, many years of research on Field. So outstanding has their research been that when a group from Old Williamsburg, Va., were in Amherst recently, they were able to show the group around to places in the vicinity frequented by Field.

Work is going forward on a film on the painter which will be completed in about a year.

Miss Dods made no pretense of being a speaker as such, but it was marvelous how much information she was able to dispense by the simple question and answer method.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Elliott Cordner of the program committee, other members being Mrs. Frederick Farley and Mrs. Isaac Hodgen.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Rachel Baker and Mrs. George Poole.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The 4-H dog club, with Mrs. E. H. Rice, Jr., as leader, and Wallace Chevalier as trainer, will meet in the Pine Room on Tuesday, October 22, at 7 p m. Those interested in this club and its record are glad that they have found a place to meet.

JAYCEES TO ELECT OFFICERS

The final organizational meeting of the Belchertown Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Robin Farm Lodge Oct. 16, at 8 p. m.

The major business item will be the election of Jaycee officers, who will serve until May 1st, 1964.

Other business scheduled is making final arrangements for affiliation with the State and United States Junior Chamber of Commerce and review of plans for a charter night, tentatively scheduled for Nov. 20.

Ralph Pittsley, temporary chairman for the Jaycees local, reports that over 20 men have already enrolled, and that at least 15 more are expected to join the group at a later date.

All men enrolled prior to Charter night are entitled to special charter

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AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Commander Frank Goodrow announces that Post 239 will again run two stands on Fair Day, one at each end of the common, and asks all Post members to help, if at all possible.

A Harvest dance is planned for November 2, from 8 to 12, with John Reed and George Carpenter in charge.

On November 11, the Post will hold its Veterans' Day parade at 9.45.

At our last meeting, District 2 Vice Commander George Jeffers was guest and spoke on the need to increase the Legion membership, so as to keep the organization alive. During the meeting, Jeffers performed the initiation ceremony for Legion members to four new members of the Post. A total of seven new members have so far been voted into the Post, making this the largest number of new members for any one year since World War II.

Members who for any reason have dropped their dues, may become new members by paying the current year's dues. They do not have to pay back dues unless they wish to, to keep their continued membership in the Legion.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

A "Fair Day" Special Square Dance will be held Saturday, October 12, at Memorial Hall by the Belchertown Square Dance Club, with guest caller, Audie Gaylord.

Host and hostess for the evening will be David and Carolyn Cowher. Refreshments are in charge of Julian and Jean Hussey, chm.; Dan and Fran Jones, Sam and Carol Joyal, Don and Kay Wentworth, and Joe and Helen Lecours.

BRIGHTER FUTURE

Isn't it pleasant to think the children at St. Jude's Hospital, Memphis, Tennessee, will enjoy perhaps a few more happy moments of life because the kind people of Belchertown contributed $462.17 to the Aiding Leukemia Stricken American Children fund!

May I take this opportunity to express my deepest gratitude to Mr. Staples, proprietor of Jackson's Store, our collection center; and to Christine Gould, Publicity; Judith Green and Mary Terault, Posters; Kathleen Hubbard and Joanne Sporbert, all of whom worked endless hours planning this successful drive.

Surely along with my thank you to each supporter can be heard the voice of every child at St. Jude's.

Darlene Willey

TOMORROW—THE FAIR

TEEN AGE RECORD HOP

The Police Association is sponsoring a teenage record hop next week Saturday, October 19, from 8 to 11.30 p. m. for the benefit of John Eskett. Bob Allen of WTT, Amherst, will be disc jockey. Donations are 75 cents.

FOOD SALE

Attention is again called to the Eastern Star Food Sale to be held next week Saturday, October 19, at 2 p. m. at the south end of the common—in front of Morey's, if stormy. Any willing to contribute to the sale are asked to call Mrs. Howard Shirtcliff.

MOORING AREAS CLOSING

Roy Kimball, superintendent at Quabbin, announces that the boat mooring areas will close next Tuesday, October 15, at 9 p. m. Many good catches have been reported this season, especially as concerns lakers, brown trout and rainbows.

LIONS CLUB NOTES

Representative James R. Nolen was guest speaker at the Lions Club on Tuesday evening. He said that this was his third invitation to speak before this club since he took office.

Choosing his own subject, he spoke on the Massachusetts Education Commission composed of 21 members, 11 from the electorate and 10 from the legislature of which he was one, who were to review the entire educational program in Massachusetts, with a view to furnishing equal educational opportunities for all, so that all our students, no matter what their financial status, can realize their potential.

Educational consultants of the highest caliber from all over the country are being retained to examine the educational program, beginning with kindergarten, on a full time basis. To be able to retain these specialists in their field, the legislature allowed the committee the sum of about $250,000, a rather staggering sum.

The speaker specifically mentioned vocational education as a sphere where students are often far removed from schools of this type and thus find themselves at a disadvantage.

At the business meeting presided over by King Lion Carr, letters of appreciation were read from the State School for entertaining a bus load of pupils at the circus in the summer, and from the High School for the scholarship at graduation time.

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The Steeple Soliloquizes

Some Fair Observations
On Eve Of 106th Edition

Tomorrow will be a day of memories as well as one of busy activity, when the Farmers and Mechanics Club puts on the latest in the long series of Belchertown Fairs—called "Cattle Shows" until the cows left for quieter pastures.

It is hard for some of us to realize that Mrs. Evelyn Ward, Ed and Julia Shumway, William A. Kimball, Winslow Piper, and many others will no longer be here to welcome visitors in the Town Hall, to rent out the common, to arrange for exhibits and prizes, to supervise contests, to check on the desirability of certain shows, and to see that the crowds are taken care of. Gone, too, is "Doc" Austin, long the splendid marshal of the parade.

Some day there will probably be a history of this Fair, written after much research. If it is done completely and without bias, it will be a very interesting story, for the Fair has had stormy years as well as pleasant ones, and has been the cause of conflict as well as of community togetherness.

I am not quite sure what calls large crowds to Belchertown on October 12 in the 1960's. All around us other towns (Palmer, Amherst, etc.) have long since given up their fairs, and those which have survived have done so largely with the help of horse racing.

Here the program is simple, the "Grand Cavalcade" actually a bit less than grand, and the exhibits, excellent as they are, certainly less extensive than those at such places as Northampton and West Springfield.

The appeal of our fair is probably a combination of several things: the generally beautiful season of the year out in the country, the old-home-day atmosphere of village green and friendly people, the church dinners, the calliope music, the strong scents of grinders, hamburgs, and auto exhausts, the family reunions, the "I-remember-when" conversations, the fakirs and the falsies, the folks looking for excitment, the sweethearts and the babies in and out of the show—

Anyway, folks do come and apparently have a good time, as they come back again and again. Taxpayers and organizations make money with relatively small effort, and the way things are run now, there is little damage done to the name of Belchertown. This was not always so. About everyone hereabouts either welcomes or tolerates the Fair. Few oppose it. It is certainly one of our oldest traditions. Let's hope it continues to add to rather than substract from the good reputation of the town.

Improved Park Street

Those who visit us tomorrow may or may not notice the great improvement on Park Street, which has been recently resurfaced. I can't remember ever seeing it looking this good. The roadway in front of the new post office has also received a face lifting. It will be good when "pedestrian paths" are lined out there.

Main Street Memories

Once in a while we think back to what the Common used to be like during the earlier days of this century, when there was a dirt road all the way around, a town pump on each end, and probably more dust than I can recollect.

There was so little traffic in my high-school years that we were able to conduct our annual track meet (Field Day, we called it), right in the center of town, using Park and Main Streets for all the dashes and distance runs. Where else could you find level spaces? The finish line for the dashes was where the crosswalk is in front of the present Wallace Hardware. The hop-step-and jump and broad jump (standing and running) were held in the soft sand of the gutter on the side of the highway opposite the Ludlow Savings Bank. The pole vault, hurdles, and most of the girls' events were held on the Common itself. Can you imagine holding up the present line of cars on Route 202 while a 100-yard dash was in progress!

This hilltop was once a truly rural spot. The Night-Before-the-Fourth bonfire used to be right out in the highway at the south end of the Common. What a tremendous pile of wooden boxes and barrels!

Pro and Con

The common itself looks good. However, the visitors won't be able to see much of it, what with crowds and the "concessions".

The building between Jackson's and the former post office has not improved at all in the two years since its porch roof was collapsed by Bicentennial parade viewers. We are becoming used to it now, and in a few years will probably accept it as part of the natural scenery.

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Route 21 Completion

Along with Park Street, the last section of Route 21 has been completed to its intersection with 202. This is a major improvement that will be appreciated by many a motorist. If the curve by Isaac's can be made less of a menace, and if white lines can be painted on this and some other roads (Bay Road, for instance), it will be good.

The point of intersection of the improved 21 and 202 is a bit hard to find at night right now as an uninformed motorist approaches it from Belchertown. This will doubtless be resolved when the road has received all its final touches.

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We'll Miss Billy!

For a number of years we have had a milkman only on Saturdays, as we aren't home at delivery time for milk on other days. But we surely have liked Billy, the young man from Hillside Dairy, whose good cheer and general friendliness brought sparkle to the few seconds of the week that we saw him.

He made his last delivery a week ago, and is going into service, where he rather hopes to make himself a career. He will be missed. There are not enough kids of his type to go around!

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How Was the Math?

On September 27 I presented you this series of numbers and asked you to figure out a reason for their particular arrangement:

8-5-4-9-1-7-6-3-2-0

It is merely alphabetical: eight, five, four, nine, one, seven, and so on.

You had it figured? Good.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

* * * *

It's all in how you feel:

"There is a harmony
In Autumn, and a lustre in its sky,
Which thro' the Summer is not heard
or seen."

Shelley

* * * *

"The melancholy days are come, the
saddest of the year,
Of wailing winds, and naked woods,
and meadows brown and sear".

Bryant

* * * *

"Earth's crammed with Heaven,
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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Several parents of the pupils of the Junior High held a meeting and voted unanimously to invite all parents and teachers of the pupils of the Grades to a meeting to be held on Oct. 19 to organize a Parent-Teacher Association.

Excavations are being made for a continuation of the water mains to the lower end of South Main St.

A new upright Mehlin piano has been secured for Memorial Hall, and a Committee has been appointed to solicit funds for the same.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Four columns of *The Sentinel* were devoted to the story of the 81st Annual Fair. The weather was perfect. Six pair of oxen were in the parade, a reminder of the days when strings of them circled the Common. Shaw's Pony Team Outfit won first prize for the horse drawn floats, and "Just Married Outfit" for the auto drawn. A novelty in the show was the encloing of the horse-drawing area. The greased pig contest was a thriller. The display at the old town hall was unusually fine, 15 babies were in the baby show contest. The air was so balmy that it was well toward midnight before the cries of the beaten man and others ceased.

Rev. Kendig Brubaker Cully began his pastorate at the Congregational Church, Sunday.

Things are getting back to normal after the hurricane. Electric light has been restored save in some cottages around the lakes. The C.V. passenger service resumed on Monday, but on a slow schedule.

TEN YEARS AGO

The arrival of Coleman Bros. with their Merry-Go-Rounds, etc. reminds us that the Fair takes place Monday. Fair Day plans are being made by all the churches. And Mrs. Evelyn R. Ward will be celebrating on that day her 50th anniversary as Asst. Sec'y of the Hall. The official name of the new Elementary School building is "Cold Spring School", first suggested by the Steeple.

Wallace E. Wenzel has been elected President of the Belchertown Junior Farmers' 4-H Dairy Club.

LIONS CLUB TURKEY SHOOT

Twenty-one turkeys were awarded Sunday afternoon at the second of the scheduled weekly turkey shoots sponsored by the Lions Club as their main fund-raising project of the year.

Multiple winners were William Skribiski of Amherst and Robert Rivers, each two 12½ pound turkeys and Daniel Walsh one 12½ pounder and one 25 pounder.

Winners of 25-pound birds were Leonard Goulet of Holyoke, Edward Berry of Amherst and Harold Cook of this town.

Mary Mozeleski of Chicopee was the only woman winner of the day with her 12½ pound bird won in the eighth round.

Other Belchertown winners included Frank Skribiski, David Garrison, Ronald Wheble, Douglas Herendon, Richard Boyko and John Hubbard.

William Gucco of Chicopee, Paul Bechetti of Granby, Clayton Gibbs of Aldenville and E. C. Land, Sr., of Amherst also were turkey winners.

Free turkey was awarded to Frank Phillips of Granby.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Ten tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Music Committee, M. Plant, R. Kempkes, P. Very, R. Martin, and E. Gould. Prize winners were: 1st, Jo Wright, Robert Hatch, Riva Hebert and Gaetane Fortin; 2nd, Eva Sawyer, Jane Bowler, Ada Underwood, and Virginia Parks; 3rd, Frank Szczepanski, Diane Pilsworth, Mary Judkins and Fred Fuller; door, Nellie Jenks and Walter DeFord.

No Party this week, October 12th. Next party—October 19, in charge of Ruth Kempkes.

STATE SCHOOL NEWS

On October 2nd the Belchertown State School Friends Association held their monthly party for the Farm boys in the school auditorium. An orchestra supplied by the Springfield Musicians Union provided "Twists", enough for all. Refreshments of punch, cake and ice cream topped off the evening.

Miss Gladys Meyer, Head Psychiatric Social Worker, hosted a meeting of her colleagues from other State Schools and Hospitals on Tuesday, October 1. The business meeting was held in the Club Room, and luncheon was served in the Service Building. In the afternoon Miss Meyer's guests were given a tour of the grounds via the Birthday Bus and visited the Merry-go-round, Westover Room, Tadgell Nursery, and Teen-Age Canteen Room.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On October 7th the team results were as follows: Cook's 6, Cole Contractors 0; Reece 4, Independents 2; Park Lane 6, B.S.S. 0; Jabish Brook 4, Turkey Hill 2; Henneman's 4, Gate's Garage 2; Salvage 6, American Legion 0; Jackson's 6, Hilltoppers 0.

Jackson's has moved to the top of the league, ousting the Independents who lost 4 points, moving them down into third place.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	26	4	7380
Henneman's	23	7	7494
Independents	22	8	7473
Cook's	21	9	7165
Turkey Hill	20	10	7190
Reece	16	14	7177
Salvage	16	14	7129
Gate's	14	16	6868
Jabish Brook	12	18	7099
Hilltoppers	12	18	7015
B.S.S.	12	18	6434
Park Lane	10	20	6925
Cole Contractors	4	26	6641
American Legion	2	28	6403

110 Club—M. Hubler 120, S. Dana 126, J. Rush 112, 113, C. Robinson, Sr. 111, R. Robinson 118, H. Squires 111, 125, F. Grover 127, G. Leclerc 113, R. Lapointe 124, P. Chlebus 116, E. Henrichon 118, 114, M. Samson 126, P. Wisnewski 110, 110, B. Terry 111, F. Bodzinski 111, 116, T. Bleau 115, B. Ross 115, H. Main 112, D. Bock 110, and P. Menard 113.

310 Club—M. Hubler 314, S. Dana 337, J. Rush 323, C. Robinson 316, R. Robinson 318, H. Squires 334, A. Mignault 310, R. Lapointe 319, P. Chlebus 316, E. Henrichon 327, M. Samson 311, B. Terry 323, F. Bodzinski 314, T. Bleau 327, B. Ross 325, and D. Bock 316.

Next Week's Matches will find—
Park Lane vs Turkey Hill
Jabish Brook vs Henneman's
Cole Contractors vs Salvage
Cook's vs Gate's
Reece vs Jackson's
Hilltoppers vs B.S.S.
Independents vs Am. Legion

J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

High scores in the Women's Bowling league last week went to the Gay Rollers with 1312 for the high three. The Congo's took team high single with 466. Carol Hubbard took high single with 106. Second high single tied with Marcia Dyer and Doris Rimbold with 103. High three went to Marcia Dyer with 293 and second high single went to Jean Reilly with 280. There were no "300" club or "110" club members last week.

The team results were as follows: Hit or Miss 8, Chadson Gals 0; Jolly "5" 8, Pin Spinners 0; Gay Rollers 8, Roll-a-ways 0; Bowl-aires 8, Nite Outers 0; Harmony Five 6, Outskirters 2; Congo's 6, Pin Pickers 2; and Crystals 6, King Pins 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	26	6	5158
Gay Rollers	24	8	5050
Roll-a-ways	20	12	5024
Jolly "5"	20	12	5009
Harmony Five	20	12	4777
Crystals	18	14	4906
Congo's	16	16	5016
Hit or Miss	16	16	4911
King Pins	16	16	4811
Chadson Gals	15	17	4748
Bowl-aires	12	20	4716
Pin Spinners	10	22	4486
Outskirters	7	25	4581
Nite Outers	4	28	4559

Ruth Dowd
Secretary

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CALL FOR RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS

The Belchertown School Committee will accept bids for a contract for Rubbish Removal for the 1963-1964 school year from the Cold Spring, Center, Main Street, and High School Buildings. Bids will be received by the Belchertown School Committee in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Clapp Memorial Library, up to 8:00 P. M. on Tuesday, October 15, 1963, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and plainly marked "RUBBISH REMOVAL BIDS."

Bids will be accepted for daily removal if covered 55 gallon drums or similar containers are used and for weekly removal if a Dempster Dumpmaster type container is furnished. Bidders must furnish the containers.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids if such action is in the best interest of the Town.

Additional information and specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Belchertown School Committee
Belchertown. Massachusetts
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TELEPHONE TOUR

Local Management people of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company had as their guests on October 1, 1963, representatives of the ten Boards of Selectmen in the area and members of the radio and press. The group was taken by chartered bus from Palmer on a tour of the Telephone Company accounting offices in Springfield.

The group was shown the "behind the scenes" process of the telephone bill. This was a continuation from where the group had left off on December 4, 1962, when they had toured the new switching center in Springfield. The various steps such as rating, pre tab, post tab, sorting and billing were shown to the group. All of the steps were preformed by the numerous IBM machines that make it possible to render 350,000 telephone bills every month.

Upon completion of the tour the guests were given an information fact sheet about the statistics of the accounting department. For example: There are 271 people employed in the department, they handle the billing for all telephone subscribers from Worcester west to the New York line. Records for over 2,900,000 toll calls are processed monthly.

Representing the Telephone Company were, Mr. Robert E. Maguire, manager, John P. Irwin, wire chief, Mrs. Anne Ogulewicz, accounting supervisor and D. K. Emmons, traffic manager.

Selectmen representing Belchertown, Brimfield, Gilbertville, Hampden, Monson, Palmer, Wales, Ware and Warren along with members of the press and radio were then tendered a dinner at the Oaks Inn on State St., Springfield.

SERVICE NOTES

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TOWN ITEMS

Donald H. Camp, recently separated from the U. S. Army, after completing his two years' active duty, was also awarded the Army commendation medal, ribbon and certificate.

Don has accepted a position as senior accountant of the Insurance Unit of the American Express in New York City.

Mrs. Earl McCallum is a patient at Holyoke Hospital, where she was taken last week Thursday by Chief Gay and officer Potter in the ambulannce.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Ada Staples of Jackson Street were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dinsmore and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick DeWolfe of St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada.

LIONS CLUB

Joe Tolpa and Richard Pratt are heading the tenth annual Eye Research Fund drive of the Belchertown Lions Club, it has been announced by John C. Carr, club president.

Nearly 10,000 Massachusetts Lions will be actively engaged in the campaign, which is headed throughout the state by Dr. Raymond Fessenden of Athol.

Locally, the drive got under way on September 22, when Belchertown club members and volunteer helpers started to conduct turkey shoots.

"Blindness, already a terrible scourge to the nation, is on the increase," Mr. Carr says. "Every 24 minutes someone in this country goes blind. While great progress has been made in other fields of medicine, eye research has lagged far behind, due to lack of funds.

"It is tragic to realize that this affliction is so prevalent because of lack of knowledge. Eye research will some day discover the causes of blindness and the way to prevent these causes from occurring. If every citizen of this community will cooperate in our campaign, we can hasten the coming of that day when we will rid the nation forever of the most crippling disease of all."

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Josephh T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

On Saturday, Fair Day, there will be a refreshment set-up in the Pine Room where sandwiches, doughnuts, homemade pies and coffee may be obtained. It will be open from just after the parade ends to the early part of the evening.

Mrs. Agnes Samson is lining up ladies who will staff this refreshment center. Mrs. Jennie Perron and Mrs. Belle Pelchat will be in charge of the coffee, while Mr. George O'Connell, of South Hadley will run the kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchel Sroka will head up a stand between the church and the rectory where Trappist goods will be on sale. If you were unable to get some of their preserves on the day of our barbecue, stop by Saturday and purchase some.

— SUNDAY —

Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Ephesians 4, 23-28. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Ephesians.

Gospel—Matthew 22, 1-4. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Relates the parable of the marriage feast).

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— HOLY NAME SOCIETY —

The Holy Name Society will hold a meeting Sunday, October 13 in the Pine Room following the 9.30 Mass.

At that time, plans for the Communion Breakfast in November will be discussed.

— C. C. D. —

The C. C. D. or, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, is certainly active in our parish—as it should be.

The Sisters of St. Joseph conduct Sunday School classes every Sunday after the 9.30 Mass. They are assisted by lay teachers. On Thursdays released time classes are held by the priests for the 7th and 8th grades.

This month Discussion Groups for adults will be formed. Interested persons, men and women, are urged to contact Fr. Collins as some have done, so that these groups might be formed as soon as possible. Each leader forms a club, recruiting from six to 12 members. Each meeting of the various clubs would last about an hour. The members read and discuss a text selected by the diocesan office and approved by the bishop.

Leaders are briefed by the priests. Then they conduct meetings in their own homes or in a neighbor's home.

— COMING —

Coming—Annual Living Rosary Service on the Common, Sunday, October 20, to be followed by Benediction in the Church.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with Classes in the Educational Building and the Church Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Laborers Together"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor

A representative of Gideons International will speak briefly at the Morning Service.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Educational Building. The worship service will be led by Miss Patricia Very, Ernest Gay, Jr. will be in charge of publicizing the meeting.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry. Emerson Green and Gary Gay will co-chairmen the evening program. The program is entitled, "A Day With Missionaries." Mark Very will be in charge of the worship service.

7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. The sermon will be from the book of Romans. Those who enjoy singing the old Gospel hymns and evangelistic preaching are welcome.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

Missionary Group of WSCS with Mrs. Ada Staples.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

7.30 p. m. The third session of the School for Christian Workers will meet in the local church.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

7.30 p. m. The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry of the Church.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

6 p. m. The first All Church Family Night will be held in the Vestry. The Nights of Faith, Food and Fun will call back to the minds of many, old times, as these nights were held many years ago, when "Rocky" was pastor here. Supper chairman is Mrs. Merle Green, and Fun chairman is Mrs. William French, while Faith chairman is the Rev. Marvin R. Green. The evening is under the direction of the Commission on Education. The program will be over early enough so even the youngest can come and be home in time for their rest.

The Church is seeking to deepen the activities among the people and to move the Church from the fields of commercial competition and yet retain the fellowship that these activities develop.

COMING

Sunday, October 27, will be Laymen's Sunday.

Sunday Evening, October 27, will start the Week of Evangelism, with the Rev. Dr. Olivia Henry.

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HORMIDAS DAVIGNON

Hormidas Davignon, 74, of Sargent Street died last Saturday at his home. He was born January 18, 1889 in Cape Vale, Can., son of the late Louis and Anna (Ducharme) Davignon.

He had been a resident here for the past seven years and had previously been a longtime resident of Willimansett, where he owned a wallpaper and paint business.

He was a member of St. Francis Church, and the Independent Order of Foresters of Thompsonville, Conn.

He leaves his wife, Blanche (Guinard) Davignon; three sons, Oscar L. and Armand A. Davignon, both of Holyoke, and Ernest R. of Chicopee; a daughter, Mrs. Edna Ritter of this town, and a sister, Mrs. Alice Arel of North Troy, Vt.; 10 grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

The funeral was held Monday at 9 at the Beers and Story funeral home, with a requiem high mass in St. Francis Church at 10, Rev. Joseph T. Collins officiating. Burial was in Precious Blood Cemetery, South Hadley. Bearers were Jules Forand, Robert LaFlamme, Alfred Durocher, Armand Coderre, Donald Fairbanks and Richard Fairbanks, all of Holyoke.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dzwonkowski, Jr. are the parents of a son, Michael Peter, born September 22, at the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Belmont, Jr., Green Avenue. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dzwonkowski, Sr., of Amherst Road.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Richards their home at Mead's corner to Col. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of Bay Road. The Jacksons will move into this home after remodeling.

CAMERA CLUB MEETING

The next meeting of the Belchertown Color Camera Club will be next week Friday, October 18, at 7.45 p. m. at Lawrence Memorial Hall. The program is entitled, "The Mark of the Individual," and the speaker will be Mrs. Estelle Marker, APSA.

The "Developing Tray," newsletter of the BCCC, has this to say about the meeting:

"The Belchertown Color Camera Club opens its 1963-1964 season with an outstanding program by one of the West Coast's top photographic lecturers. We have made arrangements to have Mrs. Estelle Marker, APSA, of Oakland, California, present her popular program entitled, "The Mark of the Individual".

"Mrs. Marker is currently making a national lecture tour under the auspices of the Photographic Society of America, and this will be her only apperance in this area. She has been a featured speaker at three national conventions of PSA, and was awarded an associateship of this world wide organization in 1959. She is also recognized by the PSA as a 5-star exhibitor of color slides, which is tops for color slide exhibiting.

"Mrs. Marker became interested in photography in 1946, joining the Oakland Camera Club in 1947, and PSA in 1952. She has served as color chairman and president of both the Oakland CC and the Northern California Council of Camera Clubs. She has served as a judge of International Salons, at County Fairs, Art Shows, and many Club and council judgings."

There will be no club competition at the October meeting.

The next outing of the club is set for October 11, 12 and 13, when they will journey to Windsor, Vermont to take foliage pictures. A guest at Windsor will be Henri Vautelet of Montreal, guest speaker at the first meeting of the year at Cold Spring School.

MODERN ART IN THE CHURCH

Last Monday evening at the Congregational Parish House there was a meeting for those in the area interested in Modern Art. After a devotional service led by Rev. Elmer N. Granstrom, Mrs. Walter Wadsworth, the Superintendent of the Church School introduced as the speaker of the evening, the Rev. J. Thomas Leamon, pastor of the Congregational Church of Danielson, Conn., and formerly pastor of the Second Congregational Church of Amherst. Mr. Leamon has been interested in art for many years. He studied a few years ago at the Rhode Island School of Design, and for four weeks last summer studied at Oxford University. So out of much experience he spoke and showed slides on "Modern Art in the Church."

"Art has been in the church for centuries," Mr. Leamon said, and he pointed out by slides the changes which have taken place. He laid great stress on the fact that Modern Art does not give pictures taken by the camera, but shows painting to describe moods, dispositions, feelings, motives, characteristics, etc. Modern art reveals the real character of personalities, the inner workings of the soul. He put on the screen many pictures, in each case giving the name of the painter, and pointed out what they revealed. He showed the power of symbols, colors and the like.

After the slides came the question and answer period when special attention was given to the pictures used in the new curriculum of the church school. Mr. Leamon urged his hearers to try to discover what they saw in the pictures and hoped they would urge their pupils to do the same.

Several churches in the area were represented from Amherst, who were glad to hear their one-time pastor. Refreshments were served by the Religious Education Committee of the Church. The meeting was of real help to teachers studying the new curriculum.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Hacketts Sunday

The Rev. Bruce Dahlberg of the Department of Religion at Smith College, will be guest minister on Sunday, which has been designated as HACKETT SUNDAY. A direct message from the Hacketts in Burma will be brought by a member of the family, and a special offering for their work will be received.

Junior High Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet Sunday afternoon at 3.30, followed by the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship meeting at 7.

Church Cabinet

The Church Cabinet meeting originally scheduled for next Monday evening, has been postponed until October 29, by reason of the special town meeting.

Adult Study Group

The Adult Study Group will meet on Thursday evening at 8 in the Parish House.

Women's Guild

The Women's Guild will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 in the Parish House. The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Illingworth of Ware will be our guest speakers, having as their topic, "Adventures in Reading." The Illingworths have spoken to us before and have proved to be highly entertaining. Hostesses will be Mrs. Neilson Cochran, Mrs. Frank Peeso, Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Mrs. John Nelson and Mrs. Albert Morris. Devotions will be in charge of Mrs. Roy Cunnningham.

Work Day For Christ

Don't forget the Work Day for Christ on Saturday, October 19. If you have any sort of work for the young people to do, please contact Richard Merrell, 323-7043, or Mrs. Gould Ketchen, 323-6253. Washing windows, raking leaves, cleaning garages or cellars, putting up storm windows and taking down screens, babysitting, cleaning silver, are some of the things for which you may wish help.

Fair Day

The Women's Guild will serve a turkey dinner on Fair Day in the Parish House. Price for adults is $1.50, and for children, 90 cents. Servings begin at 11.45. Tickets will be sold, beginning at 11 a. m.

Men of the church will park cars.

Friendly Service will have a table of aprons and fancy work for sale.

...ONS CLUB

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It was stated that 20 rounds were fired at the shoot last Sunday. It was noted that the second team in charge now taking over. After the meeting there was a meeting of the Halloween Party Committee.

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TO ELECT OFFICERS

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membership. Pittsley urged interested men to contact him by phoning 323-7128, or attend our next meeting.

Membership in the B. J. C. of C. is open to all young men between the ages of 21 through 35, regardless of occupation or professional classification.

Major purposes of the Jaycees are community improvement and personal development of its membership.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

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Also at the Scouts' Fair booth will be a fine collection of home baked goods, doughnuts, coffee and cider.

The First Aid Station will be in operation Friday evening and all day Saturday, the only booth at the Fair that hopes to have very few customers!

CUB SCOUT NOTES

Den 6 had its first meeting on Tuesday. We elected David Rogers denner, and Mark Jackson, scribe. We had cake and juice. We did some science experiments.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

DOG SHOW AT QUEBEC

Wallace Chevalier took a newly acquired German short haired pointer to a dog show at Ste. Marguerite Station, Quebec, Canada, on October 5 and 6, exhibiting in three shows and winning one first and two seconds. He competed with entries from as far west as Michigan.

Karol Kimball also entered a dog in this event, qualifying in two shows.

BOARD OF APPEALS STATEMENT

The full Board of Appeals, including Joseph Tolpa, clerk; Harold Mellin; and Henry Renouf, chairman, met at the Robin Farm Lodge on Wednesday evening, September 22, to consider the application of Ralph Pittsley and Luther Black for permission to operate a restaurant on a portion of their property located on the southeasterly corner of the intersection of Route 9 and Gulf Rd.

Because of protracted controversy over this application and the necessity to understand the town zoning by-laws, the Board members decided to make a full statement of their views.

Belchertown is one of the largest communities in terms of area in the Commonwealth, with approximately 35,000 acres and a population, exclusive of Belchertown State School, of 3,500, or roughly 10 acres per capita. Few communities with such a land-population ratio are likely to feel any urgency to adopt zoning by-laws, unless some special situation appears to offer a threat.

In Massachusetts, where school costs are financed almost entirely by local real estate taxes, the tremendous influx of house trailers or mobile homes became a genuine threat to the financial security of many communities in the 1950's. More zoning by-laws were hastily adopted for this reason than for all other reasons combined—and Belchertown can be counted among them. Most of these by-laws followed certain standard forms and few were patterned in detail for the special situations prevailing in any given community. Only time and experience could indicate what incidental problems might arise.

Certainly in Belchertown the early feeling of the Planning Board was that any problems could be ironed out gradually by changes in the zoning by-laws and through the devise of the Board of Appeals. Specific zoning was confined to established areas of residences and businesses, and the rest of the town was lumped as agricultural, irrespective of whether it was actually so used. The Planning Board did not feel competent to envision future development and propose business or residential zoning on more or less vacant land.

It did, however, feel that spot zoning was, in principle, undesirable and hesitated to recommend the rezoning of agricultural land for single homes or single businesses unless it felt that such zoning might well be expanded in the future. This obviously required persons wishing to start small enterprises to resort to the Board of Appeals for special permission, as there is virtually no business zoned areas available on the market.

The only serious objection raised at the public hearing held on this request on September 16, seemed to be that real estate values might be reduced. This Board feels that a small restaurant located between the Central Vermont Railroad tracks and Route 9 would not be occupying prime residential area and that, if successfully operated, it would be as likely to increase real estate values as to reduce them.

With these situations in mind and weighing all evidence presented at the hearing, the Board of appeals voted unanimously to grant a permit to Ralph Pittsley and Luther Black to operate a restaurant on a portion of their property indicated in their application with the following restrictions

1. The lot designated is to be at least 20,000 square ft. in area, but no more than ½ acre, fronting on Rt. 9 for a distance of 120 ft., and Gulf Road for a distance of 170 ft. The building must be set back at least 75 feet from either right of way and conform to all other requirements of the zoning by-laws.

2. There must be a parking lot at least four times the ground area of the building.

3. A hedge of evergreens not less than four feet high must be planted on both the easterly and southerly sides of the property.

4. One of the applicants must reside permanently in this building.

5. No substantial employment, outside of the family, shall be permitted.

6. The restaurant must be closed by 11 p. m. each day.

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To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM N. WEBSTER, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ANN S. WEBSTER, also known as ANNA S. WEBSTER, of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that MARGARET ANN DOUBLEDAY of Longmeadow, in the County of Hampden, be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of October, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September, 1963.

Frank E. Tait, II, Register

Sept. 27, Oct. 4, 11

APPLE BUYER HAS MEMORIES

Chief Warrant Officer, William L. Patterson, U. S. Coast Guard, an apple customer of Sidney Wheeler, living in Virginia, calls to mind events of 50 years ago in a recent letter to Mr. Wheeler. We quote:

Dear Mr. Wheeler,

Thank you for replying to my card. I did not know of anyone up there and the last time that I had Macs shipped to me was back in 1948 when I lived in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Some 50 years ago we lived in Belchertown when the telephone operator had her office in the hotel. I was about 6 or 7 at the time. We lived in an old large house that was evidently a tavern at some past time. It was to the right as you came up the hill past the school to the ridge (*Maple Street*) and then turned right (*South Main*). It was about the last house on the right before the road forked. There was a family named Kimball living next door at that time. Well so much for the rambling.

Enclosed is my check for $6.00, so please send me as many A-1 Macs as that is possible with this amount. I haven't had a decent apple since I left Mass. in 1942. They don't know how to grow apples in the south.

I hope that I will be able to get apples from you each year as I know that the Belchertown Macs always have been fine. I think that the last time I was there was just before they flooded Enfield out with the new dam. They hadn't started it at that time as we knew people that had to leave there. Their name, was as I remember, something like Baldus. Had a farm as you crossed the river at Enfield or just before you got to the town up the road to Pelham.

Sincerely yours,
W. L. Patterson

P.S. If there are any Amateur Radio Operators in the town and they can operate on 20 meters Side Band, I am on every day from 4 p. m. EST to 6.30 p. m. EST on the frequency around 14.330 and if you could have them look for me and be in their place I would enjoy talking to you. My call is K4PXY.

MONDAY NIGHT

The Special Town Meeting. Articles in last week's paper.

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GRANGE NOTES

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —

Church School. Classes at 9, 915 d 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

— Methodist Church —

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6
E song at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —

Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 ss.

— Dwight Chapel —

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning orship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the Salge grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old wn Hall at 6.30 p. m.
School for Christian Workers at the thodist Church.
P. T. A. Meeting.

TUESDAY

C. W. C. Potluck Supper.
Evening Group of WSCS.
Bell Ringers at Congregational urch at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Sophomore Harvest Dance at Memorial Hall.
Hilltop Twirlers' Halloween nce in Legion Hall.

P. T. A. MEETING

The P. T. A. meeting will be held on October 21 at Cold Spring School at 8 p. m.

Mr. James O'Leary and Mr. Paul Whitlock will speak on the athletic program in the schools.

Mr. O'Leary is coach at Belchertown High School. His team won the Tri State Tournament in 1963.

Mr. Paul Whitlock has received a certificate from the Amateur Athletic Union, and teaches physical education at the Junior High School.

Refreshments will be served by the Franklin School mothers.

SATURDAY

Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Vernon Lodge Installation.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Camera Club at Memorial Hall at 7.45 p. m.
Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Work Day For Christ.
Eastern Star Food Sale on Common at 2 p. m.
All Church Family Night at Methodist Church at 6 p. m.
Grange Card Party.
Police Association Teen Age Record Hop at Memorial Hall from 8 to 11.30 p. m.

Coming Events

Oct. 29
4-H Dog Club in Pine Room at 7 p. m.
Nov. 2
Legion Harvest Dance, 8-12 p. m.
Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 16
Policemen's Ball.
Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

THE BELCHERTOWN FAIR

106TH ANNUAL

The 106th Annual Fair of the Belchertown Farmers' and Mechanics' Club has passed into history. As in many another year, the weather man gave the management a bad scare, predicting showers the afternoon before, but Saturday was just as fair as the days that had preceded all week and which no one had any idea would hold out.

Any who have attended these fairs in recent years can easily visualize the scene. One could buy transportation by air or water. There were no trips to the moon, but if one had ever got thrown clear of some of those crazy rides, he would have landed somewhere near that sought after planet.

Yes, it is a day for the children and young folks. Watching the parents watching their youngsters enjoying their rides is one of the sights of the show.

Of course, kids do manage to get lost. One little fellow bawled considerably because he had lost his folks, or they had lost him, but a state trooper led him along by the hand, bought some fluffy candy for him, and deposited him in the First Aid tent, so all was well.

Naturally, the teen age lovers saw that that catastrophe didn't happen to them; they hung right on to each other.

Of course we missed some of the concession folks. We did'nt see the profile cut-out artist, or the Indian in full regalia, expounding so earnestly his interesting philosophy, and incidentally competing for air space with Briceland Nash, who manages the horse drawing. He conducts the contests quite informally, and contrives to see that all the drivers get a hand. One team took the load so easily that Nash shouted to the driver to stop at the gate.

Nash also, over the air, invited into the arena, to sit among the elect, Ira Shattuck of Devon Lane Farm, who, he said, donated the use of one of his tractors for the afternoon.

Those who enter horses get a hand. Nash commented on the fact that Nate Black of Leverett had competed here for the past 17 years, and did he get a hand!

Of course, the things of which the local folks are most proud are the parade and the exhibits in the hall. As for the former, it is interesting to see the several floats show up from nowhere—and there was quite an assortment this year—and there was a good exhibit at the hall, reported later.

THE PARADE

(Those in line on last lap)
Marshal, Marsha Henry.
State Police Motorcyclist.
Police Cruiser and Ambulance, side by side.

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BELL RINGERS COMING

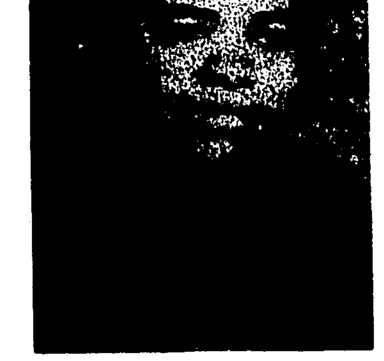
The October meeting of the Double or Nothing Club to be held Tuesday evening, October 22, promises to be a rich and rewarding one for all. It will be an open meeting in the church sanctuary, with all interested persons invited to attend. The Bedford Bell Ringers will present a program of beautiful music, following which refreshments will be served in the Parish House. The Bell Ringers have appeared here before and are a joy to hear. An opportunity like this does not come very often—please plan to be with us next Tuesday evening, October 22, at eight o'clock in the church. There is no admission charge.

HILLTOP TWIRLERS

The Hilltop Twirlers will have a Halloween Costume Square Dance at the American Legion Hall on October 25.

WEEK OF EVANGELISM

Evangelistic services will be held at the Methodist Church from Sunday, October 27, to Friday, November 1. These will be conducted by the Rev.



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7. a. m. Breakfast for High School Youth.

9.30 a. m. Morning Prayer Fellowship.

Private appointments may be made with Mrs. Henry by calling 323-7584.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m., Love Feast.

Friday, 7.45 p. m., Holy Communion and Consecration Service.

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Loftus celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary last week Wednesday, October 9. They were feted at a dinner party at Willow Glen House in East Longmeadow, with their family.

The Loftus's have two sons, Francis and Norman, both of this town.

HARVEST DANCE

The Sophomore Class of B. H. S. is holding a Harvest Dance, October 25, from 8 to 11 p. m. The price is 60 cents, which includes refreshments. This event is in Memorial Hall. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

WORK DAY FOR CHRIST

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship of the Congregational Church will hold a Work Day, Saturday, October 19. If you wish to hire a P. F. er for any odd job, please contact:

Dick Merrell, 323-7043, or
Mrs. Gould Ketchen, 323-6253

FIRST AID REPORT

The Boy Scout First Aid tent proved to be quite worthwhile at the Fair. Scoutmaster Bailey reports that while they weren't anxious for business, they were able to meet a number of situations.

An elderly man who had received head injuries, was taken by stretcher to the ambulance; a boy hurt his head on a swing—he'd also eaten much; another picked up a sliver; a Fair worker had three fingers burned; aspirin and alka-seltzer tablets were dispensed—and NINE lost children were returned to their parents—all quite worth while.

LODGE INSTALLATION

Vernon Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will install its officers next week Saturday night in Memorial Hall at 7.45. The installation will be preceded by a dinner served by Mt. Vernon Chapter, O. E. S., in the Congregational Parish House.

R. W. Alexander R. Dunbar and suite will again install the officers, as in recent years.

The installing chaplain is Wor. Henry E. Ludlam; the installing marshal is again Wor. Paul W. Osbourne of Chicopee Falls; the organist will be Bro. William Harry of Holyoke; and the soloist will be Dr. Kenneth L. Collard of this town.

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A Few Brilliant Comments To Bolster Fading Foliage

Unusual Day Off

A new sort of Friday holiday is letting the Steeple get started on his solitary solils a bit earlier this week. Last week he needed (or thought he did) to stay away from church on Sunday morning in order to get the column into the mail and yet make an afternoon-and-evening church meeting in Old Hadley.

It seems there is an arrangement for Civil Service employees whereby Friday becomes a free day if a holiday falls on a Saturday. School teachers and administrators are not Civil Service, but are cleaned, fed, and clerked by C.S., and are thus obliged to take the day. No one seems to have seriously objected. Belchertown schools, which are ordinarily on the same schedule as those in Springfield, have to stay in session, thus cruelly separating husband and wife!

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Lovely Fall

It's another fine day, too. The color, though well "past its peak" (note how we all say that now in regard to foliage), is still very nice. Some trees are green, others in full color, and yet others bare of leaves. It will be pretty tomorrow from the Ferris wheel, from which watchers through the years have gazed down at all sorts of weather, shirt sleeve to overcoat, colorful to drab, tinder dry to soaking wet.

As I understand it, we cannot call this weather "Indian Summer" because we have not yet had a real freeze in all places. On this section of South Main Street, for instance, we have escaped. Marigolds, petunias, zinnias, and even dahlias are still largely bright (scorched here and there a trifle, and filled with old age, it is true.) As has been the case many years, our high and protected terrain has given us weeks more of bloom than most of the areas between here and Springfield, where the frosts were final some weeks ago.

O course, we aren't so lucky every year. Sometimes the first frost is a univeral freeze, right down into the early twenties, and then we get hit along with the next feller. However, the Western Mass. mercury has a way of really "flirting with freezing", sometimes for weeks on end, and that is when we usually survive.

We tend to treasure the flowers of October as we do those of early March. Then we welcome each crocus and snowdrop as it wakes from its sleep. Now we keep our cut flowers in the cool of the pantry each night, and bring them forth into the heat only when we are here with them. Just like "life". Nurseries and old folks' homes get the care—the in-between years care for themselves.

I grow few flowers these days, and so appreciate the opportunity they are having to live out long careers!

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New Porch Club?

A few years ago there was a sort of informal *For Sale Club* on South Main Street; when signs were erected outside of three houses within pebble-tossing distance of us. This has been dissolved, thank goodness, and right this minute there isn't such a sign in sight.

However, a new group has apparently come into being, perhaps to be known as the *Porch Improvement League*. Although the Dickinsons and Petersons were charter members of a similar club a little while ago, their organization was anarchistic in nature, a sort of "Down with Porches" movement—succeeded well, too.

The present league is more properly pronounced a porch-propping party. Starting with a downright grass-roots proposition at the Jacksons, it has already spread to the Harringtons, where Grandpoppa Guy is propping prodigiously with many scenic effects. The contagion promptly possessed the Curtises, where piles of pine presently proclaim porch progress.

This is no adolescent enthusiasm. It is an outgrowth of the old Preserve-Your-Porches movement of the Colonial Days, when the forces of decay featured tomahawks rather than termites.

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More Rink, Less Scramble

I was pleased to note that the Selectmen have recently voted unanimously to allow no more motorcyle scrambles or other such events within town for the remainder of the year.

A few weeks ago I was asked to protest against the scrambles, a request I wanted very much to comply with, as I must confess a distaste for Sabbath cycling, with its noise and hubbub. However, I refrained, largely because I hated to inveigh against noise if it happened to be leading toward the entertaining of somebody else in a legal fashion, and perhaps making life more fun for young people, who might wonder why I advocated shot-gun noise at one end of town and condemned cycle noise at the other. I do most certainly like the shotguns for reasons heretofore listed.

Young people do seem to enjoy more noise than is good for me—no doubt of it. I cringe most cowardly during some of their twisty dances, where the only possible objective of the overamplified orchestra must be to prevent any conversation, polite or profane. At lunchtime at school, only their happy young faces assure me that the terrible turmoil is not actual warfare.

And all kids love the sound of unhampered exhaust—doggone—So I'm glad it's over here.

As for a larger rink—wonderful! The silently gliding runners, the muted shrieks of the fallen, the moonlit moans of the frozen, the strains of the "Skaters' Waltz":—

"Grow old along with me,
A silent skater be—
Join not the revelry
Of awful noise . . ."

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This Way, Wally!

Any time Wally Chevalier needs new pupils for his obedience classes, we're getting quite a group started down this way that need to be enrolled!

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"The isles of Greece, the isles of Greece!
Where burning Sappho loved and sung,
Where grew the arts of war and peace,
Where Delos rose, and Phoebus sprung!
Eternal summer gilds them yet,
But all, except their sun, is set."
Byron—1821

"Forget your Helen—and beware!
For Jacqueline is tripping there."
Belding—1963

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Miss Catherine Bisnette became the bride of Wilfrid Noel.

Ten students from B. F. Jackson's English Department class went to Springfield to see "King Lear."

One fourth of "The *Sentinel* was given over to the report of the fair. E. F. Flaherty, the chief marshal led the parade which had fewer floats, there was a large display at the hall, about the same number of cattle, more poultry, more pigeons and rabbits, and more fakirs than ever. John Pranaitis had the comic float in the parade. The crowning feature at the hall was the Grange exhibit. The Girl Scouts had a "lost and found" section in the hall. The concluding sentence of the report was: "There is a growing sentiment to build up a fair on the double slogan of Agriculture and Friendship enthroned."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Metacomet Fox, Rod and Gun Club held their annual meeting with a turkey supper. Edward Conkey was elected President.

Mrs. Maude (Bridgman) Aspengren died at the age of 55. And thus removes a teacher of music, a member of the Grange, one of the fe[w] surviving charter members of Easte[rn] Star, and a member of the Congre[-]gational Church.

Mrs. Julia Ward was elected Presi[-]dent of the Social Guild.

The P.T.A. are planning a "Do[...]" program for the coming year.

Charles L. Randall at the fall mee[t-]ing of the Belchertown Historical As[-]sociation spoke on "Schools of 10[0] Years Ago."

TEN YEARS AGO

Rev. Maurice O. Mahler of Sterli[ng] was the guest speaker at the Gu[ild] meeting. His topic was "Team wo[rk] Between the Home and the Church."

Kiddieland was the usual popu[lar] place at the Fair. Years ago, [the] kiddies could go round and roun[d;] now they can go overhead, "[...] through the air, plow through [the] water, and get 'whipped' around [in] every direction."

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DECEMBER
4—Hol. Trade—Home—6:15-7:[...]
10—Chicopee Comprehensive—Aw[ay]
13—Monson—Home—6:45 - 8:00
*17—Hardwick—Away
19—Granby—Away—6:00 - 7:30

JANUARY
*3—Charlemont—Home
*7—Sanderson—Away—7:30
*10—Williamsburg—Home
14—Warren—Away
*17—Hardwick—Home
21—St. Mary's (Westfield)—Ho[me]
24—Monson—Away—6:45 - 8:00
*28—Charlemont—Away
*31—Sanderson—Home—6:15 - 7:[...]

FEBRUARY
4—Warren—Home
7—Chic. Comprehensive—Home
*11—Williamsburg—Away
18—St. Mary's—Away
21—Holyoke Trade—Away—3:1[...]

* Franklin League Games

Games have 6:30 - 7:45 starting tim[es] unless otherwise indicated.

GRANGE NOTES

Deputy Earl Cook of Westfi[eld] was guest speaker at the meeting [of] Union Grange, Tuesday evening. [He] also led in community singing a[nd] entertained with solos.

Marion Plant, Harold Peck a[nd] Linda Wright put on a singing sk[it.]

The Webb trio sang two selectio[ns,] tin and Pearl Very.

and there was a duet by Ruby M[...]

There were guests present fr[om] Westfield, Russell, Plainfield, Nor[th-]ampton, Amherst and Ludlow.

An invitation was received fr[om] South Amherst for Monday, Nove[m-]ber 11.

Refreshments were served by M[rs.] A. Juskalian, Mrs. Ruth Johnston a[nd] Mrs. Harold Curtis.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Brownie uniforms are needed [for] several new Brownies. If you h[ave] such a uniform available, please c[on-]tact Mrs. Jack Poole or Mrs. Ed[...] Whipple.

DOG CLUB DATE CHANGED

The date of the dog club mee[ting] has been changed from October 2[2 to] October 29, by reason of the C. W[...] using the facilities (Pine Room)

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

October 14 results: Turkey Hill won 6 from Park Lane, and Jabish Brook, with their new flashy blue and white shirts, took four points from Henneman's Esso. Salvage won 4 from Cole Contractors. Cook's also took 4 from Gates Garage. Hilltoppers 4, B. S. S., 2. Jackson's and Reece split, with Jackson's taking 4 points. The Independents won all 6 points from the American Legion.

After six nights of bowling, we find Jackson's on top of the league by a slim two points over the Independents. Three other teams also are close behind, and with seven more nights of bowling in the first round, any one of a number of teams has a good chance of finishing in first place.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	30	6	8803
Independents	28	8	8933
Turkey Hill	26	10	8673
Henneman's	25	11	8946
Cook's	25	11	8566
Salvage	20	16	8553
Reece	18	18	8569
Jabish Brook	16	20	8540
Hilltoppers	16	20	8436
Gates Garage	16	20	8251
B. S. S.	14	22	7734
Park Lane	10	26	8302
Cole Contractors	6	30	8056
American Legion	2	34	7616

League Records

High Single String	W. Terry, 139
2nd High Single	P. Chlebus, 134
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	H. Main, 347
Team High Single	Henneman's, 550
Team High Three	Henneman's, 1529

110 Club—L. Small, 113; Earl Henrichon, 121; R. Lapointe, 116; J. Bodzinski, 115; R. Dana, 113; J. Hubbard, 114; D. Perham, 114; D. Pratt, 112; P. Ketchen, 113; J. Walker, 110; H. Main, 112, 116; D. Cowher, 128; E. Bock, 118; Russ Robinson, 112; H. Goodrow, 117; E. Field, 131; H. Squires, 114; and K. Rhodes, 119.

310 Club—P. Ketchen, 318; H. Main, 319; H. Squires, 318; and R. Dana, 312.

Next Week's Matches—
Jackson's vs B. S. S.
Cole Contractors vs Gates'
Hilltoppers vs Turkey Hill
Reece vs American Legion
Salvage vs Independents
Park Lane vs Jabish Brook
Henneman's vs Cook's

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

October 10 brought the following team results: Congo's 8, Night Outers 0; Roll-a-ways 8, Hit or Miss 0; Crystals 8, Out Skirters 0; Chadson Gals 8, King Pins 0; Jolly "5" 6, Bowlaires 2; Harmony Five 6, Pin Spinners 2; and Pin Pickers 6, Gay Rollers 2.

High single—J. Poole, 112
2nd high single—R. Dowd, 108
High three—E. Tolpa 291
2nd high three—J. Poole, 275
High team single—Roll-a-ways and Gay Rollers, 439
Team high three—Crystals—1271

There were no "300" club members last week. Joan Poole made the "110" club with a 112.

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	32	8	6416
Roll-a-ways	28	12	6280
Gay Rollers	26	14	6299
Jolly "5"	26	14	6226
Crystals	26	14	6177
Harmony Five	26	14	5938
Congo's	24	16	6280
Chadson Gals	23	17	5941
Hit or Miss	16	24	6111
King Pins	16	24	5932
Nite Outers	12	28	5672
Pin Spinners	12	28	5627
Out Skirters	7	33	5799
Bowl-aires	6	34	5884

R. Dowd, Secretary

THE FAIR

THE PARADE

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Legion Color Guard—Milton Butler with Flag, and Samuel Joyal with Post colors; George Carpenter and John Avery, color guards.

Belchertown High School Band—35 pieces.

Boy Scouts—around 30, accompanied by Scoutmaster Bailey, and James Nolen.

Three groups of Baton Twirlers—some 20 in all.

28 State School Boy Scouts.

20 State School Girl Scouts.

Union Grange "Joyful Harvest" float, featuring vegetables, fruit and flowers. Adorning the entry were Miss Helen Lister, Mrs. Ethel Hawkins and Mrs. Iola Shirtcliff.

Belchertown High School float, "Memorable Moments," depicting Junior Prom, Initiation and Graduation Scenes.

On the Hill 4-H Club "Husking Bee" float, with lots of activity and few red ears. The 4-H slogan was prominently displayed, "To Make The Best Better."

Juvenile Grange "Ceres, Daughter of Agriculture" float. Pines on the sides amid sylvan setting, featuring harvest products.

Float advertising Junior Stand. A flat bottomed boat manned by a half dozen Jolly Tars. Walking to the rear were characters decked out in decorated straw hats advertising the Sophomore Halloween Dance.

Robin Farm Covered Wagon float, drawn by two pair of horses, advertising saddle horses and hay rides. Even the Robin Farm design was touched up with color.

2 rejuvenated antique cars, driven by Donald Towne and Frank Towne, Jr.

Fire Department Vehicles—4 pieces from Belchertown, including the famous Mary Jane antique hand pumper; one from the State School, two from Bondsville and one from Amherst.

Devon Lane Farm float, featuring power saws and farm equipment. Near the sawed off stump, a placard read, "We stump you to find better helpers."

Twelve Horses and Riders.

Pony Carts and more ponies.

Balloon man with bevy of balloons, reminder of by-gone years.

Parade Awards

Floats—E. F. Shumway Memorial Award, I, High School; 2nd, Union Grange; 3rd, Juvenile Grange.

Tractor Drawn—On the Hill 4-H Club, 1st; Junior Class, 2nd.

Western Horse and Rider—1st, Susan Hussey; 2nd, Gaspar DeSantos of Ware; 3rd, Ray Beauregard of Ware; 4th, Kathy Morey; 5th, Richard Beauregard of Amherst.

English Horse and Rider—1st, Susan Simmons of Amherst; 2nd, Chauncey Simmons of Amherst.

Pony and Rider—1st, Patrick Carrigan; 2nd, Cindy Portras of Granby; 3rd, Mona Samborski.

THE EXHIBIT HALL

A large sign was strung across Park Street indicating where the Exhibit Hall was located, yet those fairgoers who have attended a number of our fairs know that the old Town Hall has served in this capacity for many years.

This year there were not as many exhibitors, but the crowd was still good. How many people went through the hall we do not know and it isn't important. What is important, is the number of individuals entering exhibits. Year after year the number has steadily declined until we have only a few entrants in each class. Perhaps this year's leaness was due in part to the weatherman's forecast of possible showers on the day of the fair.

Those people who did enter exhibits had items well worth the viewing.

This year there were two corner displays—one depicting a sitting room in the Victorian era; the other a garden wall scene. The Union Grange went all out to show the Atomic age that it wasn't always so, by arranging furniture and bric-a-brac of the Victorian age and named their display "Victorian Lady."

The Garden club, not to be outdone, literally brought inside a bit of outdoors. The theme "Over The Garden Wall" was used. The display consisted of small trees and shrubs, leaves, and a genuine stone wall—it almost made you look for a squirrel or chipmunk scampering around!

But neither of these displays were as popular as the topographical map of the area now flooded by the waters of Quabbin Reservoir. The work of Mr. F. C. Brigham of West Brookfield, this was the top crowd-holder of the hall.

This profile of the valley was constructed by Mr. Brigham over a two year period, following many months of research. Surprisingly, he isn't a woodcraftsman as you might judge by his work, but a retired television worker. He stated that he had never lived in the area which he has so painstakingly re-created, rather he had gone through that area on a number of occasions in his younger days. The more he works on this project, the more deeply satisfied and pleased he becomes—and as he said this was the reason for his efforts to continue until it is near perfection. A good deal of information came from State officials, who provided him with survey charts of the area, and from studying old deeds.

The display, which shows nearly all of the buildings, roads, etc. of the area has been on display in Shutesbury, Pel-

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TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for the Layayette W. Ayers, Sr., Estate, a brick colonial on North Main St. to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Richards, formerly of Gulf Road, Belchertown. The Richards will move in this week-end.

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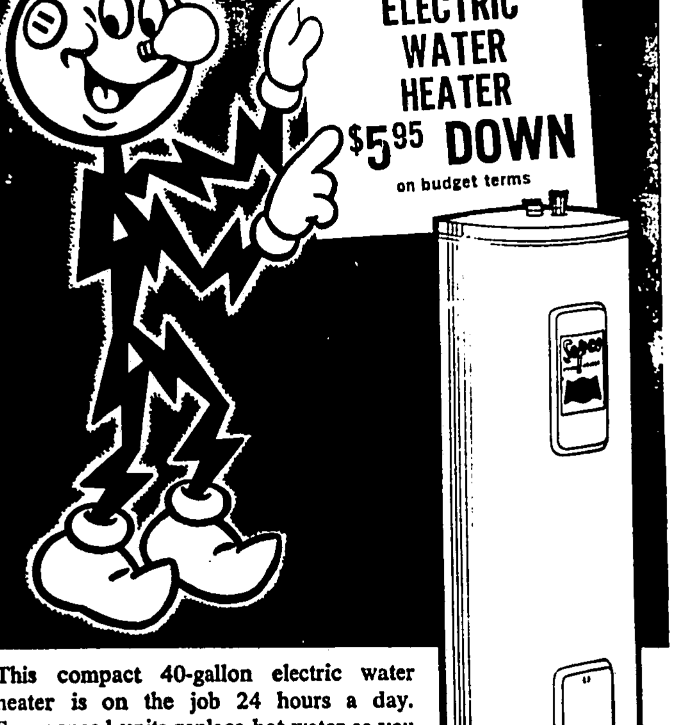

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Ephesians 5, 15-21. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Ephesians.

Gospel—John 4, 46-53. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John.

Sunday will be Bishop's Sunday—a day set aside for the missions. At all the masses, a letter from Msgr. Walter C. Connell, Vicar General of the Diocese will be read, telling of the work of the Church in this field.

The Annual Living Rosary Service will be held on the common on this Sunday, October 20th. It will be followed by Benediction in the upper Church. Those interested are asked to be in the Pine Room at 6.30 p. m. Everyone is invited to take part in this event. Please bring a flashlight with you.

— SUNDAY SCHOOL —

Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass. Parents are asked to be sure that they enroll their children as soon as possible, if not yet registered.

— RELEASED TIME —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, October 24. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

— CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB —

The C. W. C. will hold a Pot Luck Supper on Tuesday, October 22 at 6.30 p. m.—members only, please.

Social chairman for the event is Mary Scialla. The committee: Jennie Perron, Belle Pelchat, Rose Sroka, Delia Bronner, Irene Labrie, Lucy Lepine, Rose Cormier, Minnie Flaherty, Jennie Greene, Agnes Samson, and Marie Vanasse.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William Belmont, Jr. of Greene Ave., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia Elizabeth, to Richard William Zagrodnik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Zagrodnik of 14 Mosher St., Holyoke. The wedding will be an event of Saturday morning, Nov. 30 at 11 in St. Francis Church.

Miss Belmont is a graduate of Belchertown High School and is presently employed by the Belchertown public schools.

Her fiance graduated from Smith's Vocational School, Northampton and is presently employed as an electrician by the Highway Electric Shop, South Deerfield.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Dearness of Maple Street, are the parents of a daughter, Karen Anne, born Friday, October 11, at the Providence Hospital in Holyoke.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Desforges, Stebbins Street, Belchertown.

Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Marie E. Dearness of Miller Street, Ludlow, and James L. Dearness of Bower Street, Holyoke.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Winslow S. Piper, who has been a patient at Mary Lane Hospital, has returned home.

Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett returned last Saturday from Holyoke Hospital, where she underwent an operation.

MRS. TREFFLE BEAUDOIN

Mrs. Annie (Renaud) Beaudoin, 83, of Main St. died at her home Friday. She was born in Holyoke, Oct. 1, 1880, and had lived here for the past 40 years. She was married to Treffle Beaudoin Oct. 1, 1900. She was a member of St. Francis Church. Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Lester of this town, five daughters, Mrs. Lillian Lavoie and Mrs. Irene Gosselin, both of Chicopee Falls, Mrs. Maybelle Kennedy of South Hadley Falls, Mrs. Annie Lewis, Springfield, and Mrs. Ruth Hamel of Holyoke; a brother, John Renaud of Hallandale, Fla., 11 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. The funeral was held Tuesday at 8 at the Beers and Story funeral home here, with a requiem high mass in St. Francis Church at 9. Rev. Joseph T. Collins was celebrant. Burial was in Notre Dame Cemetery, South Hadley, with Fr. Collins officiating. Bearers were Raymond Beaudoin, Francis Hamel, Richard Perkins, Armand Lavoie and David and Raymond Lewis.

DEAN'S LIST

The name of Miss Linda E. Henneman appears on the Dean's List for the spring semester of the past year at Fitchburg State College. Miss Henneman is a sophomore at the college.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

The Card Party this week Saturday night will be in charge of Ruth Kempkes.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship.
Sermon, "At All Times"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship.
6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship. The program and worship service will be under the leadership of Ernest Gay, Jr., with Miss Patricia Very in charge of publicity for this meeting.
7.30 p. m. Evensong in the church.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18
8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry. The program is in charge of Rev. Marvin Green and will be a mystery program. Al and Eleanor Dewhurst are chairmen of refreshments.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21
7.30 p. m. The School for Christian workers will meet in the Vestry and the Educational Building. This is the fourth session, and those who are attending are receiving a great blessing from the studies. It is too late for credit, but not too late to receive.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22
8 p. m. The Evening Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet, with Mrs. Barbara Gay as hostess. Mrs. Mildred Bock will assist with the refreshments.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23
8 p. m. The Mid-week service will be held in the Vestry.

COMING

Week of Evangelism—See special Article.

NO ONE WON

Sidney Wheeler, local orchardist, who ran a contest in Agricultural hall on Fair Day, offering prizes to the ones guessing the names of four apples on exhibit, reports that no one guessed any of the varieties correctly. They were:

1. Tolman Sweet.
2. Black Baldwin.
3. False Gravenstein.
4. Pound Sweet.

Probably Sidney would say, "Better luck next time."

SUPPER AT GRANBY

The ladies of the Church of Christ in Granby are putting on an old-fashioned chicken pie supper this Saturday night, with continuous serving from 5.30 to 7.30, tickets being sold at the door. Price is $1.50 for adults, and $1.00 for children.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Den 6, Cub Scouts, went on its first boat ride at Quabbin.

Mr. Brennen and another MDC employee chaperoned. Each of us took a turn at steering the boat.

When we returned to the Den home—Mrs. Jackson's—we had juice and cookies.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

HACKETT SUNDAY

Last Sunday was Hackett Sunday at the Congregational Church, when Martha Jane Hackett told of the work being done by her parents in Burma. William Hackett sang a solo as part of the service, and an offering was taken for the work of the missionaries. We quote from Miss Hackett's paper:

This is Hackett Sunday, the Sunday you have set aside to hear from or about my mother and dad. As they have often said, they never cease to be grateful for your kind thoughtfulness, prayers and support.

It seems quite appropriate that you choose to set aside this time in the autumn. Mother and dad have said that they miss this season more than any other. In the winter they can think of difficulties with ice and snow, and they have near equivalents of spring and summer, but they miss the beautiful changing colors of the leaves, and the wonderful New England apples.

Mother wrote me just recently that they may have found a type of apple which they can grow in their orchard. They are also expanding the experimental fields, trying to find again and again the best varieties of crops for that particular soil.

Dad is also having especially good luck with his chickens, ones which will give good eggs, be good to eat, and can live on the very little the villagers can afford to feed them. Dad's work is also expanding in Kayah State. It is there that they are trying especially hard to introduce chickens and eggs to the villagers, as they have practically no source of protein.

A large part of the work there is also concerned with the school which is expanding as people realize the importance and value of an education.

Dad is also travelling all over Burma trying to encourage schools of agriculture. It is these schools which can raise the standard of living and give the people the knowledge they need, so that they are not entirely left to the fates of drought and flood, disease and ignorance.

Dad's trips take him even farther. Soon he is going to Hong Kong, where he can buy agricultural, educational and medical supplies. He can look at new equipment. He can consult with other missionaries, getting their views and discussing common problems.

All this takes dad away from home a good deal—that is where mother is keeping busy. It took her a little time after being here, but she was soon hard at work translating. She has finished the first draft of I Corinthians, and is now on II Corinthians.

Yes, Mother and dad's work is ever expanding, and it is gifts like those you contribute today that help make the expansion possible. As I said, a great deal of emphasis is on agriculture or farming. This year your gifts will help purchase a machine which will cool a room in which eggs are kept. Being in nursing and medicine as I am, I don't understand all the mechanics of this project, but I do remember how very hot and humid it gets down country where this machine is to be used. I can remember how readily everything spoils there. These factors must make it necessary to keep the eggs at a lower temperature, so they will not spoil before they can be put in an incubator, which will eventually hatch the eggs into chicks which will grow up, we hope, into the all-purpose chicken. This is the purpose of the machine control cooled room.

On behalf of mom and dad, I want to thank you all again for your thoughtfulness, prayers and support.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Robert F. Berkey of Mount Holyoke College has chosen for his topic for the worship service, Sunday morning, "When Gods Are Not God."

Work Day For Christ

Tomorrow is Work Day For Christ. See article on front page.

Hay Rides

Tonight the Junior Fellowship will enjoy a hay ride, leaving the Parish House at 7. Tomorrow night the Senior F. F. will climax their Work Day For Christ with a hayride in the evening.

Fall Meeting

The Fall meeting of the Hampshire District will be held next week Thursday, October 24, at the South Amherst Congregational Church. Rev. and Mrs. Kingsbury S. Jeyasingam, missionaries to Massachusetts from Ceylon, will be the speakers. Ladies planning to attend should make reservations for luncheon and for transportation with Mrs. Donald Geer by Sunday evening, October 20. Cars will leave the Parish House at 9.45.

Retreat

The dates of Friday and Saturday, November 8 and 9, have been reserved with Rev. Lee Whiston for a retreat for our church adults at Woolman Hill in Deerfield. If you are interested in such an overnight retreat with this dynamic leader, please contact Deacon Arlan Skinner at once, so final plans may be made.

Pilgrim Fellowships

Both Junior High and Senior High Pilgrim Fellowships will meet at their regular hours of 5.30 and 7 o'clock, Sunday evening.

Fair Day Parking

Sidney Wheeler announces that the sum of $280.96 was realized from parking, and that this amount has been turned over "from the men of the church."

Dates to Remember

October
29—Church Cabinet

November
3—Stewardship Sunday
3—P. F. Association Rally.
6—Friendly Service Meeting.
10—Visitation Sunday.
10—Special Civil Rights Offering.
14—Parish Representatives Meeting.
15—Women's Guild Public Supper

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THE FAIR

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THE EXHIBIT HALL

...m, New Salem, Hardwick, and most recently, in Ware. He has also appeared on Channel 22, Springfield, where he told of his work in connection with this project.

To this writer, the most impressive part of it all was how it drew old-time residents into conversations which, in one case nearly brought an elderly lady to the point of crying, as she and another person found they had nearly lived next door in Enfield. Many such acquaintances were made, and Mr. Bingham collected quite a great deal of information with which he will be able to continue his project until "it will be as near as possible to the valley as it was that day when it was sure that the valley would be flooded."

By far, the biggest exhibitor was the Belchertown State School. This year two departments were represented: the School Dept. and the Vocational Dept. To name all the items which they displayed would more than fill our available space. Two particular items do however stand out in our minds. One was the degree of skill and finish obvious in all of the work of the patients, and the resourcefulness of the staff as shown by the brooms and brushes created from damaged bowling pins from B. S. S.' own alleys.

Elsewhere in the hall there were a few drawings and paintings, children's exhibits, and a great variety of knitted and crochet items. The fancy and domestic display always has been well patronized.

There were small displays of garden vegetables, canned goods, flowers, and an apple collection which left you wondering just what they mean when they say, "variety is the spice of life." There were apples of every size, shape, and color—with four nameless—did anyone know what that deep maroon colored apple was?

Prize winners in the various categories have not been printed here as they have been printed in the other papers.

THE BABY SHOW

The Exhibit Hall (old town hall) had been filled for most of the day when at 2.30 the baby show got underway. Unlike the other items up for display and judging, these "exhibits" were only there for an hour or so—and if one looked carefully, they were ready to leave that stuffy place at the end of an hour of baby-like patience. It was quite an array, and the two dozen contrants knew that they were being viewed and some really did put on a "baby show"!

Again this year there were five categories: handsomest, fattest, best natured, youngest, and twins (no twins again this year).

There was quite a number of spectators on hand (around 125) as the three women judges began to look over the bleacher full of mothers and babies—and a father (we understand that he was the first dad to enter a child in four years).

Prize winners were:

Handsomest

1st Alan David, son of Mrs. Albert Brown, Belchertown.
2nd Brenda Lee, daughter of Mrs. Nancy Spitzer, Ashfield.
3rd Tina Marie, daughter of Mrs. LaVerne LeMay, Belchertown.

Fattest

1st Craig, son of Mrs. Mary Beth Calkins, Belchertown.
2nd Kirk, son of Mrs. Douglas LeMay, Springfield.

Best Natured

1st Cathleen, daughter of Mrs. John Sullivan, Granby.
2nd Matthew, son of Mrs. William Fraser, Easthampton.
3rd Carla Maria, daughter of Mrs. Harry Brougham, Belchertown.
4th Lucinda, daughter of Mrs. William McHaffie, Belchertown.
5th Robert, Jr., son of Mrs. Robert Deegan, Springfield.

Youngest

1st Billy, son of Mrs. Barbara Bukowski, Auburn.
2nd (Tie) Robert, son of Mrs. Roy Reece, Belchertown. Vanessa Lynn, daughter of Mrs. Donna Brown, Belchertown.

The age limit, as in years past, was again up to one year old.

Our regular reporter for the baby show was not able to cover the story this year—though she had an entrant herself, who next year will be a day over the age limit on the day of the next fair.

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With the proposed diagonal sewer line plan, H. B. Ketchen believed there would be cause for damage claims, but Hazen thought Piper would be faring better under the later set-up.

Fog failed to dispel the $1,500 originally asked for.

One thing was sure. There was no fogginess as to what the Loftus couple plan to do over at the junction of Rte. 9 and 21. Francis, Jr. had measurements at his fingertips, and Bill Squires and William Aldrich of the Planning Board, which recommended the change from Agriculture to Business, were up front with a big map showing just where this ice cream sales place is to be located.

It seems that the business will not be started until spring. Intervening months will be used for cleaning the area.

Yes, there were protests at the meeting. Dick Clark, automobile salesman, contended with some vigor that specifications for the new truck were drawn in such a manner that competitive bidding was not possible. But Selectman Mathras said that bidders were informed, only to come as close to the specifications as possible.

And so, some things were cleared up and some weren't.

Belchertown is still a town on a hill and an interesting place in which to live, even though foggy at times.

It was voted to sell the Union schoolhouse at Dwight. When it was disclosed, on inquiry, that the sale would be by bids, Ike moved that it be advertised in the local paper two weeks prior to their opening.

WEEK OF EVANGELISM

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REV. MRS. OLIVIA S. HENRY

Education: Philadelphia Public and Normal Schools. College Collateral Courses, U. of Penn. Honrary, Doctor of Divinity, Monrovia College, Liberia, West Africa.
Taught in Philadelphia School System 24 yrs. Pioneer in Human Relations, Philadelphia School System.
Recipient of Scholarship to Harvard University Workshop National Council of Christians and Jews.
Member of Board of Directors of National Council of Negro Women, 4 years.
Supreme Basileus of National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, a teachers' professional Sorority, 4 years.
Executive Advisor and Parliamentarian of National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, 8 years.
One of 4 Negro women of Philadelphia listed in 1958 Who's Who among American women.
First woman ordained (Deacon) in the 163 years' history of Philadelphia Annual Conference, A. M. E. Church.
First woman appointed pastor in 163 years' history of the Philadelphia Annual Conference, A. M. E. Church.
First woman ordained (Elder) in the 140 years' history of the African Methodist Episcopal Church as a Connection.
Pastor of Tyree A. M. E. Church, Philadelphia, Pa., 7 years.
Founder and Pastor of Mount Ephraim Christian Church, Philadelphia, Pa.
General Secretary, American Association of Women Ministers (first of color group to hold row office).
Member, International Order of St. Luke, the Physician.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Belchertown is still on a hill, but even so, its meetings are still troubled a bit with fogginess. At the special town meeting on Monday evening, the finance board confessed it was not sure just what should be done—turn in the old Brockway truck towards a new one as originally planned, or keep it for a spare. The advisability of the latter had just dawned on them. Apparently with the $8,000 voted, they can do either.

There was fogginess as to just what procedure to use in acquiring rights for the new sewer line from the new school site. It was said that town counsel had drawn up the motion, but Town Clerk Camp kept insisting that the town must choose between easements and eminent domain, but it couldn't do both under the article. No ruling was made in the matter, but when the moderator asked Ike if he wanted to amend the motion by striking out "purchase or," leaving it just "eminent domain," this seemed to at least break the log jam.

And people were a bit hazy as to the location of the sewer line, anyway. W. P. Piper, one of the land owners, apparently preferred the lower route, originally proposed, down by the railroad tracks, but Don Hazen, sewer commissioner, told of its drawbacks and maintained that more building lots would be available to the owner under the subsequent layout, and also be cheaper for the town.

FROM THE DAILY PRESS

The School Committee reports that a letter has been sent to the State Department of Education, division of vocational education, seeking funds for an adult evening class in rug hooking.

According to Richard Thomas, Civil Defense director here, townspeople may enroll in a radiological course which will be held at the U. of M. starting October 24. Any persons interested should call Mr. Thomas immediately.

VERNON LODGE

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Officers to be installed:

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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing held in the Selectmen's Room on October 28, 1963, at 8 p. m. on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an All Alcoholic Beverages Club License. The premises to be licensed are located approximately 1200 feet from the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and approximately 600 feet from the easterly boundary of same property with one (1) front entrance and one (1) rear exit. This business to be carried on in a building having one floor, using the large room at the easterly end of the building for serving liquors, and storage room in basement.

The Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. lists the following officers:

Peter Demetropoulos, Jr., President and Treasurer
Peter Demetropoulos, Sr., Vice-Pres.
Doreen Demetropoulos, Secretary

Board of Selectmen
Earl F. Henrichon
Walter Tolpa, Jr.
Michael S. Mathras

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AWARDED CONTRACT

Edward Gates of this town was the successful bidder for transportation of the vocational students here to New Salem Academy. Four bids were submitted to the School Committee and opened at its meeting Wednesday night.

Submitting bids were Ballou Bus Lines of Ware, Hubert Greene of this town and Mr. Gates. Ballou's bid of $20 a day for nine students did not meet specifications as no certificate of bond was included in the bid. Hubert Greene submitted two bids, one for $2942.42 for a 1961, nine-passenger vehicle and a second bid of $2342.42 for a 1956 nine-passenger vehicle. Greene's low bid of $2342.42 was not accepted because the age of the vehicle was not thought to be suitable for this twice-a-day run.

Gates' bid of $2400, which was the next to the lowest, was accepted by the board. His bid was for a 1961 four-door station wagon with a seating capacity of 12, including the driver.

HONORED AT SIMMONS

Among those honored at Simmons College on Wednesday was Mrs. James Allen, Jr. (Dona Copithorne), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Copithorne, a senior in the School of Home Economics. She was the recipient of the Borden Home Economics Award for outstanding scholarship, presented by Lucy Fisher, professor of Foods.

Mrs. Allen is a graduate of Belchertown High School, class of 1960. She was a Dean's List scholar during her junior year at the college, and has been active in college affairs as treasurer of the Home Economics Club.

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I wish to express my appreciation to the many friends who so graciously sent greetings to me while I was in the hospital.

Eleanor S. Bartlett

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the Church, the Guild, the Grange and the Home Department for flowers and a lot of get well cards; and also a lot of birthday cards from friends and relatives while I was in the hospital.

Elizabeth Piper

CARD OF THANKS

Many, many thanks to the wonderful Belchertown people for their beautiful flowers, gifts and cards sent to me during my stay in the hospital and since I came home. They were deeply appreciated.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at Methodist Church at 6 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Service of Evangelism at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School classes following the 9.30 Mass.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.
Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.

TUESDAY

4-H Dog Club in Pine Room at 7 p. m.
Cadette Girl Scouts at Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
Church Cabinet in Congregational Parish House at 7.30 p. m.
Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.

THURSDAY

Lions Club Halloween Party in Memorial Hall at 7 p. m.
Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.
Union Church Society at Dwight Chapel at 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

Holy Day Services in St. Francis Church; 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.

SATURDAY

Legion Harvest Dance, 8-12 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Sophomore Harvest Dance at Memorial Hall.
Hilltop Twirlers' Halloween Dance in Legion Hall.

TOMORROW

Square Dance Halloween Party at Legion Hall.
Vernon Lodge Installation.
Chicken Pie Supper and Ladies' Aid Bazaar at Dwight Chapel. Bazaar at 3. Supper 5.30 to 7.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Nov. 9
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Bazaar at Methodist Church.
Nov. 16
Policemen's Ball.
Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

UNION CHURCH SOCIETY

The regular monthly business meeting of the Union Church Society will be held at Dwight Chapel on Thursday, October 31, at 8 p. m. All interested persons please attend.

AROUND OUR TOWN

October is nearly past, and with its passing next week, thousands of area residents no doubt will be happy if the three week old dry-spell goes with it. The weatherman doesn't say much about it; let's face it, he would probably want to be hunting right now, rather than risking his neck predicting rain!

With the daily press quite full of news of fires during this spell, we can all well realize how potentially dangerous such times are—and, can be thankful that thus far there have been only

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STANDARD TIME

Standard Time will be resumed on this coming Sunday, October 27th. At that time, clocks should be set back one hour.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Lions Club is happy to put on another Halloween party for the benefit of the youngsters and young people of the town. This will be next Thursday, October 31, in Memorial Hall.

The grand parade and judging of the entrants takes place from 7 to 8.30. There will be an entertainment, prizes and refreshments.

At 8.30 a record hop for the young people will start.

Harold Cook and Dr. Samuel Berger are co-chairmen of the committee in charge.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB NEWS

The Belchertown Square Dance Club will hold a Halloween Square Dance party this Saturday, October 26th at the Legion Hall, with John Alden as the caller.

Host and hostess for the evening will be Dick and Millie Cole. Refreshments are in charge of Joe and Arlene Macrae, Bruce Lucier, Mingo and Betty Martin, Mac and Jennie Maclean.

DONATE TO CYSTIC FIBROSIS FUND DRIVE

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Schmidt, owners and operators of Smitty's Motel on Rt. 202, are very proud to report a contribution of $90.00 to the Western Mass. Cystic Fibrosis Chapter. A check for that amount, representing the employees' tips for the past few months, plus a donation from Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, was sent to the local chapter.

The Schmidts are active members of the CF chapter and help to educate the general public by distributing CF literature in their motel. Many tourists have asked for more information about this most common chronic lung disease of children. Sizeable donations have been left to be forwarded to the local chapter.

About 25 new CF cases have been diagnosed in this area in the past year, according to chapter headquarters, due to the alerting of doctors on the symptoms of Cystic Fibrosis.

We urge you to support this worthy cause, and if you wish to contribute, why not send your donations to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Schmidt, in care of Smitty's Motel, Rt. 202, Belchertown, Mass.

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BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Thirty-five candidates have been going through the paces for the last two weeks as Belchertown High school gets an early jump on the 1963-64 basketball season. Drills thus far have been held at Parsons' Field and for the most part have stressed conditioning. All candidates are eagerly awaiting the first indoor workouts commencing Monday following the resurfacing of the Town Hall floor.

Heading up this year's contingent are senior lettermen Merle Green, Gayton Hebert, and Mike Oberly who will serve as tri-captains of the Orioles. Additional lettermen returning are Juniors Robin Barrett, Drew Juskalian, Joe Lemire and Richie McCallum. Other returnees who had some varsity experience are senior Todd Gentile and Junior Mike Mathras. The complete list of candidates will be found below.

An attractive 19 game schedule has been arranged. There will be 10 away games while 9 will be played at the old Town Hall—perhaps the last to be played in this venerable institution. Besides the 8 Franklin League games, the schedule features the first appearance of Granby High School who promises to be a worthy rival. A strong Monson High team returns after a one year absence. Also on the schedule for the second year is Chicopee Comprehensive, a school now boasting a total enrollment of 1,650 students. Two games each will be played with strong St. Mary's of Westfield, Holyoke Trade and arch-rival Monson. It promises to be an interesting season.

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P. T. A. MEETING

At the PTA meeting on Monday evening, those attending got a rundown on the sports and physical education program in the Junior High and Senior High Schools.

Coach O'Leary said that the boys at B. H. S. engage in two sports—basketball and baseball, and that the girls have softball, provide cheer leaders, and have a Pep club.

He said that the local school had for seven years belonged to the Franklin League, a small league which includes Charlemont, Sanderson, Hardwick and Williamsburg.

He said that our school is of the wrong size to compete with those schools with whom we would like to compete. The student body here numbers around 245, while schools hereabouts number between 600 and 1,000.

But Mr. O'Leary emphasized and kept emphasizing that it is not so much how much a team wins, but

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CHICKEN PIE SUPPER AND BAZAAR

The long-announced chicken pie supper and bazaar will be held at Dwight Chapel this week Saturday night from 5.30 to 7. Tickets for the supper are $1.25 for adults, and 60 cents for children under 12. The bazaar will open at 3 p. m.

DATE CHANGED

Rep. James R. Nolen will change his office hours in Belchertown, for this week only, from the usual Saturday morning hours to Friday evening from 7 til 9 p. m. in the basement of Memorial Hall.

ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Albert Brown, tree warden and moth superintendent, attended a conference at the U. of M. this week Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday on General Mosquito Control, and the Safe Use of Pesticides. This conference was sponsored by the State Department of Public Health, and Mr. Brown was awarded a certificate from this state body for his participation in the course, at which conference several outstanding authorities in the field spoke.

TOWN CAN BE PROUD

Belchertown can be proud of the generous support given the Danny Thomas Drive for the St. Jude's Hospital.

Now let's do as well "for our" own less fortunate children in giving to the Prevention of Cruelty to Children annual drive.

The letters are in the mail and collection boxes are in the stores for your convenience.

Every cent given is used here in town. We don't give out names of those helped, but we would be glad to explain the cases.

Please help. We thank you—

The Town Committee

FR. DUDLEY IN HOSPITAL

Father Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church, is a patient at a Boston hospital where he will undergo treatment for an indefinite period. At present, he is not allowed any visitors. Those who wish to send cards and letters should address them: Rev. George R. Dudley, P. O. Box 35, Belchertown.

A Mass for the improvement of his health will be said at 7.30 p. m. Wednesday evening. All are welcome.

What Qualities Are Desirable In High-School Youngsters?

There is a course in Psychology in our high school, an elective, to quote the *Handbook*, "for seniors who have shown an interest in teaching or in another profession of social service, where an understanding of the problems of human living, of social adjustment, and of individual differences is necessary to the pursuit of such a profession."

A young lady from that class came in the other day and asked me if I would be willing to list five *most desirable* and five *least desirable* qualities I would ascribe to a Tech boy student and to a Tech girl student. So I have been playing with her assignment this weekend.

This listing is not very complete, and the separation between "qualities" is not always clean-cut. But I am at least offering a few opinions! By the way, although exterior appearance and physical surroundings may vary greatly from one generation to another, desirable and undesirable characteristics do not change much.

Let's start with the girls.

First. I like them to be *feminine*. Not "sexy", but girlish somehow. I don't want them to be Victorian like the belles in Gilbert and Sullivan, or delicate, like the heroines of the earlier romantic novels. I like girl athletes, cheerleaders, tumblers, twirlers, bowlers—but not wrestlers. I don't like them to be untidy or messy. I'd rather they smelled of *Chanel* than *Camel*. I don't like them to be overloud; neither do I appreciate them almost mute. I want them able and willing to express themselves in acceptable English. I don't want them vulgar or profane or mannish. I want them on their way to becoming ladies.

Second. I want girls to be *friendly*, willing to go half way or more to meet and greet people, of their own age or those older. I don't like them bold or fresh, belittling or battling. I like them serious but not snooty, light-hearted but not silly.

Third. I feel that high-school girls should be altruistic and idealistic. They should be doing things for other people without much thought of reward: for their school, their church, their family, and so on. Young people tend naturally to be this way. It has traditionally been the students in a country who have fought hardest for civil rights, religious freedom, clean government. Loyalty to something in addition to himself is a quality needed by every young person. It is sad when it is sometimes wasted on people or purposes unworthy of the devotion.

Fourth. A girl should be *ambitious* and *industrious*. She should be busy, with proper time-outs for relaxation and utterly useless diversions.

Fifth. A high-school girl should be developing, to the best of her natural ability, *an alert mind and the habit of thinking things through for herself*. She should work toward independence of thinking, but should never be unreceptive to the opinions of others. She should work out her own philosophies, from smaller things like dating or going steady to larger things like careers and creeds. She should think out her time schedules, her hobbies, her balance among cultural, physical, and spiritual activities. She could come to know when to be part of a crowd and when to keep away from it. Yes, she must have a *mind* of her own—and use it!

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In describing the desirable qualities of high-school girls I have largely indicated the undesirable. Such as:

1. *Failure to differentiate between being feminine and merely "sexy".*
2. *Sloppiness in dress, hair-do, behavior.*
3. *Laziness of mind and body.*
4. *Selfishness: interested only in a narrow circle and impatient of directons from outside it.*
5. *Lacking in ideals and in respect for others or even for their own potential.*

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There is no great difference in the most desirable qualities for a high-school boy and those for a girl.

1. *Manliness.* A boy should strive early to possess an ideal of what an American male should be and then he should strive to become that. The striving must be concerned with physical, moral, mental, spiritual fitness.
2. *Altruism and idealism.* A boy should be giving part of his efforts to others (team, club, church, family, friends) with little thought of material reward. He should be loyal to those people and groups and ideas which he finds worthy of his loyalty.
3. *Friendliness and approachability.*
4. *Industry.* A boy should be achieving to the best of his ability, day after day, in or out of school (with room for relaxation and occasional goof-offs).
5. *Mental alertness.* Like the girl, the boy must learn to think things through and base his actions increasingly on his own thinking, aided, of course, by those friends and advisers, living or dead, whose words he has learned to respect.

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And, very briefly, the undesirable:

1. *Immaturity.* Some boys fail to grow up, in one phase or another, and may, at least for a time, range in behavior anywhere from that of a sissy to that of a juvenile mobster.
2. *Laziness.* This may be physical and/or mental. It is characterized by no attempt to think things through, no real desire to work. The boy wants a job, a diploma, a car, a girl—all in theory—little action.
3. *Selfishness and lack of idealism.*
4. *Aimlessness.* Easily led in almost any direction, preferably downhill.
5. *Unfriendliness* and *unapproachability.*

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off
another week of our lives.

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"Fresh October brings the pheasant,
Then to gather nuts is pleasant."
Sara Coleridge—"Pretty Lessons in Verse"—1834

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John P. Searl, Historian

Last week's mail brought me a gold-colored booklet from my good friend John P. Searl, of Staten Island, New York, a native son of Belchertown, a very loyal reader of these columns, and one who is greatly interested in the progress of the community where he lived as a boy.

This booklet was the "Historical Address" delivered by R. W. John Searl on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of Aquehonga Lodge No. 906, Staten Island, on May 21, 1963. It is an excellent address.

Just 13 years ago Jack sent me the 200-page, hard-bound *History of Beacon Light Lodge*, which had its 80th Anniversary that year. Jack is a Past Master of Beacon Light, Past District Deputy Grand Master, and Lodge and District Historian, as well as secretary of the Richmond Masonic Assocation.

He's apparently one of those very rare people who carry through the job of a historian to the end, and one to whom future generations of Masons will be greatly indebted. I am proud that he has placed me on the receiving list.

These verses of Douglas Malloch, with which he closed the address last May, will be appreciated by some of you, in and out of the Craft:

Echoes

"Fine men have gone this way before,
Whatever lodge your lodge may be;
Whoever stands before the door,
The Sacred Arch of Masonry,
Stands where the wise, the great, the good,
In their own time and place have stood.

"You are not brothers just to these,
Your friends and neighbors, you are kin
With Masons down the centuries;
The room that you now enter in
Has felt the tread of many feet,
For here all Masonry you meet.

"You walk the path the great have trod,
The great in heart, the great in mind,
Who looked through Masonry to God,
And looked through God to all mankind;
Learned more than word, or sign or grip,
Learned Man's and God's relationship.

"And so I say a sacred trust
Is yours to share, is yours to keep,
I hear the voice of men of dust,
I hear the step of men asleep;
And down the endless future too,
Your own shall echo after you."

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—Bob Jackson

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Myron S. Barton, one of Belchertown's most esteemed citizens, died at the age of 86. He had spent his entire life in town, being taken only a few weeks ago to Northampton to be cared for. He was a Civil War veteran, and Commander of the G.A.R. for many years. He was a member for one term of the House of Representatives, and was 14 years a Selectman in town. He held offices in the Clapp Memorial Library Association, the Historical Association, Vernon Lodge and Mt. Vernon Chapter, and was associate member of the Congregational Church.

Mrs. Hattie Taylor was elected President of the Social Guild.

The annual Belchertown High School Field Day was a huge success. There was great enthusiasm over each one of the twenty events.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Dr. A. E. Westwell was installed as Post Commander of the Legion, and Mrs. Alice Lofland as President of the Auxiliary.

Street lights were resumed for the first time since the hurricane on September 21.

The Sons of Union Veterans' Auxiliary enjoyed a party at Veterans' Hall in honor of the 100th anniversary of the organization. About 50 were present.

There was a public reception for Rev. Kendig B. Cully the newly elected Pastor of the Congregational Church.

TEN YEARS AGO

At the Vernon Lodge installation, Dr. James L. Collard was installed as marshal for his 28th term. Another high moment was when the installing officer had the pleasure of installing his own son, Donald E. Geer, as junior deacon.

Miss Huller of the High School faculty spoke at the P.T.A. meeting on her trip to Europe last summer which she took along with her mother and brother.

The proposed Zoning By-Laws took up the space of 67 inches of 8 pt type (two columns wide) in *The Sentinel*.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Alice Willey and Mrs. Lorraine Conche of Alice's Home of Beauty attended the National Hairdressers Convention Monday at the Hotel Statler in New York City.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

A couple of weeks ago Dr. "T" and his Lucy popped into the Volunteer Office and asked "Hey bcv—where's that weekly column?" It sounds silly to say that there's been so much going on we've been too busy to write about it—nevertheless it's true.

How are you doing with your Christmas shopping? The Flagg-McLean Corp. at B. S. S. has been busy with Christmas since last July and now with the help of the Officers' Wives Club Volunteers from Westover, the wrapping is nearly complete. (And they have 1,575 on their list too!)

Is every Coleman Day nicer than the last? This year it was beautiful and everything went smoothly as 669 children took their turns on the various rides. With the loan of a bus and driver from Northampton State Hospital, plus the Birthday Bus, the shuttle system from School to the Common worked like a charm.....and with Mr. "Boots" at the helm it was smooth sailing all day. Again and again our grateful thanks to Mr. Coleman and his sons for providing such an exciting day for our youngsters.

Thanks to Jon Rose (Recreational Therapist) and Nelson Hill, our long hoped for skating rink is to be a reality this year. And by the way, if you have any *good* skates hanging in your cellar that aren't being used, please remember we have use for them. Any size will do. If you can't get down to School with them, toss them at Rod in the Drug Store. (Gently please, he's a grandfather twice you know!) Incidentally, Nelson is accepting congratulations on his job these days, add ours to the list, Nel!

As we try (once) to meet Editor Lewis' deadline, our newest addition to the Volunteer Office—Miss Rita MacDonald, is conducting a research program in the circular file. Ask her about it sometime. Welcome aboard, Rita!

bcv

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, October 21, Tom Bleau of the Salvage Team rolled a fine string of 147 for the league's new high single. Team results are as follows: Jackson's 6, B.S.S. 0; Hilltoppers 4, Turkey Hill 2; Independents 4, Salvage 2; Jabish Brook 4, Park Lane 2; Reece 6, Legion 0; Cole Cont. 4, Gates 2; and Henneman's 6, Cook's 0.

League Records

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	36	6	10,193
Independents	32	10	10,404
Henneman's	31	11	10,430
Turkey Hill	28	14	10,054
Cook's	25	17	9,951
Reece	24	18	9,941
Salvage	22	20	9,995
Jabish Brook	20	22	9,967
Hilltoppers	20	22	9,925
Gates	18	24	9,623
B. S. S.	14	28	8,966
Park Lane	12	30	9,692
Cole's	10	32	9,478
American Leg.	2	40	8,824

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	W. Terry, 139
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	H. Main, 347
Team High Single	Henneman's, 550
Team High 3	Henneman's, 1,529

110 Club—E. Bock, 110; K. Snow, 118; D. Cowher, 120; B. Ross, 113; H. Main, 114; T. Bleau, 147; J. Bodzinski, 110; F. Grover, 113; H. Squires, 138; P. Wisnewski, 132; P. Ketchen, 111; G. Leclerc, 118; Russ Robinson, 112; J. McInnis, 111; Don Cole, 110; C. Robinson, Jr., 113; E. Lowe, 117; D. Perham, 117; A. Henneman, 115; H. Mellin, 114.

310 Club—B. Ross, 314; H. Main, 311; T. Bleau, 345; F. Grover, 324; P. Wisnewski, 321; P. Ketchen, 311; G. Leclerc, 314; Don Cole, 310; D. Perham, 323; A. Henneman, 322.

Next Week's Matches—

Jabish Brook vs. Reece
Turkey Hill vs. Jackson's
Salvage vs. B. S. S.
Henneman's vs Park Lane
Legion vs. Cole's
Independents vs. Cook's
Gates vs. Hilltoppers

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On October 17 the team results were as follows: Pin Pickers 8, King Pins 0; Crystals 8, Bowl-aires 0; Hit or Miss 8, Nite Outers 0; Congo's 8, Harmony Five 0; Jolly "5" 6, Gay Rollers 2; Pin Spinners 6, Chadson Gals 2; and Roll-a-ways 6, Outskirters 0.

The Pin Pickers had team high three with 1335, and also had team high single with 460. High three went to Carol Hubbard with a 300, and a second high three to Rose Scott with a 298. Rose Scott had high single with 109. Second high single was a tie between Carol Hubbard and Doris Rimbold with a 106. Carol Hubbard made the "300" club with a 300. There were no "110" club members last week.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	40	8	7751
Roll-a-ways	34	14	7554
Crystals	34	14	7422
Jolly "5"	32	16	7519
Congo's	32	16	7460
Gay Rollers	28	20	7577
Harmony Five	26	22	7011
Chadson Gals	25	23	7107
Hit or Miss	24	24	7398
Pin Spinners	18	30	6804
King Pins	16	32	7113
Nite Outers	12	36	6801
Outskirters	9	39	7025
Bowl-aires	6	42	7074

Ruth Dowd, Secretary

JAYCEES ELECT OFFICERS

A general membership meeting was held at the Robin Farm Club on October 16, 1963. The following officers were elected:

President — Ralph Pittsley
Internal Vice-President — William Taylor
External Vice-President — Francis Loftus
Secretary — William McHaffie
Treasurer — William Hennemann, Jr.
Director — Allan Witt
Director — Kenneth Snow
Public Relations Ch. — George Suhm

The first project the chapter is undertaking is a doll drive. The members will be going out to pick up old, broken dolls, so they can be restored and given to hospitals for Christmas.

If anyone has dolls that could be used in this project, please call one of the following:

Ralph Pittsley 323-7128
George Suhm 323-6227
Mike Forgue 323-7112

The next membership meeting will be held at the Robin Farm Club, November 6. All men between the ages of 21-35 are urged to attend.

RECEIVES AWARD FROM OHIO

For his vital interest in fire fighting and his work in fire prevention, Thomas A. Mortimer, a night nurse at the Belchertown State School, was recently given an honorary membership in the Ohio Fire Chiefs' Association. Mr. Mortimer was also recently made a member of the Catholic Union of the Sick of America for his work with the afflicted and handicapped.

And most recently he was at the New York Foundling Hospital as a special nurse in the care of the afflicted and handicapped. In recent weeks he became a member of the American Tape Exchange, and the Catholic Tape international.

Locally he is known for his umpiring of softball and baseball games

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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Mr. Alan Hurlburt of the Cold Spring faculty will assist Coach O'Leary with this year's team. Roger Gaughan has been appointed Senior manager and will be assisted by Richard Green, Philip Sulewski, and Richard Plowucha.

Schedules, courtesy of Jackson's Store, are available there or at the Belchertown Pharmacy.

The candidates:

Seniors—Todd Gentile, Merle Green, Peter Greenan, Gayton Hebert, Michael Oberly and Michael Samson.

Juniors—Robin Barrett, Andrew Juskalian, Joseph Lemire, Richard McCallum, and Michael Mathras.

Sophomores—Richard Adam, Michael Austin, Glenn Butler, James Dahlgren, Henry Dreist, Thomas Fuller, Ernest Gay, Edward Isaac, Harold Ketchen, Douglas McCallum and William McCaughey.

Freshmen—Timothy Barrett, Alan Barthelette, Douglas Camp, Dennis Dube, Joseph Dyer, Gary Faulkins, Robert Martin, John McCaughey, Frederick Owens, and Richard Rimbold.

NATURE NOTES

Mrs. Alvin Bush sent us word that moisture in the form of hail fell near their home for about two minutes, causing the leaves to fall like a rain shower this past Monday around 1 p. m.

DEATHS

As we go to press we are informed of the passing of two people who once lived in Belchertown—Sidney Atwood of Springfield, who died October 5; and Lewis Dyer of Rockport, who died September 25. The latter was the son of the late E. H. Dyer, who once operated a grain mill and grocery store here. At one time he belonged to the Belchertown Historical Assn.

D. SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has negotiated the sale of property on Turkey Hill for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Chapin to Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Palm of Chicopee. The Chapins are purchasing a trailer and will reside in the Quaboag Trailer Park in Palmer. The Palms intend to occupy the former Chapin property about November 15.

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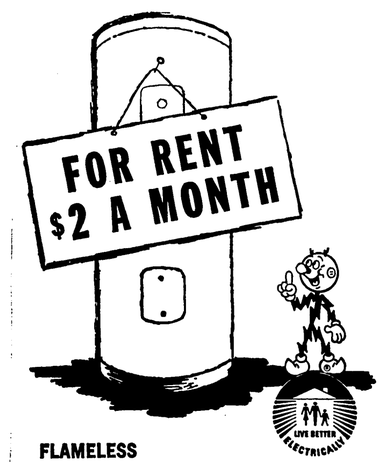

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

Fr. Dudley and Fr. Collins in behalf of the church, wish to thank the parishioners for their fine response to the appeal made for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith for the work in the missions.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost
(Feast of Christ The King)

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Colossians 1, 12-20. The Epistle of St. Paul the apostle to the Colossians.

Gospel—John 18, 33-37. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John. (Christ testifies to His Kingship).

— SUNDAY SCHOOL —

Catechism classes will be held Sunday immediately following the 9.30 Mass.

All those attending the Sunday School classes are reminded that good attendance is important—don't be the delinquent member of your class, be regular in your attendance.

— WEDNESDAY —

There will be no morning Mass on Wednesday, October 30. However, a Mass will be said that evening at 7.30 for Fr. Dudley's health as requested by the C. W. C.

— THURSDAY —

Confessions will be heard on Thursday, October 31 from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. in preparation for services Friday.

— RELEASED TIME —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, October 31. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

— ALL SAINTS' DAY —
First Friday In November

All Saints' Day is a Holy Day of Obligation—Services:

Masses at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. in the church. Mass at the State School at 7.15 a. m. Confessions before the evening mass, 6.15 to 6.45.

Parishioners are reminded that meat *may* be taken on this Friday, All Saints' Day as often as desired.

— ALL SOULS' DAY —

Masses will be at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Your All Souls offering should be placed in the envelopes provided in your boxes, or a regular envelope you might have. Write the name or names of the departed on the envelope and hand it in at the Friday or Saturday Masses.

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CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The flag ceremony was presented by the Webelos den. All recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Mrs. Lapointe introduced all the leaders to the group. Den 3 put on a skit in puppet fashion in honor of Fire Preventation Week.

The awards were presented to the boys:

Bobcat—Ronnie Anderson, Roy Bergeron, Albert Brighenti, Michael Brougham, Richard Cook, Jr., Paul Clark, Scott Hutchinson, Jeffrey Keller, Gary Kendrick, Mark Kendrick, Bruce Laporte, Normand Leduc, Wayne O'Donnell, William Rhodes, Leslie Rhodes, Lester Rhodes, Walter Robinson, Daniel Shea, Patrick Gannon, David Lovett, Gregory Normand.

Wolf—George Wall, George Berard; Arrow under Wolf—Morgan Lindsey, 1 Gold; Lyle Hislop, 1 Silver; Mark Jackson, 2 Silver; David Rogers, 3 Silver; Michael Couture, 1 Gold.

Arrow under Bear—Wayne Henrichon, 1 Gold; Robert Rule, 1 Silver.

Lion—Edward Casey, Wayne Henrichon, Arthur Fish.

Arrow under Lion—Wayne Henrichon, 1 Gold and 1 Silver; Arthur Fish, 1 Gold and 3 Silver.

Denner—Alan Fish, Den 4.

Announcements were made concerning the bottle drive on November 16. Save your empty bottles. If you would like to rid yourself of them now, call 7756. Mr. Robert Rule will pick them up.

The Pack meeting next month will be November 20. Cubby was awarded to Den 7. The boys closed with the living circle and the motto, "Do Your Best."

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred L. Noel of Maple Street received a surprise celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday. Arriving at DeMarco's Restaurant in Ludlow for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Noel were greeted by all their children: Mrs. Jack (Rose Marie) Slavin of Tucson, Arizona; M/Sgt. Wilfred L. Noel, Jr. of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. John (Constance) Gray, Jr. of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Charles (Lorraine) Foley of Rockville, Conn.; and the Misses Jean and Karen Noel and Miss Carol Casey at home.

The family had not been all together for 19 years. There are 17 grandchildren.

Later in the day an open house was held in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church, with about 100 friends and relatives attending. Among those present were Mr. Noel's mother, Mrs. Joseph Noel, 84, of Holyoke and Mrs. Emma Duquette of Ludlow, who was maid of honor at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel, who have lived here most of their lives, were the first couple married in St. Francis Church on October 15, 1923. Mr. Noel, who has served the town as assessor and as a former chairman of the Democratic Town Committee, is employed by Monsanto Chemical Co., while Mrs. Noel is an employee at the Belchertown State School.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

10 a. m. Fall Meeting of the Order of St. Luke, the Physician, at the Church. Rev. Olivia Henry will be the morning and afternoon speaker. Business meeting in the afternoon. These meetings are open to the public. Business meeting is closed to all but members of the order. Mrs. Henry will speak after the business meeting.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship

This will be layman's Sunday in the local church. The speaker of the morning will be Allan Witt, president of the Methodist Men. Rev. Henry will speak briefly at this service.

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet with Miss Hidi Lasser of Cape Cod and West Germany, who will speak to the group.

6 p. m. Rev. Olivia Henry will meet with the Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship.

7.30 p. m. Opening service of the Eighth Annual Fall Week of Evangelism in the Church. Rev. Olivia Henry will be the evangelist. There will be special music each night. Music furnished by the local church's music committee, and also as the Lord provides.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28

7 a. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will have breakfast with Mrs. Henry in the Vestry.

9.30 a. m. Morning Prayer Fellowship.

Appointments are available with Mrs. Henry by calling 323-7584.

6 p. m. Mrs. Henry will meet with the canvas committee for a supper meeting.

7.45 p. m. Mrs. Henry will preach at the Evening Service.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

7 a. m. Mrs. Henry will breakfast with the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

9.30 a. m. Morning Prayer Fellowship.

Appointments in the afternoon may be had by calling 323-7584.

6 p. m. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will have supper with Mrs. Henry.

7.45 p. m. Mrs. Henry will preach at the Evening Service.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30

7 a. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will have breakfast with Mrs. Henry.

9.30 a. m. Morning Prayer Fellowship.

Appointments with Mrs. Henry may be had by calling 323-7584.

6 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will have supper with Mrs. Henry.

7.45 p. m. The Evening Service will be a Love Feast led by Mrs. Henry.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31

7 a. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will have breakfast with Mrs. Henry.

9.30 a. m. Morning Prayer Fellowship.

Appointments may be had with Mrs. Henry by calling 323-7584.

6 p. m. The Methodist Men will have a supper meeting with Mrs. Henry.

7.45 p. m. The Evening Service, with Mrs. Henry preaching.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Appointments with Mrs. Henry may be had by calling 323-7584.

7.45 p. m. The week's services will close with the Sacrament of Holy Communion and a service of Consecration.

All services will be held in the Church, and all meetings that will be in connection with a meal will be held in the Vestry.

These meetings are open to the public, and all are cordially invited.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Norman P. Wilson of Jabish Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Sue, to Mr. Donald George Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd F. Warren of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Both Miss Wilson and Mr. Warren are in the class of 1964 in Houghton College, Houghton, New York. Miss Wilson has concentrated her studies in the fields of music education, German, and English; Mr. Warren in the areas of business administration and music.

An August, 1964 wedding is planned by the couple.

BIRTH

A daughter was born to William and Rita (Roussin) Cornish of Sports Haven Trailer Park, on October 15 at Mary Lane Hospital.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Bruce T. Dahlberg will be the guest minister on Sunday morning.

Junior Fellowship

The Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship will join with the Methodist Junior High Fellowship to hear Rev. Olivia S. Henry at SIX o'clock. Please note change in time.

Senior Fellowship

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at 7 o'clock in the Parish House.

Church Cabinet

An important meeting of the Church Cabinet will be held on Tuesday evening in the Parish House at 7.30.

Dates

November
3—Holy Communion
3—Stewardship Sunday
6—Friendly Service
10—Visitation Sunday
10—Special Civil Rights Offering
14—Parish Representatives
15—Women's Guild Public Supper

THE BELL RINGERS

The Bedford Bell Ringers "rang the bell" at their appearance in the Congregational Church on Tuesday evening, the audience being most appreciative of their efforts. The group was introduced by John Bailey, president of the Double or Nothing Club, under whose sponsorship they appeared.

The program opened with Thanksgiving hymns, and other familiar hymns of long ago. The second half of the program was an assortment of selections of varied type, the concluding number being "Bells of St. Mary."

Following the program, the club served refreshments in the Parish House.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Ruth Kempkes and Myrtle Williams of the home and community service committee. Prize winners were: 1st, Fred H. Fuller, Mabel G. Bowles, Carl Bowles and Frank Szczepanski; 2nd, Mrs. Elva Webb, Mrs. Blanche Bader, Doris Belanger and Franklin Wenzel; 3rd, Rose Canavan, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks and Lena Nightingale; door, Elsa Haller and Doris Belanger.

This week's party will be in charge of the executive committee, L. Geoffroy, G. Wenzel and H. Judkins.

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T. A. MEETING

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it plays. He spoke of some of things he has tried to emphasize. was team play, so essential in life; also sacrifice to obey the rules; the right attitude toward in school and on the field, to the town, the school, to other and to the coach, the needity of discipline, both in school on the team. He said a town is judged by its athletes.

He said it was not essential that a dent get all A's to get on a team, to achieve his capacity.

Mr. O'Leary paid high tribute to "wonderful" boys who had ked under him here. He said to parents, "Keep them coming!"

Paul Whitlock, teacher of physical ucation at Junior High, followed g in somewhat similar vein. He that pupils are apt to confuse sical education with game periods. are graded more on skills.

He said that the big student is etimes over confident, while the of slighter build sometimes es out ahead.

He spoke of the physical fitness gram here, and said our school placed high.

He spoke of an intramural basketball league, in which 80 boys would ticipate, making up 8 teams. He e of being beaten at soccer by mpden, but that didn't bother him. had something of O'Leary's outk.

Mention was made of track meets, which relay races, shot puts, broad ps, high jumps, etc. featured.

The Junior High has its cheer leaders coached by the team at Senior gh.

Yes, the folks got a good glimpse the local physical education and ts program here and the outlook those who are conducting it.

The names of parents to assist at junior and senior high school ts as representatives of the PTA e announced. They are: Mr. and s. Frank Samborski for Center ior High School; Mr. and Mrs. ester Pinkos and Mr. and Mrs. es Nolan for the senior high ool.

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NGAGEMENT NOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William Soule of niel Shays Highway announce the gagement and approaching marriage her daughter, Virginia Wilson, to n. John C. Cook, Jr., son of Mr. and s. John C. Cook, Sr., of Mill Valley ad.

Miss Wilson is a former resident of agawam, and graduated from Agawam gh. She continued her studies at American International College, Springld.

Her fiance is a graduate of B. S., and is currently serving with e U. S. Navy.

The couple plan a November wedding in the local Congregational urch.

WEST COAST SPEAKER

The much advertized West Coast speaker, Mrs. Estelle Marker of PSA fame, spoke to the Belchertown Color Camera Club at its first meeting of the season in Lawrence Memorial Hall last week Friday night, divulging tricks of the trade that she hoped some of the members would try and duplicate. The slides she showed tied in with procedures she was telling about. She was forever talking of creativity in the picture-taking field. At one point she said, "Make your camera talk, not just record things."

She said that she was seldom in a hurry in taking pictures. As concerns one prize-winner that she took, she said she waited two months for a spider to spin his web just as she wanted it. She said again, "Always make the sun work for you."

She talked on about every phase of picture-taking—lenses, filters, shutters, double exposures, patterns, balances, reflections, working with glass, etc. Not only did she show slides, but also on a sidewall she had hung large black and white pictures of leaves, a ghost tree, etc.

As we have intimated, probably other programs have had more human interest appeal, as concerns subject matter, but her ability in describing in detail how to achieve certain color effects, was outstanding.

Preceding the program, Leslie Campbell spoke of the invitation of the Boston Camera Club to present a program before them, and of a return engagement the Boston Club will make here later.

Members of the local club are meeting at Les Campbell's three evenings this week to make plans for the presentation in Boston.

AUDUBON EXHIBITION

The judging of this 7th annual event sponsored by the Massachusetts Audubon Society in co-operation with the Massachusetts Cam-Nats, will be held at the University of Massachusetts in the Commonwealth Room of the Student Union Building on Saturday, November 2, commencing at 9 a. m., and continuing throughout the day.

This exhibition attracts several hundred slides and prints from leading natural history photographers throughout the world.

Anyone interested is welcome to watch the judging. Meals and coffee breaks at the Student Union will be available to members of nature and photographic organizations, providing reservations are made by October 30 with Leslie Campbell of this town, 323-7405.

General Chairman of this exhibition is Les, and co-chairmen of the color slide section are Bob and Betty Bousquet of Ware, also of the Belchertown club.

The slides and prints accepted, will be shown, admission free, on November 9, at 8 p. m. at the University, in Student Union Ballroom, and at other places throughout the state on succeeding dates.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

DEN 5

Den 5 meets every Tuesday with Mrs. Hislop. At our first meeting we elected Lyle Hislop, denner; and Daniel Shea, Scribe. We learned the meaning of Cub Scouts and did some wind experiments.

Tuesday, October 15, Den 5 went to Quabbin. With Mr. Brennen we went on the Police boat. We each had a turn to steer.

Tuesday, October 22, Den 5 made Jack-o-lanterns. We had refreshments and closed with the Living Circle.

Daniel Shea, Scribe

DEN 6

Den 6 made some jack-o-lanterns. We had juice and cookies. We said our promise and had our living circle. Then we played games outside with Den 5.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

LIONS CLUB

Mrs. Valliere, in charge of the Volunteer Services at the State School, was guest speaker at the Lions Club on Wednesday evening. She spoke on these services, and their role in the institutional life. She spoke of the Birthday Box project, what the Volunteer groups do, how the money is raised, etc.

The club is omitting their Sunday afternoon turkey shoots until the woods are reopened.

Plans are going forward for the Halloween party, elsewhere noted.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombley Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Hubbard of Mill Valley Road, a Ranch home on Mill Valley Road to Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson. Mrs. Nelson is the former Marsha Sullivan of this town. Mr. Nelson is formerly from Ludlow and is employed at the Third National Bank in Springfield.

They have already taken possession of their new home.

NEWS IN BRIEF

William Squires, chairman of the planning board, has resigned, his resignation to take effect at the annual town election.

Harold Mellin, who has for several years served on the Board of Appeals, has resigned.

John Reed of Gold Street has been appointed by-law enforcement officer.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Good News for the Cadettes! The first meeting of the Cadette Scouts will be held on Tuesday evening at 6.30 at the Parish House. Miss Shirley Sample will be the leader. All girls in the seventh, eighth or ninth grades are urged to attend.

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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing held in the Selectmen's Room on October 28, 1963, at 8 p. m. on the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. for an All Alcoholic Beverages Club License. The premises to be licensed are located approximately 1200 feet from the westerly side of Mill Valley Road, and approximately 600 feet from the easterly boundary of same property with one (1) front entrance and one (1) rear exit. This business to be carried on in a building having one floor, using the large room at the easterly end of the building for serving liquors, and storage room in basement.

The Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc. lists the following officers:

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LEGAL NOTICE

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Office of Town Clerk
Belchertown, Mass.

October 21, 1963

Amendment to the Zoning Map adopted at the Special Town Meeting held July 22, 1963:

Article 3—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of the town of Belchertown, by changing from Agricultural District to Business District, the property (land) owned by Lewis Slate at the junction of Barrett and North Liberty Streets, as shown on the Zoning Map on display.

(Voted—Unanimous YES)

Boston, Massachusetts
October 16, 1963

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

Signed. Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Legal adv. Oct. 25,
Nov. 1 & 8

LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook # B-1779 issued by said bank to Fernando J. Forest and Ida Y. Forest, it being claimed that said book has been lost or destroyed.

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A SINCERE THANK YOU

to the very many friends who sent me cards while I was hospitalized in Malden, and while recovering.

I am grateful for the lovely flowers I received from the following: Belchertown Police Association, Catholic Women's Club, Y. M. Club, Union Grange and other individuals.

Andy and I will always remember the kindnesses extended to me and family, and we are happy to live in a community with so many nice people.

Victoria T. Sears

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all you wonderful people for your many cards and messages, the beautiful flowers and gifts, and your personal visits to me at the hospital. I also want to thank the Catholic Women's Club, Union Grange and Pomona Grange for the lovely flowers and gifts. This has all been very comforting to me and also helps to shorten the day. Thank you all again.

Mrs. Catherine Germain
Holyoke Hospital

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Herbert Squires, a school bus driver, and the teachers and pupils of Cold Spring and Center Schools, for their kindness and help to our grandaughters Cathy, and Dianne Bush during their temporary stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bush

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank those who contributed food to our Junior stand on Fair day, October 12th and to our kind friends who helped us realize a profit of $300. Class of '65

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CARD OF THANKS

Our heartiest thanks to our friends and relatives who made our anniversary celebration such a happy one. All the cards, gifts and personal greetings meant so much to us, for which we are most grateful.

Catherine and Wilfred Noel

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I wish to thank my neighbors and friends, my co-workers at the State School, the Belchertown Police Dept., for the flowers and get well cards and the kindness shown my family during my recent illness.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

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a few grass or brush fires here in town.

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What effect has this rain-less period had on the reservoir? We called Mr. Copithorne, an M.D.C. employee, and this is what we learned.

Rainfall this month—18/100ths in.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —

Church School. Classes at 9, 915 nd 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

— Methodist Church —

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 . m.

— St. Francis Church —

Rev George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
wenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School classes following the 30 Mass.

— Dwight Chapel —

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Sal- age Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons in the Old Town Hall at 6.30 p. m.
School for Christian Workers in Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Girl Scout Investiture at Methodist Church at 3.15 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service at Parish House at 0.30 a. m.
Masonic Meeting.

THURSDAY

Garden Club at Grange Hall at 2 . m.
Official Board in Methodist Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of WSCS with Mrs. Albert Dzuris.

SATURDAY

Bazaar at Methodist Church at 10 a. m. Men's Club Public Supper from 5 to 7 p. m.

FOOD SALE

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship of the local Congregational Church will hold a Food Sale in front of the Belchertown Market today, November 1, from 2 to 9 p. m.

AROUND OUR TOWN

To bring our far-flung readers up to date on the progress of the construction of our new Jr.-Sr. High School is our goal this week—with a few words to fill out the story.

To the person not familiar with the details of the construction industry, it would appear that everything is coming along nicely—perhaps it is so. We do know that the foundations are completed, and men are busy daily on the completion of the utility tunnel

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Grange Card Party.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

TODAY

Senior Pilgrim Fellowship Food Sale in Front of Belchertown Market from 2 to 9 p. m.

Holy Day Services in St. Francis Church; 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Service of Evangelism at Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.

TOMORROW

All Souls' Day Services at Saint Francis Church, 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Legion Harvest Dance, 8-12 p. m.
Jaycee Doll Drive.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Nov. 13
Elks Choral Group sponsored by Catholic Women's Club in Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m.

Nov. 15
Womens' Guild Public Supper in the Congregational Parish House.

Nov. 16
Policemen's Ball.

Nov. 18
Catholic Women's Club (change of date). Speaker, Miss Marion Wray.

Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 30
Square Dance Pot Luck Supper at Legion Hall.

Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.

Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

QUABBIN HEAD HONORED

Roy Kimball, who retires next month as superintendent at Quabbin, after 49 years and 10 months in the State's service, had one put over on him last Saturday night, when he innocently walked into his own surprise party at the Red Barn in Chicopee Falls—his wife and family knew about it, but he didn't. With so many involved, it's a wonder the beans didn't get spilled, but we know from experience that it can happen.

There were some 150 present, and they came from all over. There were representatives from the Boston office, the Sudbury office and the distribution office, there were eight members of the State Police, with whom he served some years ago, there were many colleagues from Belchertown, and so it went.

Harold Mellin of this town was master of ceremonies, and the chief speaker was Harold J. Toole, director and chief water supply engineer, who laid it on in grand style. There was also a letter from Commissioner Murphy.

Roy has been with the Quabbin project from the start—so no one

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PICTURE OF INTEREST

A picture of interest in the Springfield Union of last week Friday was that of John Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burke of Old Enfield Road, a senior at the University of Massachusetts, and president of the UMass. Distinguished Visitors' Program, pointing out campus spots of interest to Sir Muhammad Zafrulla Khan, permanent ambassador from Pakistan to the United Nations, who addressed University students Thursday. Khan was president of last year's UN General Assembly. Burke is a government major at UMass.

OREGON CONVENTION TRIP

Stanford J. Harrington of Park St., operator of the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar, has returned here following a trip to Oregon where he attended the 30th Annual National Convention of the National Ice Cream Retailers' Association, Inc. Accompanying him was his wife Barbara, who has a sister, Mrs. David Bodin living in Beaverton, a part of Portland, Oregon. They departed by air for the convention on Saturday, October 19 from Bradley Field, Connecticut, returning again by air on Monday, October 28.

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APPRECIATE PATRONAGE

There was a wonderful turnout at the bazaar and chicken pie supper at Dwight Chapel last Saturday, and the ladies there want to thank all who made the affair such a success. Many came from Belchertown Center and from towns round about. They were much pleased with what the ladies had to offer—and with the bargain prices.

SHOOTS RESUMED

The Lions Club announces that with the reopening of the woods, the weekly turkey shoots at the Salvage grounds will be resumed on Sunday. The hour is 1.30 p. m.

TOURS SOUTHERN EUROPE

Daniel C. Miron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel C. Miron, of Rockrimmon Road, is currently stationed in Europe with the U. S. Army. Recently his parents received a rather voluminous letter telling of a leave which he took this August. Miron, is a 1960 graduate of B. H. S., and is now completing a three year tour in the Army, presently being attached to the 34th Artillery group located in the heart of the Bavarian state of the Federal Republic of West Germany.

We quote from this letter:

Let me tell you something of my leave. It was a fun-packed and action-filled one, be sure of that. Starting from Munich we went to Garmisch (Ger.) and then across the Austrian border into Austria's site of the '64 Olympics, Innsbruck. Then we proceeded through the Brenner Pass and into Italy. Our first stop in Italy was Bolzano where we ate and bought a few little souveners. Then on to Vinchenza (something like that) to the Air Force Base to get gasoline ration stamps for Italy. These save a *lot* of money, because gas here in Europe runs between 50 and 80 cents a gallon!

From there we drove to Venice—a beautiful and yet ugly city. We got there at sundown and took the Gondola ride to St. Marcus Square, toured it for an hour, and then went back to

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GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The first Investiture ceremony for Brownies in the new Scout program will be held in the Methodist Church vestry at 3.15 p. m. on Tuesday, November 5th. All mothers of Brownies meeting in the Pine Room, in the Methodist Church and at Dwight are invited to attend.

MASONIC INSTALLATION

Vernon Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held its installation in Memorial Hall last Saturday evening, preceded by a dinner in the Congregational Parish House in charge of Mt. Vernon Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Evelyn Lodge, Matron.

R. W. Alexander R. Dunbar, an honorary member of Vernon Lodge, and past Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, installed the officers in his usual dignified manner, reminding one of the ministerial profession.

And yet, he had the personal approach, which was most pleasing. When David Hodgen appeared before him to be installed as senior warden, he congratulated him on following in the footsteps of his dad, who when he came up to be installed as secretary, after serving twenty years in that capacity, was told, "This is about half of what we expect of you."

When Henry Randall of Granby was installed as treasurer to succeed Everett A. Geer, who is retiring after serving 26 years, he said he expected Randall to serve 25 years—and more after that.

The installing officer congratulated the retiring master, Frank Grover on being willing to step from the East into the office of marshal; and James Lodge, installed as junior warden, taking his first elective office.

Others connected with Vernon Lodge assisted with the installation. Past Master Henry Ludlam served as chaplain; Wor. Kenneth Collard served as soloist, singing several selections, with Mrs. Louis Shumway of this town accompanying on the piano. Wor. D. Donald Hazen again served as regalia bearer.

The installing marshal was again Wor. Paul W. Osbourne, past master of Belcher Lodge of Chicopee Falls; and installing organist was William Harry of William Whiting Lodge of Holyoke.

Wor. Donald Geer gave the qualifying report, instead of Wor. Isaac Hodgen.

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THE DOLL DRIVE

Members of the Jaycees will be going out this Saturday to pick up old broken dolls, so they can be restored and given to hospitals for Christmas.

If anyone has dolls that could be used in this project, please call one of the following:

George Suhm	323-6227
Ralph Pittsley	323-7128
Mike Forgue	323-7112
Robert Sutcliffe	323-6348

In Case You Didn't Know—
This Is A Newspaper"

It's a little hard for me to keep up with the rest of the world these days, and I'm just lost when I try to find out what week it is. The ordinary calendar weeks are not so difficult, though the weatherman has succeeded in mixing them up all fall. It's the other kinds of weeks that confuse me.

When I get het up to celebrate Fire Prevention Week, it has gone by and we are in the middle of National Library Week, or American Art Week, or Employ the Physically Handicapped Week, or Crime Prevention Week, or Human Rights Week, or Brotherhood Week. Keeping all these and a few dozen more in order and weeding out those we'd like to forget becomes almost as complicated as direct dialing seems, to Al Capp and others.

However, I saw an ad in this paper a week ago that reminded me that the *Sentinel* is now in its 49th year of publication, and a few days later Harold M. (K.I.D. Gore) of Amherst sent me a clipping that reminded me that National Newspaper Week followed right after Belchertown Fair (October 13-19).

Kid's clipping was taken from one of his favorite newspapers, the *Brattleboro Daily Reformer,* to which he subscribes because he has been operating an excellent boys' camp in Wilmington, Vermont, for nigh onto forty summers.

Then, after he'd sent the clipping, his wife Jane found the same article in the *Springfield Union,* indicating it was pretty widely used. It is titled "What Is A Newspaper?", and since it seems to have become public property, and since it is good, I'm going to use it too. It was written by Fred J. Curran of the *Wisconsin State Journal.* Like another editorial which has become a classic, it pretends to have been inspired by a litle girl—not Virginia.

Some of the paragraphs do not apply to another of Kid Gore's favorite papers, the *Sentinel,* which does not subscribe to national news services or use the syndicated material that large papers feature, making the whole nation kin by letting Lucy in Los Angeles thrill over the same Dick Tracy who is exciting Carrie up in Caribou.

But papers like the *Sentinel* have something no big paper has: the intimate news of a small neighborhood. It makes up for the "big stuff" it does not have by carrying the "little stuff" which is the heart of the people: their small meetings, their favorite projects, their weddings and farewells.

"What Is a Newspaper?"

What, the little girl asked, is a newspaper?

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It's paper with words and pictures on it.

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It is made up of a lot of people, including ourselves.

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It's a big event and a little event, about folks far away and folks next door.

It's happiness and tragedy, a laugh, a cry and a song that's heard again.

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It's government, from the President to Congress, from the governor to the legislature, from the mayor to the city council, and all their branches—with a quizzical fellow looking over their shoulders.

It's a policeman, a fireman and others in dangerous jobs.

It's business, it's industry; it's a front window for merchants to display their goods. It's an ad for a lost dog.

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It's a record of what happened to people, of who did what, when, where and why.

It's a description of a bride's dress; it's a newly-married couple looking for an apartment.

It's a welcome to a new pastor, a church dedication, a farewell to someone retiring after long service.

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It's a home run, a long pass, a team's box score, a well-rolled bowling game.

It's a hint or a recipe, a plan for home improvement, a bit of advice for someone who's troubled.

It's the first snow, awakening spring, the hottest day of the year and an autumn day with edges as crisp as the fallen leaves.

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It's about a youngster, scuffling to and from school, and about the things he learns and does with his teachers.

It's about playgrounds and vacations, and places to go and how to get there.

It's the summer fishin' hole and the beach; it's just lazin' around.

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It's growth and it's progress, new products and old standbys.

It's professional help and service; it's a note on what hospitals and clinics do.

It's a bulletin for a church, a temple, a synagogue.

It's a note on a veteran's organization, a service club, an afternoon tea.

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It's writing that is not always literary, but it's the language people speak, because much of it is what people said.

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It's a pressman in a funny paper hat, a printer deftly putting type together, an advertising salesman showing a merchant how to tell his story, a reporter busy at a typewriter, a deskman reading copy and writing headlines, a photographer trying for one more shot. It's a newsboy whistling up the street.

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It's a mirror of life, a part of life, as essential as the clock and the calendar.

It's paper with words and pictures on it.

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While We're In The Mood,
"What Is An Apple?"

Kid also mailed another article he found in a recent *Greenfield Recorder-Gazette.* It comes from a "Hill-Top Housewife" column written by Hazel B. Corliss. This one explains "What Is An Apple?" and was sent to that column by Mrs. Helen Clark, of Clarkdale Farm, West Deerfield.

It sounds good to me, too! Folks like Harold Peck and Sid Wheeler could probably add details.

"It's what small boys shinny up trees after — and when one fell down on an Englishman's head several centuries ago, it led to Newton's law of gravity and a new age of science. It tells teacher she's 'favorite' — and its blossoms tell poets and song writers and young lovers it's Spring. An apple is cider sauce, butter, dumplings, pie and pan dowdy — and about 90 calories. It gets bartered for, begged for, and bobbed for — sliced, diced, sealed, peeled and 'polished'. It gets cooked, candied and carameled — but mostly, just plain chawed and chomped on.

"It goes into bushel baskets and picnic baskets—lunch boxes, sacks and fruit stand racks — and into policemen's pockets. It keeps the doctor away — and brings kids in from play — and shows up in their cheeks. An apple is as old as Adam — yet it's always news when the 'Crops's in'. And when it's the New England crop, that's exciting news — to the whole apple-loving world!"

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"To stay young, associate with young people. To get old in a hurry, try keeping up with them."—*Today's Chuckle—Daily Paper*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Union Grange observed Halloween with a supper, entertainment and dancing. "The House That Jack Built" was presented by a series of illustrated readings.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Belchertown Historical Association, Mrs. Curtis, the custodian, reported that 602 visitors had registered during the season, and that they came from 17 different states.

The Masonic Club gave a supper in honor of R. E. Fairchild's 75th birthday.

Israle Towne Cowles, a native of the town, died at Detroit at the age of 69. Though he lived here only a few years, he was identified with the life of the town, and was often a public benefactor.

Miss Elsie Shattuck was elected President of the P.T.A. Belding F. Jackson was elected Commander of the American Legion.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Curtis blacksmith shop on So. Main St. is being dismantled, and thus an old landmark passes. It was originally owned by Israel Cowles. Alanson Curtis purchased it in 1858. Herbert F. Curtis his son succeeding him. It was last used by Bertram E. Shaw and Fred L. Nooney.

Miss Hanorah Sears, a resident of the town for many years, died at the age of 78.

TEN YEARS AGO

Rep. Isaac A. Hodgen was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Lions Club. He spoke on the workings of the legislature, and answered many questions.

Governor Herter and his official staff, including John Heselton, U.S. Representative, and Isaac A. Hodgen, state Representative, were greeted at Memorial Hall. They personally called on Guy C. Allen, Sr. at his home.

The *Steeple* thanks Dame Nature for the very nice fall.

Fr. H. Labrecque, O.M.I. writes of the tragic events at his station in Natal, South Africa.

QUABBIN HEAD HONORED

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preceded him. He went to Enfield in 1932. He surely has been in charge of "grounds, buildings and transportation."

After all the kind things said and done (he was given a 3-piece luggage set and money for a camera), Roy in a few brief words (he didn't have time to prepare much, you know) acknowledged most appreciatively all that the good friends had done for him. One thing that threw him off balance, of course, was that the party was put on about a month before actual retirement.

Probably Roy will thrive well on retirement. His genial nature and optimistic outlook ought to make him good for another hundred years.

It was a full evening, what with dinner, testimonials and floor show, and will be long remembered.

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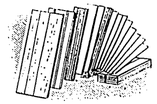

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

The Volunteer office has been a busy place this week with the co-ordinators of various groups dropping in with members of their committees to plan the winter activities. Miss Joan O'Brien, Director of Jr. Red Cross in Springfield, brought her new Council members to see the school and find out just what was needed in the way of supplies. Mt. Holyoke girls are back at Teen-Age Canteen and the Officers' Wives' Club of Westover have been Birthday wrapping. Christmas wrapping and taking Nursery age children to the Westover Room for organized play periods. In addition, they have completed plans for the big Christmas Party to be held at the Base on December 14th.

We are all looking forward to the Variety Show to be given this coming Sunday nite in the Auditorium by the Our Lady of the Sacred Heart group in Springfield. More about that later.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, October 28, two new records were set. The Salvage team rolled a new high three for the season with 1548, and Jake Bodzinski took 2nd high three strings with 359. The team results are as follows: Independents 6, Cooks 0; Coles 6, American Legion 0; Henneman's 6, Park Lane 0; Salvage 5, B. S. S. 1; Turkey Hill 4, Jackson's 2; Reece 4, Jabish Brook 2; Hilltoppers 4, Gates 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Independents	38	10	11,846
Jackson's	38	10	11,611
Henneman's	37	11	11,913
Turkey Hill	32	16	11,481
Reece	28	20	11,353
Salvage	27	21	11,543
Cook's	25	23	11,369
Hilltoppers	24	24	11,363
Jabish Brook	22	26	11,374
Gates	20	28	11,096
Cole's	16	32	10,935
B. S. S.	15	33	10,386
Park Lane	12	36	11,149
American Legion	2	46	10,138

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	B. Terry, 139
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	J. Bodzinski, 359
Team High Single	Henneman's, 550
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,548

110 Club—K. Rhodes, 120; J. Coty, 114; J. Rush, 116; R. Dana, 115; P. Adzima, 112; J. Yanginski, 114; C. Robinson, Jr., 116; G. Vadnais, 119; W. Terry, 116; D. Pratt, 113; A. Henneman, 127; D. Perham, 110; R. Lapointe, 124; G. Leclerc, 113; T. Pereira, 122; J. Tolpa, Sr., 112, 126; J. Bodzinski, 127, 132; D. Judkins, 123; W. Lynch, 123; E. Lowe, 122; D. Barrett, 116; D. Cowher, 112; R. Hawkins, 116, 117; H. Goodrow, 123; R. Reece, 110; L. Small, 112; P. Chlebus, 126; W. Dickinson, 127; and P. Menard, 131.

310 Club—K. Rhodes, 319; C. Robinson, Jr., 327; A. Henneman, 314; D. Pratt, 313; T. Pereira, 323; G. Leclerc, 316; J. Tolpa, Sr., 341; J Bodzinski, 359; E. Lowe, 326; H. Main, 322; R. Reece, 320; and P. Chlebus, 333.

Next Week's Matches—

Salvage vs. Henneman's
Gates vs. Reece
Jackson's vs. Independents
Coles vs. Hilltoppers
Amer. Legion vs. Park Lane
Turkey Hill vs. B. S. S.
Jabish Brook vs. Cook's

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Bowling on October 24th brought the following results: Pin Pickers 8, Chadson Gals 0; Gay Rollers 8, Pin Spinners 0; Crystals 8, Nite Outers 0; Congo's 8, Outskirters 0; Jolly "5" 6, King Pins 2; Roll-a-ways 6, Harmony Five 2; and Hit or Miss 6, Bowlaires 2.

Season Records

Team High Three	Jolly "5", 1,317
Team High Game	King Pins, 455
High Three	Esther Pierce, 282
2nd High Three	Carol Gagne, 275
High Single	Esther Pierce, 106
2nd High Single	Joan Perham, 105

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	48	8	9025
Crystals	42	14	8665
Roll-a-ways	40	16	8828
Congo's	40	16	8714
Jolly "5"	38	18	8836
Gay Rollers	36	20	8813
Hit or Miss	30	26	8602
Harmony Five	28	28	8184
Chadson Gals	25	31	8260
King Pins	18	38	8376
Pin Spinners	18	38	7919
Nite Outers	12	44	7900
Outskirters	9	47	8190
Bowl-aires	8	48	8204

—Ruth Dowd, Secretary

BIRTHS

Warren and Ruth (Trombly) Mundell of Shea Avenue, are the parents of a son born Saturday, October 26 at the Mary Lane Hospital, Ware.

A daughter, Cheryl Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Joyal of Maple Street on Monday, October 28, at the Mary Lane Hospital, Ware.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Joyal of Maple Street. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Swanson of Richmond, New Hampshire. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kane of Hinsdale, New Hampshire.

COLD SPRING SCHOOL NOTES

Mrs. Mary Avery, a sixth grade teacher at Cold Spring School attended a workshop on 6th thru 8th grade level reading at the Greenfield High School on Monday, October 28. The workshop was held in connection with the Franklin County Teachers' Convention.

Reading machines, principally the Tachistoscope, were shown, and they were utilized in a demonstration class. On hand for participants in the workshop were large quantities of the latest textbooks and teaching aids.

We made note in last week's paper of the appointment of Mr. Alan Hurlburt, a sixth grade teacher at Cold Spring School as assisting basketball coach for the high school basketball squads. Mr. Hurlburt is a graduate of St. Anslem's College, and Westfied State College where he was a member of the various sports teams, including basketball.

Parents are asked: To call for their children *in* the building at Mr. Dell's office when their children will not be going home by bus after having informed the principal at an earlier time. When picking up your children, you are asked to keep the bus loading area clear. It is the hope, too, that parents would not allow their children to ride bikes to school on foggy mornings.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The Garden Club will meet Thursday, November 7th at 2 p. m. in Grange Hall. There will be a film entitled "Holiday with Flowers." Hostesses will be Mrs. Howard Shirtcliff, Mrs. Alice Lofland and Mrs. Donald Towne. The business meeting will follow this film.

The club has received an invitation from the Wilbraham Garden Club to a meeting on November 6th at 1 p. m. at the Polish-American Veterans Club House, 28 Stony Hill Rd. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Lucien Taylor of Dover, Mass., who will present a talk, "Year Round Satisfaction from your Garden." Mrs. Taylor is President of the New England Wild Flower Society, a lecturer and teacher. There will be a guest fee of 75 cents.

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— ALL SAINTS' DAY —

First Friday In November

Today, All Saints' Day, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Services:

Masses at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m in the church. Mass at the State School at 7.15 a. m. Confessions before the evening mass. 6.15 to 6.45.

Parishioners are reminded that meat *may* be taken on this Friday, All Saints' Day as often as desired.

— ALL SOULS' DAY —

Masses on All Souls' Day, Saturday, November 2 will be at 7.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Your All Souls offering should be placed in the envelopes provided in your boxes, or a regular envelope you might have. Write the name or names of the departed on the envelope and hand it in at any of the Masses today or tomorrow.

A plenary indulgence may be gained with each visit to a church (on Saturday, All Souls' Day) and saying six "Our Fathers", six "Hail Marys", and six "Glorias". These indulgences may be applied to the souls in purgatory.

— SUNDAY —

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Philippians 1, 6-11. The Epistle of St. Paul the apostle to the Philippians.

Gospel—Matt. 22, 15-21. (Christ states it is lawful to give tribute to Caesar).

Catechism classes will be held Sunday immediately following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptisms at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— RELEASED TIME —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, November 7. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls.

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Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship Sacrament of Holy Communion Meditation by the Pastor.
6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship. Miss Linda Martin will lead the discussion on the Aspirin Age.
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet.
7.30 p. m. The Service of Evensong will for this Sunday only be transported to the Bondsville Methodist Church, where the Belchertown-Ware Area Churches will worship. This service is held the first Sunday evening of each month. All are welcome, but those requiring a ride will need to be at the church early—by 7 p. m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4
7.30 p. m. The final session of the 1963 School for Christian Workers.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the Pastor's Study.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6
8 p. m. The Mid-week service in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7
7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry.
3.30 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8
7.30 p. m. Missionary Group of W. S. C. S. with Mrs. Albert Dzuris.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9
The annual Church Bazaar will be held in the Vestry and the Educational Building, starting at 10 a. m.
Tea and coffee served during the day.
Men's Club supper from 5 to 7. Adults, $1, children 75 cents.

TOWN ITEMS

David White has resigned from the Planning Board.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Robert F. Berkey has chosen as his Communion Meditation Sunday morning, "In the Body of Christ."

Fellowships

Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship meets Sunday evening at 5.30.

Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship meets Sunday evening at 7.

Stewardship Sunday

Sunday is Stewardship Sunday. Pledges may be left on the offering plates during the worship service. Visitors will call at homes from which there has been no response, on Sunday, November 10th.

Friendly Service

Friendly Service will hold a work meeting on Wednesday at 10.30. Ladies are invited to bring their lunch, with coffee being provided.

Public Supper

There will be another in the series of public suppers served by the Guild on Friday evening, November 15, with Mrs. Roy Cunningham and Mrs. Edward Rice as co-chairmen.

Guild Song Recital

On November 20th the Guild will present the Rev. William Paris in a song recital in the church sanctuary. This meeting will be open to all parish members. Mr. Paris sang here in May and was very excellent.

Carillon

Articles for the November issue of The Carillon *must* be sent to Mrs. Edward Rogers by November 7th at the latest.

C. W. C. SPONSORS BENEFIT

The Elks Choral Group will perform on Wednesday, November 13 at 8.30 p. m. in Memorial Hall, sponsored by the Catholic Women's Club of St. Francis Church. The male choral group, which also features a female singer and some instrumental numbers, has volunteered their services free of charge for this program. The entire proceeds will be donated to John Eskett, a ten year-old student at the Main Street School, who was recently a patient at a Boston hospital.

The donation is $1.00. Tickets are available now at the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank and Jackson's Store. They will also be sold at the door.

Because the Elks have so kindly agreed to support this benefit, it is hoped that all townspeople will make an effort to attend.

ELMER MIDDLEMAST

Elmer L. Middlemast, 58, of Ludlow Rd., died Monday in Wing Memorial Hospital, Palmer. He was born in Frankle, N. Y., March 12, 1905, son of Thomas and Nellie (Saunders) Middlemast.

He had lived here 20 years and was employed as a first class engineer at the Belchertown State School for 17 years.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Springfield Branch. He was an active elder in the church, as well as clerk for the president and chairman of the building fund committee.

Besides his mother and father of Delhi, N. Y., he leaves his wife, the former Eleanor L. Snow; a son, Thomas L.; a daughter, Janet L., both at home; a brother, Ferris, of Oneonta, N. Y.

The funeral was yesterday at 3 in the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Springfield.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Den 6 made some noise makers. Then we had hot chocolate and cake. Then we played two games with Den 5.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

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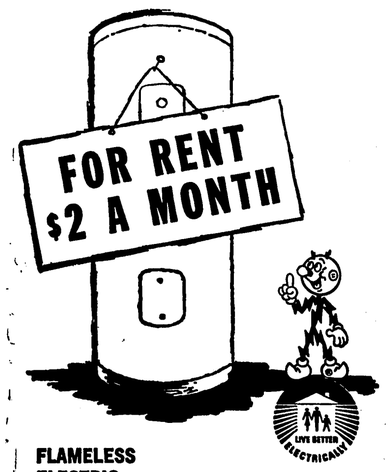

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TOURS SOUTHERN EUROPE

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our car. Everyone in Venice must go through town by Gondola. There just aren't any roads available. An all-night drive brought us down to Bari, where we freshened up and took a swim in the Adriatic—salty, and as blue as can be. Then it was only a short trip to Brindisi and the ferry-boat to Greece. Our passage cost us $20.00 apiece, which I thougnt exorbitant; $11.00 for ourselves and the rest for the car. The ride was lovely though, and we met several other Americans on the boat—including a salesman for Esso Oil, who was on an all-expense paid trip for business purposes. What a deal! He knew he had it good, although we had to brow-beat him into admitting it.

Igumenitsu was our docking station. From there we drove all day to get to Patras, travelling over winding mountain roads, with great flat stretches that seemed like deserts also encountered. Patras, also a port town, was large and lively, but offered us no touring attractions. We spent the night there and pushed on early the next morning for Athens. Here is a city one cannot forget!

As you enter from the West, you come down a wide boulevard, cutting its way downhill into the city. The Acropolis is visible in the center of the city and stood above the rest of the city, and stands above it—a monument to its ancient culture.

Most of the streets in town are new and are well cleaned, which no doubt, helps to attract a person's eye to begin with, and yet there is much more. Nearly everywhere in the heart of the city you will see new buildings, large and modern, contrasting the archaic with the new. Athens' many museums are full of relics and many shops offer small genuine trophies to the tourist who has the desire and the money to buy them.

The Acropolis is quite impressive from far away, but completely overpowering when you get to it. How in Heaven they ever built such a massive monument of stone as the Parthenon, I can't understand. It's tremendous—and all of marble—so you can guess what it could weigh. I took pictures of about everything here and bought a tourist guide book to augment my stories when I try to recall how and what everything was.

The beaches in Athens were perhaps the place I enjoyed more than any other. Swimming in the Mediterranean in August, when the temperatures are close to 100° F, is not like what we (*New Englanders*) experience in our cold North Atlantic waters. The water is just cool enough to be refreshing and swimming in the sheltered coves is as easy as swimming Lake Arcadia, with frogs-feet. The high salt content in the water holds you up so much that the only movements you really need are those to move forward, and long distances seem to require no real effort. In the morning (we had slept on the beach in sleeping bags) we took a wake-up dip before starting out on the activities we had planned.

— to be continued —

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MASONIC INSTALLATION

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There was the usual presentation of pins and aprons; and felicitations were tendered by many present, including the masters of all the Lodges in the 19th District.

Retiring Master Grover thanked all those who had cooperated through the years—fellow members, the Star, the DeMolay, the Rainbow for Girls, etc.

It's always a great night for the incoming master (in this case, Francis Bradley), and his family, many relatives being present and duly presented.

A collation followed in the Lodge rooms, served by the Star ladies.

OREGON CONVENTION

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The Theme for the convention, which was held at the Sheraton Motor Inn in Portland, was "Opening the door to '64". There were speeches, round-table discussions, lectures, and question and answer sessions for those attending.

While at the convention, they were able to visit her relatives in Portland, and later made a side trip to visit Los Angeles, California.

JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS

The following have been chosen cheer leaders for the 1963-64 season:

Loretta Opalenik, Martha Hennoman, Pat Theroux, Pauline Lemire, Estelle Szydlowski and Marguerite Brennen.

Substitutes: Marie Malmstedt and Cindy Brougham.

These were chosen Tuesday, October 29, by last year's Senior High cheerleaders.

Mrs. Card is the advisor for the Junior High girls.

BAZAAR IN RHYME

All of our people have worked very
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Our tea table is ready from 10 to 4,
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goodies galore.
This year each apron is hung on a
wheel
To give them all greater eye appeal.
We have all knitted and crocheted
and served,
And painted and pasted, and beaded
and bowed
To make our fancy work table glow—
So come and enjoy it, rain or snow.
We have "Attic Treasures" and "Almost New,"
And the best of both, I'm telling you!
We haven't forgotten our fish pond,
you know;
How can we when the kids love it so?
The dining room doors will open at
five
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Alive,
Seventy-five cents for kids—$1 for
Mom or Dad,
For the best meat loaf supper you ever had!
It's November nine, now circle the
date,
Plan to be with us and don't be late.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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and its pipes, wires, etc.. Perhaps the progress most evident to each visitor to the site is the completed steel frame of the south wing of the building. It is evident, too, that the grading of the site is completed, and the grounds, including the athletic areas, are seeded—indication perhaps that the playing fields will be ready before the building is.

This building is the third "Belchertown High School", and is the biggest to date, though the first was perhaps higher as shown by old post-cards of it. This new structure is quite in contrast with the one now up for sale at Dwight, or the little red schoolhouse located down near the Dudek farm in the southern part of town (which looks just as if it were taken from a *Post* magazine cover by Norman Rockwell!)

The one-room schools are no longer in use here; vacant for many years now, gone the way of the trolley, and the steam engine. Those were the days when the heating "plant" consisted of a student-fed pot bellied stove—and the water system, well it just wasn't!

HEAVY DUTY DUMP TRUCK TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN

The Town of Belchertown, Massachusetts will receive sealed proposals endorsed "Proposal for Dump Truck, Highway Department," at the Selectmen's Room at 8:00 P. M., November 14, 1963. Proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time.

The proposal must be in compliance with the following general specifications, and any exceptions from these specifications should be clearly indicated. The Town of Belchertown reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals and to award the order in the best interest of the Town.

SPECIFICATIONS—1-1964 TRUCK

1. Gross Vehicle Weight — 27,000 lbs. minimum.
2. Wheelbase—140" approx. with 72" CA distance.
3. Engine—6 or 8 cylinder, 360 cu. inch piston displacement minimum, 150 H. P. minimum.
4. Clutch—Minimum 12"
5. Transmission—Heavy Duty 5-speed transmission, direct in 5th Rockwell or Timken or equal.
6. Springs—H. D. Rears Springs with helpers.—H. D. front springs.
7. Wheels—10-Stud, Budd type wheels, 1 spare wheel.
8. Tires—6 - 10.00 x 20, 12 ply tires and tubes, rear tires, nylon road-lug type.
9. Axles—Front, 9,000 lb. capacity —Rear, 22,000 lb. capacity.
10. Electrical System—12 volt system, 120 amp. hr. battery with 40 amp. generator.
11. Cab—2/3 Cab shield — 40 gal. gasoline tank with built-in step on right side; construction type step on left side.
12. Equipment—Dual electric 2-speed wipers, heater and defroster, right and left outside rear view mirrors (Western Type—Non Glare), Directional signals with simultaneous flasher, grab handles, tow hooks front, tow loop rear, standard tool kit, 5 lights (Amber) on cab roof. Rear splash pads.
13. Body and Hoist (8 guage)—7 ft. x 9 ft. dump body, 4 x 6 yard capacity, Class 9 hoist operated from P. T. O. Body equipped with head board and sand opening in tailgate. Garwood or equal.
14. Color—Highway Equipment—RED.
15. Lettering—Left and right hand doors, 3" letters.
16. Upholstery—Heavy duty seat upholstery.
17. With Spreader chain.
18. —No trade-in vehicle.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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Amendment to the Zoning Map adopted at the Special Town Meeting held July 22, 1963:

Article 3—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of the town of Belchertown, by changing from Agricultural District to Business District, the property (land) owned by Lewis Slate at the junction of Barrett and North Liberty Streets, as shown on the Zoning Map on display.

(Votckl—Unanimous YES)

Boston, Massachusetts
October 16, 1963

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is thereby approved.

Signed. Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Legal adv. Oct. 25,
Nov. 1 & 8

LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook # B-1779 issued by said bank to Fernando J. Forest and Ida Y. Forest, it being claimed that said book has been lost or destroyed.

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AMHERST NATURE CLUB

The Amherst Nature Club will attend the Audubon International Exhibition of Nature Photography, shown by Leslie A. Campbell of Belchertown, at the Student Union Ballroom, University of Mass. at 8 p. m. Saturday, November 9th. This is in place of the usual second Tuesday at Skinner Auditorium.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Capt. & Mrs. Robert Hankins, their property on Daniel Square to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson of Amherst, who have already taken possession. Mr. Johnson is an engineer with the Lane Construction Company. Capt. Hankins has been transferred to South Dakota.

BUSY WEEK-END

George Suhm had a busy weekend. He accompanied a group of foreign students from Amherst to the Governor's dinner last Friday, and was one of four to eat at the table with the Governor.

On Saturday he had a special invitation to the ground-breaking ceremonies at the Robert Frost Library speaking with the president.

FARM TRIP

The visit of the 1st and 2nd graders to two of our farms to acquaint them with farm practices certainly intrigued us. We can remember when Belchertown was a farming community and there were at least two cows in every garage, or what are now that, and the youngster who didn't know about cows didn't know about much of anything, and here we are running sight-seeing trips to see them.

But such is life. It could be that with instruction by radio, television and all the other visual aids, teachers will become more and more obsolete, so that bus trips will be planned somewhere so that the kids can be reminded of what ye olde tyme school teacher used to look like.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Five tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Executive Committee; G. Wenzel, N. Judkins. Prize winners were: 1st, A. H. Powers, W. DeFord, Fred H. Fuller, Frank Szczepanski; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jenks, Rose Canawan, Howard Judkins; 3rd, Herbert West, Eva West, Florence Damon, Celia Jenks; door, Frank Szczepanski, W. DeFord.

This week's party will be in charge of the Youth Committee; G. Stillings, H. Eskett, R. Dodge, and F. Davis.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Salisbury Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Veterans' Day Exercises, Parade forming at Cold Spring School at 9.45 a. m.

TUESDAY

Home Department at 2.30 p. m.
Lions Club.
Ladies Aid at Dwight Chapel at 8.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.
Elks Choral Group sponsored by Catholic Women's Club in Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.
Womens' Guild Public Supper in the Congregational Parish House.

SATURDAY

Food, Faith & Fun at Meth. Church.
Policemen's Ball.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Color Camera Club at Cold Spring School at 7.45 p. m.

AROUND OUR TOWN

On a number of occasions, this column has written of the improvements made to existing business establishments here in town—and this week we do so again. Perhaps the most interesting one thus far, we concern ourselves this week, with the migrations of Marguerite's Shoppe, which is now quartered in the former Hopkins Store on Main Street.

Back in July of 1956, Mrs. Harvey Lincourt opened the first Marguerite's Shoppe in a remodeled barn set in from the street near the St. Francis Rectory and owned by Mrs. Annie French. She carried on here until the early part of 1960, when she moved

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PUBLIC SUPPER

A public supper will be served by the Women's Guild on Friday evening, November 15th, at 6.30. Meat and fish casseroles, tossed salad and cakes will be featured. Prices, 99c and 50c. Co-chairmen are Mrs. Roy Cunningham and Mrs. Edwin Rice. A large crowd is expected, due to the visit of the Walpole young people.

Missionary Group of WSCS with Mrs. Albert Dzuris.

Hootenanny, Sponsored by P. T. A., in Old Town Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.

TOMORROW

Bazaar at Methodist Church at 10 a. m. Men's Club Public Supper from 5 to 7 p. m.
Jaycee Doll Drive.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Nov. 18
Catholic Women's Club (change of date). Speaker, Miss Marion Wray.

Nov. 23
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.

Nov. 29
Police Association Record Hop.
Jaycee Charter Night at Robin Lodge.

Nov. 30
Belchertown Jr. Chamber Charter Night at Robin Farm Lodge.
Square Dance Club Pot-Luck Supper at Legion Hall.

Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.

Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

CALL FOR HELP!

My name is Jimmy Olson, and although I am four years old, I am not able to walk or even crawl. I was born brain-damaged. There used to be nothing that could be done for children like me, but today there is hope, as well as real progress in this field.

Another part of my brain must be trained to take over the functions of the parts that are damaged. This can be done by putting me through exercises called "patterning." If you could read an article called "Back to Babyhood" in the August 23rd issue of Life Magazine, you would understand better.

It takes three people to work with me each time this is done, and I need to be exercised a minimum of four times every day. My big brothers, Mom and Dad, can manage part of the time, but when Mom is alone during the day, I cannot be "patterned."

If you feel you could spare the time to help me (It takes only 7 minutes to do the actual exercise), would you please call my Mom at 283-3729. I live on Shea Avenue, Belchertown.

—Jimmy

RECORD HOP

The Police Association announces that it is sponsoring a record hop on Friday, November 29 from 8 to 11 p. m. The disc-jockey will be Bob Allen. Tickets are 75 cents, which includes refreshments.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Belchertown Square Dance Club will be dancing at Memorial Hall, Saturday, November 9, with John Alden calling. Host and hostess for the evening will be Pete and Bev Carpenter.

Refreshment committee will be Dave and Loretta Pannaccione, chairman; Lewis and Loretta Slate; Frank and Claire Nute; and Clarence and Gloria Tetrault.

OPEN HOUSE

The Belchertown Elementary Schools will conduct Open House at the respective schools here in town next week in conjunction with American Education Week (Nov. 5-11).

Starting with the Cold Spring School, the open house will be held there on Tuesday, November 12, from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m.; on Wednesday at the Main Street School from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m.; and on Friday at the Franklin School, the same hours as above.

Parents are reminded that the pur-

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VETERANS' DAY

Commander Frank Goodrow announces that the annual Veterans' Day parade will be held on Monday, November 11, at 9.45 a. m. Again this year the parade will form at Cold Spring School, and move to the war memorial on the common, where wreaths and flowers will be placed in honor of the war dead from town.

Commander Goodrow asks that all marching units be at the School by 9.30 to form for the 9.45 starting time. Order of march:

Color Guard
Firing Squad
Legionnaires and Auxiliary
Selectmen
School Band
Baton Twirlers
Girl Scouts and Brownies
Cub Scouts
Boy Scouts
State School Girl Scouts
State School Boy Scouts

LAST CALL FOR METHODIST BAZAAR

Come early Saturday, and do your Christmas shopping, and plan to meet your friends in our tea-room.

We have articles brand new, almost new, and definitely old. We are especially proud of our plant display this year, featuring both growing ones and dried arrangements.

Our food table will have its usual variety, ranging from breads through desserts and candy.

There will be popcorn and a fish pond for the kiddies, and a delicious meat loaf supper starting with a serving at 5 o'clock. Don't miss it!

HOOTENANNY

A Hootenanny will be held Friday evening from 8 to 11 at the Old Town Hall, sponsored by the P. T. A. for the benefit of the scholarship fund.

Those attending are asked to wear sneakers and dress casually.

Seven groups of performers, who have donated their services, have been scheduled, including the Michaels Brothers, Barbara Zinck, Alisa Damon, sophomores at Mount Holyoke College, Bob and Joanne, The Valley Four, The Checkmates, Mrs. Bertha Loftus, and Bruce Barrett, with James O'Leary, high school coach, serving as M. C.

Refreshments will be served during intermission.

The committee in charge includes Mrs. Chester Pinkos, Mrs. Ray Reece, Mrs. James Nolan, Mrs. Walter Leja, Frank Leja, and 11th grade student did the advertising. Joanne and Christine Gould will be in charge of tickets.

CHURCH GROUPS TO HEAR NURSE

Mrs. James E. Davin, Chairman of the Program Committee for the Belchertown Catholic Women's Club, has announced the speaker for the November 18th meeting; Miss Marion Wray, Consultant Nurse for the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. Miss Wray will explain the functions of a public health nurse and the value of a public health nursing service for Belchertown people. She will illustrate her talk with films.

Local interest in securing a public health nurse for our Town is not a recent thing. Increasingly over the years registered nurses with full time positions of their own or with families to take care of, have been called upon to render nursing service to the sick in their homes. They have given generously of their time but realize this is a community problem, not theirs alone to solve.

In 1961 the Federal Government, concerned with the unmet health needs of the chronically ill and aged persons in the Nation, passed the "Community Facilities Act." This Act makes funds available to States, and through the States, to local communities to help set up essential health services to meet this need, the public health nurse program is one.

Last year a special committee appointed by the Belchertown Board of

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LIONS' HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Lions Club put on another of its famous Halloween parties at Memorial Hall last week Thursday night, Dr. Samuel Berger being master of ceremonies. There was no outdoor parade, but the youngsters paraded around the hall, as usual, and they were the customary motley lot.

Costume winners were: Susan Dell, most original; Catherine Loughlin, prettiest; and Sandra Dell, funniest in the 1-6 age group. In the 7-10 age group, Peter Minkley won funniest; David Rogers, most original; and Sheree and Kathy Loftus, the prettiest. Two special prizes were awarded in this age group to Kathy Dyer and James Towne. In the contest for children over 11, Christine Couture won the most original; Kenneth Dorey, funniest; and Linda Nolan, prettiest.

There was the usual liberal distribution of prizes.

The judges were five ladies from Ware, chairmaned, as last year, by Mrs. Gervais, who formerly taught here.

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The Steeple Soliloquizes

Something There Has Been That Doesn't Love Pickets!

Last week a skidding automobile removed some twenty-five feet of the beautiful white picket fence which adds so much to the attractiveness of the Stone House on Maple Street.

Knowing the loving care which a number of local people give to the grounds at that place, I am sure the fence will be repaired and replaced. Along with the fence at the Tremaine home next door, this genuine specimen of early-century Americana has become almost unique in this town.

Just how many picket fences are still in existence in Belchertown I do not know, and I am not in the mood this chill and rainy Saturday to go out for a survey. Suffice it to say, there are very few, and almost no one adds such a fence to his newly-constructed home in the Sixties. We are "going in" for the rail fence now, of various types, which *suggest* a barrier rather than actually raise one.

In my boyhood, many picket fences, usually white and seldom encumbered with vines or shrubs, added a protected and pure appearance to any property they surrounded, as long as they were kept painted and repaired. They "went with" parasoled ladies in white, with front porches, and with lawn swings. In disrepair, they made a tramp out of any place faster than almost any other sort of neglect.

They really did keep intruders, canine (unless pint-sized) or human, in their places as long as the gates (also picket) were kept latched and the fence went all the way round.

I have always admired a good picket fence, yet I have always been glad that the one which in olden times went across the front and down the driveway of our home here on South Main Street has been long gone. Our front steps still show the borings where the corner posts were set into the granite. What a job it would be taking care of that fence! Painting and repairing it, picket by picket, would consume endless hours. Hired done, the upkeep cost would be tremendous at present wage rates.

Yet the picket fence did something for tidiness and "New England town atmosphere" that no substitute can equal. The Bicentennial Booklet, published here two years ago, will give you some idea. The "Dwight House", at the corner of South Main and Maple, had a lovely fence with rectangular corner columns. There were fences at the end of Wallace Hardware, at the Ridenour House on Main Street, at the Harrington House on Park Street, all of which show a little in the booklet. There were many, many more.

Kids have always been natural foes of fences, and they were mortal enemies of the picket variety. These barriers were a challenge to all young climbers: high enough to be difficult, low enough to fall from with some safety. Loose pickets were a sore temptation. The rough element could remove them and use them to whack each other on the way home from a church social.

One of the nicest night noises imaginable in the quieter era before the advent of the Klaxon horn and the motor exhaust, could be made by dragging a stick (a removed picket would do very well(along the entire length of a picket fence. It was positively whacky! The gates in these fences were useful for nocturnal mischief, and were transplanted to porch roofs on occasion. Young lovers could swing on the gates while waiting for a sweetheart to come out for a sliding party or go into the house after a dance. Picket gates usually sagged most in front of houses where there were kids.

If you were athletic, you could jump over these fences. Seems to me I've mentioned in this column the time my friend Bill Bridgman jumped that picket fence once standing between the Old Town Hall and Bill's home next door. He miscalculated somehow and landed on a picket—seat down.

So the picket fence, like its less lovely fellow, the board walk, has come and prospered in our towns, and then gradually rotted away. They will always be found here in New England, though, as antiquarians restore them to their old surroundings, or as architects return to their lovely simplicity in one way or another.

Their upkeep will continue to be more difficult than their downthrow. "Something there is—".

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How Much Of a Problem Is "High-School Drinking"?

Every once in a while some friend or another will ask me: "How much drinking is going on among high school kids?" He is referring, of course, to that sort of drink that is not allowed to touch the lips of the folks in TV advertisements.

When I tell him that as far as I can judge from my own contacts with kids there is no observable drinking, I sometimes think that he feels I am either near-sighted or plain silly.

However, I must confine myself to what I know. At the school dances, at the games, and certainly within the school day itself, there is no sign of alcholic consumption, unless it may show in bad temper, listlessness, or some other common ailment with which most children and adults are afflicted at one time or other, and could be at times a form of hangover.

If there is a "kid code" it must contain a "Never where the teachers are" clause.

Smoking is another matter. We have a lot of it all the time. We punish the offenders when we find them, and wish we could come to some sensible solution of the problem.

There are lots of rumors about drinking among kids, as you probably know. You hear them in Belchertown, too. These rumors touch Hallowe'en celebrations, graduation parties, trips—and so on. There is considerable talk around for a little while. The smoke fails to show flame, and all is quiet again.

If high-school kids are doing much drinking, they must be doing it on their own time. Parents do well to keep track of their youngsters, their activities and whereabouts. They also do well to set a good example for kids to follow. Charity is not the only thing that begins at home.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"When I play with my cat, who knows but that she regards me more as a plaything than I do her,"—

Montaigne

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Four separate Halloween parties were held at the State School. The entertainment was different in each place, but "ducking for apples" found its way into all groups.

The old town clock of late has been silent. Four times the past week the caretaker did his best to get the clock to run, but only for a short space of time. The incoming board of selectmen have been asked to investigate the clock and make recommendations to the town at the annual meeting only two months away. There is a general feeling that the clock is beyond repair. (Scialla must say Ha! Ha!)

At a special town meeting by a vote of 43 to 36 the town was divided into two precincts.

It is being urged by many that the pumping outfit could be a valuable protection if it was attached to hydrants. The argument is: "Of what use is the ample supply of water if we do not have the right equipment to attach to it?"

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

A crew of 150 men are at work burning brush and taking care of fire hazards on twelve different locations in town. The grounds around Lake Metacomet have been cared for, thus removing the fire hazard from about 25 cottages. J. H. Cook, fire warden, hopes the people will be patient about clearing the highways, stating they will be cared for after the center is cleared.

Dr. G. E. McPherson, Herman C. Knight and Belding F. Jackson have donated several local hurricane pictures to the Stone House.

Everett A. Geer, Jr. has recently been appointed to the office of General Motors Co., Bridgeport, Conn.

TEN YEARS AGO

Between 250 and 300 children were at Memorial Hall for a Halloween party given by the Lions Club. Favors were passed to the children as they entered. There was a grand parade, prizes were awarded, Movies followed and then cake and ice cream were served. The older ones engaged in the closing event, dancing.

The Women's Guild have on sale Holiday cards with pen and ink sketch done by Miss Marjorie Jackson.

CHURCH GROUPS TO HEAR NURSE SPEAK

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Health discovered that this town has 1,444 or 28 per cent of its population, who are middle-aged or aged. This information is particularly meaningful when we consider that the daily census of a general hospital reveals that well over 60 per cent of its patients are middle-aged or older. With retirement, incomes drop, and sometimes even cease. This makes hospitalization an expensive proposition. A hospital bed costs $35.00 a day, and the cost still climbs. Many aged and chronically ill persons remain comfortably at home in those communities which provide public health nursing to its citizens.

Realizing that the other Church groups in town were equally interested in the care of the sick, the St. Francis C. W.C. has invited members of the Women's Guild of the Congregational Church and members of the Missionary Group of the WSCS of the Methodist Church to the meeting and social hour. It is noteworthy that throughout history, public health nursing service, or visiting nurse service, has been promoted by people widely differing in social and economic backgrounds, in culture and in religion. Always, however, they were united by a common bond: human compassion for the weak and suffering.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of the Youth Committee, Glen Stillings. Prize winners were: 1st, Mildred Hartmann, Mildred Waid, Bertha Holcomb, Fred Holcomb; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jenks, Rose Canavan, Esther Prescott, 3rd, Blanche Bader, Joy Wright, Mrs. Rose Wenzel, Mrs. Ruth Kempkes door, Rose Wenzel and Rachel West.

This week's party will be in charge of Linda and Joy Wright. Several special prizes have been donated by the following Northampton Stores—Ann August, H. J. Croteau, F. W. Woolworth, and a well known one who wishes to remain anonymous.

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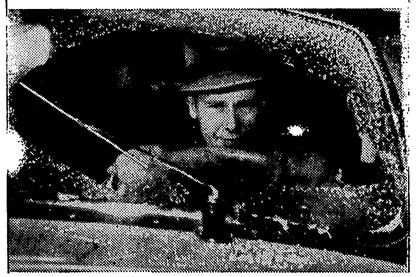

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Monday, November 4 results: The "hot" Salvage team picked up where they left off last week by increasing their record team high three from 1548 to 1609. They also took high single in the first string Monday night with 566, and in the second string broke their own record with 592. They took 4 points from Henneman's team.

Other team results were: Park Lane 6, American Legion 0; Turkey Hill 6, B. S. S. 0; Jackson's 4, Independents 2; Reece 4, Gates 2; Cook's 4, Jabish Brook 2; Hilltoppers 4, Coles 2.

Ralph Hubbard, Sr. broke 2nd high single for the season with 141.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	42	12	13,135
Independents	40	14	13,388
Henneman's	39	15	13,395
Turkey Hill	38	16	12,926
Reece	32	22	12,740
Salvage	31	23	13,152
Cook's	29	25	12,888
Hilltoppers	28	26	12,805
Jabish Brook	24	30	12,834
Gates	22	32	12,484
Park Lane	18	36	12,584
Cole's	18	36	12,318
B. S. S.	15	39	11,758
A. Legion	2	52	11,473

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	R. Hubbard, Sr., 141
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	J. Bodzinski, 359
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,609

110 Club—N. Robidoux 117, R. Lapointe 110, G. Leclerc 110, 114, P. Chlebus 115, J. Adams 110, E. Bock 112, 127, R. Hubbard, Jr. 112, B. Dickinson 114, 118, F. Grover 114, H. Squires 123, 129, J. Mullane 115, L. Frost 115, J. Tolpa, Jr. 126, F. Bodzinski, 131, 134, J. Bodzinski 120, 115, D. Pratt 120, D. Perham 111, E. Gates 110, H. Goodrow 112, 110, P. Ketchen 110, B. Gawlik 119, M. Hubler 110, R. Hubbard, Sr. 141, J. Rush 117, R. Dana 111, 112, C. Robinson, Jr. 132, D. Cowher 118 and H. Main 110, 126.

310 Club—J. Yanginski 310, G. Leclerc 328, J. Adams 313, E. Bock 324, P. Menard 315, B. Dickinson 317, F. Grover 317, H. Squires 354, F. Bodzinski 355, J. Bodzinski 329, D. Pratt 312, D. Perham 310, J. Hubbard 310, H. Goodrow 311, R. Hubbard, Sr. 339, R. Dana 324, and H. Main 337.

Next Week's Matches—

Hilltoppers vs. Amer. Legion
Jackson's vs. Cook's
Turkey Hill vs. Henneman's
Reece vs. Park Lane
Independents vs. B. S. S.
Jabish Brook vs. Cole's
Gates vs. Salvage

—J. Hubbard, Sect'y

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On October 31st the Women's Bowling League had a Halloween Costume Party and a fun night of bowling. The most original costume was worn by Lorraine Faulkins; she won a knitted doll tissue holder. The funniest costume was worn by Ida Cook, and she won an apron. Dot Fitts wore the spookiest costume, and won a clothespin bag. Many thanks to Rita Lapointe for contributing and making the tissue holder, apron and clothespin bag. The second most original costume was worn by Christine Midura. The second funniest was a tie between Priscilla Geer and Laraine Rivers. The second spookiest was worn by June Henneman.

The first game of bowling was upside down backwards, which was very much fun. Money prizes were given for these games. High went to Clara Skinner with a 67, and Alice Burke had low with 18. The second game was left handed bowling, except for those who were left handed, and they bowled right handed. The high was a tie between Dot Fitts and Joan Poole, with a score of 60. June Henneman had a low of 19. The third game was bowling with two balls. High went to Doris Rimbold with 100, and Lorraine Faulkins had a low of 40. High three games was won by Doris Rimbold with a 220. Alice Burke had a low three with 122. There will be another fun night of bowling after the first round in December.

Ruth Dowd, Secretary

CUB SCOUT LEADERS' MEETING

The meeting opened at 8.10 p. m. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

The Roundtable meeting in Northampton will be November 18, at 7.30, at Peoples' Institute.

The leaders will be attending the annual council banquet, November 11, at the U. of M. Den 3 will have the flag ceremony. Skits are scheduled by dens 7 and 8.

Pack meeting for November will be the 20th.

The Cubs who would like to march on the 11th will meet at Cold Spring School between 9.30 and 9.45 a. m.

The bottle drive will be in full swing on November 16. Committee members and Cub parents will be collecting the empty bottles with deposit.

Meeting next month, December 4. We adjourned at 9.25 p. m.

—Rita Lapointe, Secretary

CAMERA CLUB NEWS

The program of the Color Camera Club tonight will be of interest. It will be a recorded lecture, "Memorable Masterpieces," showing slides of the late Ray Schortmann, a beloved member of the club. The comments will be by Les Campbell, and the slides will be shown by Doug Wanzer.

The Developing Tray notes that he was "one of the leading photographers of the country, both in nature and in awards. He was a five-star exhibitor in nature and needed only a few slides to receive his fifth star in the color division.

"Members of the Belchertown Color Camera Club knew and loved Ray, who was so active in the club, as well as in other clubs in the area. His outstanding photography is well known and we are honored to have the first presentation of the "Memorable Masterpieces" in Belchertown.

On December 6, 7 and 8 the club will journey to New York City to "take some of our better pictures of the season."

Attention is again called to the Audubon International Exhibition to be held this week Saturday night at the Student Union ballroom at 8. There is no admission charge.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for the Marking Period ending Thursday, October 17, 1963.

First Honors

All A's

Grade 12:
Sandra Field
Joanne Gould
Merle Green
Rosemary McLean

Grade 11:
Linda Martin

Grade 10:
Harriet Cunningham

Grade 9:
Maureen Austin
Donna Wadsworth

Second Honors

Average 90 and above

Grade 12:
Susan Hussey
Sandra Joyal
Jane Peterson
Sandra Richards

Grade 11:
Gretchen Bock
Keith Farrington
Michael Mathras

Grade 10:
Marjorie Officer

Grade 9:
Nora Austin
Nancy Ladue
Ellen Rice

Third Honors

Average 85-89

Grade 12:
Edith Hurd
Patricia Menard
Susan Miner
Patricia Very

Grade 11:
Warren Barrett
Edward Bodzinski
Judith Green
Nancy Lonczak
David Scott
Mary Terault

Grade 10:
Linda Ann Capen
James Dahlgren
Catherine Barry
Carol Dana
Patricia Lofland
Linda Phaneuf
Louise Warzocha
Barbara Welch
Patricia Zglobicki

Grade 9:
Timothy Barrett
Sally Capen
Beverly Ketchen
Kathleen Morey
Carol Nichols
Linda Reece
Kathleen Rogers

DOLL DRIVE

Due to the rainfall last Saturday, the Belchertown Jaycee doll campaign will be run again this Saturday, November 9. Those who have dolls for pick-up, please contact:

George Suhm	323-6227
Ralph Pittsley	323-7128
Mike Forgue	323-7112
Robert Sutcliffe	323-6348

ISSUE LICENSE

The selectmen announced last week that the application of the Jabish Brook Country Club for an all-alcoholic beverages club license has been approved unanimously by the board. The Club, which is located off Mill Valley Road, applied for the license at a public hearing, Monday, October 28.

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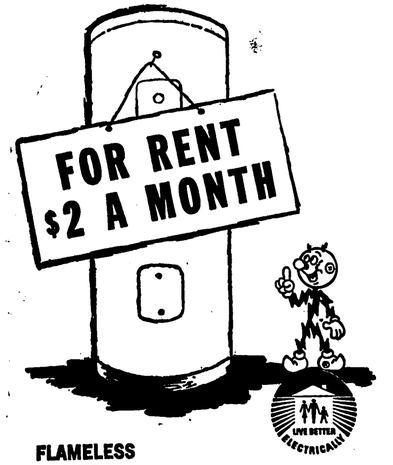

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Philippians 3, 17-21; 4, 1-3. The epistle of St. Paul the apostle to the Philippians.

Gospel—Matthew 9, 18-26. (Relates the raising to life of the daughter of Jairus.) The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew.

Baptisms at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— SUNDAY SCHOOL —

Due to Veterans' Day, Monday, there will not be any catechism classes on Sunday, November 10.

— COMMUNION BREAKFAST —

Sunday, November 10—Holy Name Society Communion Breakfast following the 9.30 Mass—members and non-members are cordially invited. The program will include a speaker, Rep. James R. Nolen, Representative in General Court for the Fourth Hampshire District, and the breakfast, which will be served by Geo. O'Connell, caterer from South Hadley. For tickets, contact: Lionel Miron, Frank Kosiba, or Ellsworth Forgue.

— WEDNESDAY —

Wednesday, November 13—C.W.C. sponsored benefit for John Eskett at Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m., the Elks Choral group entertaining.

— THURSDAY —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, November 14. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

— COMING —

Monday, November 18—C.W.C. of St. Francis will hold their November meeting at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room. The program for this meeting will be a talk by Miss Marion E. Wray, Public Health Nursing Consultant for Hampden and Hampshire Counties.

Season of Advent—Sunday, December 1 to the Nativity of Our Lord on Christmas, December 25.

Sunday, December 8—Feast of the Immaculate Conception; a Holy Day of Obligation.

— WRONG NUMBER —

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Judkins of this town are parents of a girl, Beth Louise, born Friday, November 1, at Cooley Dickinson Hospital in Northampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Doherty of Newton Centre are parents of a daughter, Ruth Anne, born Saturday, November 2, at Newton Wellesley Hospital. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fuller of this town, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Doherty of Wellesley Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Jr., are parents of a son, Glenn Stuart, born October 26, at Wesson Maternity hospital, Springfield. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dix of East Longmeadow, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Sr., of this town. Maternal greatgrandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dix of East Longmeadow, and paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Sears of this town.

MISSION-HOT JOY CLUB

Mission-hot Joy Club met at the home of Mrs. Edward Pipe, So. Washington Street, with eighteen youngsters in attendance. By vote, the children chose Rose Ann Stokosa, president; Nettie Pipe, secretary- treasurer; John Stokosa, song leader.

Bible-story time was a study in the Acts of the Apostles, conducted by Mrs. Geraldine Minkley. Paul and David Minkley sang during "Special Music" time, with the other children joining in.

Halloween candy was given to each child. The next meeting was November 6, from 4 to 5 o'clock.

Nettie Pipe, Secretary-Treasurer

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

9.45 a. m. Sunday School with classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Over Against the Treasury"
Junior Sermon, "1/10"

6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship.

6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship.

7.30 p. m. Evensong in the Church.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

The Annual Christmas Bazaar in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11

6 p. m. The Annual Meeting of the Laurel Park Association (Springfield District Camp Meeting Association) at the First Methodist Church in Northampton.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

7 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.

8 p. m. The Mid-week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

6 p. m. The Second Faith, Food and Fun will meet in the Vestry. This meeting will be under the leadership of the Commission on Stewardship and Finance.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

will be Loyalty Sunday in the Local Church.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

The Annual Thanksgiving Eve Union Service will be held in the Methodist Church this year.

MRS. ALICE E. HUDSON

Mrs. Alice E. Hudson, 78, of Holyoke Home For Aged People, widow of Albert A. Hudson, died Monday afternoon at the Holyoke Hospital.

She was born April 26, 1885, in Lincoln, R. I., and lived the greater part of her life in Rhode Island. She came to Holyoke about four years ago. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Harriet Cram of Providence, R. I., and a stepson, Byron A. Hudson of Belchertown.

Funeral services were held at the Edward F. Day Funeral Home, Holyoke, Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in the Oak Grove Cemetery, Pawtucket, R. I.

IN HOSPITAL

Douglas Smith, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Jr., is a patient at Springfield Hospital.

Clarence Pierce is a patient in the House of Providence Hospital in Holyoke.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Berkey has chosen "A Living Faith" for his sermon title for the Sunday morning worship service.

Pledge Slips

If you have not turned in your pledge slips for this church, put them on the offering plates on Sunday. On Sunday afternoon visitors will call on those who have not responded.

Civil Rights Offering

As previously mentioned, there will be a Civil Rights offering on this coming Sunday, based on "A Call for Racial Justice Now," as per vote of this church a few weeks back.

This is a United Church of Christ project, offerings being taken across the country, and even in Hawaii. Our new minister writes (he's coming December 1) that such an offering has been taken in his church.

A letter to parishioners, already in the mails, tells the whys and wherefores of this attempt to meet the racial obligations of our time.

If not present Sunday, contributions may be mailed to Rev. Harold W. Curtis.

Fellowships

The Junior and Senior High Fellowships will meet Sunday evening as usual at 5.30 and 7 o'clock.

Home Department

The November meeting of the Home Department will be held at the Parish House on Tuesday, November 12, at 2.30 p. m., with Mrs. Howard Shirtcliff and Mrs. Alonzo Jones as hostesses. At this meeting the annual special offering will be taken for the Christmas gift to the Church School.

Fellowship Exchange Weekend

On the 15th and 16th the Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will host about thirty young people from the United Church in Walpole for an exchange weekend. All the Vargas are expected, as well as several drivers. They will stay in various homes of the young people. The party will arrive in time for the Guild supper Friday evening. Later they will spend a recreational evening at Robin Farm Lodge. Saturday morning the group will be at Quabbin, and a lunch will be served by the PF Assistance Committee either at Quabbin or the Parish House, depending on the weather. This will be followed by a worship service Saturday afternoon, before the Walpole group leaves for home.

If anyone has the room to take in an extra person or persons, please let Mrs. Gould Ketchen know soon, in case more young people come than now expected.

Adult Bible Class

The Adult Bible Class meets on Thursday evenings.

Public Invited

The public is invited and urged to be present at the Women's Guild song recital by Mr. Paris, mentioned in last week's paper.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Den 6

Den 6 made some candleholders for Thanksgiving, some games were thought up and played by the den.

Then we played the game, Hot Potato—at the Cub Scout meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Jackson.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

DWIGHT CHAPEL NOTES

The Dwight Chapel Ladies' Aid will hold their next meeting on Tuesday, November 12 at the Dwight Chapel. All members are to bring their money for the toys ordered at the last meeting. See you at 8!

HOB-GOBLINS AND WITCHES

A Halloween party held at Dwight Chapel, October 31, was attended by 58 children in costumes that were delightful if not frightful to the eye of the spectators.

Our hats are off to the University of Mass. students under the direction of Miss Frank, who took charge of this party. Various games along with a spooky trip through the "Tunnel of Horrors" was enjoyed greatly by the Hob-Goblins who attended.

This was a first for this talented group and we all want to wish them good luck in the future and hope that they will come back again.

Various prizes were given for costumes in different categories and the winners were as follows:

Most original girl: the three Gannon sisters, Megan, Jane and Cindy.

Most original boy—Paul Clark

Funniest girl—Diane Russell; boy, Jimmy Clark

Prettiest girl—Denise Fay

Handsomest boy—Richard Tarbox

Smallest girl—Becky Tarbox; boy, John Casey

The Dwight Chapel Ladies' Aid wishes to thank Bill Atkins for his donation of apples; the Mens' Club for their contributions and the Friendly Neighbors' Club for the tasty cookies. Thank you one and all.

Rec. Sec., B. Gentile

ROBERT J. BRADEN

Robert J. Braden, Sr., 70 of Apartment 2, Village Green, East Longmeadow, died suddenly Wednesday in Wesson Memorial Hospital. He was born in Chicopee, Dec. 24, 1892, the son of the late George and Mary Jane (Gourley) Braden and was a resident of East Longmeadow the past year. He was a long-time resident of Belchertown and retired in December of 1956 after 33 years of service and was a foreman at the Westinghouse Electric Co., East Springfield.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Suzanne (Charpentier) Braden; a son, Robert J., Jr. in the Navy stationed in Brooklyn, N.Y.; two daughters, Mrs. Ruby Aiken of East Longmeadow and Mrs. Jean Ayers of Belchertown; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Bowlin of Chicopee and Mrs. Ruby Bowlin of Springfield; 10 grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the Beers and Story funeral home, with Rev. Marvin R. Green, of the Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetery, Ware, with Mr. Green conducting the committal services. Bearers were Raymond Aiken, Ralph Pittsley, Lafayette Ayers, Isaac Hodgen, Louis Fuller and Ralph Trombly.

GETS DOE IN MAINE

Lewis Slate of this town secured a doe in Atkinson, Maine last week Thursday.

...ONS, HALLOWEEN ...RTY

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...reel of movies was shown by ...id Staples, and refreshments fol...ed of ice cream, apples, etc.

...t 8.30 the older group were ...sed. A tape recorder provided ...sic for dancing. Refreshments of ...ghnuts and cider were served.

...Harvey Samson donated the apples ...the evening, and Dave White the ...

...Dr. Berger and Harold Cook co...mmaned the event, the latter hav... in charge the music. Donald ...e saw to the judges. John Carr, ...esident of the Lions Club, was of ...ne, supreme commander, and ...y members helped.

...A conservative estimate was that ...children attended, but judging ...the initial noise, one would guess ...less than 500.

...RKEY SHOOT

...Although the weather Sunday was ...too comfortable outside, 16 ...ds were shot at the Lions Club ...y shoot at the Belchertown Sal... grounds on Bay Road.

...ff Heilmann, 15, and Herve ...miniere each won two 12½- lb. ...s. Winners of 25-lb. birds were ...e Bronner, Albert Chartier and ...d Walsh.

...Winners of 12½ lb. birds were ...s Zabek and Joseph Lufzzey, ...t of Ludlow, Robert Lonis of ...opee, and John Kryston of Long...dow. Those from town were ...on Bullough, Anthony Bronner, ...ld Fournier, Harvey Samson and ...is Bodzinski.

...ARLES E. DUNAKIN

...Charles E. Dunakin, 91, died Fri...in the home of his daughter, Mrs. ...the Aldrich on South Main St. ...was born in Amherst, Aug. 18, ...t, son of Charles and Mary ...sh) Dunakin and had lived here ...18 years. He was a retired town ...loyee and had previously worked ...the Springfield water works. Be...his daughter here, he leaves ...ther daughter, Mrs. Doris Shum... of Bondsville; nine grandchildren ...11 great-grandchildren.

...The funeral was held Monday at 2 ...e Beers and Story funeral home ...Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of ...Methodist Church, officiated. ...il was in Mount Hope Cemetery. ...ers were Lawrence Seymour, ...les Pierce, Byron Capen and Ly...Hubbard.

...DDLEMAST FUNERAL

...Funeral services for Elmer Middle... of Ludlow Rd., were held at ...Church of Jesus Christ of the ...r Day Saints in Springfield last ...Thursday afternoon with Ber... Nichols, first councilor conduct... Opening remarks were given by ...Nichols and the invocation was ...n by Elder George Maine. The ...speaker was Elder Ernest Burns ...the second speaker was Elder ...n Long with closing remarks by ...Nichols. The benediction was ...n by John Phelon.

...Burial was in Holland Cemetery, ...land. The dedicatory prayer was ...n by Elder Gayle Heckel. Bearers ...Elders Clyde Begstrom, Gayle ...kel, Virgil Campbell, Ernest ...s, Bevan Long and Robert Under...d.

ON STUDENT CANADA TRIP

Hanover, N. H.—A Dartmouth College senior from Belchertown, got a first-hand look at government in Canada.

John C. Topping, Jr., a son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. John C. Topping, Colonial Orchards, was a member of a group of 17 students who left October 31 for a four-day stay in Ottawa and Montreal. The students met with various government officials, particularly in the field of foreign policy, visited the House of Commons, and attended a conference on world affairs.

The students, mostly international relations majors, traveled under the leadership of Richard W. Sterling, professor of government at Dartmouth.

In Ottawa they met with officials at the U. S. Embassy there and officials in several departments of the executive branch of the Canadian government, including the Department of External Affairs and the Department of Trade and Commerce. They also visited the House of Commons at "question time," when members of Parliament ask government officials pertinent questions.

In Montreal they attended sessions of the Seventh Annual McGill Conference on World Affairs, sponsored by McGill University. They returned to Hanover Sunday, November 3.

Topping, an international relations major, is an Alfred Sloan National Scholar. He is president of the Young Republicans Club and the International Relations Club, and has been active on the varsity debate team.

TWELVE YEAR REUNION

The Belchertown High School, Class of 1951, held its 12 yr. reunion on October 26th at the Chateau Harmony in Granby.

George Smith, president; Thomas Bleau, treasurer; Joan Cook, secretary; and Gloria Scott, represented the committee. Thirty attended, consisting of about half the class, and their spouses or dates.

Four of the classmates came from out of state, namely Richard Lamoureux and wife from Adelphia, Maryland; Ronald Small and wife from Clinton, Conn.; Robert Rhodes and wife from Rocky Hill, Conn.; and Ronald Frost from Turtle Creek, Pa.

All the others attending presently reside in Massachusetts and a surprising number from Belchertown.

We were sorry that Robert Camp was unable to be with us, but our best wishes were with him.

Also, our class president, George Smith, became a father that morning for the second time, and his wife was unable to be with us.

Some interesting letters were received from those unable to attend.

A choice menu of turkey, chicken or ham was served, followed by visiting and dancing.

Gov. Endicott Peabody honored us with his congratulations and spoke briefly to the group.

Before breaking up, each class member gave a short resume on what they had done since graduation. We heard of a lot of accomplishments and had a lot of laughs.

An enjoyable evening and a reminiscent one was had by all.

CLOTHING EXCHANGE

The Grace Church Clothing Exchange in Amherst will have its first automatic mark-down sale on Tuesday, November 12. Hours: Tuesday, 9 to 9.

GRANGE NOTES

At this week's Grange meeting, there was a Thanksgiving program of readings and songs. Christmas ideas and suggestions were presented, with those submitting them telling how to make them. These concerned wreaths, Christmas trees, Christmas aprons, door decorations, etc.

Union Grange is invited to neighbor with Williamsburg November 16.

The Lecturers' Conference will be held in Worcester on November 30.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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into the Gold block, where the Belchertown Motor Sales had their showroom for many years.

From there she moved to the Dunakin place on Mill Valley Rd. This structure was once a hat factory and wasn't converted into a house until the late 1890's. Now she has moved into her first real store building as such.

For the past few weeks extensive remodeling has been underway: a new ceiling (lowered), lighting improved, plumbing facilities installed, and the interior repaired and painted. Next we are told, the outside will be painted and new signs will be erected, bearing the name of the "new" firm.

The grand opening is set for Saturday, November 16.

The building itself is known to be over 100 years old, and until 1961, it was in the Hopkins family since its inception, as a dry-goods store.

Earliest records show that the business was operating in 1850 under the ownership of Samuel P. Hopkins, the great grandfather of Mrs. Ruth Hopkins Baggs, who died suddenly in 1960 while still active, after operating the store for 27 years.

Samuel Hopkins was succeeded by his son, E. S. Hopkins, who in turn was succeeded by his son, Harry A. Hopkins, and then by the latter's daughter, Mrs. Baggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. Shaw, the present owners of the building, carried on the business until recently.

Mrs. Lincourt expects to carry the usual line for Marguerite's Shoppe and many of those items available under the previous managements.

This article could well have been titled: "Around Our Common, with Marguerite's Shoppe."

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A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said RUTH MORRISON is a mentally ill person and praying that ALBERT T. MORRISON of Easthampton, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northhampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of November, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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October 21, 1963

Amendment to the Zoning Map adopted at the Special Town Meeting held July 22, 1963:

Article 3—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of the town of Belchertown, by changing from Agricultural District to Business District, the property (land) owned by Lewis Slate at the junction of Barrett and North Liberty Streets, as shown on the Zoning Map on display.

(Voted—Unanimous YES)

Boston, Massachusetts
October 16, 1963

The foregoing amendment to zoning by-laws is hereby approved.

Signed, Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

Legal adv. Oct. 25,
Nov. 1 & 8

LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook # B-1779 issued by said bank to Fernando J. Forest and Ida Y. Forest, it being claimed that said book has been lost or destroyed.

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SPECIFICATIONS

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BELCHERTOWN BOARD OF SELECTMEN
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Michael S. Mathras

OPEN HOUSE

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pose of these sessions is to familiarize them with the school program, the school building itself, and to observe some of the work of their children. This is not for parent-teacher conferences, but future appointments for a conference may be made at this time.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —

Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.45 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —

Rev George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —

Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Salvage Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Catholic Women's Club in the Pine Room at 8, program at 8.30.
P. T. A. Meeting.

TUESDAY

Open House at B. H. S., 7 to 9.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

W. S. C. S. at 7.30 p. m.
Paris Musical Program, under the auspices of Women's Guild at 8 p. m.
Cub Scout Pack Meeting at American Legion Hall at 7 p. m.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Loyalty Dinner in Methodist Vestry at 6.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Hitched an Unhitched at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Very at 8 p. m.
Womens' Guild Public Supper in Congregational Parish House.

PUBLIC SUPPER TONIGHT

Seafood casseroles, meat casseroles, tossed salads, rolls, coffee, tea, milk and cakes will be the menu for the Women's Guild Public Supper tonight at 6.30 in the Parish House. Prices are 99 cents and 50 cents.

HILLTOP TWIRLERS

The Hilltop Twirlers will start a set of square dance lessons on Saturday, November 16. They will be held in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church from 1.30 to 3.30 p. m.

Anyone thirteen years of age, or older, may enroll. The price for each lesson is 50 cents.

The Hilltop Twirlers' next dance will be on Saturday, November 30 at 7.30 p. m. in Memorial Hall.

P. T. A. MEETING

Four parents will be guest speakers at the P. T. A. meeting at 8 Monday evening at the Cold Spring School. Topics to be discussed will include all grade levels; speakers and topics are:

Mrs. Giles DeWitt—Teen age stew
Fred Stockton—First graders
Mrs. Warren Barrett—My Five Sons

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TOMORROW

Food, Faith & Fun at Meth. Church.
Policemen's Ball.
Grange Card Party.
Hilltop Twirlers' Dance Lessons in Pine Room from 1.30 to 3.30 p. m.

Coming Events

Nov. 27
Food Sale at Dwight Chapel.
Annual Union Thanksgiving Service in Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

Nov. 29
Police Association Record Hop.
Jaycee Charter Night at Robin Lodge.

Nov. 30
Belchertown Jr. Chamber Charter Night at Robin Farm Lodge.
Hilltop Twirlers' Dance in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Square Dance Club Pot-Luck Supper at Legion Hall.

Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.

Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

REV. PARIS MUSICAL PROGRAM

OPEN INVITATION

On Wednesday, November 20, at 8 p. m., in the Congregational church, the public will again be privileged to hear Rev. William Paris of Plainville, Conn., in a varied musical program of spirituals, folk songs, and favorite hymns.

Those who heard Rev. Paris last May in a combined recital with Mrs. Marie Forde, will be eager for the opportunity to enjoy his excellent baritone voice again.

An open invitation is being extended to the entire community, since it is felt that this will be a unique and inspirational musical evening. Rev. Paris will from time to time comment as to the background of the selections.

Light refreshments will be served to all in the Parish House following the program, at about 9 p. m.

The committee consists of Mrs. Herbert Wood, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. Raymond Reece, Mrs. Hugh Hubbard and Mrs. Stanford Harrington.

LIONS CLUB MEETING

Lions Club members are supposed to be brave men, but some of them sure did wince Tuesday night when Dr. Price, the new assistant superintendent at the State School, thrust a hat pin through the side of his left arm—although with no pain or shedding of blood, due to self hypnosis, assisted by "Dr." Kenneth Thayer.

But Dr. Price was not there as an entertainer. He showed how much mind has to do over matter, even though we are not conscious of it. In childhood we accept suggestions of our parents, which actually is a form of hypnosis, he said. He believed it even had something to do with our choice of religion.

He spoke of psychotherapy, psychoanalysis, psychiatry (words we can't even spell) and related subjects, with as much ease as one would discuss last Saturday's football games.

Dr. Price pointed out the dangers in the use of hypnotism—that one has to get at the underlying causes for troubles, else one would simply be exchanging one trouble for another—possibly a worse one.

Asked if his knowledge of hypnotism was of any use at the State School, he replied in the negative, and said that anyway, retarded children were less susceptible to hypnosis, because it was harder for them to concentrate.

Dr. Price is not new to the field. He has been working along these lines for some forty years and knows the possibilities and dangers.

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VETERANS' DAY EXERCISES

Belchertown, as did thousands of other small communities across our great nation, paid tribute to their veterans on Monday, Veterans' Day. Known as Armistice Day until changed by law in 1954 to Veterans' Day, this day the nation honored its war dead from the first World War to the Korean War.

Here in town it was a chilly 40° outside in a drizzling rain when the time arrived for the exercises to begin. Despite the rain, which, by now has become a way of life these past few weeks for area residents (what a difference from weeks previous!) the ceremonies were still held, though moved indoors.

Inside Memorial Hall, the various participants formed and near the appointed hour, the program began.

Frank Goodrow, Commander of Post 239, American Legion, and master of ceremonies, introduced Rev. Harold Curtis, who delivered the invocation.

Following the invocation, the B. H. S. band played the National Anthem as participants and spectators alike stood in reverence.

The master of ceremonies then read the Governor's proclamation, which as always, masterfully put into words, the significance of Veterans' Day.

The band again played a selection. Following, the memorial plants, each representing one Belchertown Veteran who gave his life for his nation, were presented to cub scouts by Lt. Col. Sidney Wheeler. These plants were later placed at the memorial trees on the common.

While the scouts held the plants, the Legion firing squad fired the honoring volleys just outside the hall, with taps played in conclusion.

Rev. Harold Curtis gave the benediction. The B. H. S. band closed the program which lasted only half an hour.

On the stage during the program were the flag bearers and their escort, the firing squad, the Legion commander, and Rev. Curtis. The balcony was nearly filled to capacity with spectators—while above, those being remembered observed it all.

APPRECIATE PATRONAGE

Catherine Dyer, chairman of the Methodist Bazaar, wishes to thank all her committees and all the people who donated articles and their time for the grand event.

She and her committee wish to thank the men's club for the wonderful supper. Also many thanks to all the people who patronized both the supper and the bazaar.

We'll see you next November.

Bazaar Committee

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY

The Belchertown Chamber of Commerce will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony at Marguerite's Shoppe for its opening tomorrow, Saturday, November 16, at 10 a. m. The selectmen are being invited.

C. W. C. PROGRAM MONDAY

The November meeting of the St. Francis Church Catholic Women's Club will be held on Monday, November 18th, at 8 p. m. Members will make note that the date has been changed to accommodate the speaker. The event will be held in the Pine Room, the business meeting at 8, program at 8.30.

Miss Marion E. Wray, Public Health Nursing Consultant for Hampden and Hampshire Counties, will speak on the role of the public health nurse. She will also discuss "A Nurse for Belchertown." Two films will highlight her talk.

Guests for the evening will be the W. S. C. S., the Women's Guild, and the Belchertown Nurses' Association.

Miss Catherine L. Austin is program chairman for the evening and will be assisted by Mrs. Claire Austin, social chairman.

The speaker's background:

Qualifications: Holds a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Science Degree from Simmons College. Is a graduate of Clinton Hospital, Clinton, Mass.

Positions Held: Public Health Nurse with the Worcester Visiting Nurse Association. Public Health Nurse with the Shrewsbury Home Nursing Society. Epidemiologist, Clinic Executive and Supervisor with the Mass. Dept. of Public Health, Division of Venereal Diseases. Holds the rank of Major in the U. S. Army Reserve.

Current Position: Public Health Advisor, Franklin & Hampshire Counties.

POLICEMEN'S BALL

The Fifth Annual Policeman's Ball will be held in Lawrence Memorial Hall this week Saturday night, from 8 to 12. Music will be by Roy Senecal and his orchestra. Refreshments will be served. Tickets for the event are on sale for $1.50.

The big project of the Association is the ambulance. An orthopedic stretcher has recently been purchased to be used in connection therewith.

So it is apparent that the Ball is worthy of the support of our citizens.

Should Board of Selectmen
Be Increased To Five Members?

As far as I can determine from this remote spot, the Belchertown School Committee is getting along just fine as a five-person board. I am sure they have no desire to return to the three-member status which was traditional here for so many years.

It must be rather a relief for a member to know that if he happens to be ill on a meeting night, or unexpectedly called away for some emergency, there will be four rather than two left to carry on.

Hasn't the time come to have the Board of Selectmen also increased to five members? This board has many duties and responsibilities, which grow more numerous and complicated as years go on. Their meetings are frequent, and their business takes much time.

It would seem that five selectmen are needed for the same reasons that made it advisable to expand the School Committee.

Someone might say that it is hard enough as it is to find citizens willing to run for election to a board of three. Will it be possible to get suitable candidates to fill a five-member group? I think that the appeal of joining the larger group would be much greater than that of joining the smaller.

There is no guarantee that any five-member board of officials in any town will be happy and contented simply because there are five rather than three members. It just seems that the larger number will be a basis for a better organization year after year. Why not try it?

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Satisfactory Sunday Spent
In Church and College Theater

Last Sunday we were particularly fortunate in our "listening", both morning and afternoon.

Rev. Robert F. Berkey, of the faculty at Mt. Holyoke College, has been doing some "supply" preaching at the local Congregational Church. He is one of the best speakers and thinkers we have been privileged to hear from that pulpit.

The topic of his sermon last Sunday was "A Living Faith", a scholarly and convincing exposition of the importance of both the past and the present in building and maintaining our religious beliefs. Rev. Berkey makes a morning service very short indeed.

We agreed that some girls at Mt. Holyoke College are lucky to have this young man as a professor and that we have paid good admission fees to hear lectures of less interest.

Sunday afternoon we journeyed to Kirby Theater at Amherst College, where the Masquers have started their 25th Anniversary Season by giving a wholly thrilling performance of *The Visit,* a "tragic comedy" by Frederik Duerrenmatt. This German has been called the foremost living dramatist, and this adaptation of his play was acted by Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne in 1958.

The play is different from any other I have ever seen, a satisfactory combination of realism and fantasy, comedy and tragedy, melodrama and farce. It presents an unforgettable picture of humanity's willingness to sacrifice anything or anybody to achieve security and happiness.

It will also be shown tonight, and Saturday and Sunday evenings. You should see if you can get tickets. No toll charge to Kirby now.

You will get a Commemorative Program, too, at no extra charge. We felt ourselves veterans indeed, as we have seen most of the 80 plays which have been produced in Kirby over the quarter century of regular performances. There have been many other plays there, given by classes in the college.

Before 1938, the Masquers, founded in 1917, played "on a new stage in College Hall." We saw several plays in that lovely building on the corner of Routes 9 and 116, a structure which is richer in architectural beauty and tradition than in excellence of theatrical facilities.

Kirby Memorial Theater is not a memorial to a deceased Amherst College student, as I have long thought, but to a prominent Philadelphia surgeon, Dr. Ellwood Kirby. After his death, there was a large charitable fund from his estate, and Dr. Kirby's friend, James MacMeekin, was a trustee of the estate. MacMeekin's son was a 1934 graduate of Amherst, and greatly interested in the Masquers, whom he had accompanied to Vienna in 1933. He persuaded his father to get the fund given to Amherst. The theater was erected for only $250,000, a remarkably low cost even for 1937-38.

The first director at Kirby was F. Curtis Canfield (Amherst '25) who started directing in 1926 and stayed on until 1954, when he left to become dean of the Yale University School of Drama. Canfield is a great man, and it was a tough job to fill his shoes. In 1957, Professor Walter Boughton came from the University of California in Berkeley, and seems to be doing an excellent job.

We have had many wonderful hours in Kirby, where production follows production with no change in the finished perfection of performance.

During their first year, they produced four of Maxwell Anderson's plays. No other playwright ever monopolized an entire season! Do you remember *What Price Glory?* and *Winterset?*

In 1940 we were delighted with Ibsen's Peer Gynt, given complete for the first time in this country. This feat took six hours, with the first half produced in March, the last half in June. There were countless scenes, but Kirby can make quick changes, as it did this afternoon when it went from a railroad station to a forest in a matter of seconds. We have often wondered what became of the "Peer" in that play. He did a tremendous job of memorizing and acting.

During the spring before Pearl Harbor in 1941, there was a "World Premier" of a play called *Bed Rock,* which made an indelible impression on us. It was the drama of a Nazi invasion of Rutland, Vermont, and was almost too realistic. It was to have been played later on Broadway, but I don't think it ever was. The international situation became too tense by the summer of 1941! The part for the male lead in that play was that of a middle-aged druggist, who engineered the destruction of a flying column of Germans which had already massacred school children on the state capitol steps at Montpelier!

Our seats at Kirby have always been center, three rows back. They feel like home! From that point we have seen much. Shakespeare has led the list of playwrights, starting with *Macbeth* in 1941. The second of the plays of the immortal bard to be played there was *Julius Caesar* in 1949, and that was telecast nationwide by N.B.C. *Hamlet* has appeared twice (1951 and 1962.) *Othello, Cymbeline, Henry IV* (both parts), *Richard III, Midsummer Night's Dream, Romeo* and *Juliet,* and *The Tempest* have all made their appearance.

In February-March of 1964, the Masquers will congratulate William on the arrival of his 400th birthday, by playing *Twelfth Night.*

Shakespeare and Anderson have been most often selected. Shaw has rated four, Ibsen three, and Miller, Saroyan, and Euripedes two each.

Kirby Theater seats only 436, exclusive of some folding chairs often set up in back, yet 4387 saw the *Tempest* there in 1952, and *Hamlet* attracted 3,577 last year!

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—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Carl F. Aspengren was elected Worthy Master of Vernon Lodge.

Rev. Collins G. Burnham has an article in the *Sentinel* showing how the League of Nations had averted war in the Italian-Greek crisis.

Mrs. Leila Curtis, the custodian of the Historical Association, writes of several antiques added to the Stone House. One of them was five music books arranged for an orchestra of five pieces. In these books the scores were all copied by hand with the utmost neatness by the late Timothy Kenfield, still remembered as "Belchertown's Noted Fiddler."

E. J. Vezina advertises 12 tons of hay at $10.00 per ton.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Charles F. Austin was elected Master of Union Grange. Blake S. Jackson was installed Master of Vernon Lodge of Masons. Mrs. Louis Shumway was made chairman of the Red Cross drive. Miss Josephine Lincoln won first prize in the American Legion contest. Her essay was entitled "The Ideal Belchertown" and appeared in the *Sentinel.* Rev. Horace Robbins delivered the sermon at the annual Thanksgiving service. He took for his theme, "The Thanksgiving Spirit."

The Steeple reminds us that on the 19th day of November, we shall be remembering the 75th anniversary of "one of the most outstanding literary events in the modern world", the two-minute address by Abraham Lincoln at Gettysburg.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Congregational Brotherhood were the guests of the Methodist Club, the entertainer being Mrs. Harold Green, a popular dramatist.

The Hobby Show staged by the Freshmen class of B.H.S. was a huge success. There were hobbies of all kinds: salt and pepper shakes (most popular); dolls (a close second); shells; even "angels"; "old Majolica" ware of a hundred years ago, and Civil war was made real. World War days brought back. Africa was in the limelight. Paintings were on exhibit, also hooked and braided rugs of colonial type. Pete Dearness had his collection of medievil figures, 190 of them, and half a dozen models of U. S. Navy warships of our day.

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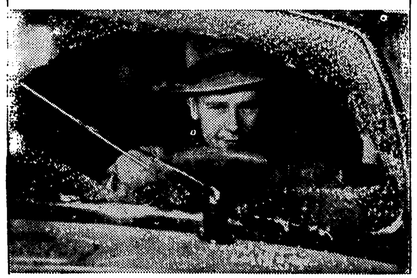

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

The Variety Show, presented by members of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church in Springfield, was one of the nicest ever seen at Belchertown State School. The stage was beautifully decorated and a novel lighting arrangement was used to signify the beginning and ending of each act. We are deeply grateful to all these people who gave so much time to provide all of us with such a wonderfully entertaining evening.

Members of the Duplicating Department at Mass. Mutual visited us recently and were taken on a tour of the school. These good folks have worked as Volunteers for over a year, gathering and gift wrapping prizes for Bingo games, toys for the Nurseries, and have collected skates, books, records and all manner of fun things to be used by our youngsters. They are also the people who gave a Bazaar a short time ago to raise funds to help our program. All this, and none of them had ever been on the grounds. It was our pleasure to take them on a tour—show them Bingo and Teen-age Canteen in action and "trip" our Vocational Training building where the instructors had left beautiful displays for them to see.

The Recreational department wishes to thank Mr. Raymond Breton of the Maintenance department for donating the plastic to cover our skating rink.

A Halloween Dance was held in the auditorium on Wednesday, October 30. The hall was decorated by the "Pinkies" under the supervision of the Recreational Therapist. Refreshments of cider and cup cakes were served by the teachers. The orchestra was supplied by the Holyoke Musicians Union.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Results as of November 11: Hilltoppers 6, Legion 0; Independents 4, B. S. S. 2; Park Lane 4, Reece 2; Gates 4, Salvage 2; Coles 4, Jabish Brook 2; Jackson's 4, Cook's 2; Turkey Hill 4, and Henneman's 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Jackson's	46	14	14,610
Independents	44	16	14,812
Turkey Hill	42	18	14,443
Henneman's	41	19	14,892
Hilltoppers	34	26	14,226
Reece	34	26	14,206
Salvage	33	27	14,522
Cook's	31	29	14,319
Jabish Brook	26	34	14,251
Gates	26	34	13,925
Park Lane	22	38	14,045
Cole's	22	38	13,735
B. S. S.	17	43	13,171
American Leg.	2	58	12,798

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	R. Hubbard, Sr., 141
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	J. Bodzinski, 359
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,609

110 Club—J. Yanginski 111, H. Main 136, K. Rhodes 119, H. Squires 110, D. Judkins 112, T. Bodzinski 120, H. Goodrow 121, T. Pereira 113, 121, 117, A. Mignault 114, 119, J. Bodzinski 111, E. Gates 136, E. Lowe 110, B. Gawlik 114, 115, J. Vadnais 113, C. Robinson, Jr. 117, K. Main 110, D. Bock 115, P. Menard 118, M. Hubler 115, P. Chlebus 113, J. Adams 111, W. Jensen 113, 118, E. Henrichon 120, B. Terry 125, A. Henneman, 118, and D. Pratt 121.

310 Club—H. Squires 318, H. Goodrow 317, T. Pereira 351, A. Mignault 331, B. Gawlik 317, J. Vadnais 314, M. Hubler 318, W. Jensen 325, E. Henrichon 311, A. Henneman 323, and D. Pratt 315.

Next Week's Matches—
Cole's vs. Independents
Hilltoppers vs. Reece
Legion vs. Jabish Brook
B. S. S. vs. Henneman's
Gates vs. Park Lane
Cook's vs. Turkey Hill
Jackson's vs. Salvage

J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

November 7 brought the following team results: Congo's 8, Bowl-aires 0; Hit or Miss 8, King Pins 0; Jolly "5" 8, Nite Outers 0; Pin Spinners 8, Outskirters 0; Crystals 6, Gay Rollers 2; Pin Pickers 6, Roll--aways 2; Chadson Gals 4, Harmony Five 4.

The Pin Pickers had the team high three with 1366 and team high single with 493. High three went to Carol Hubbard with 307. Second high three was tied between Darsa Snow and Ellie Tolpa with 299. Jean Reilly took high single with 115 and Ellie Tolpa took second high single with 114. Carol Hubbard made the "300" club with 307. Those in the "110" club were Jean Reilly 115, Ellie Tolpa 114, Carol Hubbard 111, and Lois Lowe 111.

Season Records

High Single String	B. Boucher, 123
2nd High Single	D. Snow, 117
High Three Strings	B. Boucher, 324
2nd High Three	J. Reilly, 311
Team High Single	Pin Pickers, 493
Team High Three	Pin Pickers, 1,366

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	54	10	10,391
Congo's	48	16	9,984
Crystals	48	16	9,889
Jolly "5"	46	18	10,084
Roll-a-ways	42	22	10,152
Gay Rollers	38	26	10,015
Hit or Miss	38	26	9,902
Harmony Five	32	32	9,323
Chadson Gals	29	35	9,437
Pin Spinners	26	38	9,125
King Pins	18	46	9,588
Nite Outers	12	52	9,019
Outskirters	9	55	9,249
Bowl-aires	8	56	9,380

—Ruth Dowd, Secretary

LAKE TROUT REPRODUCING

Evidence that lake trout are reproducing in significant numbers in Quabbin Reservoir was verified this year by data collected by the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Fishermen interviewed by the creel census agent at the three mooring areas during the 1963 season reported the capture and release of numerous undersized lakers from six to eighteen inches in length. Commonest sizes reported ranged from nine to fifteen inches. Studies of laker growth have shown that this is the size nomally attained by Quabbin lakers during their third year of life. The fish of that size taken in 1963 must, therefore have been fingerlings in 1961, the division says.

The division ceased stocking lake trout fingerlings in 1957 and did not resume stocking them until the spring of 1963. At that time, establishment of the species was questionable, so an "insurance stocking" of 53,000 two-inch lakers was made. Therefore, any laker whose origin can be traced to one of the intervening years, 1958 to 1962, must have been spawned within the reservoir. As the fingerlings meet this requirement, they must be native lakers.

Proof of the fact that the nine-to-fifteen-inch fish seen in 1963 were indeed two-year olds in their third growing season was obtained this past August when two lakers measuring eleven and one-half inches long were netted off Mooring Area #1 by state fisheries' workers. Readings of scale samples taken from these young lakers revealed that the fish were two years old.

An indication of the abundance of native lakers in Quabbin Reservoir is afforded by comparing the number of reports of 1963 catches of the above two-year-old natives with similar reports of stocked two-year-olds caught in 1958 and 1959. In 1963, 224 such reports were received by the creel census agent compared to only 54 such reports in 1958 and 63 such reports in 1959.

This data seems to sustain state fisheries workers' original hopes that Quabbin Reservoir may eventually have a self-sustaining lake trout population.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

An article appeared recently in the Business and Industry column of the Springfield Union which is of interest to Belchertown, and especially those who frequent Clapp Memorial Library.

The article tells about the renewed interest in the quarrying industry in East Longmeadow, and the stone which is called East Longmeadow Brownstone. This sandstone was used in the exterior construction of the Clapp Memorial Library in the late 1800's.

This industry is the town's oldest industry and was flourishinng strongly around the turn of the century. The sandstone was used on many of the largest and best known buildings in the country.

The article relates that this brownstone is being used again by many colleges and churches because of its ability to bring a traditional look to new buildings. It was used on three recently completed buildings at Yale University, and 5,000 tons will be used for Yale's new 22 story biology tower.

Eleven Wesleyan University buildings in Middletown, Conn. used East Longmeadow stone for exteriors, and it will be used for six more. The stone has also been specified for two new Smith College buildings, and will be part of the Northampton college's new science center. Part of the new Boston City Hall will feature the stone, as well as additions to Trinity Church and 1st Presbyterian Church in New York City.

—Doris Dickinson

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The 4-H Dog Training Club met recently and elected the following officers:

Jr. Leader	Gail Whipple
President	Richard Hawkins
Vice Pres.	Sandra Opielowski
Secretary	Steven Richards
Treasurer	Marcia Staples
Reporters	Margaret Langevin
	Charlene Bronner

The next meeting of the club will be held November 19th in the Pine Room at 7 p. m.

—Margaret Langevin, Reporter

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

Religion classes at B. S. S. at 10 a. m. Saturday.

— SUNDAY —

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

(Mass of the 6th Sunday after Epiph.)

Epistle—1 Thessalonians 1, 2-10. The First Epistle of St. Paul the apostle to the Thessalonians.

Gospel—Matthew 13, 24-30. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Relates the parable of the weeds.)

Assisting Fr. Collins with the Sunday Masses will be Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., a professor of economics at Holy Cross College, Worcester.

Baptisms at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— SUNDAY SCHOOL —

The Catechism or C. C. D. classes will be held following the 9.30 Mass.

— MONDAY —

Monday, November 18—C.W.C. of St. Francis will hold their November meeting at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room. The program for this meeting will be a talk by Miss Marion E. Wray, Public Health Nursing Consultant for Hampden and Hampshire Counties.

— THURSDAY —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, November 21. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

— COMING —

Advent—First Sunday of Advent, December 1. This day marks the beginning of the ecclesiastical year.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception—also the Second Sunday of Advent, December 8. This is a Holy Day of obligation.

— SEASON OF ADVENT —

Runs from the First Sunday of Advent (the one nearer Nov. 30th) to the Vigil of Christmas. There are four Sundays in the season, whose theme is preparation for the commemoration of Christ's birth.

— DISPENSATION —

The Rt. Rev. Vicar General has dispensed the faithful of the Diocese from the law of fast and abstinence to be observed on Saturday, December 7th.

The faithful are reminded that, in compensation for this favor, they should remember their needy brethren at home and abroad.

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MISSION LOT JOY CLUB

Prayer opened the weekly meeting of the Mission Lot Joy Club (not the Mission Hot Joy Club as printed last week) in the home of June Pepe of South Washington St.

President Rose Ann Stokosa called the meeting to order. Attendance was taken and old and new business was discussed.

Song leader John Stokosa led in singing the Joy Club song, Jesus, Others and You. Thank You Lord and Heavenly Sunshine were also sung.

Slides were shown—Fishers of Men, in connection with the scripture reading, Mark 1:16-20. Children learned two new action songs, Deep and Wide, and Fishers of Men.

Boys and girls were asked to bring a friend to next week's Joy Club.

DEDICATION

The dedication of its church edifice—signifying it is now debt-free—will be observed by Christian Science Society, Ware, Massachusetts, Sunday, November 17.

The public is cordially invited to attend either the morning service at 11, or in the afternoon at 3.30.

The Society gratefully acknowledges generous contributions from The Trustees Under the Will of Mary Baker Eddy, the Selina C. Cornish Fund, and all others who have made this dedication possible.

Four residents met in a private home September 18, 1910 and conducted the first Christian Science service in Ware. Meetings continued to be held in this manner until May, 1917, when the Social Science Clubhouse was rented by the group. This step provided quarters for a growing membership, and rooms for Sunday School classes.

On February 26, 1926, the group became a recognized branch of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

As growth continued, the Society purchased the Spencer property at Church and High Streets in 1953 and began at once to remodel the structure. The completed edifice, first opened for services February 7, 1954, provides an auditorium, a Sunday School assembly room, four class rooms, a nursery, and a public Reading Room.

11 Christian Science services and Reading Rooms are open to the public.

C. OF C. MEETING

The Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, November 26, at 7.30 at Walter Boyko's on Mill Valley Rd. The Junior Chamber of Commerce has been invited. Refreshments will be served.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "I Can Only Show You."
Junior Sermon by the Pastor

6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship, with Misses Judy Dewhurst and Judy Green responsible for the evening program.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

7.45 p. m. Evensong in the Church. This is a free service, and all are welcome to share as the Holy Spirit leads.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

7 a. m. Youth Breakfast for Senior High youth in the Vestry.

7.30 p. m. W. S. C. S. Meeting.

8 p. m. Midweek Service in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22

6.30 p. m. Loyalty Dinner for the 1964 year.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

This will be Loyalty Sunday in the local church. Members and friends of the church will receive fuller information in the mail.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

7.30 p. m. The Annual Union Thanksgiving service of the Congregational annd Methodist Churches will be held in the Methodist church this year.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15

8 p. m. Hitched and Unhitched with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Very. See separate article.

The Adult Pastor's Class will be convened in the Vestry on Monday, November 25, at 7.30 p. m. This class is for those desiring to unite with the Methodist Church and prepare them to take the necessary steps to know what is involved before they join the Church. The classes will have two sessions; one will deal with the organizational procedure of the Church, and the other will deal with the meaning of Church membership and the related thoughts as who are Christians. If you desire to be in these classes, you should contact Mr. Green soon.

A three week stewardship enlistment campaign has been launched by this church. The general chairman will be Charles Wall. Five committees will work with the pastor and general chairman. They are: Allan Witt, chairman of the budget committee; Ralph Trombly, chairman of the budget presentation committee; Mrs. Ralph Trombly, chairman of the Loyalty dinner committee; Mrs. Allan Witt, chairman of the hostess committee; and Mrs. Marion Landers chairman of the office help committee. Sunday, November 24, has been set as Loyalty Day, with the members and friends of the church urged to make their commitment to the Church at the morning service, as they bring each personal commitment card to the altar during the service.

INVITED

The W. S. C. S. has been invited to the meeting of the Catholic Women's Club in the Pine Room next Monday evening at 8.30.

HITCHED AND UNHITCHED

The Hitched and Unhitched of the Methodist Church will hold their regular meeting this week Friday evening at 8 at the home of Fred and Pearl Very on Gold Street. John Nelson of this town will speak and illustrate the principles of photography. All members and friends of the church are invited.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. Robert Parsonage, chaplain at Springfield College, will be guest minister Sunday morning. His sermon topic is "Sharing God's Secrets."

Exchange Weekend

A group of more than thirty young people, the Varga family and several drivers will arrive Friday afternoon to be guests of the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship. They will attend the church supper, followed by a hay ride, recreation and refreshments at Robin Farm Lodge. Tomorrow morning will be spent at Quabbin, with lunch provided by the PF Assistance Committee either at Quabbin or in the Parish House, depending on the weather. A worship service will follow, prior to their departure for home in the late afternoon.

Invitation

Members of the Women's Guild have received an invitation to the meeting of the Catholic Women's Club on Monday evening, the 18th, at 8.30 to hear Miss Wray of the State Public Health Department. Several of our women plan to attend.

Board of Christian Education

The Board of Christian Education will meet on Tuesday evening, November 19.

Bible Study Group

The Adult Bible Study Group meets on Thursday evenings.

Dates

Nov. 22—Primary and Pre-school staff meeting
Nov. 25—Junior staff meeting
Nov. 26—Double or Nothing Hobby Night
Nov. 27—Union Thanksgiving Service in Methodist Church

WILSON—COOK WEDDING

In a 7 o'clock ceremony Saturday night in the Congregational Church, Miss Virginia Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Soule of Daniel Shays Highway, became the bride of John C. Cook, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cook Sr., of Mill Valley Rd. Rev. Harold Curtis performed the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Walter Blackmer played the traditional wedding marches and other selections. Arrangements of white mums decorated the altar.

Mrs. Clifford Dyer of this town served as the bride's honor attendant. Clifford Dyer, cousin of the bridegroom was best man and Paul Cook, brother of the bridegroom and Thomas Hulmes were the ushers.

For her wedding the bride chose a short full-skirted white brocade gown with long-sleeved jacket. Her butterfly veil fell from a tiara and she carried a bouquet of white roses and pompons.

The matron of honor wore an empire line gown of aqua brocade and carried a bouquet of red roses.

The reception was held for 90 guests at the parish house with the mothers of the bridal couple assisting in receiving. Mrs. Soule wore a beige brocade dress with tan accessories. Mrs. Cook wore a gold metallic frock with brown accessories. Both wore bronze mum corsages.

After a wedding trip to an unannounced destination, the couple will reside at 69 Whipple Rd., Lynn.

The bride is a former resident of Agawam and graduated from Agawam High School. She continued her studies at the University of Massachusetts and American International College, Springfield. The bridegroom is a graduate of Belchertown High School. He is an airman third class in the Navy and is serving on the USS Wasp.

TOWN ITEMS

Katrina Chadbourne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chadbourne, is a patient at the Boston Children's Hospital. Although only 2½ years of age, she would be glad to receive cards.

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As I sit here writing I find myself wondering, "Just what is it that makes a teacher great?" All teachers work with the same steps, but what makes the rare teacher great? I have been privileged to closely observe the functioning of some of the finest teachers of our time and it seems to me that all have attributes startlingly in common.

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Also, perhaps the most important quality of all, enthusiasm, a Love of Dance that is beyond the understanding of the teacher. Speaking for myself, I have never claimed to be the world's best dancer or the world's best teacher. A motto I have at the Dominique School of dance is "THOSE WHO DARE TO TEACH MUST NEVER CEASE TO LEARN." I say this because no matter what line of work you are in, there is always something new that comes along and you realize that there really are new and better ways of doing things.

Take life. I find the older I get and the more I can learn of Dance, the better things around me seem to be. To me people, and most of all children, are interesting to work with. Children at an early age observe everything about them with keen intelligence, and if I as a dance teacher, can give them any knowledge such as, presenting an orderly sequence of a dance program, insistence on sustaining simplicity of line in movement in the Dance Technique training the student's mind to grasp immediately my instructions, assisting the student to memorize quickly as well as interpreting the steps in the style indicated, I shall be satisfied.

I find that people whom I have taught accomplish a great deal more than they thought they could. I help the students to understand and work within his or her own physical limitations without frustrations, as well as to know how to make the most of any talent he or she may possess.

The Dominique School at 38 Winsor Street, Ludlow, of which I am teacher and director (I also have classes in Belchertown on Saturdays) cordially invites you and your friends to call, or phone JU 3-4407 for any information on Dance Education. The Dominique School of Dance, has, as before stated, a motto, "Those who dare to teach must never cease to learn."

—Adv.

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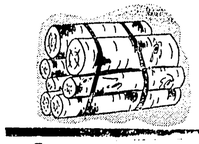

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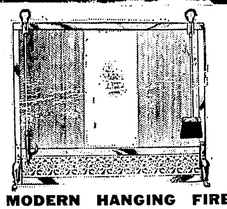

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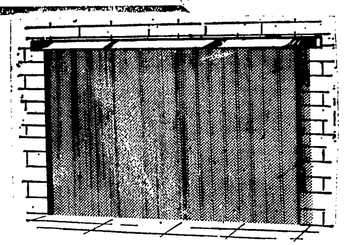

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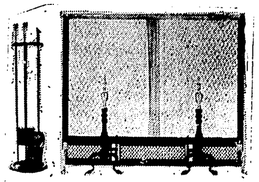

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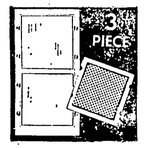

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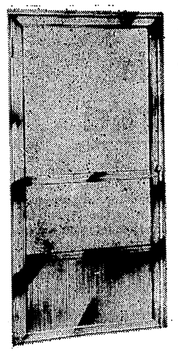

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TOURS SOUTHERN EUROPE

We continue with the second portion of a letter printed recently, written by Daniel Miron, a serviceman from here, who recently made a tour of Southern Europe.

To continue:

After four days in Athens, we set out for Corinth, or "Korinthus" as the English sign-posts say. It's a three hour drive, but roads are, for the most part, good. Corinth was the center of Ancient Greece before the era of the Parthenon. There are two cities—old and new Corinth. The old one was our destination. Here we toured the ruins, most of which were poorly tended and grown in with high weeds and grass. The Temple of Apollo (there are several in Greece) was the most impressive sight. It looks like a portion of the Parthenon, and again must have been back-breaking to build. A museum with some of the more treasured relics is nearby, and we also took a quick trip through it.

From Corinth back to Athens (we could have taken a ferry boat but they were sparcely scheduled) and over to Delphi. This drive took nearly a day and here the roads again became treacherous. You have never seen (and I hope I shall never again see them) roads like those we encountered in rural Greece; the Western-Central portion in particular, because here are located the mountains. Going around a mountain or hill is not done in Greece, and Lord knows, they haven't the equipment to blast through them, so they simply zig-zag their way up one side and down the other, causing one to drive ten miles of road distance to overcome a hill only a mile wide and perhaps a thousand feet high.

To get back to Delphi, which *was* my topic before the malice for the Greecian road-builders ebbed out of me, it would seem that this city of old, now only a village catering to the tourist traffic, was cut right out of a mountain. Most centers of population are, as a city, in a broad, flat basin, or, as a village, up on a hill for protection from floods or maybe in the past from the Gypsies.

Delphi is built on the steep slope of a rock mountain, and looks like it should have been chiseled out, and it may have been so. There is a vast open amphitheatre where we tested the acoustics by having one of us speak in a whispered voice at the bottom and climbing the steps to take our turns listening. The experts say these amphitheatres allow the best in sound distribution of any, excepting our new sound proof rooms, with their precision, and extent of padding, draperies and the like. I must agree it was a surprise to me when I first heard how clear and distinct the sounds are transferod. The "Oracle at Delphi" was one of our bright spots in Delphi, but mostly because it's more famous than most of the other ruins. There is little left now to indicate the beauty and majesty which were once the world's greatest.

Delphi, Athens, and Corinth behind us, we thought it best to start back toward Igumenitsu for our return trip to Italy. Here, between Delphi and Parthas, was a route we could follow—not good mind you—but a lot shorter than any other. It was here that we began our first off-highway excursion—and we got our belly full! The road changed to a dirt road about twenty miles out of Delphi and I drove over 30 miles of what must be the most dangerous and desolate road in this part of Europe. There were mountains, with nothing but air between the car and the edge of a long drop to doom: there were corners sharp enough to sew with, and there were no signs of life to be seen. For nearly all of the dirt road distance, we saw no house, shed, person, or any sign of anyone having ever been there other than roadbuilders! Never again!

Only after we reached the coast and boarded the ship for Italy did I feel a little more relaxed about the car. It hadn't given us any trouble except replacement of the fan belt in Athens so we were doing A-OK. The road from Brindisi to Naples was a good one, as are most main roads in Italy. In Naples, or rather just before we arrived, our "night of terror" began.

— to be continued —

OPEN HOUSE AT B. H. S.

Open House at the Belchertown High School will be held on Tuesday, November 19, from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Parents are invited to meet the teachers, visit the classrooms and spend a brief social hour in the cafeteria. It is emphasized that this is to be an open house and not a parent-teacher conference period.

The teachers will be present in the auditorium between 7 p. m. and 8.30 p. m. to greet the parens, and student hosts and hostesses will conduct them through the building. Coffee will be served in the cafeteria.

Open House at the Center Junior High School will be held on Monday, November 25.

LIONS CLUB MEETING

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He was introduced by Dr. Samuel Berger, dentist at the school.

At the business meeting which preceded, King Lion Carr pled for more workers at the weekly turkey shoots. He said that the fund now stands at around $400. Shoots may be held after Thanksgiving, weather permitting.

Announcement was made of a combined meeting with the Indian Orchard Club at De Marco's on March 10.

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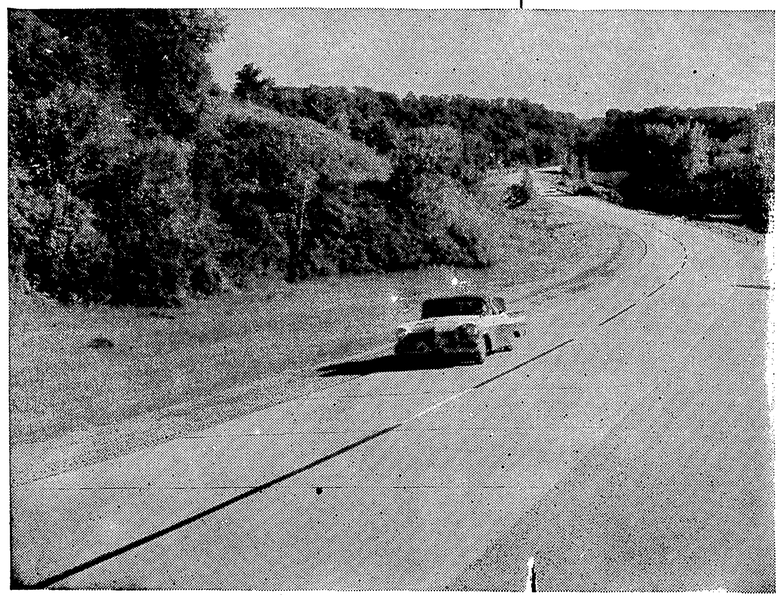

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SMITH—JENKS WEDDING

The wedding of Miss Beverly Jean Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander M. Smith of 80 South East St., Amherst and Walter Leon Jenks, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Jenks of Warren Wright Rd., Belchertown, took place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Second Congregational Church, Amherst. Rev. Karl S. Andersen, the pastor, officiated, and performed the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Halladay played traditional wedding music.

Miss Shirley Ann Smith, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Bonnie Dale Smith, another sister, was the junior bridesmaid. Bridesmaids were Miss Muriel LaPlante of Holyoke, Miss Lydia Ball of North Amherst and Miss Susan LaBoard, of Williamsburg. Flower girls were Beryl and Laurie Jenks of Belchertown.

Warren Jenks of Belchertown was the best man. Ushers were Alexander M. Smith of Amherst, Edward Jenks of Belchertown, David LaPlante of Holyoke and William Skrizki of Amherst.

The bride wore a Chantilly lace gown, with Sabrina neckline, trimmed with seed pearls and iridescent sequins, and long tapered sleeves with a V-bodice. The bouffant skirt had self-material rosettes, accented with a center front and tier on tier lace terminating in full chapel train. Her veil of English illusion, had a three-tier crown of lace, trimmed with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. Her bouquet was a cascade of white orchids with stephanotis and ivy.

The maid of honor wore a cotillion length sheath gown, with scoop neckline, elbow sleeves, with three-quarter overskirt of unpressed pleats, with center front self-material flat bow. Her matching headpiece was of florettes and petals with pearl trim, and a face veil. She carried a bouquet of eucharis lilies and pink picoted carnations.

The reception for 200 guests was held in the parish house.

Mrs. Jenks was born in Northampton and graduated from Amherst Regional High School in June. She is a secretary for the Massachusetts Food and Drug Division, Public Health Center. Mr. Jenkins was born in Pelham. He is employed by the Dan Stark Laboratories.

P. T. A. MEETING

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Frank Kosiba—The Only Child

A report will be given by Mrs. Chester Pinkos, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, on the recent most successful Hootenanny. Refreshments will be served under the direction of Mrs. Leo Hall, Co-chairman Hospitality Committee, assisted by the room mothers of Main Street School.

SCOUT NEWS

Monday evening at the Student Union ballroom at the U. of M., at the annual Hampshire-Franklin County dinner, Belchertown was represented by Cub and Boy Scout leaders. The Scout leaders who attended were Scoutmaster and Mrs. John Kelley, Assistant Scoutmaster and Mrs. James Nolan, and Assistant Scoutmaster Harry Shakarian.

Cub leaders attending were Cubmaster and Mrs. Gerald Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lapointe, Mrs. Donna Gammon, Mrs. Eunice Griswold and Mrs. Linda Fish. Everyone enjoyed a wonderful evening.

— EARLY COPY PLEASE —

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, Clara E. LaFrance, Amherst Road, Belchertown, Massachusetts, has applied for a Common Victualers license with all-alcoholic privileges, to be drunk on the premises.

Business known as Beltown, Inc., located one- fourth mile north of Dwight Station on Amherst Road. Two story frame building. Premises to be licensed are: first floor dining room and bar, cellar for storage.

A public hearing will be held on the above application in the Selectmen's room, Memorial Hall, Belchertown, Massachusetts, at 7.30 p. m., on Thursday, November 21, 1963.

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Licensing Board

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that Theodore W. Smist, North Main Street, Belchertown and Helen A. Smist, 161 Newton Street, South Hadley Falls, Massachusetts, have applied for an Innholders License with all-alcoholic privileges, to be drunk on the premises. Business known as the Park Lane Inn, located on the corner of North Main and East Walnut Streets, Belchertown, Massachusetts, said premises consisting of a two-story frame building, first floor, four rooms, men's and women's toilets. Second floor, five rooms and bath room. Cellar for storage.

A public hearing will be held on the above application in the Selectmen's room, Memorial Hall, Belchertown, Massachusetts, at 7.30 p. m., on Thursday, November 21, 1963.

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Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that Clarence V. Morey, North Washington Street, Belchertown, Massachusetts, has applied for a Retail Package Goods Store license with all-alcoholic privileges, not to be drunk on the premises. Business conducted under the name of the Belchertown Pharmacy, located in the Dillon Block, Park Street, Belchertown. Premises to be licensed are the store, north corner of Dillon Block, first floor, back room and cellar for storage.

A public hearing will be held on the above application in the Selectmen's room, Memorial Hall, Belchertown, Massachusetts, at 7.30 p. m., on Thursday, November 21, 1963.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To RUTH MORRISON of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said RUTH MORRISON is a mentally ill person and praying that ALBERT T. MORRISON of Easthampton, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northhampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

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GIRL SCOUT NEWS

There were about 65 guests present for the investiture service, conducted by the Brownie and Junior Scouts, on November 5th in the Methodist Vestry. Girls from both Junior troops served refreshments, which were provided by parents of Brownies. Many thanks to these mothers.

Mrs. Whipple has resiged as leader of Troop 432, Brownies, and Mrs. Bernice Morey and Mrs. Eleanor Dyer are the new leaders.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Lester Stivers is at Holyoke Hospital, where she underwent surgery.

Sgt. Sheldon Barker of Stebbins St. underwent surgery at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Weston, former residents here, who have been residing in Northern Maine for the past nine years, have returned to town.

GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange will confer the 1st and 2nd Degrees at the meeting next Tuesday evening.

Nine tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Joy and Linda Wright. Prize winners were: 1st, Mary Dziuba, Marjorie Cooley, Ann Wilga (both of Amherst) Wallace Matska; 2nd, Gaetane Fortin, Emma Grover, Ruth Kempkes, A. H. Powers; 3rd, Anna Lazarz, Regina Demers; Special, Marjorie Cooley, Mary Dziuba, Ann Wilga, Wallace Matska; door, Mary Dziuba and Fred Lincoln.

This week's party will be in charge of Gaetane Fortin and Reva Hebert.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

On Tuesday, November 12, Den six went into the woods to gather pinecones and bark. Before going into the woods, we had a drink of juice for refreshments. We had a very good time.

—Mark Jackson, Scribe

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during our recent bereavement.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong in Church at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Salisbury Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in Old Town Hall.
Firefighters Association.

TUESDAY

Chamber of Commerce at Walter Boyko's at 7.30 p. m.
Special Service—Rev. Dennis Bennett—in the Methodist Church at 7.45 p. m.
Evening Group of W. S. of C. S. with Mrs. Catherine Dyer at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Annual Union Thanksgiving Service in Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

THURSDAY— THANKSGIVING

FRIDAY

Police Association Record Hop.

SATURDAY

Jaycee Charter Night at Robin Hedge.
Hilltop Twirlers' Dance in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Square Dance Club Pot-Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Loyalty Dinner in Methodist Vestry at 6.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Dec. 3
4-H Dog Club Meeting.
Dec. 6
Bloodmobile in Belchertown.
Dec. 7
Hootenanny sponsored by P. T. A.
Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

ARRIVING NEXT WEEK

The Rev. and Mrs. Elvert Miller will arrive in town next weekend, with Mr. Miller preaching at the morning service of the Congregational Church on December 1.

That evening at seven o'clock a reception will be held in the Parish House for the Miller family. All interested persons are invited to attend.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The flag ceremony was presented by Den 3 to open the meeting. Two skits were presented. Den 7 presented a skit on sound of the voice and how we use it. Den 8 presented the sound of music on home-made instruments. The band's name was "The Quiet Tones," which were anything but quiet.

Our pack was honored by several guests. They were Chief E. G. Warner, Hampshire-Franklin Council; Chester Dzwonkowski, local representative; Samuel Joyal, Institutional representative; and Assistant Scoutmasters James Nolan and Harry Shakarian.

The charter for the new year was presented by Chief Warner by candlelight ceremony. Chet Dzwonkowski presented the leaders' certificates. He also presented the Boys Life banner to the Pack. He also had a few words to say about scouting. Cub Scout certificates were give to each boy along with a window sticker signifying that a "Cub Scout Lives Here," by Cubmaster Hutchinson.

A candlelight ceremony was presented to graduate William Digris into the Boy Scouts. James Nolan, Asst. Scoutmaster, acting for Scout-

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PUBLISH DAY LATE

This paper will be published one day later next week, by reason of Thanksgiving. The *Sentinel* staff extends to all, a most pleasant and bountiful Thanksgiving.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION CARDS

John Dell, Elementary School principal, announces that emergency information cards are being prepared and will be sent home to parents to be filled out. Among the items are the places of employment of the parents, and telephone numbers, blanks for the naming of two neighbors or near-by relatives authorized to assume temporary charge of child in case of emergency, and a blank for the naming of a physician to call, if same is necessary. The need for this information was found desirable lately, when parents could not be contacted in an emergency.

BLOODMOBILE VISIT

The Red Cross Bloodmobile unit will make a visit to Belchertown, Friday, December 6, from 1 to 7 p. m. at the Pine Room of St. Francis Church.

Workers from the churches and organizations in town are seeking to sign up donors in order that our town will obtain a minimum of 100 pints.

It takes so little time and effort to donate, and the benefits to those in need are so great! If you are in the 18-59 age group, sign up now with one of the following groups: Holy Name Society, Catholic Women's Club, Methodist Church, Congregational Church, American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Union Grange, Vernon Lodge of Masons, Eastern Star, or call Mrs. Kenneth Collard or Mrs. Louis Shumway.

DWIGHT CHAPEL LADIES TAKING ORDERS

The Dwight Chapel ladies are taking orders for home-made baked goods for Thanksgiving: Rolls, banana and cranberry bread—Pies: apple, squash, pumpkin and mince—Cakes: applesauce, plain and chocolate cake, and cake squares.

Orders may be telephoned to Mrs. Carl Fay, Mrs. Lewis Gentile, Mrs. Louise Capen, Mrs. Robert Fay and Mrs. Wm Fay.

The deadline for all orders is Saturday, November 23, at 6 p. m. The delivery date is Wednesday, November 27.

REV. DENNIS BENNETT TO SPEAK

The Belchertown Methodist Church is privileged to have as its guest Rev. Dennis Bennett. He will speak at the church on Tuesday evening, November 26, at 7.45 p. m.

Rev. Bennett is the Vicar of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Seattle, Washington. He is an internationally known speaker, and is on a short speaking tour in this area. It is of interest to Belchertown residents that he will be speaking in Walpole on Sunday morning. His other engagements are in Boston on both Saturday and Sunday evenings. He will speak in Rhode Island on Monday evening.

The public is invited to come and hear how God has used Rev. Bennett in a miraculous way since his new experience with the Holy Spirit.

POSTPONED

By reason of Thanksgiving, the Planning Board announces that its next meeting will be on Thursday, December 5.

C. OF C.

As previously announced, the Chamber of Commerce will meet next Tuesday evening at 7.30 at Walter Boyko's, with the Junior Chamber invited. Refreshments will be served.

P. T. A. MEETING

The progtam at the P. T. A. meeting on Monday evening was quite worth while and was deserving of a "first night" attendance.

Mrs. DeWitt spoke on "Conforming Teen-agers," and visualized their interests, outlook and activities. Rather realistically, she described teen-agers' patterns of thoughts, and how one misbehavior leads to another, all leading to a tragic outcome. She said it is imperative for a youngster to be able to say "No".

Fred Stockton spoke on "First Graders." He mentioned children's aims, the school system's aims, and parental aims, and said that there is a need for the coordination of these aims. An apt statement of his was that it would be desirable to have and take a four years' course on how to fulfil the functions of parents.

Frank Kosiba nearly brought tears of sympathy when he spoke of the "only child," who has to carry on the family tradition alone. In a large family there is a variation of ability, outstanding ones able to carry on. Frank's concluding words were "Have more than one."

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SUPERINTENDENT APPOINTED

The School Committee announces the appointment of Frank M. Dunn, Jr., of Pine Street, Medfield, Mass., as school superintendent to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Carl Peterson last August.

Chairman Harold Willey states that Mr. Dunn was the unanimous choice of the five-member committee after considering over thirty active applicants.

Mr. Dunn has been administrative assistant in the Dover-Sherborn school system where he has been for the past ten years. He has worked under Dr. Fritz Lindquist, superintendent, well known in educational circles.

He graduated and received his master's degree from Tufts. He has done advanced work in education at Harvard and Boston University.

He is an active member of the Big Brothers Association of Boston, is former chairman and present member of the Medfield School Planning and Building Committee, and is a member of the board of directors of the Greater Framingham Mental Health Association.

He is also a member of the Dover-Sherborn Teachers Association, the National Secondary School Principals Association, and the National Education Association.

Mr. Dunn is 44 years of age, is married, his wife, Jean, also being a graduate of Tufts, and they have a daughter, Holly Jean, nine years of age, in Grade 4. Mrs. Dunn is a kindergarten teacher, also in the Dover-Sherborn school system.

Mr. Dunn begins his duties here January 2. During the interim, Donald E. Geer is serving as acting superintendent.

P. F. EXCHANGE VISIT

Forty-three young people from the United Church in Walpole, of which Rev. Paul Varga is now minister, came to town Friday afternoon for the first part of an overnight exchange visit with the Senior P. F. group here.

Apparently the trip snowballed in popularity (although there was no snow on the trip) as a much lesser number were at first expected. They came in nine cars.

First on the agenda was the Guild public supper. When Paul came in the dining hall, there was a heart-warming burst of applause. Rev. Mr. Varga, while at the tables, expressed pleasure at being back and greeting his former parishioners.

After supper, the group, in two trucks, enjoyed perhaps the highlight of the trip—a hayride to Robin Farm

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One Simple Soliloquizer

News From Green Mountains
Shows Variety and Contrast

Clippings from our very-much-loved state of Vermont, as we have found them in various places, indicate a wide variety of happenings, progressive or what have you, going on in what the Green Mountain folks modestly claim is "Every American's Second State."

Dowsers in Danville

According to a two-page pictorial in a recent *Life*, the American Society of Dowsers recently held a convention in Danville, a lovely little hill town near St. Johnsbury, named for a French admiral, D'Anville, who must have been on "our side" in the Revolution.

This "dowsing" business is a fascinating affair which may be pure bunk as most authentic geologists affirm, but which has devotees from all walks of life who swear that the "divining rod," held by those who have the touch, is a sure way of locating —usually water, though there are dowsers who can find minerals, oil, or almost anything out of sight!

Life says there are 25,000 "amateur and professional dowsers in the U.S., and 165 turned up at the convention, equipped with forked sticks, bent coat hangers, special nylon rods, wire pendulums, and plain brooms. "These latter devices must have been added to the equipment in recent years, for in my own recollection, a forked wooden stick was the approved instrument.

The *Columbia Encyclopedia* has this to say on the subject:

"Searching for underground water or mineral with the help of the divining rod or dowser is an ancient form of divination still in common use in many parts of the world. Though some are skeptical, faith in the divining rod is not limited to the ignorant. The instrument is typically a forked twig. Preferred woods include witch hazel and the wood of fruit trees, as the apple; willow, beech, and holly also are used. The operator is called, like the instrument, a dowser. His competence is believed to be a gift, not an acquisition. In each hand he holds near his body one of the forks of the twig, with the stem pointing forward. When he walks over a spot under which water or the desired mineral may be found, the stem of the divining rod is supposed to be pulled down. The water or mineral may be found at a depth equal to half the distance across the space where the divining rod is affected by it. A skeptic has observed that, as the rod is held, tightening the grip on the fork depresses the stem."

Confirmed dowsers make all sorts of extravagant claims concerning the success of their divinations. To quote *Life:* "One Mass. Cattleman . . . claims to have found 1,015 good wells (and 37 dry ones)." This same chap is sure there is water on Mars! Others can tell where water is to be located simply by holding the rod over a map!

It sometimes seems that we deny our own "Age of Science" by taking up readily with ancient "magics," like dowsing, phrenology, astrology, alchemy, and the rest. Most of these did seem to fall into some disrepute when the impact of scientific research began to be felt in the earlier days of the century.

Then science succeeded in producing wonder upon wonder, until the scientists themselves seemed like magicians to the rest of us. We get so we believe almost anything because so much that was once unbelievable has come to be commonplace. Scientists caught up with and passed Jules Verne and forced Tom Swift into new editions.

In this "anything can happen" age, what wonder we still foster the old magics, though they sometimes seem amateurish compared with nuclear physics! If you really want to know how open-minded we have become to magic spells, just hark to the voice of the pill people on your TV tonight!

So what's so strange about Dowsers in Danville!

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Power Comes to 245 and 246
In Vermont's North Woods

Last Saturday news filtered down from the truly wilderness section of northern Vermont that the townships of Granby and Victory are about to get electricity from the Central Vermont Public Service Corporation, one will not have to view the turkey by Candlelight!

When the line is completed by Thanksgiving Day, the whole stare will have its power, these towns with a total population of 90 being numbers 245 and 246. Although the cost of putting through the line is $127,000, the rate will be only 3 cents per kilowatt as against 2.5 cents in most residential areas.

These are really backwoods towns, with no stores and one elementary school between them. Lumbering is the business and the woods belong to the great power company. We've been up that way fishing with Florence's late brother Walter, and enjoyed the sport along the Moose River.

The Victory post office had a big time when World War II ended. Cover collectors had the place flooded with letters to be postmarked there on the day that victory came.

When these towns began their fight for electricity back in 1958, they had a total of 67 cents in their treasuries, says the news item. Now that juice is coming, one lady says she is going to try to market lots with log cabins!

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Kid Gore's Camp Najerog
Symbol of Vermont Recreation

In the *Brattleboro Reformer* of November 8, 1963, appeared a lead editorial which had much praise for Kid Gore's Camp Najerog in Southern Vermont, a far cry from Victory, in a beautiful part of the state where the wilderness has been reclaimed for recreation. Here are the key paragraphs:

"We are concerned at the moment with this long passage of time—40 years—between Camp Najerog's starting date and today. Forty years ago, Vermont's potential for summer recreation in the form of organized camping was just being discovered. Its potential for winter recreation for outsiders hadn't even been discovered —and it was six years later before the first up-hill ski lift in America was invented at Woodstock.

"Kid Gore's Camp Najerog was, indeed, one of the pioneers in the recreation industry this state has fostered and which now looms so large in Vermont's economy. Yet this pioneer, with unerring good sense, has never changed its formula of simplicity and unpretentious use of nature, its emphasis on outdoor activity and association with natural beauty, which marked its beginning years. These could be cultivated in Vermont then, and Vermont is one of the few states in which they can still be cultivated!

"Vermont's woods, lakes, streams, and mountains are priceless assets. They are the scene today of four-season recreational activity not only for those of us who live in the state, but for many, many thousands of youngsters and adults who come to the state. Vermont owes more than a nod of thanks to Kid Gore and Camp Najerog, not only for pioneer work in the recreational industry, but for continuing leadership in thoughtful and considerate use of Vermont's natural resources. He has shown how they can be enhanced by proper use, not exploited. And by so doing he has become a part of a growing state while helping preserve its inherent attractiveness for those, young and old, who seek respite from city life."

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And so we have it—three glimpses of Vermont from top to bottom!

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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Tuesday was the centennial of the *Gettysburg Address*, which, if given now, would start:

Ninescore and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal."

As your morning paper will undoubtedly tell you, we are still working out the "proposition."

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Amy Witt was elected Master of Union Grange.

Ryther & Warren are installing a set of large scales at their plant for convenience in weighing coal.

Deacon and Mrs. A. H. Bartlett celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Sunday.

A concert and dance under the auspices of the American Legion and Auxiliary will be held in Lawrence Memorial Hall. This is the first dance since the Legion reorganized.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Robert Jackson of Grade 7 won the Elementary School Prize Essay in the American Legion contest. His essay was on "Four-H Work" and appeared in the *Sentinel*. Robert has also been chosen as editor-in-chief of the Center Grade School News.

Thanksgiving ended in a whirlwind storm of blizzard proportions. And 24 hours later the town was still digging its way out.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sanford of Los Angeles, Calif. and formerly of this town, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on the 22nd.

A reception was tendered Dr. and Mrs. James L. Collard, recently married, by about 100 members of the Easter Star and the Masonic Lodge.

TEN YEARS AGO

The contract for the Congregational Parish House Renovation was let to George Croteau of Chicopee Falls. Work begins Monday.

Early Friday morning a fire all but wrecked the Ketchen Machine shop. But salvage began almost before the fire was out. A few of the machines are running again already. The plant was employing 57 people at the time of the fire.

329 persons visited the schools in the recent Open House.

Clifford A. Bayard of Wilmington, Vt. was guest speaker at the Camera Club meeting. He spoke on "Color and Composition from the Artist's Point of View." He awarded the first prize for the pictures shown to the President, Les Campbell.

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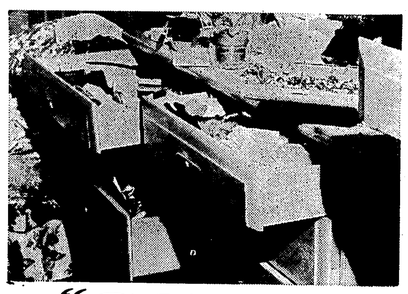
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CUB SCOUT NOTES

Den Six finished making Thanksgiving candle holders on Tuesday at the Den meeting. We started to make a scrapbook for the patients at the State School.

—Mark Jackson, Scribe

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The results of last Monday's matches (Nov. 18) presented quite a different picture as compared to the previous week. In team standings Jackson's dropped from 1st to 3rd place with the Independents moving up into first. Henneman's jumped from 4th to 2nd spot while Turkey Hill went down into 4th position. In individual bowling a new bowler for the Legion, Ronald Blaine, who is also the youngest bowler in the League, rolled three strikes in a row his first night. If it was rolled in an MBA League Match, it would be worth $1,000.

Team results were: Independents 6, Cole's 0; Salvage 6, Jackson's 0; Gates 6, Park Lane 0; Henneman's 6, B. S. S. 0; Cook's 4, Turkey Hill 2; Hilltoppers 4, Reece 2; Legion 4, Jabish Brook 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Independents	50	16	16,275
Henneman's	47	19	16,460
Jackson's	46	20	16,070
Turkey Hill	44	22	15,941
Salvage	39	27	16,065
Hilltoppers	38	28	15,720
Reece	36	30	15,655
Cook's	35	31	15,819
Gates	32	34	15,365
Jabish Brook	28	38	15,592
Park Lane	22	44	15,418
Cole's	22	44	15,109
B. S. S.	17	49	14,508
Amer. Legion	6	60	14,152

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	R. Hubbard, Sr., 141
High Three Strings	P. Chlebus, 365
2nd High Three	J. Bodzinski, 359
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,609

310 Club—F. Grover 323, T. Bleau 350, J. Bodzinski 346, B. Dickinson 310, D. Barrett 317, T. Pereira 315, A. Sears 322, A. Henneman 349, D. Pratt 317, M. Hubler 318, R. Dana 320, P. Chlebus 324, W. Jensen 312, B. Ross 349, and R. Blaine 323.

110 Club—F. Grover 110, 111, H. Squires 111, G. Vadnais 117, T. Bleau 122, 111, 117, J. Bodzinski 112, 131, E. Bock 114, D. Barrett 115, D. Dunbar 111, T. Pereira 115, A. Mignault 110, A. Sears 118, J. Hubbard 112, A. Henneman 129, 117, M. Hubler 110, 115, R. Dana 118, P. Chlebus 118, 110, E. Henrichon 110, J. McInnis 112, R. Reece 113, H. Goodrow 117, B. Ross 113, 121, 115, H. Main 115, and R. Blaine 122.

Next Week's Matches—

Turkey Hill vs. Salvage
Henneman's vs. Independents
Park Lane vs. Hilltoppers
Jabish Brook vs. Gates
Jackson's vs. Amer. Legion
Cook's vs. B. State School
Reece vs. Cole's

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The team results of November 14: Gay Rollers 8, Outskirters 0; King Pins 8, Bowl-aires 0; Roll-a-ways 8, Crystals 0; Congo's 6, Pin Spinners 2; Hit or Miss 6, Harmony Five 2; Nite Outers 6, Chadson Gals 2; and Pin Pickers 6, Jolly "5" 2.

The King Pins had the team high three with 1328, and team high single with 454. High three went to Rose Scott with 317, and second high three to Joan Poole with 297. Rose Scott had a high single of 110, and Shirley Dzuris had second high single with 107. Rose Scott made the "300" club with a 317, and also the "110" club with a 110.

Season Records

High Single String	B. Boucher, 123
2nd High Single	D. Snow, 117
High Three Strings	B. Boucher 324
2nd High Three	R. Scott, 317
Team High Single	Pin Pickers, 495
Team High Three	Pin Pickers, 1,366

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	60	12	11,682
Congo's	54	18	11,240
Roll-a-ways	50	22	11,434
Jolly "5"	48	24	11,366
Crystals	48	24	11,118
Gay Rollers	46	26	11,304
Hit or Miss	44	28	11,146
Harmony Five	34	38	10,507
Chadson Gals	31	41	10,597
Pin Spinners	28	44	10,361
King Pins	26	46	10,916
Nite Outers	18	54	10,197
Outskirters	9	63	10,329
Bowl-aires	8	64	10,599

—Ruth Dowd, Secretary

ELEMENTARY NOTES

Thanksgiving 1963

Students in the Belchertown Public Schools will sit down to a traditional Thanksgiving feast on Monday, November 25, 1963.

The palate-pleasing menu will consist of turkey and dressing, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, peas and milk, topped off with ice cream for dessert, all for .30 cents.

Open House—Elementary Schools

Principal John A. Dell wishes to thank parents and friends who visited the Belchertown Elementary Schools during the recent "Open House" on November 12, 13, and 14.

Mr. Dell also says "thank you" to his teachers for their help and cooperation in making the program a success and also to the Homeroom Mothers who helped to serve refreshments at the three schools.

CENTER SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Belchertown Junior High School honor roll for the marking period ending November 8, 1963.

First Honors
All A's

Grade 8
Martha Henneman
Anne Jackson

Grade 7

Second Honors
Average 90 and above

Grade 8
Louise Austin
Margaret Langevin
Cathy Ann Lowe

Grade 7
Karoline Kimball
Elizabeth Kopacz
Doreen Plant

Third Honors
Average 85-89

Grade 8
Janet Chambers
Elizabeth Davin
DaEtta Hull
Janet Isaac
Mark Lamoureux
Pauline Lemire
Gregory Olson
Glenn Pepin
Patricia Tetrault
Wayne Willey

Grade 7
Carol Bergeron
Patricia Carr
Christine Couture
Patricia Dronzek
John Ladue
Robert Puder

JR. HIGH MUSIC GROUPS

The following singing groups have been announced by Mrs. Clara Cook, Director of Music at Center Junior High School:

Glee Club—8th Grade

Soprano—Cindy Brougham, Becky Davin, Wendy Hagen, Anne Jackson, Linda Lagrant, Margaret Langevin, Gail Capen, Shirley Garrison, Joyce Krol, Loretta Opalenik, and Linda Martins.

Alto—Louise Austin, Marguerite Brennen, Da Etta Hull, Glenn Pepin, Patricia Tetrault, and Patricia Theroux.

Bass—Philip Dahlgren and Donald Perham.

Tenor—David Bock, Robert Forest, Mark Lamoureux, Gregory Olsen, Wayne Willey, James Lovett, Emerson Green and Earl McCallum.

Glee Club—7th Grade

Soprano—Donna Boynton, April Capen, Patricia Carr, Christine Couture, Barbara Harrington, Elizabeth Kopacz, Mona Samborski, Cecilia Terault, Christine Barrett, Kathleen Dzuris, Reine Richards, Bonnie Snowden, Steven Goodrow, and Linda Zglobicki.

Alto—Mary Dyer, Arthur Ketchen, Karoline Kimball, Marie Lebida, Doreen Plant, Lorraine Plant, Gary Scheatzle, Mark Very, Claire Demers, Gail Faulkins, Sandra Gay, Sandra Henrichon, Linda Karcher, Gregory Lyon, Robert Anderson, Dianna Fleming, Sandra Lysik, Lin Myron, Cheryl Owen, Brenda Potter, and Donna Sroka.

Tenor—Paul Oberly, John Wadsworth, Thomas Zglebicki, William Austin, Thomas Barrett, Kevin Brown, Paul Guillette, and Philip Jenks.

Bass—Herbert Hodge

Special Group—8th Grade

Soprano—Cindy Brougham, Becky Davin, Wendy Hagen, Anne Jackson, Linda Lagrant, Margaret Langevin, Gail Capen, Shirley Garrison, Joyce Krol, and Loretta Opalenik.

Bass—Philip Dahlgren and Donald Perham.

Alto—Louise Austin, Margurite Brennen, Da Etta Hull, Glenn Pepin, Patricia Tetrault, Patricia Theroux, Martha Henneman, and Cathy Lowe.

Tenor—David Bock, Mark Lamoureux, Wayne Willey, Emerson Green, Robert Forest, Gregory Olson, James Lovett, and Earl McCallum.

Special Group—7th Grade

Soprano—April Capen, Christine Barrett, Patricia Carr, and Christine Couture.

Alto—Mary Dyer, Karoline Kimball, Doreen Plant, Claire Demers, Gail Faulkins, Sandra Gay, and Lin Miron.

Tenor—John Wadsworth

SIMMONS COLLEGE RELEASE

Mrs. James Allen, Jr. (Dona Copithorne), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Copithorne of Belchertown, is one of nine seniors at Simmons College, School of Home Economics, who are participating in a six-week student teaching program as part of the training in the Home Economics Education program.

She is doing her field study work at Brookline High School. A graduate of Belchertown High School in 1960, she has been active in college affairs as treasurer of the Home Economics Club and Borden Award winner.

SERVICE NEWS

Fort Dix, N. J.—Pvt. James P. Boyko of Belchertown has been assigned to H Company of the 2nd Training Regiment of the U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry, for eight weeks of basic training.

Prior to his arrival at Fort Dix on October 16, James Boyko, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boyko, Mill Valley Road, graduated from Monson Academy and attended Western New England College.

SUBMITS RESIGNATION

Herbert Squires submitted his written resignation as a police officer Thursday evening to the Board of Selectmen because of "personal commitments which make it impossible for him to devote the time necessary to do a good job in this capacity, too." Squires, who has served as an elected constable and appointed police officer since March, 1956, will continue to serve as a constable. The selectmen expressed regrets at accepting his resignation and commended Squires on the work he had performed for the town during the past seven years.

BOY SCOUTS VISIT SEVEN SISTERS

Scoutmaster Bailey reports that last Saturday twenty-five Boy Scouts visited Skinner Park, and the "Seven Sisters", and walked home—estimated as a ten mile hike. They were accompanied by assistant Scoutmaster Shakarian and Ralph Munn. The boys stood the hike home well, but the assistants were said to be rather lame the next day. Next summer it is planned to have a two-day overnight camping trip.

This week it is planned to have a mystery hike—guess where!

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

— News Of Our Pastor —

As mentioned elsewhere, Fr. Dudley has left the hospital and is now in a rest home. Mail will still reach him addressed Box 35, Belchertown.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.
Religion classes at B. S. S. at 10 a. m. with Fr. Collins.

— SUNDAY —

Twenty-Fifth and Last Sunday After Pentecost

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Colossians 1, 9-14. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Colossians.

Gospel—Matthew 24, 15-35. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew. (Relates the prophecy of the destruction of Jerusalem and the signs of the last day.)

The Catechism or C. C. D. classes will be held following the 9.30 Mass.

Baptisms at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— Released Time —

There will not be any released time classes this week, due to Thanksgiving.

— Week-day Server —

The week-day server for this week was Mike Oberly. Server for next week, starting on Tuesday will be Michael Samson.

— Bishops' Clothing Drive —

The annual Bishops' Clothing Drive opened last Sunday and will continue to Thanksgiving. Items desired: Any usable clothing, shoes, blankets, etc., which you no longer use and wish to contribute. These items are distributed to the needy, regardless of their race, color or creed.

These items may be left in the Pine Room on any week-day from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., or after any Mass on Sunday until noon.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes in Educational Building and Vestry

11 a. m. Morning Worship—LOYALTY Sunday—Special Music—The Men's Chorus
Sermon, "My Responsibility"

Members and friends of the church are urged to make their commitment to the Church at the Morning Service as they bring their card to the altar.

2 p. m. Training Session for Canvassers

6 p. m. Senior High Methodist Youth Fellowship

6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship

7.30 p. m. Evensong in the Church
All are welcome to come and share in this service

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25

7.30 p. m. Adult Pastor's Class in Church Vestry. This class is the first in a series of four to be held on Monday nights. The purpose of the class is to prepare adults for church membership, or to inform interested members who would like to know more about the Methodist Church.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

7.45 p. m. Rev. Dennis Bennett, Vicar of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Seattle, Washington, will speak.

8 p. m. The Evening Group of the W. S. C. S. will meet with Mrs. Catherine Dyer of Maple Street

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

7.30 p. m. The Union Thanksgiving Service will be held at the Methodist Church.

8.30 p. m. The mid-week prayer group will meet.

7 a. m. The Youth Breakfast for the Senior High Youth in the Vestry.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Loyalty Dinner

COMING

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

6 p. m. Fun, Food and Fellowship—A Christmas Party for the whole Church.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

4.30 p. m. Christmas Pageant.

LOYALTY DINNER

Members and friends of the Belchertown Methodist Church will attend a Loyalty Dinner, Friday evening, November 22, at 6.30 p. m. in the Church Vestry.

Dr. John Barton, a dentist and Baptist layman from Hartford, Conn., will be the keynote speaker. The proposed budget for 1964 will be presented by Mr. Ralph Trombly.

The Loyalty Dinner is being held in connection with the stewardship enlistment program of the Church. Sunday, November 24, has been set as Commitment Day, at which time it is expected that every member of the church and Sunday School will bring his personal stewardship commitment card to the church.

W. S. C. S. NOTES

At the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Wednesday evening, the plight of Cooper Community Centre was brought forcefully to the attention of the members through a letter stating that a $13,000 debt has been incurred through repairs to buildings that have had to be made usable to take the place of others being torn down to make way for a new highway.

This center in the Roxbury section of Boston is supported solely by the women of the New England Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

It was voted to contribute a sum of money immediately, and each member will be asked to donate a dollar at our next meeting.

Our Secretary of Spiritual Life, Loretta Gay, announced that there will be a brief prayer meeting preceding our future monthly meetings at 6.45, the place to be announced. She also wishes to remember Janet McKay's birthday on November 23. Her address is Monson State Hospital, Women's Infirmary Building, Palmer; and Mrs. Annie French's birthday, November 28. Her address is 45 Jackson St., Saugus. Late cards are very acceptable.

Our program for the evening was a most impressive meditation on a portion of the Lord's Prayer by Alice Suhm—"Give us this day our daily bread."

The calorie filled refreshments of pie and coffee and confections were in charge of Georgia Atwood, chairman, Alice Wildey and Alice Henrichon.

There will be a Goodwill pick-up Monday, December 2, at the Methodist Vestry.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Glenn McKessick of Brighton St., Fairview, has announced the engagement of his daughter, Karen, to John Plowucha, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plowucha of North Main St. Miss McKessick is a senior at Chicopee High School. Plowucha attended Belchertown High School and New Salem Academy and is employed at Marcel Paper Co. in South Hadley Falls.

JAMES J. MULLANE

James J. Mullane, 57, of Mill Valley Road, died Tuesday morning in his home. He was born in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, September 12, 1906, son of Patrick and Mary (Reidy) Mullane. He was a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and had lived here since 1951. He was an engineer for American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Besides his wife, the former Phyllis Avrill, who heads the local school's cafeteria program, he leaves two daughters, Leonora and Sheila, both students at the University of Massachusetts; four sisters, Mrs. Nora Filler, Mrs. Julia Traber and Mrs. William Lorenz, all of Portsmouth, N. H., and Sister Marie Celine, of the Sisters of Mercy, Claremont, N. H.

The funeral will be held today, at 9 a. m. in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Portsmouth. The Farrell funeral home in Portsmouth is in charge.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Robert F. Berkey has chosen for his sermon title, "The Gift of a Grateful Heart."

The Fellowships

The Junior High and Senior High Pilgrim Fellowships will meet Sunday at 5.30 and 7 o'clock.

Church School

The Junior Staff of the Church School will meet on Monday evening.

Double or Nothing

The Double or Nothing Club will cancel its meeting this month, due to conflicting events.

Thanksgiving Service

The Union Thanksgiving Service will be held in the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, November 27.

Dates

Dec. 1—Reception for Miller family
Dec. 4—Friendly Service Work Meeting
Dec. 4—Board of Trustees
Dec. 8—Christmas Family Workshop

ADVENT SING

The Ware Council of Methodist Churches presents an Advent Sing in the Monson Methodist Church on Sunday, December first, starting at 7.30 p. m. You and your friends can receive no greater inspiration at this Season of year than by participation in this service. Let us keep Christ in Christmas by giving a proper place to Christmas congregational Singing.

P. F. EXCHANGE

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Lodge, where Henry Renouf, the owner, was host.

At the Lodge, there were games, dancing, and refreshments of cider and doughnuts, the latter made on the spot.

The group were entertained in private homes for the night.

The next morning the group toured the Quabbin area in Gates' bus, driven by Gould Ketchen (who with Mrs. Ketchen are the local P. F. Advisors) and two cars, Harold Mellin of the Metropolitan personnel hosting the party.

They were shown the administration building, the Metropolitan police headquarters, the jail, the recreation room, the hanger, the observation tower, and other points of interest.

Some 25 local P. F.'s toured the area with their guests.

Lunch was served by the Assistance Committee in the Parish House, following which Dick Merrell spoke at a discussion period.

The final feature of the trip was a worship service in the church, led by Susan Miner.

The group left at about 2.30, with many new friendships formed. The young people were accompanied here by some adults, including a Mr. Germando, minister of education.

MACDONALD—OWCZARSKI WEDDING

Miss Rita Mary MacDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Joseph MacDonald of 91 Cottage St., Athol; and Casimir Walter Owczarski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Owczarski of 14 Richmond Lane, Adams, were married in a double ring ceremony on Veterans Day at Our Lady of Immaculate Church in Athol with Msgr. Warburton celebrating a high mass.

Miss Karen Ann King of Athol was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Cynthia Steward of Athol, Ellen Nash of Hartford and Patricia Alcombright of North Adams, a niece of the bridegroom. Ann Meirer of Adams, who is also a niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

Vasimir Salisz of Adams served as best man and the ushers were John Szfranski of Adams, Edward Fredette of Athol and Vernon J. MacDonald, brother of the bride, also of Athol. William McGuirk of Athol, cousin of the bride was the ring bearer.

A reception for some 350 guests was held at the Elks Home in Athol.

Following a wedding trip to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, the couple will reside at Jackson St., Belchertown.

BAZAAR LEFTOVERS

Have you finished your CHRISTMAS SHOPPING? The articles remaining from the Methodist Bazaar are on display at Anna Witts' on South Main Street.

There are many fine articles to choose from, also hard candy and fruit cakes.

FR. DUDLEY LEAVES HOSPITAL

We were happy to learn that Fr. Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church, had been discharged from the hospital in Boston where he has been confined since October 22. As he needs a great deal of rest, he will spend some time recuperating in a rest home.

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[GI]RL SCOUT NEWS

[T]he following girls were invested [in t]he new scouting program on No[vem]ber 5th in the Methodist Vestry:

[T]roop 433 Brownies: Leaders—Mrs. [...]le and Mrs. Keller—Mary Corrigan, [...]dra Dearness, Debra Dodge, Sandra [...]ey, Dianne Dyer, Donna Giguere, [...]ra Hess, Holly Howard, Ivy Kel[...] Patrice Kimball, Joanne Leduc, [...]i Lindsey, Barbara Nolan, Carol [...]man, Anita Smith, Marlene Sroka, [...]e Tolpa, Debbie Veins, Susan Ber[...] Sherry Loftus, Sherry Hutchin[...] Linda Squires, and Judy Norman.

[T]roop 432 Brownies: Leaders—Mrs. [...]ey and Mrs. Dyer—Vicki Dear[...], Nancy Dodge, Mary Collins, [...] Crisafulli, Patricia Ferris, Chris[...] Fish, Susan Kearney, Roxanne [...]sier, Janet Merriam, Barbara Morey, [...]a Neggers, Hilda Neggers, Hollis [...]t, Cheryl Pierce, Lynn Phaneuf, [...]e Richards, Judith Ritter, Shirley [...]son, Debra Trudell, Theresa Wads[wor]th, and Sandra Lyons.

[T]roop 438 Juniors: Leaders—Mrs. [...]h Dowd and Mrs. Rita Lapointe—[Ger]aldine Amprimo, Bonnie Neggers, [...]ra St. Pierre, Donna Sample, and [...]dra Samson.

[T]roop 437 Juniors: Leaders—Mrs. [...] and Mrs. Robinson—Diane Du[...]me, Teena Dearness, Terri-Lee [...]mas, Rachel Beauregard, and [...]thia White.

[D]wight Brownies: Leaders—Mrs. [...]a Fay and Mrs. Irene Fay—Cather[ine] Clark, Gail Gourley, Cheryl Peetz, [...]n Tolzdorf, Robin Gentile, Edith [...] Cheryl Fay, Lori Fay, Linnette [...]ert, Susan Whitlock, Dana Bel[...], Roxanne Fay, Celeste Moreau, Ann Hatt, Lynn Bodzinski, and [...]dra Mitchell.

[RI]BBON [CU]TTING

[T]he Chamber of Commerce, Ted [...]st, president, officiated at the [rib]bon-cutting reopening of Mar[gue]rites' Shoppe at its new location [in] the Hopkins Store building last [Sat]urday.

Ted cut the ribbon, and a news [ph]otographer took a photo, inside, [of] the Chamber president; Mrs. Lin[cour]t, the proprietor; and Mrs. Ruth [...]nston, Chamber secretary.

[A]lso present was Mrs. Warren [Bar]rett, a long-time secretary of the [Cha]mber. Mrs. Lincourt and her husband held high office in the [Cha]mber for years.

[A]s Ted said, informally, follow[ing] the ceremony, we not only would [like] new business in town, but we al[so w]ant to encourage the business we [...]

[T]he remodelling of the store has [been] covered in these columns. The [low]ering of the ceiling, doing away [with] the arched effect had yet to be [com]pleted.

[SQ]UARE DANCE CLUB

[T]he Belchertown Square Dance Club [will] hold its next dance tomorrow eve[ning] in Lawrence Memorial hall. Spe[cial] refreshments will be served.

[H]ost and hostess for the night will [be] Bob and Eileen Doubleday. Re[fresh]ments will be served by Fred [and] Marion Opielowski, chm., Fred [and] Edythe Owen, Herb Squires, Geo. [and] Yvette Trudell.

POLICEMEN'S BALL

A large number of townspeople and representatives of police departments in the area were present for the fifth annual policemen's ball Saturday night in Lawrence Memorial Hall, sponsored by the Belchertown Police Association.

Leading the grand march was Chief of Police and Mrs. Ernest Gay and Deputy Chief and Mrs. Andrew Sears, Jr. Among those present were Deputy Chief and Mrs. Frederick Shepard of Pelham and Chief of Police and Mrs. A. Kolowski of Hadley.

Edward Czech, president of the Policemen's Association, was in charge and was assisted by Chester Dzwonkowski, Randolph Brown, Chief Gay, Elmer Potter, Adam Antonovitch, Lester Beaudoin, Herbert Squires, Deputy Chief Sears, Jr., and Francis Loftus. The junior class of Belchertown High School was in charge of the checkroom.

Proceeds from the ball will be used to purchase additional equipment for the town ambulance.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Louis Papp of Mill Valley Rd. announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Papp, to Ernesto E. Valadez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor G. Valadez of Harlingen, Tex. Valedez is a first lieutenant with the U.S. Air Force. Miss Papp is a graduate of Belchertown High School and a 1962 graduate from the University of Mass. with a bachelor of science degree in bacteriology. She is a research virologist at Southwest Foundation for Research and Education in San Antonio, Tex. Lt. Valadez graduated from Harlingen High School and attended Texas A & M College where he was a civil engineering major. He completed navigator training with the Air Force at Harlingen, served as a navigator with the Strategic Air Command at Westover AFB for several years and is presently completing pilot training at Laredo AFB Tex. The couple plan to be married Dec. 22.

P. T. A. MEETING

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Mrs. Warren Barrett spoke on "My Five Sons." She spoke most interestingly, amusingly and enlighteningly of "my day," from the moment she sewed on buttons and started them off for school, to supper, sports activities at the hall, and final home work. The P. T. A. group apparently felt that she had just the right ingredients to bring up fifty instead of five.

In the business part of the meeting it developed that the Hootenanny was a big success, the sum of $214.16 being cleared. Another is to be held December 7 on a percentage basis, in accordance with an offer made by an entertainment outfit.

It was voted to establish a scholarship fund. It was felt rather strongly that scholarships should not be less than $100. The need for books for the junior-senior library was mentioned. A musical program is scheduled for the December meeting.

Warren Barrett, in charge of basketball at the old town hall, said that the young people using the hall have need to take good care of the property, rough play has to be curbed, and the young set should be gotten home early, and the older group not far behind. Mr. Barrett was named to carry on these activities.

Mrs. Wadham's room won the attendance banner.

Refreshments were served by the Hospitality Committee assisted by home room mothers of Main Street School.

SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for the Edward J. Shyloski & Sons Corp. property on School St., Granby, formerly owned by Mrs. Freeda Thrasher of this town, to Mr. and Mrs. Laureat A. Pare of Holyoke. The Pare's will convert part of the property into a half mile track to use as a workout and practice area for their several pacers, some of which raced at Hinsdale during the past season.

GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange conferred the 1st and 2nd degrees at its meeting Tuesday night. Guests were present from Northampton and Ludlow. The 3rd and 4th degrees will be conferred at the December 3rd meeting.

Invitations were received from Amherst for thir 90th anniversary, December 6, and South Amherst, December 9, when Mr. Charles Ayers of the Kurn Hattin Homes will be the speaker.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Nine tables were in play at the card party last, Saturday night in charge of Gaetane Fortin. Prize winners were: 1st, Arline Powers, Mabel Meader, Ruth Kempkes and Emma Grover; 2nd, Mildred Waid, Tillie Wait and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holcomb; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Howard Judkins; door, Mabel Meader and Gaetane Fortin.

This week's party will be in charge of Marion Harrington.

FOUR - H DOG CLUB

The meeting of the 4-H Dog Club was held on Tuesday, November 19 at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room. A new member was introduced, Judy Dewhurst. Plans were made to buy work mats. Members were also elected for the Southampton Demonstration on Thursday, November 21.

The next meeting will be on December 3 and will be held in the Pine Room at 7 p. m.

PACK MEETING

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master John Bailey, accepted him into Troop 507. The Webelos all shook his hand in congratulations, with the thought in mind that they will soon follow him up the ladder.

Chief Warner said a few words, and then all the Cubs joined him in the "Lion Hunt" game. All the boys enjoyed him very much.

Cubby was awarded to Den 7 for the second consecutive time for best parent attendance. Once more, and they receive the Attendance Banner for holding Cubby for three months in succession.

In closing, the boys formed living circles, and gave their all in the Cub Scout motto, "Do Your Best."

TOWN ITEMS

The Board of Selectmen issued a building permit to the Swift River Sportsmen's Club to renovate a barn on the club property. Stanley Bycenski said that the club hopes to renovate the barn in several steps to provide quarters that could be open to the public.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To RUTH MORRISON of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said RUTH MORRISON is a mentally ill person and praying that ALBERT T. MORRISON of Easthampton, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of November, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register.

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To Henry A. Robidoux and Wilfred Hamel, both of Holyoke, in the County of Hampden and said Commonwealth: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended:

People's Savings Bank, a duly existing corporation having a usual place of business in Holyoke, in the County of Hampden and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Belchertown, Plot 'A' on plan entitled "Property Survey for Mr. Blaine, Belchertown, Mass., By W. D. Pharmer, C. E., Holyoke, Mass., Scale 1" - 40' ", recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, given by Henry A. Robidoux to the plaintiff, dated August 20, 1959, recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, Book 1308, Page 301; has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure, you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the twenty-third day of December, 1963, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of November, 1963.

Thomas B. Cummings,
Deputy Recorder

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **EDITH PINDAR CARLE** late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **BARBARA CARLE VALLIERE** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of November, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Nov. 22, 30, Dec. 6

CARD OF THANKS

A sincere thank you to the girl scout leaders for the beautiful floral arrangement. It was such a pleasant surprise, and I deeply appreciate it.

Esther Carr

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Women's Guild, my friends and neighbors and relatives for their cards and gifts received while in the hospital and at home. They were greatly appreciated.

Houghton Snow

IN APPRECIATION

Having just returned from Holyoke Hospital, I wish to publicly thank Mrs. Clare Oberly for her timely assistance to me Saturday, August 31. I also wish to thank Dr. Kenneth Collard for his quick arrival on the scene, also the men who assisted getting me into the ambulance, Mr. Pratt for his careful driving to the hospital, and to all those who assisted me in any way, my deepest gratitude.

Catherine Germain

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Reception to Pastor and Family in Parish House at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong in Church at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
First Sunday of Advent
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Salage Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in Old Town Hall.

TUESDAY

4-H Dog Club Meeting.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service Meeting at Parish House at 10.30 a. m.
Masonic Meeting.

THURSDAY

Garden Club with Mrs. Joseph Kempkes at 2 p. m.
Official Board in the Methodist Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Bloodmobile at the Pine Room from 1-7 p. m.
Missionary Group of W. S. C. S with Mrs. Alice Wildey at 7.30 p.

SATURDAY

Hootenanny sponsored by P. T. A.

TURKEY SHOOT SUNDAY

Weather permitting, the Belchertown Lions Club will hold another of their turkey shoots, Sunday, December 1. The shooters on Sunday may furnish their own shells or they may be purchased on the premises. No. 6 shot only will be allowed.

The shoot will be held at the Belchertown Salvage Grounds on Bay Road at 1.30 p. m.

All Lions Club members are requested to be present to help with the shoot.

OFF FOR CHICAGO

Franklin Wenzel is one of a group of 4-H'ers (there are three from Massachusetts and others from Connecticut and New Hampshire) to leave for Chicago Thursday, December 5, to attend the National 4-H Dairy Conference. Franklin was chosen for the trip on the basis of his past achievements in 4-H club work, and his performance in the dairy project.

The group leaves Bradley Field by air at 8 a. m. on Thursday, accompanied by Lynn Brown, Extension Service dairyman at the University of Connecticut, as chaperone. The party will stay at the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

The group leaves Chicago December 8, arriving by plane at Bradley Field at 10.48 a. m.

Franklin appeared on T. V. Wednesday morning along with others going on the trip, on the program "R.F.D. #3" in an interview with Mr. Atwood.

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Jaycee Charter Night at Robin Lodge at 7 p. m.
Hilltop Twirlers' Dance in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Square Dance Club Pot-Luck Supper at Legion Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Dec. 12
Work Meeting of Garden Club with Mrs. Howard Knight at 9 a. m.

Dec. 14
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.

Jan. 11
St. Francis Public Roast Beef Supper.

Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

* JOHN F. KENNEDY *

35th President of The United States
1917-1963

Belchertown reacted to President Kennedy's tragic death just the same as other towns and cities throughout the world—incredibility, shock, horror, sympathy unbounded, resignation and a leaning on the Eternal.

People in their extremity do realize the need of religion in crisis. The numbers at Church on Sunday testified to that fact. In some churches it was a second Easter, with the resurrection yet to come. The Legion, the Scouts and other groups sensed their patriotic duty. At the church services there were moments of silence and tributes in memory, and there were special services in the churches next day.

On Monday, the schools closed, business houses closed from 12 to 4, and so it went.

The saving element in it all was the expressed conviction of our new president, Lyndon Johnson, that our late president had neither lived nor died in vain. Such souls live on!

C. OF C. MEETING

The Chamber of Commerce met at the Mill Valley Splicing Shop of Walter Boyko's on Tuesday evening, the Jaycees being invited guests. No attempt was made to splice the two groups together, although there was general acceptance of the idea that a liaison committee be appointed, so that there might be cooperation on major projects and no working at cross purposes.

Some half-dozen Jaycees were present. George Suhm spoke of the Charter observance this Saturday night, of the good response to their first project, the collection of dolls to be repaired and sent to hospitals, etc., and said that further projects would be undertaken, once they got fully organized.

Francis Loftus, Jr. spoke of the necessary steps to take when re-zoning for business. One of his ideas, suggested by his mom, he said, was to put signs at the Loftus site, indicating business possibilities there.

Speaking of signs, it was decided to look into the matter of a couple of "Welcome to Belchertown" signs. Host Boyko offered to look into the matter.

Dick Clark of the Jaycees spoke of a state committee having been appointed to investigate further developments at Quabbin, and thought we might find ways to watch out for possibilities there.

Mrs. Jane Gawlik of the Chamber threw out the suggestion of a

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OPERATION CENTER DEDICATED

Two weeks ago unknown to most of our townspeople and many hundreds of thousands across the state, the Massachusetts Civil Defense Agency dedicated its new Emergency Operation Center located adjacent to the State Police Academy on Rte 9 in Framingham, Mass. What this center is and why it was built is important and, if you are familiar with the C. D. program, you would perhaps understand the enormity of it all.

To quote the press release put out by that agency: "It is our desire to become the most efficient disaster control agency in these United States..... Your disaster control agency is responsible to the Governor for coordination of all resources in the Commonwealth required to avert or to combat the effects of disaster, natural or man-made." Upon viewing the structure, I was able to see how this means might be attained. From the center, the C. D. staff would be in a position to assist the residents of our state in surviving through and recovering from any disaster, whether it be famine, hurricane, tornado, fire, flood, earthquake, drought or nuclear attack—this is our story.

It begins here in Belchertown at the Area 4 C. D. headquarters. It is located in the protected basement area in the newly constructed Tadgell Nursery building on the grounds of the State School. The civil defense area was just recently built within the protective confines of this building, and outside the communications for the center was established when extensive work on a radio tower was completed. The tower, we understand, would be a vital asset should other area C. D. radio towers fail in any disaster; high winds or nuclear blast. Mr. Robert Boulay is the area director. The Area 4 center

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RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE

If you or any member of your family has been placed in an emergency situation where a pint of blood or one of its derivatives was needed immediately, you can appreciate what it means to have blood available. This is made possible only because many people have been willing to take a little time to donate that all-important blood.

This next week Friday from 1 to 7 p. m. the Red Cross Bloodmobile unit will be at the Pine Room of St. Francis Church. Is Belchertown going to be loyal to the program and see that a minimum of 100 pints is contributed?

Last year 25 pints were used in this town alone. These should be replaced.

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JR. CHAMBER CHARTER NIGHT

Tonight at 7 p. m. the Belchertown Junior Chamber of Commerce will receive their charter. This event will be held at the Robin Farm Lodge on East Street.

The charter will be given by the state president, Donald Peterson, who will also install the officers. The keynote speaker will be Robert Dillon, past Vice President of the U. S. Jr. Chamber of Commerce.

POSTPONED

The home basketball game between Belchertown High School and Holyoke Trade scheduled for Wednesday, December 4, has been postponed indefinitely. It was to have been the opening game of the 1963-64 schedule for the Orioles.

DEER SEASON

The 1963 Massachusetts deer season will open on Monday, December 2 and continue through Saturday, December 7. Once again this year, Division of Fisheries and Game personnel will operate deer checking stations where hunters may have their deers weighed and aged. The stations will be in operation between 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. on Monday, December 2, and again on Saturday, the 7th. There will be a checking station here in town, at the junction of Routes 9 and 202. Another near-by station will be in Athol at the junction of Routes 2 and 202.

RECEPTION

A reception to Rev. Elvert Miller and family will be held in the Parish House on Sunday evening at 7.

Rev. Miller is the new pastor of the local Congregational Church. All interested persons are invited to attend.

P.T.A. SPONSORS HOOTENANNY

On Saturday, December 7th, the Belchertown P. T. A. will sponsor another Hootenanny. The New England Folk Society Hootenanny will have 2 showings; for the children at a 2 p. m. matinee, and for others at an 8 p. m. showing. Both shows will be in Lawrence Memorial Hall.

It was felt that because the late president held education so high, that this program, which was being held to raise funds for the purchase of additional books for the new Jr.-Sr. High School library, would be a fitting tribute to the late president, and it

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Assassination of President Leaves Indelible Memories

An outstanding feature of President Kennedy's death was that almost nobody could immediately accept the announcement as the truth, and most folks probably haven't accepted it even yet.

It has seemed wholly unreal and unlikely. J.F.K. must be returning from somewhere to Washington on Monday; he must appear on the TV news come night. If we ever had the feeling that when we would wake up we would find that "it" was all a nightmare, this was the time.

This young man—46 years old—had entered into everyone's life to a degree that probably no other president had ever achieved. Like him or hate him, you could not be indifferent to him if you read about the passing scene, or watched it as it passed.

No matter how tired you may have been, or pleased you may have been, with his gestures, his accent, his enthusiasms, his humor—you will miss them for many a long month to come.

He *was* America to millions of Americans, and to billions who live outside this land. To know what he meant to our future you had only to watch the faces of his people as they went home from school or work last Friday afternoon.

The fact that his murderer has been quickly apprehended did not so much matter. There seemed no great revulsion of feeling against that man. "Poor insane fool" was a common comment. The deed and not the doer of the deed confounded us.

Perhaps we recognized the murderer as an almost inevitable result of the confused world through whose prejudices, angers, and heroic purposes the President had attempted to guide us.

Perhaps in the squeezing of a trigger in a window of the School Book Depository on Main Street in Dallas we sensed the day, sooner or later, when another crazed finger may press a button or pull a switch to loose on this world more than the end of one superb leader.

Perhaps we realize that somehow our age—and ourselves—have led us to this place whence we now view the horizon with dread uncertainty.

Immortal moments come rarely to a whole people. It takes a peculiar event to cause everyone to stop whatever he is doing and think of one thing. The assassination of President Kennedy did just that. For better or for worse, we were united as a nation on the weekend starting at about two o'clock on Friday afternoon, November 22, and continuing through Monday and beyond.

To those "old enough to remember" and not "too old to retain a memory" this murder was a catalytic agent beyond compare. People will be telling each other for many years where they were and what they were doing when the news of the shooting "came in". In that respect it will be like December 7, 1941!

For a tiny instance: this writer was at his desk in Tech checking over some reports when a colleague came in to ask me if I had a radio. I said I did not, and he told me that the President had been shot. I looked at him in disbelief and inquired, "All right, what am I supposed to say now?" I was sure he had picked up a gag. "No," he went on. "I don't wonder you think it's a joke, but it's for real."

We found a little, weak transistor affair that one of the clerks owns and took it into the quiet of the principal's office, where we managed to get some volume, and where we learned the truth. "They are still alive," came the report. The office gradually filled wth tiptoing youngsters.

A little later the death report came.

It was close to the end of the week's session. We have no intercom system in our large but aging building. Kids picked up the news here and there, but only a few had heard it when the final bell rang. About three I phoned Florence. She had heard some sort of rumor, but was having a committee meeting with Marion Farley. She turned on the TV, and all save the big news seemed trivial indeed.

From then on, the nation's great communication systems of television and radio took over the country, and those who wished piled up a tremendous amount of contemporary and past history in the next few days.

Not a cigarette—not a soap powder—not an ounce of beer bottled or canned—not a car or a cosmetic came to the viewer or listener. Neither did any fiction or comedy. We missed some of the lighter touches at times, I am sure, when the details of sorrow or of plain melodrama become almost overpowering. But it was not hard to get along without the commercials.

I am sure we saw a larger cross section of our popular leaders and felt closer to the life of our nation than we had for years if ever before. Our young people have been given a wonderful experience to prepare them for the citizenship which is theirs.

This is being written while the events are still going on. The drama of these days has been at times unbelievable. Jacqueline Kennedy and the youngsters beside the coffin of the father and husband—the daughter following her mother's example and kissing the flag on the coffin—the shooting of the assassin at the very time the procession was getting ready to leave the White House for the Capitol, and then his dying while the ceremonies under the great dome were in progress. Our living rooms have truly become the aisle seats for incomparable tragedy!

Some of us—you have to be at least 23 years old, probably, to remember—recall the last death of a president while in office: President Roosevelt died April 12, 1945. We had our days of sorrow then, and our lovely music on radio and our worries over the Truman tinted future. But it was not like this disaster of 1963. We were not sure what our destiny would be without the presence of the man who had served as president since March, 1933, but his passing had been predicted and his health was known to be seriously impaired. He was 63 years old and it surely could in no way be said of him that he had been "cut off in the midst of his usefulness." He was serving his *fourth* term when death came. His family was grown. His purposes for America had been largely realized. All this in contrast to the violent death of a youngish and very virile husband and father, whose political policies were largely still to be accepted by his Congress.

You will probably have to go back to the death of Abraham Lincoln to find an event which affected the emotions of Americans as greatly as did the death of Mr. Kennedy. There was a great difference in the relationship of these men to their people. Lincoln was the father, the Great Emancipator, the tired "Captain" (Walt Whitman), who had brought the Ship of State to harbor after a terrible voyage, only to die on the deck. The love people had developed for him had a religious, almost mystic quality. President Kennedy was admired as a friend, an older brother, one of the relatively young crowd. Most Americans felt affection rather than love for him. That latter feeling came welling up with his death. He is loved today.

Sixty-two years had passed since an American president had been murdered. On September 6, 1901, another leftist, an "anarchist terrorist", one Leon Czolgosz, shot William McKinley as he was visiting the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo. He was then 58 and serving his first term. His death brought Theodore Roosevelt to the presidency.

Shots had been fired at two presidents since then. Franklin Roosevelt was not actually president but was waiting for his inaugural month when, on February 15, 1933, he was fired on by another anarchist, Joseph Zangara. A woman seized the assassin's arm just as he fired and the shot killed Mayor Cermack of Chicago. Zangara was electrocuted.

Two Puerto Rican Nationalists attempted to shoot their way into Blair House and kill President Truman on November 1, 1950. One was slain, the other wounded, but he recovered to stand trial and be sentenced to death. President Truman commuted the sentence to life imprisonment in 1952.

James Garfield was the other of our four assassinated presidents. He was killed the first year in office when he entered the railroad station in Washington. An unbalanced office-seeker killed him, and was hanged for it.

There is no doubt that any American president lives in constant danger of death by assassination. We are all thankful that President Kennedy was with his Secret Service men, and well protected, when the fatal bullet was fired. It is also good that his wife could have been at his side, and that their last day together had been such a happy one. He was an outstanding American, whose life can well be a model for others.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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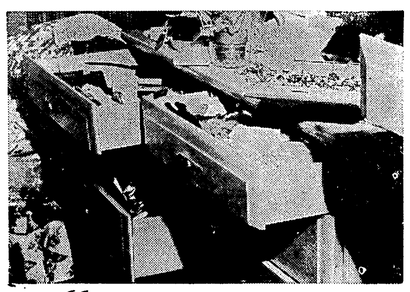

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The American Legion held its largest attended dance this week. It was the first dance under the new management, and the first of its kind to be held in Memorial Hall.

Probably the largest gathering on Thanksgiving day was that held by the State School. 500 children had real Thanksgving turkey.

It is suggested that next Sunday be Golden Rule Sunday. We are asked to have a simple meal and devote the difference in value from the regular meal to the Near East Relief, or else have the usual meal, and contribute an equal amount to the Relief Fund.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Clifton Witt was elected President of the recently organized Men's club in the Methodist church.

Arthur Ketchen observed his 78th birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Shaw. The children and grandchildren took great pleasure in celebrating with music, reminiscences, gifts and refreshments.

William Squires is building an addition on the south end of his garage on Jabish St. "to enclose the hoisting and greasing apparatus."

The High School group in the Congregational Church are planning to present at Christmas time a play, "The Least of These", under the direction of Mrs. William Pero.

TEN YEARS AGO

Men of the Congregational church, under the direction of Sidney Wheeler, are moving the furniture and kitchen equipment from the Parish House. Work preliminary to moving the Parish House off its foundation, (so that excavation may be more expeditiously done), is now under way.

Dr. Raymond Kinmonth entertained with magic the Past Masters of the local Masonic district. Two reels were shown by the telephone company.

Bishop and Mrs. Newell Booth of Elizabethville in the Belgian Congo are expected to arrive in town next week, for some six months in America.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

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Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary Landers, Organist

—SATURDAY—

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

—SUNDAY—

First Sunday of Advent

This day marks the beginning of the ecclesiastical year.

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 13, 11-14. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Romans.

Gospel—Luke 21, 25-33. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates signs of the last day, the future destruction of Jerusalem.)

Assisting Fr. Collins with the Sunday Masses will be Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., a professor of economics at Holy Cross College, Worcester.

There will not be any Sunday school this Sunday, December 1st.

Baptisms at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

—THURSDAY—

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, December 5. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

—FIRST FRIDAY—

First Friday schedule: Confessions on Friday, December 6 from 7 to 7.25 a. m., with communion being distributed at 7.30 a. m. Mass in the evening at 7. There will not be any confessions the day before, Thursday, Dec. 5.

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—RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE—

On Friday, December 6th, the Red Cross Bloodmobile unit will be here in Belchertown—won't you donate a pint of blood? Hours: 1 to 7 p. m. Place: Pine Room. Purpose: to save lives.

—ROAST BEEF SUPPER—

The St. Francis Supper Committee is making plans for a Public Roast Beef Supper on Saturday, January 11th. There will be two servings: 5 and 7 p. m., both in the Pine Room. Mark the date on your calendars.

The same group hopes to hold yet another supper sometime in February, the 8th possibly. The date and menu for this event will be announced later.

—DISPENSATION—

The Rt. Rev. Vicar General has dispensed the faithful of the Diocese from the law of fast and abstinence to be observed on Saturday, December 7th.

The faithful are reminded that, in compensation for this favor, they should remember their needy brethren at home and abroad.

—THE HOLY INFANCY—

The month of December is dedicated to The Holy Infancy; with the feast of the Nativity setting the way for this months' devotion (Dec. 25).

RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE

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Many people are unaware that anyone who donates blood is given a card which shows he has been made a member in the Hampshire County Red Cross Blood Insurance plan. This means that any member of his or her family is entitled to a pint of blood any time during the following year. You see, it pays to become a blood donor.

Confirmations of appointments will be mailed to those who have signed up for next Friday, but "walk-ins" (those without appointments) are always welcome.

R. G. S.

CUB SCOUT AWARDS

Cub Scout awards as announced at the pack meeting last week:

Bobcat—Donald Geer, Jr., and Jonathan Sears.

Arrows under Bear—Gary Bock. 1 Silver; Robert Dewhurst, 1 Gold.

Lion—Mark Kendrick and David Lovett.

Webelos—William Digris.

1 Year Service Stars—Jerald Clack, Robert Dewhurst, Richard Bleau, Edward Casey, Richard Tarbox, George Berard, Alan Fish, Arthur Fish, Jr., George Wall, Coy Lindsey, Mark Howard, Darwin Hess, David Rogers, Mark Jackson, Michael Couture, Richard Couture, Lyle Hislop, Paul Leclerc, Corbin Armstrong, Micheal Madden, Raymond Peetz, and Steven Waite.

2 Year Service Stars—Wayne Henrichon.

1 Year Service Stars for Den Mothers—Mrs. Lyle Fish and Mrs. Eunice Griswold.

3 Year Service Star—Rita Lapointe.

Denners—Lyle Hislop, Pat Gannon, Richard Bleau, Raymond Peetz.

Asst. Denners—David Rogers, Richard Moreau, David Lovett.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

9.45 a. m. Sunday School with classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry

11 a. m. Morning Worship. This is Commitment Day in the Methodist Church.

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Communion Meditation by the Pastor

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship.

7 p. m. The Reception at the Parish House for Rev. Miller and Family.

7.30 p. m. Evensong in the Church.

Monday through Saturday Mr. Green will have the responsibility of Morning Devotions over WHMP, Northampton.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

7.30 p. m. This will be the First Session of the Pastor's Class.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the W. S. C. S. will meet with Mrs. Alice Wildey. There will be a Christmas program.

COMING

DECEMBER 14

The Church Food and Fellowship and Faith will hold a Christmas program for all the Church.

DECEMBER 22

At the Morning Worship Service, adults will be joining the Church. If you so desire and have not seen Mr. Green, you should do so soon.

4.30 p. m. The Annual Christmas Vesper Service will be held in the local church. Mrs. Charles Wall will direct the Christmas program, "The Christmas Story."

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. Elvert Franklin Miller will preach his first sermon in the Congregational Church here on Sunday morning.

In the evening a public reception will be held for Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family in the Parish House, beginning at seven o'clock.

Advent Worship Services

This Sunday, December 1, is the first Sunday in our Advent Season. Each Church School family will receive their Advent Worship Service packet on Sunday. There will be additional packets available in the rear of the church, so that all church families may share in these weekly worship services as we prepare for Christmas. Each year more and more families are finding these moments of family worship one of the most meaningful events in their preparation for Christmas.

Friendly Service Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Friendly Service group will be held on Wednesday at 10.30. All women are invited to this sewing meeting.

Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees will meet on Wednesday evening at 7.30 in the Parish House.

The Carillon

Material for the December issue of the Carillon must be given to Mrs. Rogers by Thursday, December 5.

White Gift Sunday

On Sunday, December 8, during the morning worship service, all Church School students will bring their White Gift offerings to the altar. These gifts will go to the North End Ministry in Springfield. We invite all adults to share with the Church School in this service of giving. Each child brings a gift for a boy or girl his own age, and there are countless adults to be remembered, also. Won't you help remember them?

Christmas Family Workshop

On Sunday, December 8, at 4.30 p. m., our annual family workshop will be held. All who have attended in the past realize how completely the spirit of Christmas is present as families work, worship and eat together. Each church family is urged to attend.

The schedule for the Workshop is as follows:

4.30—Family Workshop
6.00—Family Worship
6.30—Family Supper

Mrs. Pero, co-chairman of the Workshop, asks anybody who can, to bring a *clean, flat* detergent bottle (not round), such as Joy, Ivory or Sparkle detergent comes in. Come as a family, come and join in the fellowship.

Staff Meeting

On Tuesday, December 10, all departments of the Church School staff will meet with the Board of Christian Education.

Civil Rights Offering

Last report on the Civil Rights offering recently taken was that it amounted to $54.75. Any still wishing to contribute may so mark the plain envelope sent out, which can be placed on the plates any Sunday.

Dates

Dec. 8—White Gift Sunday
Dec. 8—Christmas Family Workshop
Dec. 10—Home Dept. Christmas Party
Dec 10—Youth Staff Meeting
Dec. 18—Guild Christmas meeting
Dec. 20—Church School Christmas Party

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Thanksgiving Bible lesson at Christian Science Society, Ware, Mass., emphasized praise to God for the ways in which He has revealed Himself to humanity.

Included in the readings was a verse from II Corinthians (2:14): "Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place."

Related readings from the Christian Science textbook stressed the need to show our thanks through our daily lives: "To keep the commandments of our Master and follow his example, is our proper debt to him and the only worthy evidence of our gratitude for all that he has done" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 4).

SERVICE NEWS

Michael V. Greenan, son of Joseph and Ruth Gilbertson of Rockrimmon Road, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy for four years. He is taking his basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center just north of Chicago, Illinois. He is a 1961 graduate of Belchertown High School.

His address:
Michael V. Greenan
685-76-62 SR
Co. 518 24th Batt.
USNRTC, Great Lakes, Ill.

4-H CLUB NOTES

Robert Squires was host to the "On the Hill 4-H Club" on November 11 at the home of Mrs. William Chevalier.

After a few simple demonstrations, the club voted to go to the Ice Capades on November 27. Timothy Lofland joined the club.

On October 18th, eight Belchertown capon growers—(7 from our club and one from the Four Leaf Clover Club) were guests of the Northampton Kiwanis Club at dinner, as was Marjorie Officer, local 4-H vegetable garden winner, who also won the county contest. She was given an electric mantle clock, suitably inscribed

Ribbons were awarded to the capon growers. Most of these were red or "Very Good" group, with Brian Potter getting a blue or "Excellent" award. The best bird in the county come from Chesterfield.

STATE SCHOOL NEWS

Memorial services for our late President, John F. Kennedy, were held in the Auditorium on Monday, November 25. Conducted by Rev. Joseph Collins and Rev. Robert Price, with Dr. Bowser at the organ, the children, employees and staff of Belchertown State School, paid simple tribute to the man who had given his life for his country.

Two years and ten months ago we had found someone who had the courage and insight to want to help the "cause" of Mental Retardation. Now he was gone. We have indeed lost a friend.

All of us here at B.S.S. wish to extend our most sincere sympathy to Mrs. James J. Mullane of Mill Valley Road. "Jim" was not only a dear friend, but one of our first Volunteers. Whether helping "Shum" with the hamburgers, loading tins on the food truck, or officiating with Frank at the hot dog brazier, his hands were always out to help make things pleasant for our children. Cheerfulness was his watchword, and there are none of the Barbecue "Gals" who didn't feel a little younger after Jim's greeting of "Hiyah - good-lookin!"

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, November 25, Ralph Hubbard, Sr. rolled strings of 142, 103, 135 for a total of 380, which is a new season high for three games. Team results were: Cook's 6, B. S. S. 0; Salvage 6, Turkey Hill 0; Jackson's 5, American Legion 1; Park Lane 3, Hilltoppers 3; Independents 4, Henneman's 2; Jabish Brook 4, Gates 2; Reece 4, Cole's 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Independents	54	18	17,871
Jackson's	51	21	17,545
Henneman's	49	23	17,999
Salvage	45	27	17,638
Turkey Hill	44	28	17,446
Cook's	41	31	17,410
Hilltoppers	41	31	17,162
Reece	40	32	17,090
Gates	34	38	16,761
Jabish Brook	32	40	17,052
Park Lane	25	47	16,854
Cole's	24	48	16,532
B. S. S.	17	55	15,907
Legion	7	65	15,579

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	R. Hubbard, Sr.,142
High 3 Strings	R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd High Three	P. Chlebus, 365
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,609

110 Club—R. Hubbard, Sr. 142, 135; M. Hubler 113; R. Dana 120, 115; J. Rush 116; D. Judkins 115; P. Chlebus 136; W. Jensen 110; F. Bodzinski 112: T. Bleau 138; R. Blaine 118, 120; P. Adzima 118; E. Bock 118; B. Dickinson 114; R. Hubbard, Jr. 123; T. Pereira 111; H. Main 117; N. Bullough 113; J. Hubbard, 123: D. Perham 113; A. Henneman 120, 121; D. Pratt 119; F. Grover 122; J. McDermott 121; K. Rhodes 122, 113; H. Squires 133, 114; S. Wheble 113; B. Gawlik 113, 111; P. Wisnewski 116; C. Robinson, Jr. 115; G. Vadnais 116; and Russ Robinson 122.

310 Club—R. Hubbard, Sr. 380: R. Dana 336; J. Rush 319; W. Jensen 315; J. Tolpa, Sr. 312; F. Bodzinski 312; T. Bleau 344; J. Bodzinski 322: R. Blaine 340; B. Dickinson 310; J. Hubbard 328; A. Henneman 335; D. Pratt 323; F. Grover 315; K. Rhodes 339; H. Squires 354; B. Gawlik 328; and C. Robinson, Jr. 310.

Next Week's Matches—

Legion vs. Gates
Park Lane vs. Coles
Hilltoppers vs. Jabish Brook
B.S.S. vs. Reece
Cook's vs. Salvage
Independents vs. Turkey Hill
Henneman's vs. Jackson's

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The team results of November 21 were: Crystals 8, Harmony Five 0; Hit or Miss 8, Outskirters 0; Jolly "5" 8, Chadson Gals 0; King Pins 8, Pin Spinners 0; Congo's 6, Gay Rollers 2; Pin Pickers 6, Nite Outers 2; and Roll-a-ways 6, Bowl-aires 2.

The Crystals had team high three with 1354, and they also had team high single with 490. High three went to Priscilla Geer with 311, and second high three to Rita Lapointe with 310. Priscilla Geer rolled a high single of 116. Second high single was a tie between Shirley Dzuris and Priscilla Geer, each rolling a 112.

"300" club—Priscilla Geer 311, Rita Lapointe 310.

"110" club—Harriet Hubbard 116, Priscilla Geer 116 and 112, Shirley Dzuris 112, Alice Bronner 110, and Carol Pierce 110.

"100" club—Violet Main 105, Lorraine Faulkins 100.

Season Records

High Single String—B. Boucher, 123
2nd High Single—D. Snow, 117
High Three Strings—B. Boucher 324
2nd High Three—R. Scott, 317
Team High Single—Pin Pickers, 495
Team High Three—Pin Pickers, 1,366

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	66	14	12,997
Congo's	60	20	12,569
Roll-a-ways	56	24	12,773
Jolly "5"	56	24	12,712
Crystals	56	24	12,472
Hit or Miss	52	28	12,416
Gay Rollers	48	32	12,594
King Pins	34	46	12,148
Harmony Five	34	46	11,680
Chadson Gals	31	49	11,742
Pin Spinners	28	52	11,505
Nite Outers	20	60	11,457
Bowl-aires	10	70	11,881
Outskirters	9	71	11,449

—Ruth Dowd, Secretary

C. OF C. MEETING

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possible state vocational college, considering there is so much interest along this line. She was named a committee of one to see what the possibilities might be.

The resignations on the Planning Board was regretted. It was felt that the by-laws were not fully understood for one thing. One person suggested that it might be more satisfactory to have the planning board appointed, rather than elected. It was thought it might be easier to get people to serve under such a method.

Sidney Wheeler repeated the contention he has so often expressed, that out-of-town people going into business here have to wait too long to get their petitions processed. Sid gave the Jaycees some fatherly advice about getting incorporated, which they are contemplating. He also favored advertising the town in national trade publications.

Theodore Smist, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Ruth Johnston, secretary, read her report, and Mrs. Jane Gawlik read the treasurer's report.

The shotgun, tickets for which had been distributed by the Jaycees, was awarded to Peter Greenan of Rockrimmon Road.

The evening wound up with refreshments, and a demonstration of cable splicing by Mr. Boyko.

DR. FRANCIS BARTLETT

Dr. Francis Alonzo Bartlett, a native of Belchertown, died November 21 in Stamford, Conn., at the age of 81. Founder over fifty years ago of the F. A. Bartlett Tree Expert Co. in Stamford, Conn., and for many years its president and later chairman of the Board, he was internationally considered a leading authority on shade trees and their care.

He was the son of Deacon Addison H. and Violet Isabel Bardwell Bartlett, descendants of two of the early families in Belchertown, and was born on the farm established by his great-grandfather at the Cold Spring which gave the town its original name.

He received his early and high school education in Belchertown, was graduated with a B. S. degree from the Mass. Agricultural College and Boston University in 1905 and in 1945 he received an honorary Doctorate of Agriculture from the U. of Mass.

Realizing the importance of the trained scientific approach to the care of shade trees, he founded the Bartlett School of Tree Surgery as an integral part of his company in 1923, and a year later established the Bartlett Tree Research Laboratories, staffed by eminent entomologists, pathologists, physiologists and horticulturists, working on the life cycles of various insects, their control and the study of pathogenic diseases of trees. On a 200-acre tract of land in North Stamford, this laboratory and the extensive plantings of native and exotic material, made a mecca for arborists and scientists from not only this country, but abroad, and instigated the founding of the International Shade Tree Conference. The company has now grown to include some sixty branch offices throughout the entire eastern third of the United States.

When the American chestnut was extensively wiped out by blight, resistant hybrids were sent by the U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry of Chico, California, to various arborists. The hybrid sent to Dr. Bartlett proved to be superior with strong resistance to blight, and nuts similar to those of the American chestnut, and was named the Bartlett chestnut. Seedlings of it have been distributed throughout the United States and to several European countries.

In 1927 Francis Bartlett went to Europe to study the Dutch elm disease. Upon his return he published and widely distributed the available information upon the disease and warned of its impending danger to the trees of this country. He also demonstrated that by keeping the elm trees healthy and free from the elm bark beetle by proper pruning and care, the disease could be restrained.

Besides receiving his honorary degree from the University of Massachusetts, Dr. Bartlett was awarded a gold medal by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society in 1940 and the 1957 award of the American Horticultural Society. He was the author of numerous bulletins, manuals and articles on the care of trees. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations in Stamford, and of the Belchertown Congregational Church.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Myrtle Kezar Bartlett; his son, Robert Addison Bartlett, now president of the F. A. Bartlett Tree Expert Co.; a daughter, Mrs. Jane Heisinger; six grandchildren; and a brother, Edward P. Bartlett of Belchertown.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The next meeting of the Garden Club will be Thursday, December 5, at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Joseph Kempkes. The program: "Christmas Decorations and Favors. Mrs. Alonzo Jones will present a paper "Aftercare of Christmas Gift Plants."

Hostesses will be Mrs. Frank Peeso, Mrs. Adam Gromack and Mrs. Peter Godin.

The work meeting for making Christmas wreaths for Westover and Leeds Hospitals will be Thursday, December 12, at 9 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Howard Knight.

The Club has received an invitation to the Hampshire County Extension meeting in the Auditorium at the People's Institute in Northampton on Wednesday, December 4, at 8 p. m. The subject will be "Greens for Christmas Decorations."

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CONVALESCENT CENTER DEDICATION

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the Western Mass. counterpart of the in Framingham, though it is not responsible for the entire state. It is responsible for all of this end of the state, all four Western counties under planning. The various sectors in this report to Belchertown, which in turn reports to the master-center now in Framingham (once in Natick). This is the center just dedicated.

The dedication itself was not elaborate. The governor was scheduled to speak, but was not able to attend due to the work involved in the closing days of the legislative session.

Presiding over the exercises was the director of MCDA, Daniel J. Finn. Among present were local, state and Federal C. D. personnel as well as guests. Mr. Finn spoke of the birth of this project, who carried it, and how the agency would carry on now that the medical plant was completed.

Another speaker, who had just flown in from Washington, was the Honorable Steuart L. Pittman, the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civil Defense. He spoke briefly of the nation-wide program of building such centers (though he felt that this one wins the blue ribbon). He further stated that Massachusetts was the first to receive Federal assistance under the new provisions for such help, the Federal government paid half the cost, and that this example led other states to build their own C. D. centers.

Massachusetts' 2½ million dollar C. D. headquarters will normally be manned by the agency's staff as an office. In an emergency, the underground structure will become a self-contained command center equipped to protect and sustain a staff of 300 persons from fallout for two weeks.

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These are only a few of the details of construction, but it indicates the importance placed on Civil Defense in our state. Our own C. D. program here in town is also important though we don't have a massive headquarters. It is a vital link; Belchertown C. D. headed by Richard Thomas, Sector 4C in Northampton by Everett Sporbert, Area 4 headquarters at B. S. S. by Mr. Boulay—the chain of survival and recovery.

In closing, we again quote the fact sheet concerning this building—"This is your Agency. It is concerned with you as an individual and with your ability to be prepared to survive and, as such, it merits your wholehearted support."

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HOOTENANNY

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was decided, with that in mind, not to postpone the show to a later date.

Tickets are available at 50 cents each for the matinee—adults too, and 99 cents for the evening show.

The program will, among other things, feature the Michael Brothers and the Checkmates, a group from B. H. S. Everyone is invited!

HONOR LIST

Frederick D. Fitzgerald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick D. Fitzgerald, Sr. of three Rivers Road, was one of the eighty-one students who achieved honor roll grades for the first marking period at Mount Hermon School in Mount Hermon, Mass.

STUDENT TEACHING CHANGE

The School of Education at the U. of M. has notified Mr. Dell of a change on the staff. Mr. William Freisem, coordinator of the Student Teaching for the last two years, has returned to classroom teaching and is being succeeded by Dr. Robert C. Jones, a member of the staff for three years.

MRS. FREDERICK SKINNER

Mrs. Sophie M. Skinner, 82, widow of Frederick John Skinner, died in the Falls Nursing Home on Thursday after a long illness. She was born in Ansonia, Conn., November 5, 1881, the daughter of John Wallace and Emma Machutte Stickney. She married Frederick Skinner, the family coming to town eleven years ago. Mr. Skinner died November 6, 1959.

She was a member of the Congregational church and was a faithful attendant. She was a member of the Home Department.

She leaves three sons, Fred W., of Augusta, Me.; Kenneth N. of Hayward, Cal.; and Arlan V. of this town; also two daughters, Dorothy Glassnap of Naples, Me.; and Ruth Kinney of Naples, Florida; also five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, besides a sister, Mrs. Emma Albright of Long Island, N. Y., a frequent visitor here.

The funeral will be in the Congregational Church on Monday afternoon at 2, Rev. Paul V. Varga officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Calling hours at the Beers and Story funeral home are Saturday evening from 7 to 9, and Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

ELECTED SECRETARY

Patricia A. Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burke, Old Enfield Road, has been elected Secretary of the Physical Education Majors Club at the University of Mass. Miss Burke is a 1961 graduate of Belchertown High School.

TOURS SOUTHERN EUROPE

This is the third and final portion of a letter written by Daniel Miron, a serviceman from Belchertown who is stationed in West Germany, and who recently toured Southern Europe.

To continue:

We had a flat tire, put on the spare and soon found it going soft. At this time we were on a turnpike-type road, where you can't turn around to go back to a filling station—you just keep going as far as possible and hope one is around the next corner. We finally had to stop the car and pull off the road. Mack and I took the spare (our first flat) into a suburb of Naples, rolling it like a hoop down the streets. We finally managed to get a native to bring us to a garage where we had the flat fixed for $2.50. Then our "chaffer" demanded, on returning us to the car, a fee of $7.50. That was an expensive flat.

We decided, after working so hard to get that flat repaired, we were entitled to sleep (it was near midnight), and have the other bad wheel repaired in the morning. We did, but before the night was over, I ran over a curb while turning the car around and blew out the side of yet another tire. We slept in the car that night—disgusted with the turn of events.

The next day we had the tire repaired, and bought another to replace the one which had been blown out; all for a few dollars (the tire bought was a used tire).

Once in Naples we ate out to sample some of their Pizza and Spaghetti. Both are delicious and not at all expensive compared to U. S. prices.

Back on the road—Pompei was our next target. Here, my fun was spoiled when I discovered that my camera had been taken as I sat down for a few minutes. Lost with it were four rolls of film. Pisa was next—a stop just long enough for picture taking, for the others anyway. The Leaning Tower really slants—and it seems more like a stopped picture in a motion picture reel that is ready to fall when someone starts the projector again.

Rome—our next stop—cradle of Western Culture and home of millions of Italians is fantastic in size. The streets are not very well marked, except the main thoroughfares, so traveling by car is a nuisance. We did see the Vatican (I would like to return before I leave Europe) and St. Peter's Basilica. The latter is beyond a doubt, the most fantasticaly artistic church building in creation. Every part of it has a painting or some embroidery and trapestry on the walls. The interior of the domes are covered with pictures by Michaelangelo, who must have had a bad time of it, trying to paint on curved arches, so that looking from the floor, the portrait is not distorted.

Also in Rome, we saw the Colosseum, which seemed depressing to me. It was nothing like I had hoped it would be.

From Rome we went north along the coastline up to Genoa, and then on to Monaco. I didn't see Grace, but then I haven't seen Adenaeur either. In both Monaco and Nice, France, I was the interpreter for our group and I must say I did fairly well. There were other occasions when my French came in handy, too. In Italy it helped me comprehend some Italian words and was also handy for asking directions, because more people speak French than English.

We were then on our way to Munich, with three days to get there. Liechtenstein was next; then Switzerland—this was tops in scenery. If you like mountains, and I do, this is it. Snows have been reported on the highest peaks. Larry and I spent four hours climbing a mountain to get some snow—August 19th!

Austria was traversed and then Munich, our starting point was at hand. After 20 days and over 4,200 miles, I felt relief when we finally stopped at the barracks. It's fun to travel, but there are a lot of responsibilities and dangers involved in a long trip such as this one. From now on, my visits will be closer to Munich.

The letter continues on with personal family letter-talk.

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If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of November, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II. Register

Nov. 22, 30, Dec. 6

TURKEY SHOOT WINNERS

Charles Pierce of Amherst won both a 25 and 12-and-one-half pound turkey to be top winner of the day at the turkey shoot a week ago Sunday afternoon at the Belchertown Salvage Co. grounds. Michael Griffin won two of the 14 round shots to win a total of 25 pounds of turkey. James Crocker of West Springfield won the fifth round for a 25 pound bird. Winners of 12-and-one-half-pound turkeys were John Crocker of West Springfield, Richard Racine of South Hadley Falls, Raymond Labonte of Holyoke, Donald Brevelani of Springfield and Frank Adams of Amherst. Town winners were Martin Kellog, Harvey Samson, Donald Cole and Herve Chouiniere.

GOODWILL TRUCK

The Goodwill Truck will call at the Methodist church on Monday. The Vestry will be open on Saturday and Sunday for the convenience of those who wish to leave donated articles.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

— Congregational Church —
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 [an]d 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [6.]30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at [7] p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 [p.] m.
Evensong in Church at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning [W]orship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at Sal[va]ge Grounds at 1.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. [m.] in Old Town Hall.
Extension Service with Mrs. Ada [Sta]ples at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Home Dept. with Mrs. Tremaine.
Republican Town Committee in the [Cr]ystal Room at the Dairy Bar at 7.30 [p.] m.
Dwight Chapel Ladies' Aid Meet[i]ng at 8.30 in the Chapel; Christmas Party following at 9 at home of Eu[n]ice Griswold.
Lions Club.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.

THURSDAY

Work Meeting of Garden Club [w]ith Mrs. Howard Knight at 9 a. [m.]
Methodist Men's Supper Meeting [a]t 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Camera Club at Memorial Hall.

HOOTENANNY TOMORROW

The second Hootenanny, sponsored by the P. T. A., is being held tomorrow. The matinee, especially for children, is at 2, with the evening performance at 8.

Attractions include Flamenco, the guitarist; the Chancellors, the Michael Bros., and the Checkmates of B. H. S.

Special attention is called to the matinee.

Prices are 50 cents for the matinee, and 99 cents for the evening performance.

LOCAL MAN INJURED

Antranig Juskalian is at Holyoke hospital after sustaining injuries in a head-on collision at Isaac's corner on Route 21 last Monday afternoon. He is suffering from a fractured spine, two fractures of the pelvis, a broken hip, contusion of the kidney, and cuts and bruises.

Iver H. Anderson, 62, of Chicopee Falls, driver of the other car, was killed in the crash.

Juskalian had been to Indian Orchard on business and was heading for Belchertown Center to do errands when he saw the approaching car, which he realized was not making the curve, so pulled far to the right and stopped. The impact threw him to one side, which probably saved his life.

He is recovering from his injuries, but will be hospitalized for some time.

SATURDAY

Faith, Food and Fun Night at the Methodist Church at 6 p. m.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Bloodmobile at the Pine Room from 1-7 p. m.
First Friday Services in St. Francis Church at 7 p. m.
Missionary Group of W. S. C. S with Mrs. Alice Wildey at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Hootenanny sponsored by the P. T. A. in Memorial Hall at 2 and 8 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Dec. 20
Police Association Record Hop in Memorial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Jan. 11
St. Francis Public Roast Beef Supper.
Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.

RECEPTION FOR NEW PASTOR

Parishioners of the Congregational Church and their new pastor, Rev. Elvert Miller, recently returned from Hawaii, each gave the other a good hard look on Sunday morning. Only the committee of five had met with the candidate previous to his being voted in, so for both parties it was more or less a venture of faith.

Mr. Miller, in mentioning the fact that this church in its long history had never called a pastor in such circumstances, also stated that he had never before been *called* to a church in such circumstances. He admitted he was a sort of "mail order" minister, but from all that appears and has been said, neither party wants the package returned. Probably both parties had put in a little private detective work.

Much of the morning service was used to tell of the type of ministry he might be conducting here. His topic was Aloha, a word of greeting in Hawaii. He told of some of the customs of the island, but eased the feelings of his audience, when he said he wouldn't use some of them here, but by enumerating them he bore out some of his recommendations, wherein it was stated that he had a fine sense of humor. He said he wanted to be a shepherd to this flock.

The new pastor said that he and his family were quite overwhelmed by the kindness accorded them the first 24 hours, and at the reception in the evening the department heads not only went through the formalities of greeting, but did so with a warmth that indicated that they were well satisfied.

The dining room at the Parish House was well filled for the occasion. The atmosphere of cordiality began at the door where the folks were duly greeted by Deacon and Mrs. Harold Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fuller.

Deacon emeritus William E. Shaw, who was also chairman of the committee unanimously recommending Mr. Miller, was master of ceremonies.

The invocation was given by Rev. Walter R. Blackmer, the dean of ministers here, after which Mr. Shaw ventured the opinion that as Mr. Varga believed he was led to Walpole, he believed circumstances conspired to Mr. Miller being called here.

The new pastor was called on to take a bow. He spoke of certain Japanese customs, one was to bow three times as a mark of great friendliness. This he did.

Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of the Methodist Church, spoke of the deep depth and warmth of the pastoral relationship here and congratulated the church on getting a pastor so soon.

Deacon Kenneth Main, speaking for the deacons, hoped for Mr. Miller a long, successful, rewarding and happy ministry here.

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NURSES' ASSOCIATION

Newly elected officers of the Belchertown Registered Nurses' Association are as follows:

President	Mary Burridge
Secretary	Barbara Dell
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Directors	

Louise Sujdak, Charlotte Ketchen, Terry Juskalian

ON HONOR ROLL

Robert Ferenz, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ferenz, has had his name placed on the honor roll for the first marking period at Springfield Trade School.

HERE TODAY

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be here in Belchertown today. It will be located at the Pine Room of St. Francis church from 1 to 7 p. m. Walk-ins (those without an appointment) will be most welcome.

FR. DUDLEY BACK HOME

Fr. George R. Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church, who has been in and out of the hospital the past six months, is now at home. He returned to the parish house Wednesday evening. He had been in a Boston hospital until a few weeks ago, and then in a rest home, with visits to his relatives.

Fr. Dudley stated that he was glad to be back, and that he really appreciated the cards and prayers during his hospitalization.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

Pack Leaders' Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 8.30 p. m. The secretary's report and the treasurer's report were read and accepted.

The December pack meeting will be on the 18th at American Legion Hall at 7 p. m. Den 4 will present the opening ceremonies.

Scout Sunday will be this coming Sunday, December 8. All Scouts are to meet at their respective services, in uniform if they have them—St. Francis at 9.30 a. m.; Congregational at 10.45 a. m., and Methodist at 11 a. m. Be about 20 to 30 minuts early, and meet in a group.

All the goodies for the Christmas party for Cubs have been ordered, and Santa's been invited.

Leaders' meeting for January of the new year will be January 8.

The meeting adjourned at 9.30 p. m.

JAYCEE CHARTER NIGHT

The Jaycee Charter Night observance at Robin Farm Lodge on last Saturday evening was truly a significant occasion for this budding organization.

Mike Forgue was master of ceremonies, and with the help of George Suhm, local Jaycee promoter and state director, introduced the various dignitaries present.

Earl Henrichon and Messrs Michael Mathras and Walter Tolpa, Jr., the local board of selectmen, were guests of honor, all being present.

Representative James Nolen of Ware was also a guest. In fact he is a charter member of the local group, honorary or otherwise.

Rep. Nolen said he was a charter member of the Ware Jaycees, which organization was formed five years ago, but which has since disbanded. He hoped the local organization would function for many years to come.

The burden of Mr. Nolen's message was a plea that we as a nation grant equality to all, regardless of color or creed.

Earl Henrichon, chairman of the selectmen, expressed pleasure at the enthusiasm of the new group, and thought it is a credit to our town.

Everett Kozarik, president of the Amherst Jaycees, the sponsoring chapter, spoke of the interest of George Suhm in starting an organization here and of his being present at every meeting.

Robert Dillon, Jr., past vice-president of the national organization, was guest speaker. He spoke of the purpose of the Jaycees, which is personal development. The goal is to build men who will build the community, not just to glorify an organization. These men would naturally bloom into leaders.

Dillon mentioned prominent men in our nation's history, who regardless of consequences, had taken the right course, which at the time was not popular.

He repeated the immortal words of the late president, who wanted his countrymen to ask what they could do for their country, not what it could do for them.

Dillon, and John Palczynski, national director, presented the charter.

Ralph Pittsley, Jaycee president

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REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

The Republican town committee will meet in the Crystal Room at the Dairy Bar next Tuesday evening at 7.30.

Former Belchertown Boy
Author of Popular Book

I have just finished reading an excellent book for boys (younger and older and surely including many adults!) entitled *Sports Cars*. It was published earlier this year by Henry Z. Walck, Inc., of New York. It is in Clapp Memorial Library, and has been in demand ever since it was an accession in July.

Its author is Robert B. Jackson of East Orange, New Jersey. He is Coordinator of Readers' Service in the East Orange Public Library.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Blake S. Jackson of North Washington Street. Belchertown does not have many sons or daughters who have written books, and it is a real pleasure to know that Bob's volume will most likely be placed on the Belchertown Shelf in the Stone House. His father has been a leading member of the Historical Association for many years.

This book is serious non-fiction, well illustrated by photographs and diagrams, and covers the subject with clarity and simplicity, without becoming too technical for an average motor-minded youngster to understand.

I have heard that a companion volume will appear before long.

Robert Jackson spent his boyhood in Belchertown. He was graduated from Williston Academy and Amherst College, and later secured his master's degree in Library Science from Columbia.

He does a lot of photography and developing ("comes natural by it"!) and most of the pictures in the book are his own. His parents are definitely sports car fans themselves now!

While still in school and college, he was an excellent amateur magician.

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Word Games Still Appeal
In Age of Space Searching

Over the Thanksgiving weekend, when we were "resting up" after the session at the festive board, where eleven of us had gathered around the old table whose extra leaves expand it to fill the entire dining room if need be, or a day later when the rains took over and kept us lazily indoors, we took up word games again.

It is remarkable what a hold the building of words has on folks of all ages! Anagrams in one form or another have never been really replaced by any of the multitudinous games that have come and gone since a handful of letters became the basis of a parlor competition.

The fact that football was featured on TV in the living room did not prevent four males (ages 10 to 70) from setting up the Scrabble on the kitchen table and making word patterns for hours.

A new game called *Spill and Spell* proved a big pleasure to everyone. It is simple and easy to operate, consisting of 15 orange-colored dice in a gay plastic cup. Each dice has six letters. The players simply spill and spell, following a crossword-puzzle technique. It's easy enough for grade schoolers and challenging enough for college grads. Egg timers are provided for those who care to be really professional about their vocabulary-building speed.

We have also added a card word game called Bali, which has an appeal of its own and also is good for jaded vocabularies.

As we play, we go along with Confucius, who said in 500 B.C.: "For one word a man is often set down as a fool."

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Add Vermont Notes

When I was commenting on varied news items from Vermont a couple of weeks ago, I couldn't for the life of me find two tiny clippings I had saved for that occasion. Of course, they have since popped out of hiding under a corner of the blotter.

One had to do with Bennington College, which recently announced that its "package deal" for tuition, room, and board would be hiked $500 as of September, 1964. This will make the total a mere $3450! If you multiply this by four, and add another $3000 for four years of essentials not found in the "package" books, supplies, entertainment, clothes, and the like-you will discover what a really exclusive education can do to a twenty-thousand-dollar bill, if you have one handy. Bennington has always been in the "very expensive" class, but its $3450 was $2650 in 1958!

With costs as they are, will anybody still go to college? Yeah. The University of Vermont has 1100 freshmen this fall, the largest entering class in its history. Middlebury welcomed 400 freshmen, but kept the number down by rejecting the applications of more than 2,000. I haven't the up-to-date figures, but five years ago UVM was estimating $1400 a year as the cost of tuition, room, board and fees, while Midd was figuring $1685. That's not peanuts.

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Speaking of Words!
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"Man is what he believes."—*Chekhov*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Philip A. Bridgman, a native of this town, has been promoted to the office of General Manager of the Canadian Branch of the Congoleum Co., with headquarters in Montreal.

Mrs. D. P. Spencer observed two dandelions in full blossom on Monday.

The Girl Scout movement came into its own when the international sisterhood of which it is a part, was formally and officially recognized and approved by the League of Nations, being recommended by a committee from Chili. This Committee paid high tribute to the International Boy and Girl Scout movement as rendering valuable service for world peace. At the present time there are more than 2,500,000 Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts in the world.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Excavation for the furnace room at the chapel was completed Tuesday evening at 11 o'clock. The work was done at bees by the men of the church.

A large crowd attended the center Elementary Minstrel Show at Memorial Hall. The Steeple writes that it was "one of the most joyous evenings that Memorial Hall has had for a long time." He says: "It was from start to finish performed with a gusto we have found lacking in many performances offered by adults. Every youngster obviously enjoyed himself greatly. No one tried to steal the show, and the whole affair ran smoothly for the entire length."

Mrs. Clara Lincoln celebrated her 91st birthday, receiving remembrances from neighbors and friends. Mrs. Ellen Dewey, the oldest person in town, quietly observed her 97th birthday.

Two new dressing rooms have been installed in the old town hall, the work being done by a number of public-spirited citizens.

TEN YEARS AGO

Paul Austin was announced by Fr. Dudley as the newly elected President of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine for 1953-54.

James M. McKillop has resigned as Director of Civil Defense, and Arlan Skinner has been appointed as his successor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Antonovitch had a surprise on Thanksgiving day as fifteen of their relatives appeared, not simply for the Thanksgiving festivities but also to celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

At long-last, a dream is about to become a reality—our girls are going to have permanents. With the donation of $50.00 from the Young Women's League in Springfield, and another $150.00 check from the U. S. Royalettes, Volunteers from Chicopee Falls—we are off to a flying start. By the way if you have any extra spin curlers cluttering up your dressing table drawers, we could certainly use them. (Just hand them to the Pharmacist with the receding hairline, or toss them in the Volksy and thanks heaps!)

Our babies in Tadgell Nursery have once again been on the receiving end of beautiful gifts from the Chicopee Women's Social Club. This year they brought Taylor Tots, Wink'n'Wakes, dolls and stuffed toys. Mrs. Gene Bothwell, R. N. and her staff were delighted to receive them and treated the visitors to "peeks" at the babies through the big windows.

DR. TADGELL PASSES

Word has just reached us of the sudden death of Dr. Henry A. Tadgell, our former Superintendent. All of us here at B. S. S. would like to extend our most sincere sympathy to his wife Lucy and Rev. and Mrs. Allen Tadgell.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Ken Rhodes paced the Independents' team last Monday to the first round championship with a fine three string total of 379. Team results were as follows: Reece 6, BSS 0; Gates 6, Legion 0; Hilltoppers 6, Jabish Brook 0; Park Lane 6, Cole's 0; Independents 4, Turkey Hill 2; Henneman's 4, Jackson's 2; Salvage 4, Cook's 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Independents	58	20	19,418
Henneman's	53	25	19,534
Jackson's	53	25	18,999
Salvage	49	29	19,146
Hilltoppers	47	31	18,667
Turkey Hill	46	32	18,943
Reece	46	32	18,521
Cook's	43	35	18,857
Gates	40	38	18,157
Jabish Brook	32	46	18,483
Park Lane	31	47	18,332
Cole's	24	54	17,935
B. S. S.	17	61	17,257
Legion	7	71	16,912

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	K. Rhodes, 143
High Three Str.	R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd High Three	K. Rhodes, 379
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Salvage, 1,609

310 Club—K. Rhodes 379; P. Chlebus 319; W. Jensen 332; E. Henrichon, Sr. 319; B. Dickinson 343; P. Menard 310; A. Henneman 322; D. Pratt 334; A. Sears 315; J. Bodzinski 324; R. Hawkins 310; B. Malmstedt 314; N. Bullough 328; and C. Robinson, Jr. 323.

110 Club—K. Rhodes, 122, 143, 114; E. Field 116; H. Squires 133; P. Chlebus 123; W. Jensen 130; B. Dickinson 134, 111; P. Menard 117; A. Henneman 117, 114; R. Pratt 124, 112; A. Sears 131; J. Tolpa, Jr. 120; T. Bleau 116; J. Bodzinski 114, 111; J. Rush 115; S. Dana 110; J. Carr 117; R. Hawkins 118; B. Malmsted 120, 113; N. Bullough 117, 117; B. Ross 111; H. Main 118; F. Loftus 113; H. Goodrow 117; D. Barrett 110; N. Robidoux 111; R. Lapointe 110; and C. Robinson, Jr. 127.

Next week will be an open week with an Odd Pin Tournament. All league members will be eligible to compete and money prizes will be given to the winners in each of the four classes. Frank Grover and Dick Pratt will be in charge.

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

NOEL—GUTHRIE WEDDING

In a ceremony last Saturday morning at St. Francis Church, Karen Patricia Noel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Noel of Maple St., became the bride of Ronald Leigh Guthrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guthrie of Arlington, Va.

Rev. Joseph T. Collins, curate of St. Francis Church, performed the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Francis Loftus of this town was soloist. Mrs. Mary C. Landers was organist.

The bride chose for her wedding day a full length taffeta gown with empire waistline, square cut neckline and short sleeves. Her veil fell from a pearl crown, and she carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Jean Noel, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss Carol Casey, cousin of the bride, of Maple St., was bridesmaid.

Both of her attendants wore paris pink nylon organza over taffeta gowns designed with scoop neckline and controlled bell skirts with petal front. They wore matching face veils attached to nylon horsehair crowns. They carried bouquets of carnations and mums.

Richard Jimenez of Culver City, Calif., served as best man, and Ross Thenthaus of Denver, Colorado, served as usher.

A reception was held at DeMarco's in Ludlow, with the mothers of the bridal couple assisting in the receiving. Mrs. Noel wore a pale green brocade dress with a tunic styled skirt. The bridegroom's mother wore a blue velvet dress and they both wore white rose corsages.

The couple left on an unannounced destination for their wedding trip, with the bride wearing a blue wool suit. They will live at home at 29 Locust St., Springfield.

The bride was born in Ware and attended Belchertown schools, graduating from Belchertown High School. She is employed as a clerk typist at the Standard Electric Time Co. in Springfield.

The groom was born in Washington, D. C. and graduated from Washington-Lee High School in Arlington, Virginia. He is a photographer in the United States Air Force, stationed at Westover Field.

Among those from out of town attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hewitt of Fairfax, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harrison of Rye, New York.

BELMONT—ZAGRODNIK WEDDING

Patricia Elizabeth Belmont, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Belmont, Jr., of Greene Ave., became the bride of Richard William Zagrodnik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Zagrodnik of 14 Mosher Street, Holyoke, Saturday at 11 a. m. in a double-ring ceremony in St. Francis Church. Rev. Joseph T. Collins, curate, officiated.

Mrs. Mary C. Landers was organist and James O'Leary was the soloist. The altar was decorated with bouquets of pompons and pink carnations.

Mrs. Carol Garvey of Cold Spring Road, was matron of honor and Miss Virginia Conkey, Miss Lenita Dunbar and Miss Linda Henneman, all of this town, were bridesmaids. Miss Anne Labonte of Willimansett was flower girl. Anthony Ostrowski of South Deerfield was best man. Ushers were James Shockley of East Lake, Ohio, brother-in-law of the bridegroom; Lafayette Ayers, Jr., and William Belmont, brother of the bride, and both of Belchertown.

The bride chose a gown of white antique brocade fashioned with a basque bodice with bateau neckline and long tapered sleeves with a bouffant skirt caught at the hipline with petti bows. The back train terminated into a chapel length. The waist-length veil of imported illusion was arranged to a halo of orange blossoms and self material leaves. She carried a cascade of gardenias and stephanotis ivy.

The matron of honor was attired in an Irish green floor-length gown with bateau neckline, long tapered sleeves with a dome skirt with back bow and self material rose enhancing back waist. The bridesmaids were attired in similar gowns of mint with matching crowns. The flower girl wore a floor-length gown of Irish green. They carried nosegays of white carnations and pink Briarcliff roses.

A reception was held at DeMarco's Restaurant in Ludlow for 100 guests. The bride's mother received in a green and silver dress with a matching jacket with black accessories and the bridegroom's mother was attired in an olive green lace dress with black accessories.

After a wedding trip to Florida the couple will reside on River Road in South Deerfield.

The bride was born in Ware, and graduated from the Belchertown High School in 1962. She is a clerk typist with the Belchertown public schools in the administration office. The bridegroom was born in Hatfield and graduated in 1961 from the Smith Vocational High School in Northampton. He is employed as an electrician at the Highway Electric Shop in South Deerfield.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Shockley of East Lake, Ohio.

GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange conferred the 3rd and 4th degrees at its meeting Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be December 17th and will be a Christmas party in charge of the grange officers. A supper will be served at 6. 30 p. m. for Union Grange members only.

The business meeting will be omitted, and there will be a Christmas program and exchange of 50 cent gifts.

Mrs. Ruth Kempkes, the Master, will have charge of the presentation of 25 and 50 year certificates and pins.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

—TODAY—

First Friday Schedule

Confessions today, the first Friday in December, were held this morning and communion was distributed. Confessions this evening from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass following at 7 p. m.

Red Cross Bloodmobile

On Friday, December 6th, the Red Cross Bloodmobile unit will be here in Belchertown—won't you donate a pint of your blood? Time and place: 1-7 p. m. in the Pine Room.

—TOMORROW—

Religion classes will be held this Saturday, December 7th at the State School at 10 a. m. with Fr. Collins.

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. at the church.

Special Dispensation

The Rt. Rev. Vicar General has dispensed the faithful of the Diocese from the law of fast and abstinence to be observed on Saturday, December 7th.

—SUNDAY—

*Feast of The Immaculate Conception**

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Proverbs 8: 22-35.

Gospel—Luke 1: 26-28. The Holy Gospel of Our Lord according to St. Luke. (Relates the Annunciation when Mary was called "full of grace" by the Archangel Gabriel.)

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* In 1846, the American Hierarchy declared Mary the patroness of the United States, under the title of her Immaculate Conception.

The National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception at Washington D. C., has been built by the Catholics of the U. S. as their tribute to the Mother of God and as a plea for her continued protection of the nation.

The Shrine project was launched in 1914, and the foundation stone laid in 1920. The crypt, an underground church, was completed in 1926. The upper church and superstructure were dedicated in 1959. The exterior of the Shrine is completed. The interior of the great upper church (6,000 cap.) is still incomplete—stained glass windows, walls, dome surfaces are still not finished. No definite completion date is stated, though it may be around 1975-80.

The Shrine is the largest Catholic church in the U. S. and the 7th largest religious edifice in the world.

It is located near the Catholic University campus in Northwest Washington, D. C.

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Assisting Fr. Collins with the Sunday Masses is Father Raymond Cahill, S. J., a professor of economics at the College of The Holy Cross, Worcester.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

—COMING EVENTS—

Dec. 25—Nativity of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Jan. 11—Public Roast Beef Supper in the Pine Room.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor

DECEMBER 8

9.00 a. m. Church School—grades 5 - adult

10.45 a. m. Morning Worship and Church School—grades nursery - 4

Pastor Miller's Advent Sermons will be based on John 1: 1-18. The sermon for this Sunday is entitled "The Living Word". This is also "White Gift Sunday". All adults are invited to join with the children of the Church School and bring a white gift to the Worship Service.

Christmas Family Workshop—4.30 p. m., Workshop; 6, Worship; 6.30, Supper.

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

Every family in the Parish is urged to join in Family Worship at the conclusion of this day, and light the second candle in the Advent Worship Services.

DECEMBER 10

2.30 p. m. The Home Department will enjoy their Annual Christmas Party at the home of Mrs. Jessie Tremaine. An exchange of gifts will take place. Mrs. Guy Allen and Mrs. Edward Broadhurst will be co-hostesses.

8 p. m. All teachers of the Church School will meet with the Board of Christian Education. All persons involved in the Religious Education program of the Parish are urged to attend.

DECEMBER 12

7.30 p. m. Choir rehearsal

8 p. m. The Pastor invites all adults to the Parish House for an hour of Bible Study and Prayer. Bring your Bibles.

DECEMBER 13

7.30 p. m. All members of the Board of Missions will meet.

DATES TO REMEMBER—

Dec. 18—Women's Guild Christmas Party

Dec. 20—Church School Christmas Party

Dec. 24, 11 p. m.—Christmas Eve Service

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8

9.45 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship

Sermon, "I Want to Share With You"

Junior Sermon by the Pastor

6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Educational Building

6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry

7.30 p. m. Evensong will be held in the Church.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage. This is an important meeting, as planning will be concluded for the Christmas Season.

7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group will meet at Mrs. Alice Wildey's on South Main Street. This is a change in the night of meeting.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet at the Church.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

7 p. m. The Choir will meet in the Church.

8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will hold their meeting in the Vestry. This will be a supper meeting.

6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Choir will rehearse in the Church.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

6 p. m. The December Faith, Food and Fun Night will be a night when we have Church Christmas Preparation Night, as each family will be making something for the Christmas Season. All members of the Church and its friends are welcome.

DECEMBER 22

The Annual Christmas Program by the Church and the Sunday School will be held in the Church. This will be a Vesper Service at 4.30 p. m.

DWIGHT ITEMS

Mrs. Olive Lemon has returned home from the Holyoke Hospital.

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RECEPTION FOR NEW PASTOR

— continued from page 1 —

Miles Hubler, chairman of the trustees, introduced his colleagues Mrs. William Pero, Russell Robinson, Roger Merrell, Mrs. Arthur Henneman and Sherman Gould. He hoped Mr. Miller would be happy in his work here and make us a long stay.

Mrs. Walter Wadsworth, superintendent of the Church School, introduced members of her staff and asked them to take a bow. She spoke of Mr. Miller visiting the School in the morning, a trip which the new pastor had alluded to as the "grand tour".

Mrs. Marie Forde, organist and choir director, brought greetings from the choir and wished for a happy stay.

Mrs. Victor Blackmer responding for the home department in the absence of Mrs. Harold Curtis, put on a word picture of the activities of that organization, whose membership comprised people from 40 to 98, alluding to Mrs. James Peck as concerns the latter figure.

Mrs. Donald Geer brought greetings from the Women's Guild and must have pleased the pastor's wife by calling her by her first name.

Mrs. Arthur Henneman, secretary to the pastor, extended best wishes from the Double or Nothing group in a most personal way.

Richard Merrell, president of the Senior P. F., told of its activities which included "finding ourselves" and having a "good time".

Martha Henneman, of the Junior P. F., brought most sincere greetings from that group.

Rev. Joseph Collins of St. Francis Church brought greetings from Fr. Dudley, Pastor, now in a rest home, whom he had seen the day previous. He spoke of the good spirit and good fellowship manifest here.

Fr. Collins spoke of his being here from 44-51, then being in the "minor" leagues. (He surely now has major responsibilities.) He attributed much of his ecumenical outlook to his mother, who respected and admired the convictions of others before these later councils met.

Rev. Harold Suhm, pastor of the "Union Church Society of North Belchertown," commonly known as Dwight Chapel, also spoke of the churches working well together here, called the new pastor by his first name, and bade him a hearty welcome.

At this point there was a musical program. Miss Jane Peterson sang a solo, with her mother accompanying at the piano; and a quartet consisting of Dr. Kenneth Collard, Carl Peterson, Harvey Dickinson and Robert Wilson, rendered two selections, with Mrs. Rachel Shumway at the piano.

The senior deacon emeritus, was called on for some verses, which are appended.

Mrs. Miller confessed to accepting the place on the say-so of her husband, who felt the Lord's hand was on his shoulder. He said, "That's why we're here." And son Michael, present for the occasion, was happy.

The receiving line then formed, with Deacan Shaw heading the line. Deacon Donald Geer gave the low down on the different ones to Elvert; and Deacon Belding Jackson (the Steeple) did the same for the pastor's wife. We hope their stories agreed.

Then came tea, coffee and refreshments, Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett and Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer, pouring.

Yes, a whole lot had been crammed into that eventful day!

The committee for the evening was Mrs. Richard Pratt, Harold Peck, Mrs. Harvey Dickinson, Mrs. Arthur Henneman, and Mrs. Guy Harrington.

Welcoming Verses

If you were leaving us tonight,
We would have lots to say;
We'd mix our tears with fears,
And send you on your way.

You'd know our sins, and we'd know
yours
(Perhaps you have just one)—
We know you wouldn't believe us
If we said we had none.

We are a bunch of sinners;
In time you will agree,
But possibly worth saving,
Perhaps excepting me.

But why, pray tell, did we ask you
To come here from so far,
If we were satisfied with self
And things just as they are?

We sort of have the feeling
That as the years go by,
You'll fix our eyes upon the stars,
Teach us to live and die.

To labor in the Kingdom
Is each one's special task;
We hope we will be willing
To do whate'er you ask.

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And also to the town,
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DWIGHT CHAPEL LADIES' AID

The regular monthly meeting of the Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid will be held at the Chapel on Tuesday. December 10, at 8.30, at which time there willl be a drawing for the birds of state quilt.

A Christmas party will follow at 9 at the home of Eunice Griswold, with an exchange of gifts.

Each person attending the Christmas party is requested to give one cent for each year of their age, as their Christmas gift to the Chapel. Refreshments will be served in the Vestry by the Ladies Aid.

The Christmas party is open to the public.

The Dwight Chapel Sunday School is rehearsing in preparation for the Christmas program to be given on December 22nd at the Chapel.

FUNERAL

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Sophie Skinner on Monday afternoon at 2, at the Congregational Church, Rev. Paul Varga, former pastor, officiating, with Rev. Elvert F. Miller, the new pastor, assisting. Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer was organist, and Dr. Kenneth Collard sang "Abide With Me."

Bearers were Isaac Hodgen, Frank Scialla, Frederick Lincoln, Harold Peck, Kenneth Thayer and Charles Sanford. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

EXTENSION SERVICE

The annual Extension Service Christmas meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ada Staples of Jackson Street on Monday evening, December 9, at 7.30 p. m.

Everyone is most cordially welcome, so come along and bring with you an inexpensive gift for a "Yankee Swap", your favorite Christmas recipe to share, and any other Christmas ideas you may have.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

DEN 6

Den 6 Cub Scouts are making classbooks for the State School children for Christmas.

We started to string popcorn to decorate our Christmas tree.

Mark Jackson, Scribe

TOWN ITEMS

Eugene O. Lofland is a patient at Leeds Hospital.

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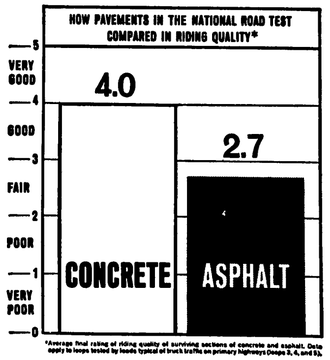

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JAYCEE CHARTER NIGHT

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here, accepted the same and said that this was an important night and he was proud of the enthusiasm of all the members.

The Westfield Jaycees presented Pittsley with a whip in lieu of a gavel.

Rev Harold Suhm, father of George, gave the invocation, and pronounced the benediction.

Dancing concluded the evening's program.

Officers installed were:

President Ralph Pittsley
Secretary Richard Clark
Treasurer William Hennemann
Internal Vice-President William Taylor
External Vice-President Francis Loftus

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Harriet Chevalier. Prize winners were: 1st, Herbert West, Elsa Haller, Christine Henry and Godfrey Wenzel; 2nd, Emma Grover, Ruth Kempkes, Fred Fuller and Fred Holcomb; 3rd, Blanche Bader, Jane Bowler, Eva Webb and Petronella Squires; door, Blanche Bader and Elsa Haller.

This week's party will be in charge of Howard Judkins.

BERTHA S. HOLLAND

Mrs. Bertha S. Holland, 76, of the Masonic Home, Charlton, widow of Charles Luther Holland, formerly of Springfield, died in Charlton Sunday. She was born September 28, 1887, in Warren, the daughter of William F. and Ella A. (Sibley) Shaw, and lived in Springfield for 45 years before moving to Charlton four years ago.

The funeral was held Thursday in the Dickinson-Streeter funeral home, with burial in Mt. Hope Cemetery here.

DR. HENRY A. TADGELL

Dr. Henry A. Tadgell, 58, retired superintendent of B. S. S. and a descendant of William Shakespeare, died Tuesday at his home in Punta Gorda, Florida. He retired in 1960 after 18 years at the State School.

A 118-bed nursery for infants and small children at the school was dedicated June 3, 1962, as the Dr. Henry A. Tadgell Nursery Building.

Dr. Tadgell, a graduate of Tufts College Medical School in 1929, served 30 years with the state. After graduating from medical school, he was appointed assistant physician at Danvers State Hospital, and was the senior physician there from 1931-34. From 1934 to 1941 he was assistant superintendent at Wrentham State School, and was director of the state Department of Mental Health Division of Statistics and Mental Deficiency and assistant commissioner of the department from 1941 to 1943 when he was promoted to superintendent of B.S.S.

Dr. Tadgell was born in Salem on December 20, 1904, the son of Mrs. Grace (Dow) Tadgell of Cambridge and the late Alfred E. Tadgell. His grandfather, Henry Tadgell, was a botanist in England, and his grandmother, Mrs. Susan (Peever) Tadgell, was a direct descendent of Shakespeare.

Besides his mother, he leaves his wife, the former Lucy Bokawicz, and a son, Rev. Henry Allen Tadgell, Jr. of Winchendon, Mass.

The Beers and Story funeral home is in charge of the arrangements, which had not been announced at press time.

RETIREE IN BUSINESS HERE

Chief Warrant Officer Edward Lofland retired on Saturday, 30 November at Fort Devens, after serving 20 years with the Army. He entered the Service as a private at Fort Devens in 1943. As well as being stationed in various Posts throughout the United States he served in Europe three times and in the Far East, including Korea.

He has been awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon with Medal Pendant, as well as many other service awards and campaign medals, the most recent of which is the 1st Oak Leaf Cluster for the Army Commendation Ribbon which he was presented on Friday, 22 November, by his Commanding Officer, Col. Roger Morin, at headquarters of the 29th Evacuation Hospital at Ft. Devens.

CWO Lofland has purchased the property on Jabish Street from his parents and is now residing there with his wife and eight children and expects to operate the Quabbin Bait and Supply Center on a year round basis.

CAMERA CLUB NEWS

The Belchertown Color Camera Club will meet next week Friday evening at 7.45 in Memorial Hall, when the speaker will be Paul D. Yarrows, APSA. His subject will be "Color Photography After Dark."

Paul Yarrows is a prolific photographer and well known exhibitor. He has had his pictures accepted for photographic exhibits more than 1,000 times during the last three years; and has won numerous best-of-show medals for both black-and-white and color photography. Paul is a photographer and lecturer for the Eastman Kodak Company; a member of nine camera clubs in the United States and Mexico; and is the chairman of the Photographic Society of America's Personalized Print Analysis Service.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The 4-H Dog Training Club met December 3 at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room.

Members wolunteered to bring in refreshments and games for the Christmas party at the next meeting. Members will also each bring a gift. Members will not bring their dogs.

The next meeting will be at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room on December 17.

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A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **BARBARA CARLE VALLIERE** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of December, 1963, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of November, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Nov. 22, 30, Dec. 6

LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank for the amount of deposit represented by passbook No. B-298, issued by said bank to Nancy E. or Elinor J. Tolpa, it being claimed that said bank book has been lost or destroyed.

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TURKEY SHOOT

Jake Bodzinski and Rene Bronner of Granby both won 25-pound turkeys at the Lions Club turkey shoot last Sunday afternoon. Winners of 12½-pound birds were Jack Doherty of Hadley, Noah Adams of Amherst, Paul Doherty of Newton Center, William Cote of South Hadley and Ralph Banas of Ludlow, who won the free bird. Town winners included 11-year-old Susan Tolpa, John Mozeleski, Harvey Samson, Peter Nepus and Herve Choiniere. Another match will be conducted next Sunday at 1.30 at Belchertown Salvage Co. on Bay Rd.

TOWN ITEMS

Arthur Brown, son of Randolph Brown of 77 Main St., is a patient at Mercy Hospital, Springfield.

CARD OF THANKS

Together with deep gratitude for your prayers, I wish to thank all who sent cards, and other expressions of friendship, while I was in the Holyoke hospital.

Editha Stivers

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15
d 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at
30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at
p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Fellowship at 6 p. m
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6
m.
Evensong in Church at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30
ss.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning
orship Service.
Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

Lions Club Turkey Shoot at the
vage Grounds on Bay Rd. at 1.30.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. in the Old Town Hall.

TUESDAY

Church Cabinet at Parish House at
30 p. m.
Union Grange Christmas Party.

WEDNESDAY

W. S. C. S.
Cub Scout Christmas Pack Meeting
the American Legion Hall at 7 p. m.
Women's Guild.

FRIDAY

Police Association Record Hop in
morial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.
Hitched and Unhitched in the Ves-
at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.
School of Dance Christmas Party
Legion Home.

BOY SCOUT COMMITTEE MEETING

The third meeting of the Boy Scout committee was held at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room on Tuesday, the 10th of December.

Two films were shown to the committee members. The first was on the Board of Revue, which passes the Scouts on their Tenderfoot, Second, and First Class ranks.

The second film was entitled "The Troop Budget Plan," and it showed the Troop's income as coming from dues, sales and from such activities as the Fair Food Tent.

Their expenses are: registration badges, books and leaders' pamphlets, Boys Life subscriptions, special good turns, a reserve fund, and equipment for camping.

Other subjects under discussion were: the need for another patrol, due to the increase in membership, plans for the Klondike Derby, and the repairs necessary to restore their camp on Route 202.

Chester Dzwonkowcki, our Neighborhood Commissioner, was present, and gave us some of the highlights of the Jamboree, and dates of winter meetings to be attended by the Scout leaders in the near future.

LADIES' AID

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid held their business meeting Tuesday evening at the Chapel. The drawing of the Birds of State quilt was held, and the winner was Faith Desabris of Conn. She is related to the Dexters of Warren Wright Road.

A gift of $50 that was made on the quilt will be given to the Dwight Chapel in memory of Ida Hunt, who thought of this project.

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TODAY

Monson High vs. B. H. S.
Camera Club at Memorial Hall.

TOMORROW

Faith, Food and Fun Night at the Methodist Church at 6 p. m.
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Dec. 23
Special Town Meeting at 7.30 p. m.
Dec. 28
Square Dance at Memorial Hall.
Jan. 11
St. Francis Public Roast Beef Supper.
Feb. 22
Supper at the Dwight Chapel.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Plans for the 1963 Christmas party of District 2 at Leeds to be held December 15, were completed. Commander Frank Goodrow asks all members who can make it to be sure and be at Leeds by 6.45 p. m., December 15, to go to the ward parties by 7 p. m.

The Post also made a contribution to Boys Town, as it has in the past.

Again this year the Post will be sending a Junior boy to Boys State to be held at the University of Massachusetts from June 19 to June 27, 1964. A committee of three from the Post will work with the school in picking the boy to represent the local Post.

We are also looking forward to the Legion Oratorical Contest, which will be coming up early in 1964, and ask the school children to be working on their speeches.

In the early part of 1964 the Post hopes to put up some types of equipment for its members to enjoy, equipment to include a pool table and other equipment of that type. We hope to make a club room for our use, if possible.

Commander Frank Goodrow asks those members not yet paid up for the current year of 1964 to try and do so by January 1, to see if we can get a 100% paid up membership from that of '63; presently the Post has 80 paid members, 14 of whom are new or return members.

We are looking forward to February, when the Post will hold another Past Commanders' Night, as well as Past Presidents, with other entertainment being planned.

The Annual Variety Show will also be coming to light, and working committees will be set up at our next meeting, as well as the date for the same.

On New Year's Eve, December 31, 1963, come to the Legion Post 239 New Year's Party. Dining, Dancing and Refreshments from 9 p. m. to 2 a. m., all for $8 per couple. Contact J. Reed, S. Joyal, F. Goodrow, M. Butler or F. Holmes for reservations and tickets. Legion members and townspeople are greatly welcome. Loads of fun planned, and dancing to a great orchestra.

A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to one and all from Post 239 American Legion and Auxiliary!

LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club announces that there will be a turkey shoot this coming Sunday, the 15th, and they will continue as long as the weather permits.

Frank Scialla is chairman of the Lions Club tree lighting committee, who will decorate a tree at the center. The plan is to have the tree lighted this week-end.

SUCCESSFUL VISIT

Last Friday the Red Cross Bloodmobile made a successful visit here, with a total of 94 pints collected. There were 14 rejects. Had some of the forty others who made appointments kept them, our quota of 100 pints surely would have been met.

This project involved the help of many volunteers, to whom thanks and credit should be given: to St. Francis Church for the generous use of the Pine Room, and to the Granby Canteen staffed by Mrs. Nicholas White and Mrs. Lawrence Lyman.

These were other volunteers: General Chairman; Mrs. Kenneth Collard; Physician in charge, Dr. Kenneth Collard; Staff Aides, Miss Inez Eyre and Mrs. Granville Craven of Northampton; Transportation, Mrs. Peter Whittaker, Mrs. Donald Towne, Mrs. Harry Ryther, William Shaw, John Wood; Registered Nurses, Mrs. Gugell, Mrs. Burridge, Mrs. Oberly, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Collard; Assistants to the Red Cross Nurses, Mrs. Harriet Chevalier, Mrs. Pearl Davis, Mrs. Judkins, Mrs. Marion Plant, Mrs. Bernice Ritter, Mrs. Marion Harrington, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Louis Shumway; Typist, Susan Hussey.

The successs of this project is due largely to the wonderful response of two dedicated groups— Vernon Lodge of Masons, who secured 43 appointments, and St. Hyacinth Seminary, who sent 30 donors.

If the next visit of the Bloodmobile can only bring as much support from the other organizations in town, what a record we could set!

CANCELLED

The P. T. A. meeting scheduled for Monday, December 16 has been cancelled due to the busy season.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

A special town meeting will be held on Monday, December 23, at 7.30 p. m. The several articles are to be found in this issue.

NEW QUABBIN HEAD

The new acting Superintendent of the M. D. C. at Quabbin Reservoir is John W. Copithorne. He replaces Roy Kimball who retired at the start of this month after nearly fifty years of state service.

Copithorne, who lives on Blue Meadow Road, here, had been assistant superintendent since 1943. Kimball had been with the Quabbin project from its beginnings. He went to Enfield in 1932.

WOODCRAFT CLUB BEING FORMED

Boys 10 to 21 who are interested in 4-H woodcraft, are invited to contact George Foster of North Main Street, Tel. 323-6240, who is starting such a club.

PUBLIC INVITED

The owners of the recreation center down on Mill Valley Road have announced that the new Club House facilities for the Jabish Brook Country Club, Inc., will be open daily starting on Saturday, December 14, 1963 at 1 p. m., closing at midnight. All potential club members and their guests are cordially invited to inspect the new facilities which are located on Route 181, here in town.

The golf course has been completed and will be open to the general public and members, in May of next year. A swimming pool, and tennis courts will be added next year for the use of members.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown High School will attempt to get on the winning track tonight when it entertains a powerful Monson High School team here at the old town hall. Game times are 6.45 and 8.

The Orioles lost their opener to a well knit Chicopee Comprehensive five earlier this week by a 56-39 score. Trailing 19-6 with 4 minutes to go in the half, the local five rallied gamely and helped by a zone press, closed out the half on the short end of a 23-20 score.

The hot shooting Chicopee team connected on four of its first five shots to open the second half, and Belchertown wasn't able to pose another threat.

The usual first game mistakes and jitters marred Belchertown's performance. They will have to work extra hard tonight to get by a Monson team headed by Ron Constantino, one of the best in this section. Constantino scored 27 points in his team's opening night win over Ware.

Next week Belchertown hits the road for two games with nearby rivals. Tuesday it's down Route 9 to the Ware Armory where they'll open their Franklin League slate with a good Hardwick team. Then on Thursday they'll travel East on 202 and visit Granby High in what should be the start of a great rivalry between these neighboring towns. Granby's team has been playing as a unit for three years and should provide all the competition the Orioles want.

Wonder If Snuff-Sniffing Will Spread Across the Ocean!

The papers say that there is a considerable revival of snuff-sniffing in Great Britain these days, and that the consumer total is about half a million, paying out about $14 million a year.

The Society of Snuff Grinders, Blenders, and Purveyors are happily making up mixes for ladies (carnation, hyacinth, rose) as well as for men (apple and peppermint).

Although tobacco stores still sell some snuff here in the "colonies", I suspect there has not been any real run on the stuff for going on two centuries.

It was in the Seventeen Hundreds that anyone who was anyone took snuff. Far from being considered harmful, it was hailed as possessing medicinal virtue. The snuff boxes of those years, often beautifully decorated and made from the most expensive materials, have become heirlooms and collectors' items.

In high society, snuff was about as popular with the ladies as with the men. Not until cigarettes came into their own in our time, and lovely girls came puffing through the pastures in the ads, did the vile weed meet full female approval again.

The snuff fashion of taking tobacco into the system, like that of inhaling the smoke, originated in the New World, whence it was taken from Mexico and Central America to the Old World.

The chewing of tobacco, as recently as my own boyhood considered to be one of the marks of a true man, is now in disfavor. A few decades ago we sold a lot of chewing tobacco in the Fuller and Dyer store on the present First National site. The tobacco cutter was then as useful in the store as the sugar scoop or the cheese knife. *Mechanics Delight, B.L.? (Light or Dark), Honey Dip Twist*—these are a few of the tasty titles given to what looked like a high-quality fudge, but lacked a true fudge flavor.

Then it was that the spittoon was lovely in the land, and almost as universally in use as the slop jar. Oral target practice was a popular parlor game, and sawdust surrounded the club or corner-store spittoons to soak up the "near misses."

These containers are getting to be antiques today, and may be found on the shelves under where the dealers display the shaving mugs. A few are still in the spots where they once were used. The last I knew the Legislative Chambers in Montpelier, Vermont, had a lovely brass spittoon beside each polished desk.

It so happened that I largely missed the household duty of cleaning the china, because modern plumbing came early to the Belchertown Creamery. But I was not so fortunate in the field of spittoon scouring. I was janitor of the Masonic Clubroom, where there were many chewers and a few good shots. I scrubbed a lot, gagged a little, threw the soup down the sink, put in a bit of disinfectant, and the container was ready for another night of pool and pede.

Tobacco chewing and, to a lesser degree, cigar smoking lost favor before the exploding popularity of the cigarette. Customs changed, too. It was once definitely not the thing to do to smoke in many a gathering where it is now acceptable. So men used to chew and hope for an occasional chance to expectorate. Many men gained a reputation for reticence that was really due to tobacco juice. Men couldn't smoke on the job, either, but they could chew. The so-called coffee break must have started as a smoke break.

It may well be that we are in for changes in the tobacco habits of this nation. The reports currently being issued on the dangers of cigarette smoking could conceivably result in a major turn to a form of nicotine that makes use of another medium. The pipe and the cigar have largely escaped the charge of leading their addicts to early and uncomfortable demises.

The rise of the cigarette to its present poularity came in spite of many early years when it was almost an accepted fact that the cigarette was a "coffin nail" and a chain smoker was a "cigarette fiend", who was headed for tuberculosis via the express route. Its convenience has apparently been the greatest reason for its over-wide acceptance. A pipe must be kept on the person after use. Few cigarette smokers seem to like a pipe, though millions must have tried hard to switch. They can't seem to get used to the sting of the drip, the resistance of the tobacco to smooth burning, and perhaps the wear and tear on dentures. Cigars provide too long a smoke for one used to smoking cigarettes. A stale cigar makes poor resmoking.

Changes in proper and acceptable behavior are a fascinating study in any civilization. Thirty years ago in the United States you would often hear it said by one of the then older generation. "A girl who smokes will do anything else." As you may have noticed, no one says that today. On the other hand, there is little approval of feminine pipe smoking, and the cigar folks are just now nibbling at the idea of getting the ladies to try cigars. I have listened to that commercial just this afternoon, and the wistful expression on the face of the girl who would like to be offered a cigar by the male friend really was moving!

I look for more use of small cigars and little pipes when and if people accept as true the evidence against the cigarette. However, I can't believe that the chewing of tobacco will soon return to its old popularity. For one thing, we are moving too fast. In those days when you kept behind Dobbin you could let fly from the buggy with comparative safety. Did you ever try to expectorate from a car window? Also, most girls would probably not relish the flavor of "Dark B.L." clinging to their lips after the parting kiss.

Snuff is something else again. There could be a return to it. I close, trying to imagine a crowded theater foyer where no choking smoke rises above the milling crowd, but where everyone is trying to find elbow room to dig a bit of dust and sniff it in before the last act gets under way—"Have you tried carnation flavor?"—"Care for a snifter?"

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Methodists appointed E. E. Gay, R. A. French and A. R. Ketchen as their representatives in the Federated Church.

Belding F. Jackson has been appointed Commander of the American Legion.

The first in a series of meetings under the auspices of the Hampshire East Association was held at the Federated Church. Rev. J. A. Hawley was one of the main speakers, who declared that the old type of evangelism was passing, but "new and more vital "methods are accomplishing the same purpose.

Water mains have been installed the full length of Main St. on the West side of the Common. The Commissioners are now at work on Maple St. where they expect to run the line as far as funds will permit.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Inez Durant has been elected Worthy Matron of O.E.S.

A. D. Moore left with his car and trailer for the Sunny South.

The observance of Christmas at the Congregational Church include: sermons by Rev. Kendig Cully during Advent, Church School Christmas party; the High School group sponsoring a candle-lighting and dramatic service of worship; Christmas eve caroling; and the annual Social Guild Christmas party.

The Methodists are rehearsing for Christmas exercises for the Primary Dept. The Epworth League will hold a Special Christmas service on Sunday evening.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Methodist Church was crowded at the Christmas Carol Festival Sunday evening, sponsored by the Meeting-House Fellowship under the leadership of Mrs. Eleanor Crook. The Steeple says of it: "I have never caught more surely, quickly, and satisfyingly the spirit of the Christmas season" than at this service.

There was a good turn-out for the demonstration of the new fire-truck near the hydrant at the corner of Park and East Walnut Sts.

Under the auspices of the Women's Guild a Christmas Musicale will be held on Wednesday evening. A brass quartet will render several selections. Trumpets will be played by Hel Lister and Fred Very, and trombone by Carl Peterson and Sherman Gou

The Men's Club of the Methodist Church held a fine Christmas party last week. The Friendly Neighbors of Dwight held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. John Topping.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

Rev. Joseph T. Collins of St. Francis Church and Rev. Robert D. Price of South Barre paid special tribute to Dr. Henry A. Tadgell, our former Superintendent, at memorial services held in the auditorium on Monday, December 9. Dr. Lawrence P. Bowser, superintendent, played the organ.

Members of District # 6, Disabled American Veterans, gave a wonderful party for "F" building girls on Saturday, December 7th, and presented them with a beautiful new 4-speed Stereo and some long-playing records. They brought delicious refreshments, too, and the girls had a delightful time. Mrs. D. A. Grover was in charge.

On Sunday, Betty Marshall returned to take charge of our reception desk in the Administration Building. She was accompanied by a new Volunteer, Linda Towne, and the girls did an excellent job sorting and marking Christmas packages for prompt delivery to the Marking Room and Volunteer office. Welcome back, gals!

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, December 9, a good majority of the bowlers turned out for the Odd Pin Tournament. The prize money was $7. for High Three Strings—$4.50 for 2nd High Three, and $2. for High Single String in each of the four classes. The winners were as follows:

Class A
High 3 Strings A. Henneman, 285
2nd High 3 Howard Main, 246
High Single R. Hubbard, Sr., 97

Class B
High 3 Strings Richard Cole, 223
2nd High 3 Don Perham, 222
High Single J. Tolpa, Sr., 96

Class C
High 3 Strings Bill Lynch, 234
2nd High 3 R. Hubbard, Jr., 223
High Single Leo Small, 88

Class D
High 3 Strings J. Vadnais, 227
2nd High 3 B. Vadnais, 221
High Single Dana Judkins, 94

Next week the second round of bowling will begin with all the teams starting off on an equal basis. We will find these teams opposing one another:

Alleys	Teams
1 & 2	Independents vs. Park Lane
3 & 4	Turkey Hill vs. Cole's
5 & 6	Cook's vs. Reece
7 & 8	Jackson's vs. Jabish Brook
9 & 10	B.S.S. vs. Gates Garage
11 & 12	Hilltoppers vs. Salvage
13 & 14	Henneman's vs. Legion

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The team results of December 5 were: Bowl-aires 8, Outskirters 0; Gay Rollers 8, King Pins 0: Pin Pickers 8, Pin Spinners 0; Roll-a-ways 8, Jolly "5" 0; Harmony Five 6, Nite Outers 2; Hit or Miss 6. Congo's 2; and Crystals 4, Chadson Gals 4.

The Roll-a-ways had team high three with 1340, and the Pin Pickers had team high single of 507. High three was rolled by Rose Scott with a 315 and second high three by Carol Hubbard with 298. Carol Hubbard rolled a 127 for a new season record for high single. Second high three went to Rose Scott with a 123.

"300" club—R. Scott 315.
"110" club—C. Hubbard 127, R. Scott 123, R. Dowd 113. D Fitts 113, and J. Poole 112.
"100" club—T. LeClerd.

Season Records

High single—C. Hubbard 127
2nd high single—R. Scott 123
High three—R. Scott 317
2nd high three—R. Scott 315
Team high single—Pin Pickers 507
Team high three—Pin Pickers 1,366

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	74	14	14,330
Roll-a-ways	64	24	14,113
Congo's	62	26	13,801
Crystals	60	28	13,709
Hit or Miss	58	30	13,721
Jolly "5"	56	32	13,977
Gay Rollers	56	32	13,927
Harmony 5	40	48	12,875
Chadson Gals	35	53	12,954
King Pins	34	54	13,407
Pin Spinners	28	60	12,630
Nite Outers	22	66	12,631
Bowl-aires	18	70	13,048
Outskirters	9	79	12,561

—R. Dowd, Secretary

JOY CLUB BULLETIN

After a two weeks' vacation, due to chicken pox and Thanksgiving vacation, the Joy Club met last week Wednesday afternoon at the home of June Pepe, South Washington St. Nettie Pepe brought the meeting to order and the attendance was taken.

Our Bible text was Acts 3:1-16, A Lame Man Healed. John Stokosa led in the singing of favorite Christmas carols.

A Christmas party has been planned for December 18. The boys and girls were asked to decide on a Gift they could bring the Lord Jesus on His Birthday. The free-will offering will be used for this purpose.

Our Joy Club attendance is suffering, due to the misbehavior of the youngsters on the school bus driven by Mr. Phil Barriere. We would pray that our Joy Club would be a blessing to the South Belchertown area and ask for the cooperation of all concerned.

This is the season when the Prince of Peace (Isaiah 9:6) came into the world. Luke 2:11 calls Him a Savior. Men, women, girls, boys, need to have this Saviour in their hearts, and cause the Prince of Peace to shine forth in their daily walk in this world.

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, from Mission Lot Joy Club.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— TOMORROW —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Third Sunday of Advent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Philippians 4: 4-7. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Philippians.

Gospel—John 1: 19-28. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. John. (Relates the testimony of John the Baptist concerning Christ.)

—HOLY NAME MEETING —

The Holy Name Society will meet in the Pine Room following the 9.30 Mass, on Sunday, December 15.

— C. W. C. MEETING —

The C. W. C. will hold a tea party for members only from 3 to 5 p. m. in the Pine Room. Ann Austin is in charge of the event.

— THURSDAY —

Released Time classes will be conducted in the upper church on Thursday, December 19. The classes will be at 12.30 and 1.15 in the afternoon.

— COMING EVENTS —

Dec. 25—Nativity of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Jan. 11—Public Roast Beef Supper in the Pine Room, with two sittings, at 5 and 7 p. m.

CHRISTMAS FAMILY WORKSHOP

Our seventh annual Christmas Family Workshop was held last Sunday at the Parish House. The interest and enthusiasm for this observance of our Advent Season was much in evidence. Many new families joined us this year to work and worship together as families. About 150 persons were present.

Mrs. Sophia Pero and Mrs. Kenneth Hawkins were co-chairmen of the Workshop committee which included Mrs. William Chevalier, Mrs. Hazel Williams and Mrs. Douglas Rhodes.

The Family Advent Worship Service in the church following the Workshop was led by the Rogers family.

The Christmas Workshop closed with a family supper. The committee included Mrs. Arthur Henneman, Mrs. Donald Geer and Mrs. Arlan Skinner, assisted by Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Douglas Rhodes, Susan and Jane Skinner and Robert Squires.

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Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15
9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes
11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "Have Ye Not Heard?"
6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship
7.30 p. m. Evensong

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14
6 p. m. December Faith, Food and Fun Night. This all Church gathering will be our third such night and will feature family preparation for Christmas. This will not be the presentation of the Christmas Story, but will feature the families working together to make this Christmas more meaningful. All are invited to come —bring a salad or casserole.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17
7.30 p. m. The Nominating Committee will meet at the Parsonage.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18
7.30 p. m. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20
8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry. This is the Christmas meeting and it is hoped that all will be present. All are asked to bring a gift that does not exceed 50 cents in cost.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22
The Christmas Story will be presented in the Church under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Wall. This will be a Vesper Service at 4.30 p. m.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held in the Vestry on January 22nd, and will be under the leadership of the Rev. Elmo Young, District Superintendent.

W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold its monthly meeting in the vestry of the church at 7.30 p. m. on Wednesday evening, with Dorothy Green, Ruth French and Anna Witt in charge of refreshments. The choir from the Bethlehem Baptist Church in Holyoke will present a Christmas program. The Women's Guild of the Congregational Church has been invited to attend.

Members are reminded of the decision made at last month's meeting to contribute one dollar per member towards repairs to Cooper Community Center.

The monthly meeting of the Missionary Group of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held at the home of Alice Wildey on Friday of last week. This was the annual Christmas party, and since Alice is moving to Rochester, New York, former members of the now extinct Afternoon Group of the Society (of which Alice was a member) were invited, and tendered Alice a purse of money and many cards as a going-away gift.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor

DECEMBER 15
9 a. m. Church School—Grade 5 thru adults
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Church School—Nursery thru grade 4

The sermon this Sunday will continue our study of John 1: 1-18. The sermon is entitled, "The Prophetic Word".

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
7.00 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

DECEMBER 17
7.30 p. m. Church Cabinet in the Parish House

DECEMBER 18
8.00 p. m. Women's Guild Christmas Party

DECEMBER 19
12.30-2.15 Weekday Religious Education Classes

DECEMBER 20
7.00 p. m. Church School Christmas Party

DECEMBER 21
7.00 p. m. The Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Parish House to go carolling.

DECEMBER 22
Sermon, "The Revealed Word".
7.30 p. m. Christmas Cantata

DECEMBER 24
11 p. m. Christmas Eve Service of Carols and Candles

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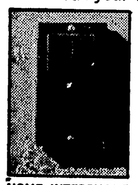
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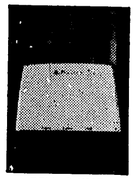
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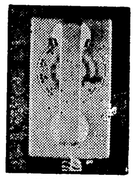
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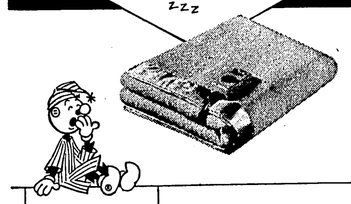

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TADGELL FUNERAL

The funeral of Dr. Henry A. Tadgell, former superintendent at the State School, who died in Florida, was held in the Congregational Church on Sunday afternoon at 2, Rev. Harold W. Curtis officiating, assisted by Rev. Elvert F. Miller. Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer was organist.

Bearers were Dr. Kenneth Collard, Louis Fuller, Chester Sosnowski, Franklin LeBlanc, Dr. Richard Post and Francis Longtine.

A delegation from the Amherst Rotary Club were present, and several state officials.

Burial was in the cemetery at Shutesbury.

PROGRAM AT STUDIO

Mr. Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance announces the following schedule at his studio at the Legion home for Saturday, December 21:

In the morning the children will have exams.

A Christmas program in the afternoon begins at 2, when there will be exchange of gifts.

Santa Claus will be present from 3 to 3.30. The town's children are invited to the Santa Claus period, provided they bring a gift or toy, value not to exceed $2, to go to the Brightside Orphanage. As there are several ages there, it is requested that the giver mark on the outside the appropriate age of the recipient.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange will hold their Christmas party Tuesday evening, December 17. A supper for Union Grange members will be served at 6.30, followed by a Christmas program.

There will be an exchange of 50 cent gifts. Ladies bring gifts for ladies, and the men, gifts for the men.

During the evening, 25 and 50 year certificates and pins will be presented to those who are entitled to receive them.

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Howard Judkins. Prize winners were 1st, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan, Herbert West; 2nd, Elsa Haller, Christine Henry, Jane Bowler, Eli Rodier; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Ethel Sanderson; door, Blanche Bader and Eli Rodier.

This week's party will be in charge of Mrs. Marion Harrington.

SERVICE NEWS

Leslie E. Squires of Jabish Street recently entered the Navy and is now in basic training in California. His address:

Leslie E. Squires SR 696-72-29
Company 566
U. S. Naval Training Center
San Diego, California 92133

Ralph Shumway, who has been in the Army since last April, has recently been transferred from Ft. Ord in California to Fort MacPherson in Georgia. His new address is 1960 Allison Drive C-6, Atlanta, Georgia.

LADIES' AID

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At 9 p. m. we traveled to Eunice Griswold's and had a wonderful Christmas party, with presents, goodies, and a lot of laughter.

Merry Christmas to all from the Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid.

ARTICLES IN WARRANT

Art. 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for use by the Police Department to defray expenses for the balance of the year, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be used by the Highway Department for snow removal for the balance of the year or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the unused portion of funds previously appropriated for the purchase of a truck to be used for the purchase of a snow plow and frame for use on the new truck or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the membership of the Board of Selectmen from three to five members, and the members thereof shall be elected as follows, two (2) members for three (3) years and one (1) member for one (1) year, at the annual town election in 1964, two (2) members for three (3) years at the annual town election in 1965, and one (1) member for three (3) years at the annual town election in 1966; and thereafter each class shall be elected for a term of three (3) years, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to complete construction of the bath house at the Town Beach or take any action relative thereto.

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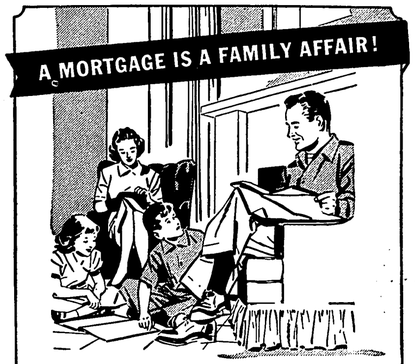

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Men's Class at 9.15 a. m.
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Christmas Cantata at 7.30 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Annual Christmas Vesper Service at 4.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School, 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.
Public Christmas Party at Dwight Chapel at 6.30 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.
Special Town Meeting at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Union Christmas Eve Service in the Congregational Church at 11 p. m.
Catholic services, a high Mass, at midnight.

CHRISTMAS

Masses in St. Francis church at 9.30 and 11 a. m. 8.15 a. m. at B. S. S.

THURSDAY

Christmas Dance sponsored by B. H. S. Student Council, from 8 to 11 p. m. in Memorial Hall.

FRIDAY

Hilltop Twirlers' Christmas—New Year's Party at Memorial Hall from 7.30 to 10.30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Square Dance Club Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

B. H. S. NOMA CERTIFICATES

The typing and shorthand classes have recently participated in the first official 100-word spelling test given on a national scale by NOMA (National Office Management Association). A list of 600 words was compiled from the most common misspellings.

Students taking part in the program of improvement in spelling are given 300 words to study before each of the two official tests. One hundred words are chosen from this list when the tests are given, and each individual who spells all 100 words correctly is eligible for a NOMA spelling certificate. The following students will receive spelling certificates:

Joanne Gould
Geraldine Holt
Susan Hussey
Sandra Joyal
Nancy Lonczack
Gloria Piskor
Mary Terault

The second official 100-word test will be administered in January, and any student who successfully passes both tests will be awarded a proficiency certificate.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Townspeople are again reminded of the Special Town Meeting this Monday evening at 7.30 p. m. The five articles of the warrant were printed last week, but may be seen posted at Lawrence Memorial Hall.

TODAY

Police Association Record Hop in Memorial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.
Hitched and Unhitched in the Vestry at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

School of Dance Christmas Party at Legion Home.
Square Dance Club Mistletoe dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Dec. 31
Legion New Year's Eve Party.
Service of Confession and Consecration at Congregational Church from 11.30 to 12 p. m.
Jan. 3
B. H. S. vs. Charlemont.
Jan. 11
St. Francis Public Roast Beef Supper.
Feb. 22
Supper at the Dwight Chapel.

The Guiding Light

Long ago,
On a cold, chill night,
Thru the dusky sky
Came a wondrous light.
It seemed as if,
Though they had journeyed far,
The wise men, suddenly,
Beheld a star,
A star that promised
And will never cease,
To show how Faith
Still leads to Peace.

—Mrs. Alvin Bush
Dec. 17, 1963

PUBLISH DAY LATE

Due to Christmas falling on Wednesday next week, we will publish the paper one day late, coming out on Saturday, December 28.

GRANGE CHRISTMAS PARTY

60, 50, and 25 year members were honored at a Christmas party at Union Grange Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frances Moore, unable to attend, was presented her 60-year jewel and certificate by Mrs. Ruth Kempkes, Master of the local organization, previous to Tuesday night's meeting.

Those receiving 50-year jewels from the Massachusetts State Grange, and golden sheaf certificates from the National Grange were:

E. Clifton Witt
Miss Irene Orlando
Frederick Lincoln

25-year certificates from the state, and 25-year pins from Union Grange

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CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The program opened with the Flag Ceremony presented by Den 4. The awards followed:

Bobcat—Richard Lavigne
Wolf—Scott Hutchinson
Bear—Michael Couture, Mark Jackson
Lion—Richard Couture, Gregory Norman
Arrow—Robert Rule, 1 silver under bear
Year pins—Richard Moreau, Glen Armstrong, 1 yr.; Robert Rule, 2 yr.
Denner—George Wall

A film on "'Twas the Night Before Christmas," was shown. Santa arrived on schedule to present the gifts, and the cubmaster handed out the candy.

The boys had soda, ice cream and cookies. A good time was had by all.

TOWN POLITICAL CALENDAR

1964

Final Dates for the holding of a Caucus, filing papers, along with Town Meetings:

Jan. 24—Final day for posting notices of a caucus to be held by a political party. (Posters in five (5) public places along the public way and in the Post Office OR published twice in the local newspaper.

Jan. 27, 5 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for filing nomination papers with the Registrars of Voters. (Note: The town clerk is the clerk of the Registrars of Voters, as provided by law.)

Jan. 31, 8 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for the holding of a caucus of any politiical party.

Feb. 3, 5 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for filing nomination papers with the town clerk.

Feb. 11, 10 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for the registration of voters prior to the town election.

Mar. 2—Town Meeting (Election)

Mar. 9—Town Meeting (Appropriations)

TWIRLERS' HOLIDAY PARTY

The Hilltop Twirlers are sponsoring a Christmas—New Year's Party, December 27, at Memorial Hall from 7.30 to 10.30. Fred McCain will be the caller.

All teenage square dancers are cordially invited to join in the fun.

Admission is 50 cents, including refreshments.

SCHOOL SCHEDULE

The Belchertown public schools will close for the Christmas recess at the completion of school this week Friday and will reopen on Thursday, January 2, 1964.

LIBRARY NOTES

Clapp Memorial Library will be closed on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, December 23, 24 and 25. It will re-open at 2 p. m. on Thursday, December 26, for regular service.

Our Best Wishes
for a
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and a
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The SENTINEL Staff

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Several post members attended the District 2 Christmas party at Leeds last Sunday and enjoyed a good evening.

Our post commander reminds all members who may have overlooked their 1964 dues payments, to try and make them by the end of December, so that we can have a 100% paid up membership.

We may be planning an early Variety Show this coming year, as several people seem to think it was much better in February than it has been in April.

Reminder—If you are planning on attending the New Year's Eve party at Post 239, please make your reservations early, as the committee would like to make sure that all is sufficient. We understand that a large group is already coming.

Committeemen are:

John Reed—3-7149
Frank Goodrow—3-7415
John Gourley—3-6919
Sam Joyal—3-6317
Milton Butler—3-7708

Remember—from 9 p. m. to 2 a. m., Dec. 31, 1963, to Jan. 1, 1964—an evening of fun for $8 per couple. Dining, dancing and refreshments—good humor.

MISTLETOE MAGIC

The Belchertown High School Student Council is planning to sponsor a semi-formal Christmas dance on December 26, 1963, from 8 to 11 p. m. at Lawrence Memorial Hall.

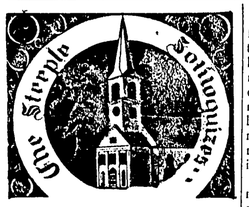
By sponsoring Mistletoe Magic, the Council hopes to start a tradition which will be taken up by future Belchertown High Student Councils. One of the many practices that is hoped to be carried on is that of inviting the members of the previous year's graduating class to attend.

The hall will be decorated in traditional Christmas style by Mary Sampson and her committee. Refreshments, to be served buffet style, are being arranged by Linda Squires and her coworkers. Tickets and publicity are the responsibilities of Patricia Adam and Nora Austin respectively.

Christine Gould is the general chairman of the affair.

Music will be provided by the Twilighters, a group from Springfield.

The Council wishes to make it clear to all, that they want only to provide an enjoyable time for Belchertown High School students and their guests during the Christmas Holidays.



Thick though the ice and deep the snows
Every brook in its meadow knows
As surely as the water flows
There'll be a lark-there'll be a rose.

No clearer message can Christmas bring
Than out of the cold unfolds the spring;
Than up from the manger new hope takes wing;
Than sweet from the silence the angels sing.

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Greetings From Frank Rands Contain Another Lovely Verse

"To little Lord Jesus,
So wise and so mild,
I 'pray'—so they call it—
As child unto child.

"I pray that the grown-ups
In their wisdom may know
The things that we children
Assume to be so.

"I pray that the grown-ups
In their wisdom may be
Both loving and trustful,
Like you, and like me.
Amen"

Prof. Frank Prentice Rand is busy and productive in his retirement. A few months ago the Jones Library of Amherst announced the publication of *The Story of David Grayson* by Mr. Rand. It is a lovely little (160 pages) volume, and brought back to us again one of our favorite essayists, whose *Adventures* (in *Contentment, Friendship, Understanding, Solitude*) we had once read so enthusiastically. David Grayson, as most of you may remember, was really Ray Stannard Baker, journalist and historian. His eight-volume life of Wodrow Wilson, written largely in the Jones Library in Amherst, won him the Pultizer Prize in 1940. He wrote his philosophical, rural essays under the Grayson pseudonym. Prof. Rand's book is an appreciation of the writings and wanderings of David, and of his life in "Hempfield" and Amherst.

Prof. Rand retired not long ago from the English Department at the University of Massachusetts, where he had been a great teacher and cultural leader since way back in the Teens, when he teamed up with "Bull" Prince and Dean Patterson to provide a trio which gave a strong academic tone to what in those days was a sanctuary of agriculture and related science.

Mr. Rand now has quite a "library" to his credit, including poetry, drama, and history. He loves Amherst, and three of his finest books are about his college and his home town.

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The Most Lasting Memorials Are In Hearts of People

The best way to memorialize the late President John F. Kennedy will be to lend support to the ideals he was struggling to carry forward when he was cut down in the prime of his manhood.

There has been a rush these last few weeks to give his name to places, to roads and streets, to bridges and buildings. Some of this is good; too much of it is not good. A great deal of thought should be given to the naming of almost anything, from babies to basilicas. Otherwise the time may likely come when someone will regret the action taken by well-meaning folks in the past.

All over the country there will be many boys christened "John Fitzgerald" for some months to come. It's a good name—too good to be made too common.

I like the idea of a Kennedy half dollar and of a Kennedy memorial postage stamp. These seem entirely appropriate. Of "Cape Kennedy" I am not so sure.

Public buildings, such as schools, seem more appropriately named for a place, a region, a location than for some man or woman, even though that man or woman may have had much to do with the school, which is usually not the case. It will be a wonder, with so much construction going on, if there is not a bewildering repetition of Kennedy buildings across the land.

We have a new high school shaping up here in town. It will be in use for the next fifty or seventy-five years at least. It has been suggested that this school should be named for one of its fine principals. It may be suggested that it be named for the late President. To follow either of these ideas would be, to my mind, a mistake.

I am convinced that the name most appropriate for the local school is "Belchertown High School", which has made a good reputation for itself for almost a full century, and deserves to be continued.

Memorials should not be rushed. That's the point. "To live in hearts we leave behind, is not to die," said a poet many years ago. John F. Kennedy will not soon fade from the memories of his people, but it will be his ideals, not buildings or pieces of land, that will keep his name unblurred.

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Would You Really Like Quints For Christmas?

One of the South Dakota quintuplets went home from the hospital in Aberdeen a bit over a week ago, leaving his four sisters to wait a little longer before joining the family, which doubled its number of children in one birthday last September 14.

This multiple birth is the sort of occurrence that arouses everyone's interest and brings fame to those whom the Fates have chosen for the "victims" or the "lucky ones", depending on how it works out.

If given a chance to register a vote, I suspect nobody would really want to be so favored, even though it would mean at least statistical immortality.

Exploitation can be a terrible thing, and it will be almost a miracle if the Fischers succeed in living anything like a normal existence for the next few years.

Some of you can remember when the world went "Quint Conscious" back in 1934. In Callender, Ontario, five daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliva Dionne on May 28. These became the first recorded quintuplets to survive beyond infancy. Their names were Annette, Cecile, Emilie, Marie and Yvonne. Emile died at the age of 20 years.

At that time the markets were flooded with spoons, glasses, dolls, and what not, five in a set! It looked as though those little girls were bound for much happiness. They did not seem to find it.

The Fischers look like nice folks. Let's hope they are given a chance to keep on a level keel. At least the start is not so bad. The country has not gone "all out" to welcome these kids. That's good.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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Merry Christmas!

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bond celebrated their Golden wedding anniversary with a family reunion at their home on South Main St. It was the first time in 18 years when the parents and their five children were all present. The surprise of the occasion was the presence of Mrs. Frank Green who was the bridesmaid at the original wedding.

Fire destroyed the home of Miss Lillian Miller on the Enfield Road.

E. C. Witt was elected superintendent of the Federated Sunday School.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Dr. Raymond Kinmonth was the entertainer with sleight of hand at the monthly meeting of the Methodist Men's club.

The pageant, "Why the Chimes Rang" presented by the Congregational Sunday School was largely attended, Belding F. Jackson being the reader. Dr. A. E. Westwell had charge of the scenery, and also rang the chimes, (borrowed from Springfield.

The Christmas Drama, "The Least of These" was presented by the youth group of the Congregational church. David Farley had the leading part.

George H. Morency nicknamed "Brownie", who lived as a boy with Mrs. Susan Chapman, died at the age of 51. At the time of his death, he was making his home in Ware.

Herbert D. Peeso, a life-long resident of town, who for the last ten years had operated a sawmill, died at the age of 49.

On Christmas eve the Epworth League went out caroling. On New Year's eve the Methodists held a Watch Night service.

TEN YEARS AGO

On each of the six page issue much was made of Christmas. It was a Christmas number. The Girl Scouts and Brownies had their Christmas parties. "Live Christmas card scenes depicting various phases of the holiday season" were prominent at the Grange meeting. The Christmas program at the State school took up better than a half column. "The P.T.A. suffered from a bad case of 'Christmasitis' "(Evidently the enthusiasm for the new school building did not detract from the Christmas spirit). Christmas services were held in the three churches bordering the Common. St. Francis Church observed both High and Low Mass. The Steeple writes on "The Perfect Gift." The Selectmen extend Christmas greetings to the citizens. The merchants put in their Christmas ads. The Christmas event which consumed the most space was the Christmas Musical sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Congregational Church, the program being planned by Mrs. Sherman Gould. Really it was a community event as many Methodists assisted. It began with Christmas carillon music and did not stop even with the benediction, as the organist and the brass quartet did not cease playing Christmas music till the church was empty.

Ground-Breaking ceremonies on the site of the Parish House Improvement Project, took place Sunday afternoon. Louis E. Fuller, the chairman of the trustees removing the first shovelful of earth. The pastor, Rev. John A. Douglas, spoke of the dreams of many years now approaching fulfillment.

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

Fun and laughter came to Belchertown State School by the bushel basket on Wednesday, the 11th of December, when the Hampshire County Voiture 40/8 presented their annual Christmas party for the entire school. Led by Mr. George Jeffers, Chef de Gare, and "Santa" Johnnie Boyle, we are sure this exciting evening lifted the roof of the Auditorium at least an inch. The marching band topped off the entertainment with a few trips up and down the aisles, to the delight of everyone. At the end of the festivities, Christmas stockings were handed out to everyone present, and the remainder were delivered to the Infirmary and Hospital youngsters the next day.

Mrs. Doris A. Grover of the Volunteer Office was in charge, with Miss Judith H. Barrett, recreational therapist, to help. Once again we are indebted to Mrs. James Baker of the teaching staff for volunteering her services. Thanks Gerry!

On Saturday, December 14, 150 happy youngsters journeyed to Westover Air Force Base via 6 Air Force buses, for their annual Christmas party. First on the agenda was a tour of the flight line and the rest of the Base; then on to the Officers Club for a couple of hours of community singing entertainment and a scrumptuous turkey dinner. Santa was there, of course, and presented each child with a gaily wrapped gift.

We are indebted to the Girl Scouts of Westover for those intriguing looking packages. Our most sincere thanks to all the officers and their wives for providing such a wonderful, wonderful day!

"F" Building was the scene of a Christmas party given by the Esoteric Masonic Lodge of Springfield, on Monday, December 16. Movies were shown, and delicious refreshments of ice cream, cup cakes and soda were served. The Volunteers and "F" Building employees were aided and abetted in their evening of fun by Mrs. "Boots" (Who can spell Owczarski?) and Mrs. Doris A. Grover, while Mrs. Mary Alice Lindsey, class attendant, also came back to serve in the Volunteer ranks.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday night, December 16, the second round of bowling began with Henneman's Esso getting off to a fine start by breaking the record team high three strings with 1,655. Team results were: Henneman's 6, Amer. Legion 0; Jackson's 6, Jabish Brook 0; Salvage 6, Hilltoppers 0; Cook's 6, Reece 0; Turkey Hill 4, Coles 2; Gates 4, B.S.S. 2; and Park Lane 4, Independents 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	6	0	1,655
Jackson's	6	0	1,499
Salvage	6	0	1,493
Cook's	6	0	1,492
Turkey Hill	4	2	1,477
Gates	4	2	1,440
Park Lane	4	2	1,428
Coles	2	4	1,474
B.S.S.	2	4	1,375
Independents	2	4	1,370
Reece	0	6	1,446
Jabish Brook	0	6	1,435
Amer. Legion	0	6	1,422
Hilltoppers	0	6	1,331

Season Records

High Single String	T. Bleau, 147
2nd High Single	K. Rhodes, 143
High Three Str.	R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd High Three	K. Rhodes, 379
Team High Single	Salvage, 592
Team High Three	Henneman's, 1,655

310 Club—R. Blaine 331, A. Sears 374, J. Hubbard 319, D. Perham 323, A. Henneman 313, R. Pratt 326, J. Tolpa, Sr. 320, J. Bodzinski 312, R. Hawkins 314, E. Bock 314, P. Menard 331, J. McInnis 316, R. Dana 334, W. Jensen 314, L. Small 314, C. Robinson, Jr. 337, and A. Mignault 324.

110 Club—R. Blaine 134, 110; J. Yanginski 113; A. Sears 111, 128, 135; D. Perham 123; A. Henneman 116; R. Pratt 118, 114; J. Tolpa, Sr. 113; J. Bodzinski 120; R. Hawkins 125; E. Bock 113, 112; P. Menard 116, 115; K. Main 112; J. McInnis 113; M. Hubler 121; R. Hubbard, Sr. 124; M. LaBroad 111; R. Dana 122, 118; W. Jensen 115; C. Robinson, Jr. 110, 120; and A. Mignault 134.

Next Week's Matches—

Henneman's vs. Coles
Jabish Brook vs. B.S.S.
Reece vs. Salvage
Hilltoppers vs. Independents
Amer. Legion vs. Cook's
Turkey Hill vs. Gates
Park Lane vs. Jackson's

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

HOLIDAY PROGRAM AT STATE SCHOOL

Wednesday, December 11
Christmas Party — Hampshire County Voiture 40-8
Saturday, December 14
Christmas Party—Officers' Club, Westover A. F. B.
Sunday, December 15
Christmas Music — Springfield Third Baptist Church Choir
Tuesday, December 17
Movies—Music Man
Wednesday, December 18
Dance—Music by Holyoke Musicians' Union
Friday, December 20
Christmas Parties in school classrooms for school pupils
Sunday, December 22
Catholic Church Services
Protestant Church Services
Wednesday, December 25
Catholic Church Services
Distribution of Gifts with Santa Claus
Christmas Dinner
Protestant Church Services
Wednesday, January 1, 1964
Catholic Church Services
New Year's Dinner

SLIWA IN "WHO'S WHO"

Matthew J. Sliwa of Three Rivers road, Belchertown, a senior majoring in electrical engineering at Lowell Technological Institute, has been selected to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. Announcement was made Thursday of last week at the traditional Christmas convocation.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Sliwa, and a graduate of Belchertown High School, he is a treasurer of the Student Council and of Phi Psi fraternity, secretary of the senior class, and an active member of Kiwanis Circle K, the Newman club, the Tech orientation committee, and the student chapter of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— TOMORROW —

Religion classes at the State School at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 4, 1-5. The first Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle, to the Corinthians.

Gospel—Luke 3:1-6 The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the mission of John the Baptist.)

There will be Sunday School this Sunday, the 22nd, but none on the following Sunday, Dec. 29.

— FAST AND ABSTINENCE —

Monday, Dec. 23, or Tuesday, Dec. 24 is a day of Fast and total abstinence: Whichever day is chosen, only one big meal is allowed, with meat if desired.

— CONFESSION SCHEDULE —

Monday—Confessions from 11 to 12 a. m., principally for the children.

Tuesday—Confessions from 3.30 to 5.30 p. m. and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. (There will be two priests hearing confessions during both the afternoon and evening—one will be in the priest's sacristy, to the left of the altar as you enter the church.)

There will NOT be any confessions late Tuesday night prior to the midnight Mass.

— CHRISTMAS SERVICES —

Midnight Mass (High Mass)

Masses at 9.30 and 11 a. m. in the church, with an 8.15 a. m. Mass at the State School. There will not be any Mass at 7 a. m.

Fr. Dudley has permission from the Bishop for the priests to give the blessing for Pope Paul VI at the Midnight and 11 a. m. Mass.

— COMING —

Jan. 1—Octave of Birth of Our Lord. It is a Holyday of obligation.

Jan. 11—Public Roast Beef Supper in the Pine Room, with two sittings, at 5 and 7 p. m. Tickets are $1.75 for adults, and 99 cents for children 12 years old and under.

Tickets may be secured from: Mrs. Geraldine Baker, Chm., Francis Longtine, Raymond Breton, or Mrs. Christine Davin. Advance reservations are necessary and must be in before Jan. 6th.

More details will be released as the date approaches.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

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Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry

11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "On Christmas Day" Junior Sermon by the Pastor

4.30 p. m. Annual Christmas Vesper Service

The Evensong will not meet this week.

7 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at the home of Miss Pat Very for a skating party.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

11 p. m. The Union Christmas Service at the Congregational church.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

This is the Birthday of Jesus Christ—may what you do, show glory to Him.

FAITH BAPTIST CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The annual Christmas program of Faith Baptist Church, Shearer St., Palmer, will be held next Sunday evening, December 22, at 7 o'clock. The program will include each department of the Bible School—from Nursery through the Senior High. The Bible School has specially-marked envelopes for a free-will offering to be used to purchase a gift for the Church. The Bible School Council has approved the consideration that this gift be a large movie screen to be used with either Christian films or film strips—one sufficiently large to meet any need.

Final rehearsals for the children are scheduled for Saturday, December 21, with the Nursery scheduled from 1 to 2 o'clock; Beginners, 1.30 to 2.30; Primaries, 2 to 3; and Juniors, 2.30 to 3.30. Refreshments will be served after the rehearsal.

CHRISTMAS PARTY AT DWIGHT

The Union Church Society is planning a public Christmas party at Dwight Chapel on Sunday, December 22, at 6.30 p. m.

The Ladies Aid group of the Chapel will furnish the refreshments. The Sunday School children will furnish the entertainment.

Each person attending is requested to donate a penny for each year of their age.

DWIGHT ITEMS

Carl Fay of Dwight was struck on the head by a falling tree last weekend and is in Cooley Dickinson hospital in Northampton.

BIRTH

A son was born to Thomas and Brenda (Cowden) Smith of this town on December 9 at Mary Lane Hospital.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

DECEMBER 22

There will be no Church School on this Sunday. All families in the Parish are urged to come to the Worship Service together, sit together as a family, and as a family unite in our adoration of the Christ.

9.15 a. m. The Men's Class will meet with Donald Geer serving as the teacher.

10.45 a. m. CHRISTMAS SUNDAY SERVICE OF WORSHIP

The choir will lead us in Carols and Anthems

The Pastor will tell a Christmas story to the children

Special Christmas Offering for Veterans of the Cross

Sermon text—John 1: 14-18.

Sermon title—"The Revealed Word"

7.30 p. m. Christmas Cantata

Miss Barbara Wilson will give a short organ recital of Christmas music. The Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Marie Forde, will present the Christmas Cantata, "Childe Jesus" by Clokey and Kirk. Two anthems will conclude the evening—"Rise Up, Shepherd" by Dett and "Go Tell It On the Mountain" by Kleeman.

DECEMBER 24

11 p. m. Christmas Eve Service of Candles and Carols

A cordial invitation is extended to all Protestants in Belchertown to join with the members of the local Methodist and Congregational churches as they unite for this Christmas Eve Service in the Congregational meeting house.

DECEMBER 25

A Merry, Merry Christmas

DECEMBER 27

8.30 p. m. The Board of Deacons will meet in the Parish House

DECEMBER 29

Sermon—"The Eternal Word"

DECEMBER 31

8--12 p. m. On New Year's Eve the Meeting House will be open for anyone who wishes to enter for meditation and prayer. The Pastor will conduct a brief Service of Confession and Consecration from 11.30 to 12.

The Congregationalists in Belchertown will join with all other churches in the United Church of Christ in the Annual Christmas Offering for Veterans of the Cross. All money raised in this nation-wide offering is used to provide a special gift to elderly ministers or widows of ministers who served our churches before the day of annuities and Social Security. A fund for emergency help for ministers is also maintained out of this offering.

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All A's

Grade 12:
Sandra Field
Joanne Gould
Merle Green
Rosemary McLean
Jane Peterson
Sandra Richards

Grade 11:
Linda Martin

Grade 10:

Grade 9:
Nancy Ladue
Ellen Rice

Second Honors

Average 90 and above

Grade 12:

Grade 11:
Edward Bodzinski
Christine Gould
Michael Mathras
Mary Terault

Grade 10:
Harriet Cunningham
Marjorie Officer
Linda Phaneuf

Grade 9:
Maureen Austin
Donna Wadsworth

Third Honors

Average 85-89

Grade 12:
Catherine Ferenz
Susan Hussey
Richard Merrell
Susan Miner
Patricia Very
Edith Hurd

Grade 11:
Warren Barrett
Ronald Blaine
Gretchen Bock
Judith Green
Bonnie Opielowski
David Scott
David Socha
Linda Wright

Grade 10:
Richard Adam
James Dahlgren
Carol Dana
Gloria Garvan
Linda Ann Capen
Arthur Lemire
Patricia Lofland

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ANGE PARTY

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presented to Mr. and Mrs. ace Chevalier, Mrs. Lillian hy, Mrs. Ethel Giles, Joseph pkes, Jr. and William French. e presentation was made by Ray- l Warden, deputy of the Massa- etts State Grange, and Mrs. War- past lecturer.

ere were two unable to be pres- o receive their awards.

covered dish supper preceded the ram which consisted of carol ng, a candlelight service, "The Commandments," with the read- iss Helen Lister, and Miss For- ighting the candles. There were "Beautiful Grange" and "White mas," by Marion Plant, and a ng, "Before a Fire-Safe Christ- " by Mrs. Iola Shirtcliff

ere was also a playlet, "'Twas Night Before Christmas," in e of Linda Wright, with Geoffroy the reader. Parts were as follows: father, Harold mother, Rose Wenzel; chil- Dianne Pillsworth and Henry t; mouse, Linda Wright; Santa , Godfrey Wenzel.

ata still comes down the chim- and out though the fireplace. At he came just that way Tuesday to present his gifts.

REWELL DINNER

ts. Elwyn J. Doubleday was ved at a farewell dinner by ds last Sunday at the home of Jessie Tremaine of Maple St. She left Monday for Kampala, Uganda, East Africa, to join Mr. Doubleday, who is there as field representative for the University of Massachusetts on an Agency for International Development project. She was accompanied by her sons, William and Mark; a third son, Elwyn, Jr., who is a student at the university, will join the family in June.

SERVICE NEWS

Great Lakes, Ill., (FHTNC)—Michael V. Greenan 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Gilbertson of Rockrimmon Rd., Belchertown, is attending nine weeks of recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the training he will study such subjects as naval history, customs and courtesies, ordnance and gunnery, seamanship, damage control, first aid, swimming and survival, shipboard drills and sentry duty.

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SQUARE DANCE CLUB

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Next week Saturday, the 28th, the dance will again be in Memorial Hall with John Alden calling. Host and hostess will be Lewis and Loretta Slate. The refreshment committee will be Al and Connie Brown, chairmen; Ken and Mo Brown, Nelson and Connie Bullough, and George and Dot Carpenter.

SCHOOL OF DANCE PARTY

Jimmy Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance gives further details about the Christmas party tomorrow at the American Legion home.

Santa has promised to be there longer than at first thought. He now expects to be there from 3 to 5, and children of the town are invited in for this period with its entertainment. Santa's helpers are announced as Sandra Dearness and Darlene Williams.

There are several projects in which the children are participating:

Cake—Teena Dearness, Vickie Dearness and Zoe Fay.

Sandwiches are in charge of Mrs. Kay Coxon of Ludlow and Mrs. Hazel Williams of this town. Mrs. McNeil of Ludlow is in charge of ice cream and cup cakes.

Home-made Decorations—Sandra and Andrea Dorey, Susan Adams, Bonnie and Peggie Hiersche, William and Laura Clemmens, Margot and Mona Dominique, Doug Williams, Ruth Ann Powers, Pat Cole.

Hostesses—Pat Adam, Brenda Potter, Mary Oberly, Kathy and Debbie Morey, Gail Maryanne.

Dance numbers will be presented by Intermediate and Senior students. A Christmas Carol Sing-Along will also take place, with the little four and six year old children leading the Sing-Along Spirit.

Ludlow students who have made the Qualification and Honors Awards will be at the Legion Hall for exams in the morning and will stay for the party also.

ZONING OFFICIAL

John Reed, newly appointed zoning bylaw enforcement officer, announced that he will hold office hours in the selectmen's room on the first Wednesday evening of each month from 7 to 8 p. m. to issue building permits. Those wishing permits at other times may make an appointment by calling him at his home on Gold Street.

B. H. S. BRIEFS

BASKETBALL

The Orioles played an away game last night at Granby, the new rival. At press time, the results were not yet known to us, but we anticipate a win!

The first game on the Orioles' schedule, B. H. S. vs. Holyoke Trade, was postponed, indefinitely.

The opener against Chicopee Comp. proved to be a match, and the local five lost, 56-39. Monson was the next opponent, in a game on Friday, with the score set at 79-59, Belchertown at the top. The next game, their Franklin league opener, found B. H. S. downing Hardwick, 78-54 in a game played in the Ware Armory on Tuesday.

GOOD GOVERNMENT

John J. Carr was elected representative from B. H. S. to the Good Government Day to be held in Boston.

Carr, who was campaigning for the Pioneer party, won over his opponent at an election last week, following a three-day campaign. This election of a Senior to Good Government Day, was under the direction of the High School problems of democracy class.

TOWN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Ferguson of Columbus, Miss., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chevalier.

Miss Cynthis Chevalier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chevalier of this town, participated in the Contemporary Arts Festival at Emmanuel College, Boston, last Sunday, December 15.

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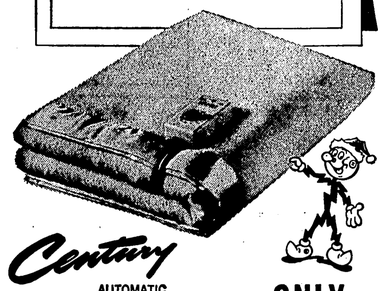
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LEGAL NOTICE

Town of Belchertown
Belchertown, Mass.

Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map Amendment voted at Special Town Meeting Oct. 15, 1963

Article 5—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of Belchertown by changing from Agricultural District to Business District the property owned by Francis, Jr., and Bertha M Loftus located on Ware Road, as shown on the Zoning Map. (Displayed).

Vote — Unanimous YES

A true copy, ATTEST:
Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Boston, Massachusetts
December 9, 1963

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map are hereby approved.

Signed Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General
D 20, 28, J 3

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Arthur Brown

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LEGAL NOTICE

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To all persons interested in the estate of JOSEPH J. KEMPKES, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said court praying that JOSEPH J. KEMPKES, JR. of Belchertown in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of January, 1964 the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of December, 1963.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
D 20, 28, J 3

Clapp Memorial Library

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY
—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5:30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

— Methodist Church —
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

— St. Francis Church —
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.

— Dwight Chapel —
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY
Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.
Voter Registration from 7 to 9 p. m. at Memorial Hall.
Firemen's Association.

TUESDAY
Grange Meeting.
Service of Confession and Consecration at Congregational Church from 11.30 to 12 p. m.
Legion New Year's Eve Party at Legion Hall from 9 p. m. to 2 a. m.

WEDNESDAY
Services in St. Francis Church at 7:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; at B. S. S. at 9.15 a. m.
Masonic Meeting.

THURSDAY
Official Board of Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY
B. H. S. vs. Charlemont.

SATURDAY
Grange Card Party.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

All Legion members are urged to attend the next regular meeting of the Post, as several very important items must be acted upon.

Sam Joyal, Adjutant

Last Reminder—of the New Year's Eve party at the Legion home, 9 to 2. All kinds of fun for $8 per couple.

The Committee

Chauncey D. Walker Post 239, American Legion membership wishes one and all the Happiest New Year yet.

HEART FUND REPORT

With the year 1963 fast becoming but a memory, I would like to thank our citizens again for their generous support of the Heart fund, and make a final report for the year.

From the Mass. Heart Fund headquarters in Springfield, the following statistics are presented for Belchertown: 1963 Heart Campaign in March, netted $572.27, to which has been added $81.00 in Memorials, for a grand total for 1963 of $653.27. The 1962 total was $585.75.

Mrs. Mitchell Sroka and Miss Ethel Corliss, together with their sturdy band of solicitors, and all who have contributed to this magnificent work, may rest assured, that because of their efforts, mankind's greatest killer, "Heart Disease", is being caught up in a tremendous program of research and treatment, by which we all hope, will eventually eliminate this terrible curse.

The Massachusetts Heart Association, 145 State Street, Springfield, Mass., stands ready at all times, to answer your inquiries, assist in rehabilitation of those afflicted, and provide by speakers, film, or printed material, the story of its' operations, programs and goals.

Isaac A. Hodgen
Belchertown Heart Fund Chm.
—Happy New Year

TODAY
Square Dance Club Dance in Memorial Hall.

Coming Events

Jan. 7
B. H. S. vs. Sanderson, there.
Jan. 11
Public Roast Beef Supper at St. Francis church.
Feb. 22
Supper at the Dwight Chapel.
Mar. 2, 9
Town Meeting Dates.

TOWN MEETING

One going to the town meeting Monday night could interpret it most any way he chose. All but one of the articles were passed with practically no discussion or debate. That one was the one concerning increasing the number on the board of selectmen from three to five members, so apparently *that* was the main reason why the people were there, braving the predicted snowstorm.

At the start of the meeting the moderator said he wasn't taking sides, but questioned the wisdom of bringing up such an important matter at a special town meeting. But when it was moved to table the matter until the annual town meeting, there was a rather determined "no" vote.

Yet when it came to a vote on the proposition itself, 39 voted in the affirmative, and 30 in the negative—rather close.

Had the proverbial fog settled on the voters? Should they possibly vote "no" to automatically postpone action, or should they, as long as they had decided to take a vote, express an opinion on the proposition itself. If all had decided to vote "no" for the above reason, what would the reaction have been?

Those who favored continuing the 3-man set up, felt that the new move was because of dissatisfaction with the present board (we can't remember as that argument figured, when the matter of increasing the number on the school board from 3 to 5 was considered) and it would be well for the dissidents to attend more selectmen's meetings.

Those wanting a five man board maintained that it was not because of dissatisfaction. They felt it would make for greater efficiency and better representation.

The moderator at one point, informed the group, as did Mr. Wheeler later, that some 90 per cent of the towns retain their three man set-up. So? That fog again!

No one stressed particularly the matter of increased cost to the town by reason of increasing the number on the board, but that must have been a factor in the minds of some.

It was stated at the meeting, and previously, that the article appeared in the warrant on the petition of Gould Ketchen, chairman of the Republican town committee, who unanimously endorsed the idea.

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OUR VERY BEST WISHES
for a
HAPPY NEW YEAR
The SENTINEL Staff

INSTALLED YESTERDAY IN BOSTON

Isaac A. Hodgen of Sargent St., long prominent in Masonry, was recently honored by being appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the Palmer 19th Masonic District, which comprises the Masonic Lodges of Belchertown, Ware, Palmer, Monson and Warren. He was appointed by the Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts, A. Neill Osgood, and was installed in Boston yesterday.

Ike served as Master of Vernon Lodge for two years, 1941-1942, and after service in the U. S. Navy, has served his Lodge as secretary since 1946, an office from which, according to what we hear, he will not soon be excused.

He is a member of the Scottish Rite bodies of Springfield, and Melha Temple Shrine.

As everyone hereabouts knows, Ike has been active in community affairs. He served the town as selectman for six terms, 14 years as a member of the town finance committee, and eight years in the House of Representatives in Boston. He is presently chairman of the school building committee, which has in charge the building of the new Junior-Senior High School—in fact he served on every committee chosen to bring in plans for a new school.

He is a trustee and board of investment committee member of the Ware Savings Bank, director of the Mary Lane hospital, trustee and treasurer of Clapp Memorial Library and the Belchertown Historical Association, and chaplain of Post 239, American Legion. So as he roams around the Masonic District, he will not be an unknown quantity.

Married to the former Olive F. Trudel of Newburyport, a teacher in the Belchertown school system, Mr. and Mrs. Hodgen have two sons, Robert T., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Federal Way, Wash., and David G., a landscape gardener, of Chadbourne, Rd., Belchertown.

AROUND OUR TOWN

There were many visible signs that it was the Christmas season this past week here in Belchertown as in many other towns across the country.

Ours was not the strings of lights across our streets, nor the decorated utility poles, etc. Instead they were simple little islands of brightness and cheer.

Coming into town from Granby by Route 202 it was typical—isolated homes displayed their lighted indoor trees and electric "candles", while outside, the homes and near-by trees

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VOTER REGISTRATION

Robert D. Camp, Sr., Town Clerk, announces the final period of voter registration, prior to any caucuses—Monday, December 30, from 7 to 9 p. m. at Lawrence Memorial Hall.

TO ATTEND COTILLION

Miss Cynthia G. Chevalier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chevalier of North Main Street, student at Emmanuel College, will attend the Saint Nicholas Cotillion as a member of the court of Miss Kathleen E. Quill, debutante daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Quill of Lowell. The Cotillion sponsored by His Eminence, Richard Cardinal Cushing, will be held in the Imperial Ballroom of the Statler Hotel in Boston on December 30. Miss Chevalier's escort will be Douglas McIntosh, a student at Lowell State Teachers College.

JAYCEE PROJECT

Needed: 200 pairs of skates, plus sleds and toboggans.

Three area chapters of the Massachusetts Jaycees are running a combined project to collect winter recreational equipment for the Belchertown State School, from now until January 18th. This joint venture, which is unusual for Jaycees, was announced today by presidents Everett Kosarick of Amherst, Ralph Pittsley of Belchertown, and George Kennedy of Easthampton. They hoped to bring further public attention to the current needs of these children. Chairing the project will be William Jacque of Amherst, Richard Stewart of Belchertown, Maurice Campbell and Walter Graham of Easthampton.

At least two hundred more pairs of skates of all sizes are needed, according to Mrs. Valliere, head of Volunteers at B. S. S., plus three or four toboggans and sleds of all sizes. She requested that the equipment be in usable condition since she does not have access to repair facilities. Upon learning of this joint effort she said, "I am delighted that these three organizations are adding themselves to the growing list of volunteers who are providing us material and talent that is unavailable from the State, although the State has an enviable record for committing resources to our area, we are just one of eighteen institutions within the Commonwealth. There are not funds to provide for all the recreational material needed, material which has a therapeutic value as well as a recreational use. This winter equipment canvass will fill a real need that we

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Chatter and Commentaries
On Our Latest Christmas

It does seem a bit awkward to be sitting down for a soliloquy with last-minute preparations for Christmas going on all around me, and with me realizing that the "Great Day" will be only a memory of waste paper, shedding trees, and busted trains by the time this *Sentinel* gets to greet you with its "Happy New Year!"

This has been a hard holiday to get ready for. A combination of circumstances made it so. The national tragedy of November 22 swept everyone into a sadness that had little of Christmas expectation in it. Thanksgiving then came on apace, and the month of November was over!

December decided to start right in with the cold treatment which November had withheld, and we have been about frozen for weeks. We were ill prepared for the unusual frigidity. On Thanksgiving we still had a pretty pink-and-white petunia blooming by the side steps where there has been hardly any melting since we said good-bye to the Thanksgiving guests. It's been almost too cold to go buy things.

Nevertheless, I guess we're going to make it one way or another. We have spent just no time in the big stores, a fact which makes me much less sad than it does Florence, who doesn't mind at all being bumped around from escalator to elevator, from mezzanine to bargain basement. I confess to being happier with a mail-order catalogue or a telephone or a casual stop while passing a shopping center.

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Our Christmas tree is up again, a lovely little spruce from the Youth Fellowship. We have never tried the artificial trees, though they do look nice and are undoubtedly more economical. We like the appearance of the real thing, spicy odor and all. There isn't much reason for our having a tree, I know, since we now go to George and Bev's for the annual sharing. But "Christmas wouldn't be Christmas", so there it stands on a table top in the study, with a few packages under it for us to open on Wednesday morning.

Marjorie, from way out in San Francisco, mails an enormous box at a prohibitive cost, containing packages for us and for her brother's family, all mysterious and beautiful, as we unpacked them Sunday night. Her gift for her brother, a fireplace bellows, she brought East with her last summer and the package, properly wrapped and greetinged, has been in the middle-room closet for over four months.

The creche is in the living room and is rich with memories of my late Uncle Frank Jackson, who made it for his own family years ago. Two of Marjorie's angels are in flight, one near my desk, the other across the room from the creche.

Rev. Harold and Mrs. Curtis of South Main Street brought three of these angels across the continent to us from San Francisco in 1962. They called on Marjorie and asked her if she had anything to send home. "Yes, three angels," she said surprisingly. Suitable cargo for a nice minister! Harold's son Wally lives with his wife Maria and two fine kiddies in Berkeley, California. Marjorie was at their home for dinner a bit over a week ago.

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Already we are storing some memories of this 1963 Christmas.

The Christmas Sunday services at the Congregational Church were very lovely this year. Probably not a bit better than those in the other churches, but we were at the Congregational. Our new minister, Rev. Miller, is getting off to an excellent start. His children's story was one of the best I have heard given in the old church and his sermon a masterpiece. In the evening, the Music Service was thoroughly enjoyable. Barbara Wilson gave an organ recital of very high quality, and the choir presented a cantata which made us proud of the many folks who give so liberally of their time and talents to the church. Barbara's brother was a featured soloist.

At the morning service, three generations of one family were the ushers. Harold Ketchen, his son Gould, and two of his grandsons, took up the offering. That's the sort of thing one likes to see. In the choir, also, a father and two daughters, a father and mother and daughter work together. Continuity. In the right direction.

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As usual, we have received multitudes of lovely cards. One message in particular seems to hold within it the spirit of this Christmas of 1963, which was almost ushered in by tragedy. It is the work of our editor and publisher, and is one of his best:

WINDOWS

Some use their windows just to stalk
  The prey that lies below,
While others choose to glimpse the stars
  As they shoot to and fro.

As we look out this Christmastide,
  The Star shines up above.
How will we use our windows?
  Will they be for hate or love?

God used His window to look down
  And glimpse us in our need,
And sent his Son to save us.
  He asked not race or creed.

So may we all together
  Upon this Christmas Day,
Peer through the windows of our souls,
  Seek out the Child and pray.

Oodles of children appear among the cards, naturally now featuring more grandchildren than we once received! One of these cards shows four really beautiful boys, all brimful of health. They range from ten to four years. What joy they must bring to their grandparents' hearts, and what a great reward they are to a childless couple who long ago decided to take a chance and adopt a baby boy. He became a doctor, married and these are his four sons. There's a message with this photo, though it is not printed. It was once spoken by Him whose birthday this is: "Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

One of our favorite nieces, typing her holiday letter, starts a paragraph with this sentence: "As usual, our activities are closely allied to the children's. "That sounds natural, doesn't it, yet how few parents can truthfully say as much! How few families are living as families these days!

And how does the child do whose family "peddles him out" to the care of others? In the family I'm speaking of, the father has been a Little League coach for a long time, and the whole family goes to the games. Eventually both boys made the team. The mother, with two others, has started a 4-H club, where both girls keep busy. The younger is a "Cloverbud". Mother also teaches Sunday School and both boys are Scouts. It's a busy family!

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Margo Deitner Sullivan of Franklin, Mass., writes her own Christmas poem though she doesn't sign it. I believe L.H.B. did the printing:

In every home a tree's aglow;
The earth outside is decked with snow;
Stockings hang for every child;
Excitement mounts as gifts are piled.
Each gift bespeaks of silent love....
Truly this spirit descends from above!

Let's not forget the basic cause
And attribute all to Santa Claus.

Christmas is the day for all on earth
To humbly kneel,
And feel the glory of Christ's birth!

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It's fun, though slightly "aging," to be brought up to date on the families of old friends by means of their holiday letters. For instance, the Frank Coughlins, who were only yesterday principal and home economics teacher at Belchertown High. They tell us their daughter Ann has been graduated from Smith College and is now personal secretary for the director of the Boston Symphony. "Hank" is a junior at R.P.I., where he a member of the N.R.O.T.C. Pat is a leader in Pittsfield High School. Frank and Mary are still busy with school work.

Among the best "local originals" are cards by the Donald Townes and "Mac" Pero. Ken Bristol contributes a lovely winter photo he took himself. Dick Gabel (Evelyn Sessions' husband), Don Forgue (Mike's brother), Eleanor Bardwell Baker were their own artists.

To date, the card we think is loveliest comes from Florence's sister Mae Lewis of Saxton's River, Vermont. She designed it herself, using six little maple leaves, still on their twigs. In beauty and balance it is a remarkable creation.

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And now, to be completely modern, let's ask why they put the elephant under the Christmas tree. The answer is that there wasn't quite room enough for him in the stocking.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

* * *

"The roads are very dirty, my boots
  are very thin,
I have a little pocket to put a penny
  in.
God send you happy, God send you
  happy,
Pray God send you a happy New
  Year."

Old English Carol

—Bob Jackson

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TOWN MEETING

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With a Republican tie-up, of course one wondered why someone didn't pick up the political angle. Perhaps they did—inside.

One of the selectmen maintained that they had been particular not to insert articles for major appropriations in a special town meeting warrants, but one of the members of the finance committee made a couple of exceptions, giving chapter and verse.

Selectman Mathras maintained that differences of opinion on the board had been a healthy thing. He called theirs a functioning board.

Probably the only way to keep everybody happy would be to amend the by-laws to make a larger quorum necessary on change-in-government articles, and appropriations over a certain amount.

At least it was an interesting meeting. No brick-bats of any size were thrown. Of course 30 people went home unhappy.

$1,400 was voted to the police department, the reasons being increase in salaries, week-end patrols, and one third more accidents, including three fatalities.

$2,500 was voted the highway department for snow removal, part of it being needed that night.

$1,863 was voted for snow plow equipment.

$500 was voted to complete the bath house project. John Collis of the finance committee spoke of the wonderful job that had already been done under the able direction of Ted Smist. He figured that with all the volunteer work, the town had been saved $1,500.

So, it's still a good town in which to live!

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Bowling results of December 23: Independents 6, Hilltoppers 0; Henneman's 6, Coles 0; Park Lane 6, Jackson's 0; Cook's 6, American Legion 0; Salvage 4, Reece 2; Turkey Hill 4, Gates 2: and Jabish Brook 4, Belchertown State School 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	12	0	3181
Cook's	12	0	2896
Salvage	10	2	3053
Park Lane	10	2	2924
Turkey Hill	8	4	2989
Independents	8	4	2917
Jackson's	6	6	2901
Gates	6	6	2886
Jabish Brook	4	8	2791
B. S. S.	4	8	2712
Reece	2	10	2899
Coles	2	10	2867
Amer. Legion	0	12	2762
Hilltoppers	0	12	2756

Season Records

High single string	T. Bleau, 147
2nd high single	K. Rhodes, 143
High 3 strings	R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd high 3 strings	K. Rhodes, 379
Team high single	Salvage, 592
Team high three	Henneman's, 1,655

310 Club—R. Hawkins 319, W. Jensen 344, L. Lowe 311, L. Frost 324, H. Goodrow 314, Rich Robinson 334, R. Hubbard 320, P. Menard 319, A. Mignault 310, R. Lapointe 311, G. Leclerc 317, R. Pratt 354, C. Robinson, Jr. 334, F. Grover 358, H. Squires 326.

110 Club—J. Carr 116, R. Hawkins 129, P. Chlebus 110, W. Jensen 133, L. Small 118, H. Hayward 111, E. Lowe 111, L. Frost 110, 121, J. Tolpa 127, F. Bodziniski 123, T. Bleau 126, J. Bodzinski 110, H. Goodrow 111, 117, Rich Robinson 125, R. Hubbard 116, S. Dana 115, D. Bock 119, P. Menard 119, A. Mignault 119, R. Lapointe 115, G. Leclerc 121, R. Pratt 111, 135, C. Robinson 114, 113, D. Cole 113, F. Grover 124, 135, H. Squires 117.

Next Week's Matches—

Turkey Hill vs. Amer. Legion
Salvage vs. Park Lane
Jackson's vs. Gates
Henneman's vs. Reece
Cook's vs. Hilltoppers
Coles vs. B. S. S.
Independents vs. J. B. C. C.

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Congo's of the Women's Bowling League took team high three with 1,321 and team high single with 459. Team results were: Congo's 8, King Pins 0; Hit or Miss 8, Gay Rollers 0; Pin Pickers 8, Crystals 0; Pin Spinners 8, Bowlaires 0; Jolly "5" 6, Harmony Five 2; Nite Outers 6, Outskirters 2; and Roll-a-ways 6, Chadson Gals 2.

High three went to Darsa Snow with 296 and second high three to Alice Bronner with 288. High single was a tie between Darsa Snow and Eleanor McHaffie each rolling a 114. Second high single was rolled by Doris Rimbold with a 111.

Those in the "110" club were Eleanor McHaffie 114, Darsa Snow 114, and Doris Rimbold 111. The "100" club included Helen Rhodes 109, Alice Burke 106, Alice Samborski 104, and June Henneman 101.

Season Records

High single—C. Hubbard 127
2nd high single—R. Scott 123
High three—R. Scott 317
2nd high three—R. Scott 315
Team high single—Pin Pickers 507
Team high three—Pin Pickers 1366

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Pin Pickers	82	14	15,616
Roll-a-ways	70	26	15,386
Congo's	70	26	15,185
Hit or Miss	66	30	15,002
Jolly "5"	62	34	15,255
Crystals	60	36	14,940
Gay Rollers	56	40	15,165
Harmony Five	42	54	14,131
Chadson Gals	37	59	14,123
Pin Spinners	36	60	13,842
King Pins	34	62	14,577
Nite Outers	28	68	13,818
Bowl-aires	18	78	14,144
Outskirters	11	85	13,676

After a night of bowling, about 30 girls went to the Quabbin Club for a Christmas party. Gifts were put under the Christmas tree and then exchanged. We all enjoyed a smorgasbord surrounded by an atmosphere of Christmas decorations. The door prize was won by Shirley Fitts. It was a nice lamp donated by Mr. Sullivan.

There will be a fun night of bowling on January 2nd. It will be under the direction of Mr. Rolla, with prizes given. The second round of bowling will start on January 9.

—Ruth Dowd, Secretary

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Killmer observed their 55th wedding anniversary at home with their children and all four grandchildren. Mr. Killmer was ill, but was able to receive a few callers. Both Mr. and Mrs. Killmer have been long identified with the Methodist church, Mr. Killmer being at the time the President of the Men's class in the Federated Church School.

Belchertown really celebrated Christmas. The Grange had their tree the week before. The grade schools had their celebration last Friday afternoon when Santa Claus made his first appearance. On Friday evening the High School had a tree at Memorial Hall. On Saturday evening in the Methodist church the Federated Sunday School held Christmas exercises. Sunday was observed in the churches, the Congregational Church having a cantata in the evening, entitled "Promise and Fulfillment." The State School began on Dec. 24 and continued through the 26th. The correspondent in the Turkey Hill district mentioned six homes where Christmas dinners were served and the town items consisted largely of items of people who entertained guests at Christmas or went away for the festivities.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Emma A. Dillon, widow of the late Louis Dillon, died at the age of 83. She was a charter member of the Eastern Star and a member of the Congregational Church. Much of her active life was as hostess at Park View, a co-laborer with her husband in its management.

The Steeple reviewed the year 1938 in poetical form.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold announce the engagement of their daughter Iris Virginia, to Rev. Kendig Brubaker Cully.

Some of the Congregational men observed Christmas holiday (because of the mildness of the weather) by pouring the forms for the bulkhead and steps leading to the furnace room beneath the Parish House.

TEN YEARS AGO

Ketchen's Machine Shop is getting back to production. New machines have been bought, the re-wiring is being completed, and a new roof is expected during the week-end.

Bishop Booth, recently returned from Africa, will be the preacher at the Methodist Church, Sunday.

Frank Albert of Brimfield, a specialist in controlled breeding of birds, spoke to the Lions Club on "America's No. 1 Bird." There was much merriment when "Lucky" was unleashed after the supper and alighted on the hair, head, arms or hands of those present.

CHRISTMAS AT CENTER JR. HIGH

Last Friday at Center School the 8-A class celebrated Christmas by putting on a play for 8-1, called "The Greatest Gift." It was the story of a family in their escape from East Berlin, and the problems and perils they faced.

Later the Student Council had a Christmas program in the auditorium. The glee club took part by singing carols, and the special group of the glee club did some harmonizing.

Mr. Geer presented Fred Fitzgerald with a certificate for winning the science count down for our county, and Fred, in turn, presented it to Mr. Geer for it to be hung in the Center School as an incentive for other students.

CHRISTMAS PLAY

A Christmas play was presented at an assembly of the Belchertown High School on Friday afternoon, December 20, by the Drama Club under the direction of Mrs. Joan Clark. The play was entitled the "Columbine Madonna."

The cast was as follows:

Asst. Director	Cheryl Sample
Narrator	Susan Hussey
Pantaloon	Kathy Hubbard
Understudy	Beverly Ketchen
Scaramouche	Marilyn Sujdak
Understudy	Christine Gould
Harlequin	Eddie Bodzinski
Understudy	Terry Sroka
Columbine	Ellen Rice
Understudy	Leita Hulmes
Pierrot	Donna Wadsworth
Understudy	Maryann Brennan
Stage Manager	James Dorman

Committees

Costumes—Maureen Austin, Beverly Ketchen, Mary Oberly, Kathy Rogers.

Setting—James Dorman, Richard Adams, Donald Vanasse, Christine Gould, Patricia Mann.

Prompter—Joanne Sporbert, Dorothy DeWitt.

Curtain—Donald Vanasse.

Sound effects—Maryanne Brennen

Make-Up—Pat Lofland, Nancy Tolpa, Kathy Johnson, Linda Towne, Virginia Kilpatrick, Geraldine Holt.

Lights—James Dorman.

Guitar—Joanne Sporbert.

Special singing groups from the Belchertown High School recorded special Christmas music which was presented on Radio Station WTTT in Amherst on Monday afternoon, December 23, at 3.45 p. m. One group, consisting of seven students, sang "Silver Bells", "White Christmas". and "O, Ring Those Christmas Bells". A girls' quartet sang "The Snow Lay On The Ground", and "Do You Hear What I Hear?"

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— TOMORROW —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Sunday Within the Octave of Christmas

Masses in St. Francis church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 4, 1-7. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians.

Gospel—Luke 2, 33-40. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates the prophecy of Simeon).

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There will not be any Sunday School this Sunday, December 29, due to the school vacation.

Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— TUESDAY —

Confessions in preparation for the New Year's Day services will be held Tuesday evening, December 31 from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— WEDNESDAY, JAN. 1, 1964 —
Octave Day of Christmas

Epistle—Titus 2, 11-15. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to Titus.

Gospel—Luke 2, 21. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Commemorates the circumcision of Christ eight days after His birth, His initiation into the Jewish religion, and His reception of the name of Jesus.)

New Year's Day Schedule—Mass at the State School at 7.15 a. m. Confessions in the church from 7 to 7.25 a. m., with a Mass following at 7.30. In the evening, confessions will be held from 6.15 to 6.45 with Mass at 7 p. m.

Fr. Dudley and Fr. Collins extend to all in the parish and community, a Holy and Happy New Year.

— FIRST FRIDAY —

First Friday in January Schedule—Confessions will be held from 7 to 7.25 a. m., with Mass at 7.30 a. m. on Friday, January 3. That evening, confessions from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m. and the Mass at 7 p. m.

— TICKETS AVAILABLE —

Some tickets for the Public Roast Beef Supper to be held Saturday, January 11, are still available, and may be procured from: Mrs. Geraldine Baker, Francis Longtine, Raymond Breton, and Mrs. Christine Davin.

— LENTEN THOUGHT —

It would be well for various groups and clubs in the church to keep in mind the season of Lent—opens on Wednesday, February 12—and schedule events of an entertainment nature prior to that date.

BIRTH

A son was born to Alfred and Olive (Haggerty) Saba of Munsell Rd., December 21, at Mary Lane Hospital.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director or Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship
The preacher for this service will be Mr. Phil Moos, a certified lay speaker of the Springfield District.
6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet.
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet.
7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.
THURSDAY, JANUARY 2
7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry.
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JANUARY 22
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GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party December 14, with Mrs. Marion Harrington in charge. Prize winners were: 1st, Mary Foote, Eva Webb, Blanche Bader and Arnold Foote; 2nd, Fred Fuller, Fred Holcomb, Bertha Holcomb and Godfrey Wenzel; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and H. West; door, Mrs. Erla Wright and Gaetane Fortin.

Four tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Franklin Wenzel. Prize winners were: 1st, Frederick E. Holcomb, Mildred C. Waid, Mildred Hartmann and Mrs. Fred Holcomb; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Mrs. Ethel Sanderson and Franklin Wenzel; 3d, Herbert West, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks and Rose Canavan; door, Godfrey Wenzel.

This week's party will be in charge of Rose Wenzel.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

DECEMBER 29
9-9.15 Church School; grade 5 to adult
10.45 Church School; nursery to grade 4
10.45 Morning Worship
The sermon will be the final study of John 1: 1-18.
The sermon is entitled "The Eternal Word".
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
DECEMBER 31—New Year's Eve
The meeting house will be open from 8 p. m. until midnight for anyone who wishes to enter for meditation and prayer. The Pastor will conduct a brief service of Confession and Consecration from 11.30 to 12 p. m. Everyone is invited.
JANUARY 1, 1964
The Congregational Church extends hearty New Year Greetings and reminds you that this church and its Pastor are here to provide Worship and Service for all persons seeking a free and liberal church.
JANUARY 2
7.30 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. The Adult Bible Study group will continue its discussion of the Parables of Jesus. Bring your Bible and study with us.

At the 10.45 Service of Worship on January 5 the Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered. All who believe in the Lord Jesus are invited to receive this Sacrament.

TOWN POLITICAL CALENDAR

1964

Final Dates for the holding of a Caucus, filing papers, along with Town Meetings:

Jan. 24—Final day for posting notices of a caucus to be held by a political party. (Posters in five (5) public places along the public way and in the Post Office OR published twice in the local newspaper.

Jan. 27, 5 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for filing nomination papers with the Registrars of Voters. (Note: The town clerk is the clerk of the Registrars of Voters, as provided by law.)

Jan. 31, 8 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for the holding of a caucus of any political party.

Feb. 3, 5 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for filing nomination papers with the town clerk.

Feb. 11, 10 p. m.—Final Day and Hour for the registration of voters prior to the town election.

Mar. 2—Town Meeting (Election)

Mar. 9—Town Meeting (Appropriations)

We'll still appreciate early copy in '64!

MISSION-LOT JOY CLUB

A Christmas program was enjoyed by the girls and boys of the Mission-Lot Joy Club at their last week Wednesday's meeting. Mrs. Margaret Aardsma, wife of J. Allen Aardsma, pastor of Faith Baptist Church of Palmer, favored the group with her accordion, and Lottie Magee at the piano. The Bible story was Luke 2, 1-20—The birth of our Saviour.

A gift of $5 was sent to the Korean Christmas. The International Council of Christian Churches supports five orphanages in South Korea.

The children exchanged Christmas gifts, and the Ladies Fellowship of Faith Baptist provided the cookies, ice cream and punch. The next meeting will be January 8, 1964.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

A Watch Night Service will be held Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock, December 31, at Faith Baptist church, Shearer Street, Palmer. The speaker will be Rev. Laurence Hilliker of Camp Northfield, Mass., for the worship service from 9-10. Fellowship and refreshments from 10-11. Prayer and Praise will greet the Glad New Year from 11-12. Everyone is invited to attend.

BIRTH

A daughter, Adrienne Arlene, was born to Howard and Doris (Lequin) Goodrow of Bay Road, Belchertown on Wednesday, December 4 at the Providence hospital in Holyoke.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Francis Goodrow of Bay Road, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Lequin, Sr. of Stebbins Street.

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GAN RECITAL D CANTATA

the Congregational Church Last Sunday Night

en Recital Miss Barbara Wilson

s ist ein Eos entsprungen (Behold, a rose is blooming) *Brahms*
s dulci jubilo *Bach*
Come, O Come, Emmanuel *Moser*
Carol—Prelude on "Greensleeves" *Wright*
Jesu, Meine Freude *Bach*
Adeste Fideles *Whitford*

The Invocation Prayer Pastor

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The Promise
The Annunciation
The Apparition to the Shepherds
The Adoration of the Shepherds
The Star
The Wise Men
At the Manger
Mary's Lullaby
Song of Devotion
The Child Jesus
Adestes Fideles

The Anthems
Rise Up Shepherds and Follow
Go, Tell It on the Mountains

The Benediction

The Postlude, Lift Up Your Heads *Guilmant*

Mrs. Barbara Harrington directed the numbers by the choir.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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were outlined with lights. Closer to the center, the State School wished passers-by a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year with their familiar display; and the Barrett home on Maple Street really caught attention; while at the top of the hill, the Town Tree at Memorial Hall shimmered in beauty—the lights barely visible under their new blanket of snow. All over the town there were displays of all descriptions; their brightness must also have been a pleasant sight to the electric light people!

Around the common, the churches added to the spirit—the Christmas music from both the Congregational and Catholic churches; the creche in front of St. Francis church (the manger itself is new this year: the figures coming from the Cathedral in Worcester some years back, making their re-appearance after a two year absence); and the Christmas trees up for sale and the children out of the schools, to be seen everywhere.

In recent weeks, despite the cold wintry weather, the work on the new Jr.-Sr. High School has progressed according to schedule.

At the site itself, there are a number of visible changes, the most noticeable being the near-complete steel framing of the building. The day after Christmas, work was resumed on the final steel-work, that above the gymnasium.

The pre-fabricated sections for this arrived on the site Thursday on two tractor-trailer trucks from Haarman Steel Co. in Holyoke and encountered difficulties getting into the entrance road off the Three Rivers Road. The sections extended some fifteen feet over each end of the trucks, making the turn difficult, a utility pole also coming into consideration when the vehicles turned.

The work however, is now at a nearly complete halt, due to the cold weather. The masonry work is now stopped and more than not, will not be resumed until warmer weather.

The masonry work is done on the East wall of the longest wing (South), with part of the South wall of the same wing completed.

At the entrance, visitors are now welcomed by a large sign which indicates: the members of the Building Committee, the Architect, the Contractor, the Clerk of Works—all under the title, The Belchertown Jr. - Sr. High School.

The snow at the site gives it a look of abandonment—yet, come fall, it will be alive with teachers and students, who will be occupying the long needed structure.

SKATING RINK ON COMMON

Dr. Kenneth L. Collard, who has been interested in seeing that a skating rink has been provided for the children of Belchertown for a number of years, announces that the skating rink on the north end of the Common has been in use for some week or ten days before Christmas. This is being made possible by the combined efforts of many people. The Belchertown Firemen's Auxiliary has been largely responsible for the flooding of the rink. Lawrence Bowser, Loren Shumway, William Lincourt, John Plowucha, Richard McGinnis and Edward Fuller have all been active. These young men have been working under the direction of the following regular firemen: Donald Bock, Raymond Menard, Albert Dewhurst, Harry Brougham, Elwyn Bock and Edward Gates.

Chief of Police Ernest Gay announces that the lights were installed by Edward Czech, and night floodlighting of the rink is being provided by the police department. Plowing of snow from the rink is being alternately taken care of by Leon Capen and Edward Gates, who kindly donate the use of their plows for this project. Several benches have been kindly loaned for the children to sit down on while resting and taking off their skates by Mr. and Mrs. Saul Nulman, of South Main Street.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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LAND COURT

(SEAL) Case No. 40959 Misc.

To Robert D. Collins and Nanci C. Collins, both of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire and said Commonwealth; Ludlow Savings Bank, a duly existing corporation having a usual place of business in Ludlow, in the County of Hampden and said Commonwealth; and L. Grossman Sons, Inc., a duly existing corporation having a usual place of business in Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire and said Commonwealth: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Ludlow Savings Bank, a duly existing corporation having a usual place of business in Ludlow, in the County of Hampden and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Belchertown, easterly side of highway leading from Belchertown to the former town of Enfield; given by Robert D. Collins and Nanci C. Collins to the plaintiff, dated March 1, 1962, recorded in the Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, Book 1373, Page 67; has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the twentieth day of January 1964, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court this seventeenth day of December 1963.

Thomas B. Cummings
Deputy Recorder

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Town of Belchertown
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Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map Amendment voted at Special Town Meeting Oct. 15, 1963

Article 5—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of Belchertown by changing from Agricultural District to Business District the property owned by Francis, Jr., and Bertha M. Loftus located on Ware Road, as shown on the Zoning Map. (Displayed).

Vote — Unanimous YES

A true copy, ATTEST:
Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Boston, Massachusetts
December 9, 1963

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map are hereby approved.

Signed Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

D 20, 28, J 3

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If you desire to object thereto, or your attorney should file a w ten appearance in said Court. Northampton, in said County Hampshire, before ten o'clock in forenoon on the eighth day of uary, 1964 the return day of this tation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWS Esquire, Judge of said Court, eleventh day of December, 1963.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 915 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5:30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.
Church Cabinet in the Rytherdom at 7 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship Cabinet at 7 p. m.
Democratic Town Committee in Lower Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Republican Town Committee in Crystal Room at Dairy Bar at 7.30 p. m.
B. H. S. vs. Sanderson, there.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service in Parish House 10.30 a. m.
O. E. S. Meeting.
Junior Chamber meeting at Jabish Brook C. C. at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.

NEAR TRAGEDY ON POND

On Monday evening of this week, a tractor which was plowing the larger of two man-made ponds at the Sportshaven Recreation area located on Mill Valley Road for skaters went through the ice. It trapped the driver, Edward Parker of this town in the cab momentarily.

Mr. Alton Hull, a near-by resident, was watching Parker as he cleared the snow from the pond when he saw the tractor go through the ice. He made his way to the tractor, which by now was for the most part submerged and attempted to help Parker out. When efforts at this failed, Parker broke out of the cab below water and swam out and under the tractor and was helped out of the icy water. He was taken to the Hull home where he was warmed up and given dry clothing. He suffered no injuries though exposed to the extremely cold water.

The tractor was still in the pond the

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DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic town committee will meet in lower Lawrence Memorial Hall on Monday evening, January 6, at 8 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of W. S. of C. S. with Miss Ethel Corliss.
Camera Club.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.
Public Roast Beef Supper at St. Francis church.

TODAY

B. H. S. vs. Charlemont.

TOMORROW

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Jan. 24
Annual Meeting and Roll Call of the Congregational Church.

Jan. 25
O. E. S. Matrons' and Patrons' Night.

Feb. 22
Supper at the Dwight Chapel.

Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.

THE STORY OF THE YEAR

Once again we glance through our files to note some of the preceding year's outstanding events.

Probably the voting of the new school and the beginning of its construction rates first in this category. A good start has been made in its erection.

If people are more important than property, then some of the personnel changes are of interest to our readers. Speaking of the new school, Carl J. Peterson resigned as the superintendent to accept a position at the Westfield State College, and is being succeeded here this week by Frank M. Dunn, Jr. A number of changes preceded. Richard Blazo resigned as elementary school principal and was succeeded by John Dell.

Church-wise, there was joy in the hearts of the parishioners of Saint Francis Church—and the townspeople—when Fr. Collins returned to town as curate. For some time he took over the duties at St. Francis by reason of the illness of Rev. George R. Dudley, who has had to spend a good bit of time in hospitals.

Rev. Paul Varga resigned as pastor of the Congregational Church to accept a call to Walpole, and Rev. Elvert Miller, who was serving a church in Hawaii, accepted a call here and has taken up his duties.

At Quabbin Reservoir, Roy Kimball, long superintendent there, retired, and was succeeded by John Copithorne.

At the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank, William E. Shaw, manager from the time of the establishment of the bank here, retired and was succeeded by Arlan V. Skinner.

At the library, Mr. Shaw resigned as president of the trustees and was succeeded by Blake S. Jackson.

Business-wise, a sizeable addition was made at Chadbourne's Service Station; White's Farm Produce, a long-established business, suspended; Marguerite's Shoppe, after moving to Mill Valley, moved to the Hopkins Store location, taking over the business there operated by Mrs. Donald Shaw; Adam Antonovitch purchased the rubbish disposal business from the Lincourts.

William Squires moved his business across the driveway to a building newly outfitted for the purpose. At Ketchen's Launderama, two new dry cleaning units were installed.

On May 3, express service through Belchertown to Boston was inaugurated.

As for town affairs, the finance committee, for the first time, issued its report in booklet form, independ-

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REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

The Republican Town Committee will meet Tuesday evening, January 7th at 7.30 in the Crystal Room of the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar.

The date for the coming Republican caucus will be set and would-be candidates for offices to be filled at the town election in March should give their names to the chairman, Gould Ketchen, or the secretary, Mrs. Sidney Wheeler, before the meeting.

Attention is called to the fact that members of the Republican Town Committee will be elected at the presidential primaries, April 28. The present committee will be glad to consider the name of registered Republicans interested in serving on the committee as early as possible since names of candidates must be submitted to the Secretary of the Commonwealth before March 3. Active members of the committee number 35.

Associate members who may work with the committee and participate in discussion but may not vote, are also invited to submit their names.

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

The Dwight Station Brownie Scouts entertained the uptown Brownies at a Christmas party held at Dwight Chapel on December 18th. About 75 Brownies, leaders, and other adults attended. The uptown Brownies thank the Dwight Brownies for the invitation, and to everyone who furnished refreshments and transportation, a hearty "thank you" also.

Brownie, Junior and Cadette activities will resume next week.

As a service project, tray favors for patients at Wing Memorial Hospital in Palmer for both Thanksgiving and Christmas were made by Belchertown Scouts.

Mrs. John Hubbard is again Cookie Chairman for the town of Belchertown. Mrs. Arthur Henneman is Area Cookie Coordinator. The cookie orders will be taken late in January and early in February.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Wenzel of Bardwell St. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joyce Marie, to Edward H. Gay of Monson.

Joyce is a graduate of Belchertown High School, and is employed at Thorndike Mills. Mr. Gay attended Ware schools and is a veteran of the Korean Conflict. He is employed at the Monson State Hospital as an attendant nurse. February 29 has been set as the date of the wedding.

LIBRARY TRUSTEE HONORED

A meeting of the library trustees last Sunday afternoon to inspect and O. K. the new lighting fixtures, in reality was for the presentation of a plaque honoring William E. Shaw for his long service as trustee and president of the organization, he have recently resigned the latter office.

Blake S. Jackson, the present president, made the presentation, with Isaac A. Hodgen doing the "unveiling." Mr. Jackson mentioned the fact that Mr. Shaw had been a member for 39 years, and president for 26 years.

He also called attention to the fact that he had served the town as treasurer, tax collector and clerk for many years, that he had served both his Church and Lodge, and had also served as manager of the Belchertown Branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank, from its founding until his retirement.

Mr. Shaw, in acknowledging the honor, believed he had already been honored sufficiently, although his colleagues didn't think so. Mr. Shaw spoke of those who preceded him as president—Wilbur F. Nichols and Mrs. Maria D. S. Longley. He spoke of Rev. Payson W. Lyman, a former minister here, coming back from Fall River to attend the annual meetings.

He spoke of the first librarian—Miss Lydia Barton who served until incapacitated.

He recalled the days when the building was lighted by gas, and had words to say about Dwight Clapp.

The plaque has been placed beneath the mantle at the fireplace on the east wall of the room one enters as he goes into the building, and reads as follows:

CLAPP MEMORIAL LIBRARY
in recognition
and grateful appreciation of dedicated
and valued service to the library
this plaque is presented by
the board of trustees to
WILLIAM E. SHAW
Trustee
1924-1963
President
1937-1963
December 28, 1963

THE LIGHTING

Seven attractive chandelier lights now light the library, fluorescent lights have been installed in the book stalls, outlets have been installed on the stage and in other places, displacing floor outlets in some instances. The antique wiring has been renewed.

With the new flag voted, the new lights, the plaque—and the new superintendent (that's where his office is)—it's one of the showplaces of the town.

Grandpa Ketchen Continues Keeping Himself Busy!

Last week I mentioned the fact that the Ketchen menfolks took up the collection on Christmas Sunday in our church, headed by Grandfather Harold. The next evening, when we were battling our way to the special town meeting in the gathering snowstorm, there was Harold, hatless and topcoatless, heading into the front door.

Years and changes in the weather seem to have little effect on this man, who has been very active in Belchertown much farther back than most of you can remember and has left a lot of evidence that he has spent a busy life here and that he hasn't been thinking very seriously of the "retirement" that bothers most men when they approach their early fifties.

The oldest *Sentinel* I seem to have in the house is dated July 6, 1917, and is bound into the 1932-33 "Steeples". It contains an ad for the Belchertown Garage: "H. B. Ketchen, Prop. Agent for Dodge Cars—Cars to Rent". The ad urges you to patronize the Belchertown-Granby-Holyoke Bus Line—new management, new bus, new schedule. There were three trips a day with an extra on Sundays and holidays. 35 cents to Holyoke.

That was more than 45 years ago!

I dare say that Harold has employed more people for a higher total of hours than any other employer in town outside of the State School, the MDC, and the town itself. Bus lines, car sales, garage, then machine shop, and the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar. The garage is no more, and management has changed in the others, but they can thank Harold for their start.

Now he is happily engaged in a business new to the town until 1962: The Crystal Spring Coin-Up Laundry, where washing, drying, and even dry cleaning go on apace while you wait. This is a tremendous convenience to many people and gives big returns for the small change required. We love it.

It is the third business in the "Center", which has been a dream of Mr. Ketchen's for a long time.

Harold suggests that it would be a good idea to take along paper and pencil and write this column while waiting for the dryer to do its stuff. Says you can pick up most of the news there.

He may be right. But I suppose we'd have to wait quite a while before the adventure of the drenched hunters is duplicated. I laugh every time I think of those men sitting around in their underwear while their outer garments were being automatically dehydrated!

Every once in a while we hear someone say that there are no opportunities in Belchertown for "a kid who wants to get ahead." That someone might go to Harold Ketchen for advice.

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Here's How Great Grandma Tackled Her Washdays!

While we're close to the topic of automatic washings, let's use a clipping sent me a while back by one of my favorite readers. It came from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's *Progress*, which had copied it from a Colorado Interstate Gas Company magazine:

"Women today, whose most difficult washday chore may be getting the soap carton open, can get some idea of how far things have improved since great grandma's day from this authentic Kentucky 'receipt' for washing clothes:

"1. build a fire in back yard to heet kettle of rain water.
2. set tubs so smoke won't blow in eyes if wind is pert.
3. shave one hole cake of soap in bilin water.
4. sort things, make three piles. 1 pile white. 1 pile cullord. 1 pile work britches and rags.
5. stur flour in cold water to smooth then thin down with bilin water.
6. rub dirty spots on board, scrub hard, then bile, rub cullord but don't bile—just rench and starch.
7. take white things out of kettle with broom stick handle then rench, blew and starch.
8. hang old rags on fence.
9. spred tee towels on grass.
10. pore rench water in flower bed.
11. scrub porch with hot soapy water.
12. turn tubs upside down.
13. go put on clean dress-smooth hair with side combs-brew cup of tea-set and rest and rock a spell and count blessins."

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Notes At New Year

I am glad to read that the highway superintendent has been instructed by the selectmen to provide warnings at the approaches to Isaac's Corner on Route 21.

Such warnings eventually have to be more than the normal announcement of the presence of a bad curve. They must be very definite: the type that shout "Danger!" at the motorist. The worst feature of this curve is that it appears harmless to the driver who is hurrying along a good stretch of road toward Ludlow and apparently finds himself almost pulled into trouble by the combination of circumstances that have made the corner a natural for accidents.

I hope, too, that the guard rails will soon be repaired and replaced.

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The dry bridge on 181 and the underpass on the Three Rivers Road are other bad places on our maintraveled roads. Some day they will be made safe, but the dangers are obvious and most motorists go over and under with great caution.

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Our common from the new Post Office has looked like a Christmas card through the holidays, thanks largely to the thoughtfulness and hard work of those responsible for preparing the skating rink. It is a wonderful example of what can happen when many people combine their talents and skills to cooperate on a community project.

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Rev. Rockwell Smith and his wife, Frances, once of Belchertown and now of Evanston, Illinois, always send beautiful holiday greetings. Their 1963 message is still appropriate for our new year:

"In Him was life,
And the life was the light of men.
The light shines in the darkness
And the darkness has not overcome it."

Life in Him—O Light
That shone forth there most sweetly—
Shine forth in us,
Illumine Love,
Possess our lives completely!

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Our sign-off was sent to us a little while ago by Otto A. Peterson of the Ludlow Savings Bank. It was engraved in a watch presented by Will Rogers to his friend, the violinist Dave Rubinoff.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"The Clock of Life is wound but once
And no man has the power
To tell just when the hands will stop,
At late or early hour.

"Now is the only time we own.
Love, live, toil with a will,
Do not wait until tomorrow,
For the Clock may then be still."

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The opening Sunday of the year was Men's Sunday at the Federated Church. There was a men's choir at the morning service and a men's chorus in the evening. The men had entire charge of the evening service. E. C. Witt, Belding F. Jackson and Dr. Rowland spoke on different aspects in "Men's Work in Civic Improvement."

The splendid leading editorial was by Dr. Burnham on "New Calendars for the New Year".

The people of Turkey Hill had an outstanding New Year's party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newman. The report of the party took about two columns of "The Sentinel".

The New Year was ushered in by the ringing of the church bell.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Edward L. Schmidt, Jr. has presented to the Belchertown Historical Association a set of local hurricane pictures. Nelson C. Holland has presented a large size framed map of Belchertown, put out by George McPherson, Jr.

Charles F. Austin has been installed Master of Union Grange.

Joyce Spencer has been elected Patrol Leader of the recently reorganized Girl Scouts.

Earl Witt is an extremely happy young man in that the new $175,000 High school building at Staffordville Springs, Conn. (of which Earl is the superintendent of schools) opened its doors for the first time.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Young Matron's Club held a special Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Andrew Sears.

The editor, as usual, at the beginning of the year, gives a story of the preceding year. Some of the items have not been mentioned in this column. For example, the R.R. station was cut in two, the waiting room discarded. The Men's class in the Congregational Church was organized which is still functioning to 1964.

The Steeple makes his annual survey of his Christmas cards received. He said the most original offering was the one from "Mac Pero's red-flannel underwear which fitted the Christmas season most admirably."

JUNIOR CHAMBER

The Belchertown Junior Chamber of Commerce, which is currently involved with area JC's in a drive of collecting usable skates, sleds, and toboggans for the patients at B. S. S., would appreciate it if townspeople who do have such items which they wish to donate would contact any one of the below listed J. C. members.

Chairman (for Belchertown), Dave Clark at 323-6361, Ralph Pittsley 323-7128, or George Suhm at 323-6227.

Members of the organization will be out tomorrow collecting—to see if they have 25 pairs of skates.

The next meeting of the Jr. Chamber is Wednesday, January 8 at 8 p. m. at the Jabish Brook Country Club meeting room.

SCOUT SUNDAY

This coming Sunday, January 5, is Scout Sunday, which applies to Boy Scouts.

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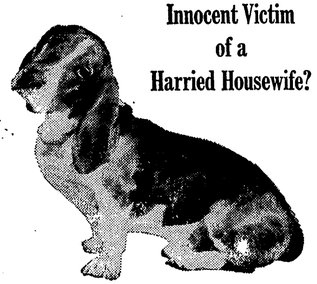

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Monday, December 30 results were as follows: Henneman's 6, Reece 0; Park Lane 6, Salvage 0; Jackson's 6, Gates 0; Cook's 4, Hilltoppers 2; Turkey Hill 4, American Legion 2; Cole's 4, State School 2; and Independents 4, Jabish Brook 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	18	0	4729
Park Lane	16	2	4394
Cook's	16	2	4356
Turkey Hill	12	6	4393
Independents	12	6	4369
Jackson's	12	6	4345
Salvage	10	8	4404
Cole's	6	12	4312
Gates	6	12	4284
Jabish Brook	6	12	4169
B. S. S.	6	12	4108
Reece	2	16	4355
Hilltoppers	2	16	4212
Amer. Legion	2	16	4112

Season Records

High single string — T. Bleau, 147
2nd high single — K. Rhodes, 143
High 3 strings — R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd high 3 strings — K. Rhodes, 379
Team high single — Salvage, 592
Team high three — Henneman's, 1,655

110 Club—R. Robinson 115, 110; J. Hubbard 111; A. Henneman 112, 115; R. Pratt 135, 110, 115; J. Bodzinski 119; P. Menard 111; E. Bock 123; B. Malmsted 112; R. Dana 111; R. Blaine 118; B. Lynch 115; C. Robinson, Jr. 110; R. Cole 130; G. Vadnais 118; C. Robinson, Jr. 110; J. McDermott 115; H. Squires 118; M. Samson 110; P. Ketchen 121; and T. Pereira 119.

310 Club—R. Robinson 324; J. Hubbard 320; A. Henneman 328; R. Pratt 360; T. Pereira 318; E. Bock 321; R. Cole 327; J. McDermott 311; H. Squires 328; and P. Ketchen 310.

Next Week's Matches—

Jabish Brook vs. Salvage
American Legion vs. State School
Hilltoppers vs. Henneman's
Gates vs. Independents
Jackson's vs. Coles
Cook's vs. Park Lane
Reece vs. Turkey Hill

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The team results of December 26 were: Congo's 8, Chadson Gals 0; Gay Rollers 8, Bowl-aires 0; Hit or Miss 8, Pin Spinners 0; Jolly "5" 8, Crystals 0; King Pins 8, Outskirters 0; Pin Pickers 8, Harmony Five 0; and Roll-a-ways 8, Nite Outers 0.

The Jolly "5" had team high three with 1367, and also team high single with 473. High three was rolled by Hazel Hubbard with 301, and second high three by Janice Stone with 300. Hazel Hubbard rolled a 112 for high single, and Esther Pierce rolled a 110 for second high single.

"300" club—H. Hubbard 301, J. Stone 300.

"110" club—H. Hubbard 112, E. Pierce 110.

"100" club—C. Midura 100.

Seaton Records

High single—C. Hubbard 127.
2nd high single—R. Scott 123.
High three—R. Scott 317.
2nd high three—R. Scott 315.
Team high single—Pin Pickers 507
Team high three—Jolly "5" 1367.

League Standings

Class A

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
1. Pin Pickers	90	14	16,963
2. Roll-a-ways	78	26	16,630
3. Congo's	78	26	16,479
4. Hit or Miss	74	30	16,249
5. Jolly "5"	70	34	16.622
6. Gay Rollers	64	40	16,490
7. Crystals	60	44	16,167

Class B

1. King Pins	42	62	15,879
2. Harmony Five	42	62	15,346
3. Chadson Gals	37	67	15,322
4. Pin Spinners	36	68	14,985
5. Nite Outers	28	76	15,018
6. Bowl-aires	18	86	15,359
7. Outskirters	11	93	14,771

January 2nd was a fun night of bowling, and prizes were given. The second round of bowling will start on January 9.

R. Dowd, Secretary

SELECTMEN'S NOTES

The Selectmen have announced the cost to the town for the snow storm last week as $1,046.90. It covered a 20 hour period, in which the approximately 200 miles of roads were plowed or sanded, or both in order to keep the roads open.

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In an effort to provide adequate warning to motorists approaching Isaac's Corner on Route 21, the board instructed Joseph Kulig, highway superintendent, to place several blinking lights along railings until other measures can be devised.

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Kulig asked the board to contact the Boston and Maine Railroad and ask that it shorten the sides of the dry bridge on Route 181 in town by eight inches. Several accidents have occurred here and Kulig said he felt that if drivers' views were not obstructed by the railings fewer accidents would occur.

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The plow and frame for a new heavy duty dump truck for the highway department contract was awarded to Tri-County Contractors Supply, Inc., of West Springfield for an installed unit to cost $1,335.

BANK REPORTS GAINS

Deposit accounts at the Belchertown branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank have increased by 8.6 per cent in the 12-month period recently ended, it was reported by Howard K. Rodenhizer, treasurer of Ludlow Savings.

Mr. Rodenhizer said that the branch had a total of $1,668,776 on deposit as of November 30, while a year ago the total was $1,536,966.

The number of deposit accounts increased over the year's period from 1,501 to 1,651, a 10 per cent gain, according to Mr. Rodenhizer.

The mortgage portfolio stood at $782,759, while the figure last year was $641,110. The increase was 22 per cent.

The manager here is Arlan V. Skinner of North Main St.

THE STORY OF THE YEAR

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ent of the Annual Town Report, and was complimented from many quarters by reason of its excellence.

There were hearings and hearings, and special town meetings. There was much bad blood over the granting of licenses. Attempts at changes in zoning came in the same category.

The selectmen finally came around to the idea of having a zoning enforcement officer, and then the job was to find one to take the position. At year's end, John Reed was officiating in that capacity.

Improvement of roads in town included further work on Route 21, and improvement on Park Street, as well as many other streets. The area above Parsons Field was paved, as was Jensen Street to the gate.

The Belchertown Water District voted to authorize a survey at the pump house, in anticipation of modernizing its pumping equipment, to include installing a gravel packed well, with automatic submersible pumps.

Preliminary to the resurfacing of Park Street, the commissioners ran an 8 inch line across the road by the old town hall, anticipating the installation of a hydrant there.

The year produced still more organizations. The Hilltop Twirlers, another dance group, came into existence, and a Jaycee organization was formed, being sponsored by the Amherst Jaycees. Charter Night was a big night with them. They are now collecting skates, sleds and toboggans for pupils at the State School.

Probably the big project, recreationally was the erection of the bath house at the town beach, with a large part of the work being done by volunteer labor, saving the town an estimated $1,500. The swimming lessons were especially successful.

An outstanding event, church-wise, was the testimonial given Rev. George R. Dudley, pastor of St. Francis Church on his 35th anniversary as a priest, in which practically the whole town participated. Major drives at the church were for Mont Marie and the Bishops' Fund. The annual barbecue was held as usual in September.

The illuminated creche between the rectory and the church was again in the picture this Christmas, this time in new, lighter housing.

At the Congregational Church, the United Church Curriculum was adopted by the Church School. There was a missions week-end, the observance of Hackett Sunday and a personal report from the church's missionary, Rev. Gifford Towle. A civil rights offering was taken. The Double or Nothing Club sponsored the bell ringers, and the Pilgrim Fellowship sponsored a Chinese dinner. There were recitals and varied programs by many church groups. Some forty young people from Walpole came here for a week-end on an exhange visit.

The Methodist Church brought in an unusual number of outside speakers. There was a workers' conference, and weeks of evangelism, with emphasis on things spiritual all during the year. There was a union service, at which Rev. Newell Booth spoke. Enfield Sunday was again observed.

The bazaar was the big activity put on by the ladies. Grandmothers' Night was a very special occasion. Faith, Food and Fun Nights, so popular in by-gone years, were again on the church's program.

At Dwight Chapel there were suppers of every description, food sales, etc. Something seemed to be doing most of the time. The Ladies Aid was very much in the limelight. For their numbers, probably this group could take the prize.

The marbles tournament was something new for Belchertown in 1963. The youngsters got quite a kick out of it.

The fire department had plenty of fires with which to contend. Major losses included the Sliwa and Laclerc homes. A fire threatened at Saint Francis church, but was discovered in time. In the forest fire season there were innumerable calls. The Auxiliary Group, headed by William Squires, was of great help. The firemen put on their usual public roast beef supper.

The muster team made a record for itself during the summer, bringing home $150 in prizes.

The Boy Scouts were active and put on a candy sale, with results that surprised everybody, even themselves. They had a first aid tent on the common on Fair Day.

And of course the Annual Fair goes on forever. This was the 106th.

The Girl Scouts put on a successful minstrel show, when other organizations had wearied of the project. They also had a day camp at Quabbin.

The cub scouts had their usual grand blue and gold banquet in the Pine room—the gala event of the year. The regular meetings and pack nights are where the real work is done, however.

The Chamber of Commerce put on another successful clambake. They installed at various places in the center, six new rubbish containers.

The Lions Club again brought here the circus they sponsored two years ago. They put on another Hallowe'en party, and decorated a tree at Memorial Hall this Christmas. Their chief money raising project was the turkey shoots, but the weather man

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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— FIRST FRIDAY —

First Friday in January Schedule—Confessions will be held from 7 to 7.25 a. m., with Mass at 7.30 a. m. this morning. In the evening, confessions from 6.15 to 6.45 p. m. and the Mass at 7 p. m.

— TOMORROW —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Holy Name of Jesus

Masses in St. Francis church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Acts 4, 8-12.

Gospel—Luke 2, 21. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Commemorates Christ's reception of the Holy Name, "by which we must be saved.")

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Baptism at 1 p. m. Sunday, or on a weekday by appointment. All sponsors must be practicing Catholics who attend Mass and frequent the Sacraments.

— EPIPHANY —

Monday, January 6—Epiphany of Our Lord. It commemorates Christ's manifestation of Himself to the Gentiles as represented by the Three Kings who came from the East to adore Him.

— MEN'S RETREAT —

The attention of the men of the parish is called to the annual Retreat at the Passionist Monastery in West Springfield, to be held on the weekend of February 7-9.

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PAPP—VALADEZ WEDDING

The altar of Chapel One at Westover Air Force Base was decorated with white cyclamen plants Sunday for the wedding of Mary Jane Papp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Papp of Mill Valley Road, to 1st Lt. Ernesto Eduardo Valadez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor G. Valadez of West Tyler, St., Harlingen, Texas. Rev. Robert J. St. Martin was assisted by Rev. J. Joseph Quigley of the University of Massachusetts Newman Center at the double-ring ceremony. Walter L. Papp, father of the bride was soloist and Pat Carabetta was organist.

For her wedding the bride wore a floor-length gown of dull luster white satin peau de soie, with long sleeves and straight skirt, with a detachable train. Her veil was a white mantila of imported Spanish lace and she carried a bouquet of white camellias with a cascade of feathered carnations.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Papp, sister of the bride, attended her sister as maid of honor. She wore a peacock blue chiffon velvet full-length gown with three-quarter-length sleeves and a high neckline. Her headdress was a white fur band with a short veil and she carried a white fur muff with one pink camellia and pink sweetheart roses.

Major John E. Lemmons of Westover AFB served as best man. Usher was David Michael Papp, brother of the bride.

The reception was held at DeMarco's in Ludlow for 100 guests. The bride's mother wore a blue jersey dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

For her going-away costume, the bride wore a navy blue orion dress and gray wool coat with matching accessories and a white camellia corsage. The couple will reside in Laredo, Tex.

The bride was born in Amesbury and is a graduate of Belchertown High School and the University of Massachusetts. She is employed as an assistant research virologist in San Antonio, Texas. Lt. Valadez was born in Harlingen and is a graduate of Harlingen High School. He attended Texas A and M University and completed navigator training at Harlingen AFB, Texas. He is in pilot training in the Air Force at Laredo.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Four children from Belchertown were among the 50,000 infants and youngsters who received medical care at The Children's Hospital Medical Center in Boston during the 12 months ended last September 30, the pediatric medical center has announced.

Dr. Leonard W. Cronkhite, Jr., General Director at Children's, said a record number of patients were treated during the year, an annual tabulation has revealed.

Of the 50,000 youngsters cared for at Children's, almost 11,000 were hospitalized for surgery or medical attention. The remainder were treated in one or more of the hospital's 50 out-patient clinics.

The greatest number of patients were in the two to 12-year age span, with the second greatest number in the newborn to two-year-old category. The hospital accepts patients up to 21 years of age.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated. Communion Meditation by the Pastor
6 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Educational Building.
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 3
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet in the Educational Building.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6
7.30 p. m. Th Nominating Committee will meet in the Pastor's study.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8
7 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service of Prayer and Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9
6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10
7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the W. S. of C. S. will meet with Miss Ethel Corliss.

COMING

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22
The Fourth Quarterly Conference. Reports are due for the Annual Report by January 10.

TOWN ITEMS

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Green have returned from spending Christmas with Rev. Mr. Green's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Green of Huntsville, Mo., making the trip by car and keeping ahead of the storms.

OMITTED

We are informed that the name of Timothy Barrett, a freshman at B.H.S., was inadvertently left off the published honor roll—it should have appeared under the 85-89 listing.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

JANUARY 5
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5 through 12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery through grade 4
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon—The ABC of Communion!
The Sacrament of Holy Communiion
5.30 p. m. Junior High Fellowship
7 p. m. Senior High Fellowship

JANUARY 6
7 p. m. The Church Cabinet will meet in the Parish Hall.
7 p. m. The Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship Cabinet will meet.

JANUARY 7
8 p. m. The Board of Christian Education will meet in the Parish Hall

JANUARY 8
10.30 a. m. The Women's Friendly Service group will meet.
7.30 p. m. The Board of Trustees will meet in the Parish Hall.

JANUARY 9
7.30 p. m. The Parish Representative Committee will meet in the Parish Hall.

All officers and leaders in the Parish will please note that their Annual Reports are due on January 5. Please be prompt so that all reports can be mimeographed for the Church Annual Meeting on January 24.

Also, all material for the January Carillon is due on the fifth. All dates through Feb. 12 should be covered in this issue of the Carillon.

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THE STORY OF THE YEAR

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was not too kind to them this year. The elementary schools put on a dance fair that was the marvel of everybody.

For the first time in its history, the B. H. S. graduation was held at the State School.

The B. H. S. basketball team won the tri-state championship. The Booster Club put on their usual banquet for the athletic groups.

The P. T. A. had one of their best years, with panel discussions by members, and outstanding speakers. It sponsored a couple of Hootenannys, something quite novel here, and made well on them. And the group gave movies for the children a good try.

The Police Association sponsored several record hops for the young people, and a big dance themselves. They also put on a public ham supper.

The younger pupils in the schools toured farms in the town, under the auspices of the P. T. A., to help them visualize present farm practices.

The O. E. S. apparently had more activities than usual. Chief events were the auction and the paper drive.

A number of children from the New York area were entertained here in the summer for a couple of weeks.

A New England Family Campers Association unit was formed at Robin Farm Lodge, which has become a meeting place for a number of groups. The camping area had a most successful season.

Work was recently completed on a large golf course at the newly formed Jabish Brook Country Club on Route 181 as was a club house. This year will see it become operative, with golfing, tennis, etc.

A jet tanker from Westover Air Force Base crashed in the Turkey Hill area in June with the loss of one life, that of a crewman. There were several auto accidents, with three fatalities. Mr. Juskalian, who barely escaped, is still in the hospital.

4-H Achievement Night was a big night for the 4-H'ers. Members won prizes here and there for their exhibits. Franklin Wenzel was awarded a free trip to the 4-H Dairy Conference in Chicago. After a lot of scurrying for a place to meet, the 4-H dog club was granted the use of the Pine Room.

The Legion put on its customary Variety Show, but, of course their chief responsibility is carrying out the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans Day.

Perhaps the most unusual event of the year was the signing of the school bonds by Town Clerk Robert D. Camp, Sr., while being hospitalized for burns in New Haven, Ct.

As noted in another article, new chandelier and fluorescent lights were installed at the library, and William E. Shaw was honored for his service.

The Garden Club sponsored an anti-litter poster contest, which drew quite a response. Their flower show was really something.

Mrs. John Topping put on an outstanding art show at the Jones Library in Amherst.

In December, at a special town meeting, it was voted to add two members to the board of selectmen, over protests made at the close of the meeting and to the attorney general by Sidney Wheeler.

As announced last week, Isaac A. Hodgen was honored by being appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the 19th Masonic District. Vernon Lodge got a hearty Thank You for the contribution of its members to the Bloodmobile.

The Grange put on its usual community guest nights, and provided its usual good times for the entire family.

The camera club still provides top programs and attracts to its membership top photographers in the area.

The Nurses Association raised money for its work by putting on a hat sale, as has the O. E. S.

We know we have not spoken of all groups, but better luck next year.

The year ended with skaters on the skating rink at the north end of the common, made possible by Dr. Ken Collard and his cohorts.

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This week's party will be in charge of Marion Harrington.

TOWN ITEMS

Christmas visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Harold Curtis included their eldest son, Dr. Robert F. Curtis, PhD. from Chambersburg, Pennsylvania and her mother from DeKalb, Ill. These three remained the entire week. On Christmas Day, the youngest son, Donald W. Curtis and wife from Greenfield and their two small sons Peter and Andrew were also with them here.

Rev. Mr. Curtis, who has been preaching occasionally in churches in this area, since October 1st. is now beginning another interim pastorate, involving some week-day service, as well as the Sundays, with Pilgrim Congregational Church in Sherborn, Mass.

NEAR TRAGEDY ON POND

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next morning after attempts the previous evening to remove it by wrecker had failed. A bulldozer later that day was used to pull it from the water. The ice on the pond had been checked and found to be from 6 to 9 inches thick previous to the accident. It is thought that perhaps the weak-spot might have been caused by brush under water—but whatever, it was a happy ending to a near tragedy.

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Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map Amendment voted at Special Town Meeting Oct. 15, 1963

Article 5—Voted to amend the "Zoning Map" of Belchertown by changing from Agricultural District to Business District the property owned by Francis, Jr., and Bertha M Loftus located on Ware Road, as shown on the Zoning Map. (Displayed).

Vote — Unanimous YES

A true copy, ATTEST:
Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

Boston, Massachusetts
December 9, 1963

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map are hereby approved.

Signed Edward W. Brooke
Attorney General

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CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to the Brownies, Methodist Sunday School, Rebecca Lodge, friends and neighbors for all the gifts, cards and many acts of kindness to our daughter Darice.
Marie and Bob Vanasse

BUILDING PERMITS

During 1963, the local board of selectmen issued some 80 building permits totaling $1,417,600. This represents an increase of 15 building permits over last year's 65. The largest amount of value for any one permit was the one issued for the new school and it amounted to one million dollars.

GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange meets next Tuesday evening, not this past week, as we had it listed. After the business meeting, there will be an evening of pass-words.

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If you desire to object thereto, or your attorney should file a ten appearance in said Court Northampton, in said County Hampshire, before ten o'clock in forenoon on the eighth day of uary, 1964 the return day of this tation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWI Esquire, Judge of said Court, eleventh day of December, 1963.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Democratic Town Committee in Lower Memorial Hall at 2 p. m.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.
Nurses Association at home of Mary Burridge at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Workers' Conference in Education Building at 7.30 p. m.
Lions Club.
Ladies' Aid in Dwight Chapel at 2 p. m.
B. H. S. vs. Warren, there.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Guild Open Meeting in Irish House at 8 p. m.
W. S. C. S. in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.
Hardwick vs. B. H. S.
Police Association "Victory" Record Hop.

CAMERA CLUB

An unusual program is in store at the Camera Club meeting tonight in Cold Spring School at 7.45, when slides from the Boston Camera Club will be presented.

One week from tonight, the Belchertown club presents slides to be shown at the Boston Camera Club. A hurry call is going out for slides appropriate to be included in this presentation. The subject decided upon is "Adventures in Seeing."

SATURDAY

Food, Faith and Fun Night in the Methodist Vestry at 6 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Missionary Group of W. S. of C. S. with Miss Ethel Corliss.
Camera Club.
Williamsburg vs. B. H. S.

TOMORROW

St. Francis sponsored Roast Beef Supper.
Grange Card Party.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Lloyd DuVerger calling.

Coming Events

Jan. 20
Democratic Caucus in Memorial Hall from 7 to 9 p. m.
P. T. A. Meeting and Book Sale.
Jan. 21
Republican Caucus in Memorial Hall from 7 to 9 p. m.
Jan. 22
Fourth Quarterly Conference of Methodist Church in Vestry at 6.30 p. m.
Jan. 24
Annual Meeting and Roll Call of the Congregational Church.
Jan. 25
O. E. S. Matrons' and Patrons' Night.
Square Dance Club Fashion Show in Memorial Hall, J. Alden calling.
Feb. 8
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Walt Swan calling.
Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.
Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.

THE YEAR AT THE STATE SCHOOL

January

Church services were held on New Year's Day despite the bone-chilling cold that reminded everyone that winter had just started. The Belchertown State School Friends' Association gave their first party of the New Year to "A" building girls, and with an orchestra supplied by the Springfield Musicians' Union, and mounds of luscious looking refreshments, '63 was off to a happy start.

Miss Catherine Austin, R. N., and Mr. Herbert I. Burridge, R. N., were guest speakers at the regular meeting of the Friends' Association held on January 13 in the club room. Miss Mary G. Newell, R. N., started a class for matrons and charges and taught rules, regulations and building procedures for a ten week period. Visitors from outside included a group from Newton Junior College, who visited us on the 10th, when a panel discussion on mental deficiency was held for them by members of our staff.

Work went on apace in the recreation area with the Merry-Go-Round horses undergoing a face-lifting under the expert artistry of our favorite ti'l "Georgia Cracker", Lee McNew and her co-painters.

Other Voluntary activities included regular sessions of Teen-age Canteen with Mt. Holyoke girls in charge; Mass. Mutual Bingo games; University of Mass. record hops, walks and coasting.

Our hearts were saddened by the loss of Mrs. John Rush, former Marking Room Attendant, and Mr. Eugene Authier, a carpenter in our Maintenance department.

February

This is the month that (we hope) will go down in history....the month that the long-awaited Birthday Bus finally arrived! Ceremonies were held in the Superintendent's office, with invited guests and all the Directors of the Birthday Box present to see their latest project come true.

"D" building was the scene of the Friends' Party of the month, and a Valentine dance was held in the Auditorium on the 13th. Dr. Lawrence P. Bowser opened a series of orientation lectures for all personnel employed since February '62. The Y-Teen Club of Myrtle Street School in Springfield presented our youngsters with some beautiful hand-made and hand-dressed dolls.

National Engineers' Week was also celebrated this month with an invitation to the public from Chief Engineer John C. Carr, to tour the Engineering department at B. S. S. On

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DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic Town Committee will hold a meeting Sunday afternoon, January 12th, at 2 p. m. in lower Memorial Hall.

Bernard Bowler
Chm., Dem. Town Com.

NURSES' ASSOCIATION

The Belchertown Nurses' Association will meet Monday, January 13, at Mary Burridge's home at 7.30 p. m.

We are hoping for a large turnout, as there are many items of importance to be acted upon.

P. T. A. MEETING

Due to the cancellation of last month's P. T. A. meeting, parents are reminded that they can still send books to the schools for the P. T. A. book sale.

Any children's books, the magazines *Time, Readers Digest, National Geographic,* or *Kiplinger* would be appreciated.

The teachers will have first pick for classroom use and the rest will be sold at the P. T. A. meeting on Monday, January 20. Proceeds from the sale will be used to purchase new library books for classroom use.

The program for the meeting will be presented by Mr. John Dell, the Elementary Supervising Principal of the local schools, and will be on the use of Modern Math at the elementary level.

There will be discussion of what Modern Math, its background, and will be followed by a color film on the subject. It will be similar to the workshop type of program.

Those parents who are interested, will find interest-sheets available at this meeting which they may fill out, indicating any questions, etc. which they may still have concerning the material on Modern Math. If there are enough parents interested, it may develop that several work-shops will be held at a later date.

POLICE ASSN. "VICTORY" RECORD HOP

When the Police Association decided on another record hop for January 17, they didn't realize that there was a basketball game that night. But instead of cancelling the hop, they have decided to hold it anyway, and have such confidence in the local team that they are calling it a "Victory Hop."

In the circumstances, this one will be free. It will start at 8. A disc jockey from WHYN will officiate.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown plays host to undefeated Williamsburg tonight in a vital Franklin League contest at the Town Hall. The home town five can ill afford a loss on its home court to a league contender so will be going all out to hand the visitors their first loss. Indications are that Belchertown will not be at full strength since starter Pete Greenan came down with the measles earlier in the week.

Burgy counts heavily on 6' sophomore John Campbell who is currently averaging 24 points a game. The Orioles will make him their prime target in an effort to halt the Williamsburg express.

In recent games the local five racked up victories against Sanderson and Charlemont. Sanderson fell easily as 14 players contributed evenly in a 95-32 romp. Charlemont succumbed in a seat squirmer 68-64. In this one the Orioles started quickly, cooled off, and were clinging desperately to a 32-31 half-time lead. In the second half the lead was increased to 12 points, but Charlemont, paced by the tall and talented Henry Thever, kept coming back. Belchertown led by only 3 with 30 seconds remaining but foul shots by Mike Oberly and Gayton Hebert kept the wolf from the door. Oberly finished with a career high of 21 and Robin Barrett added 18. Merle Green sparkled with his overall performance which included 12 rebounds, 4 assists, and several interceptions.

The Junior Varsity won its third straight in the preliminary by a score of 60-45. Tom Fuller scored 19 and was ably assisted by Harold Ketchen, Bill McCaughey, and Tim Barrett, all of whom checked in with double figures.

Tonight's excitement gets underway at 6.30 with the varsity game scheduled to go at approximately 7.45.

SOLD OUT

It is reported that all of the tickets for the St. Francis sponsored Roast Beef supper to be held tomorrow evening have been sold.

As indicated on the tickets, there will be two sittings: 5 p. m. and 7 p. m. The waitresses and attendants will be in the Pine Room at 4.30, with the serving starting at 5.

The menu has been announced as: juice, roast beef, gravy, mashed potatoes, harvard beets, chef's salad, relishes, rolls, butter, coffee, tea or milk, and home-made pie.

The St. Francis Supper Committee, the sponsoring organization, will hold another supper (spaghetti we hear) on the second Saturday in February. Keep the date in mind—Saturday, February 8th.

"And Hope Is Brightest
When It Dawns From Fears"

In several letters coming to us during the holidays just passed, there has been the confession on the part of the writers that they had found themselves unusually depressed at a season when happiness was supposed to be the uppermost emotion.

They felt that the assassination of the President, along with the many apparently incurable ills that now beset the world, had been responsible for the wave of hopelessness that had come over them.

More than a few were glad of the *hope* in our own Christmas greetings and told us so.

These recent weeks have been a time for soul searching and reassessment, there is no doubt about it.

One of my friends, himself an English teacher, sent me three long quotations which he had used in connection with a theme assignment. All by modern writers, and all on the subject of man's place in the eternal plan, they are remarkable in that they do not feature the empty optimism so often found in hopeful utterances made in the face of tragedy, but are sober, reflective, and rather sad in tone.

They do, however, share a deep conviction that man was created "to endure and to prevail". They are good thoughts to carry with one into a new year!

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In Memoriam

The leaden skies of yesterday were like a pall. A sense of grief seemed to hang in the air. Such a feeling was inevitable, for it was as though the very wind was keening in the woodlands, the trees themselves sensitive to human emotions. Late November is the year's own time of the long sleep, the summary if not the farewell. The hills are bare to the buffeting of winter.

And yet, the hills still stand. The trees are still rooted and rugged. Rivers flow to the sea. And beyond the gray clouds the sun keeps to its course and the stars are in their appointed places. The eternities prevail. We live with those eternities, though ourselves mortal; it is the human dream, the hope and aspiration, that persists. Take away all else and those are the human eternities.

Robert Frost, in his last book, wrote lines that sum it up:

We vainly wrestle with the blind belief
That aught we cherish
Can ever quite pass out of utter grief
And wholly perish.

Dark days come, inevitable. And time persists, time that is both dark and light and forever changing. The time of the stars, the time of the hills, the time of man. And nothing cherished ever wholly perishes. Gray November is a passing thing, and the year's end is no end at all, but another marker on the great rhythm. A tree falls, and a seedling is already rooted.

Man persists, man with the capacity to dream and hope and dream again. Man, with his capacity for shock and grief, but also with his inheritance of faith, of belief, is participating in the great truth of continuity.

Editorial—The New York *Times*
Sunday, November 24, 1963

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"I decline to accept the end of man. It is easy enough to say that man is immortal simply because he will endure; that when the last ding-dong of doom has clanged and faded from the last worthless rock hanging tideless in the last red and dying evening, that even then there will still be one more sound: that of his puny, inexhaustible voice, still talking. I refuse to accept this. I believe that man will not merely endure; he will prevail. He is immortal, not because he alone among creatures has an inexhaustible voice but because he has a soul, a spirit capable of compassion and sacrifice and endurance. The poet's, the writer's, duty is to write about such things. It is his privilege to help man endure by lifting his heart, by reminding him of the courage and honor and hope and pride and compassion and pity and sacrifice which have been the glory of his past. The poet's voice need not be merely the record of man; it can be one of the props, the pillars to help him endure and prevail."

William Faulkner

Conclusion of speech in acceptance of Nobel Prize in Literature, Stockholm, December 10, 1950.

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Excerpts from *Our Town*
by Thornton Wilder
Act III

Stage Manager . . . I don't know how you feel about such things, but this certainly is a beautiful place. It's on a hilltop—a windy hilltop—lots of sky, lots of clouds, often lots of moon and sun and stars. You come up here on a fine afternoon and you can see range on range of hills—awful blue . . .

Stage Manager . . . everybody knows that *something* is eternal. And it ain't houses and it ain't names, and it ain't earth, and it ain't even the stars . . . everybody knows in their bones that *something* is eternal, and that something has to do with human beings. All the greatest people ever lived have been telling us that for five thousands years, and yet you'd be surprised how people are always losing hold of it.

Emily . . . Oh, earth, you're too wonderful for anybody to realize you. —Do any human beings ever realize life while they live it—every, every minute?

Stage Manager. No. (Pause) The saints and poets, maybe—they do some.

Stage Manager . . . Yes, it's clearing up. There are the stars-doing their old, old crisscrass journeys in the sky. Scholars haven't settled the matter yet, but they seem to think there are no living beings up there. They're just chalk . . . or fire. Only this one is straining away, straining away all the time to make something of itself. The strain's so bad that every sixteen hours everybody lies down and gets a rest. Hm..... Eleven o'clock in Grover's Corners ..... You get a good rest, too Good night.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"Man is the only animal that laughs and weeps; for he is the only animal that is struck with the difference between what things are, and what they ought to be."—*William Hazlett*—1819

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Last summer when Henry Ford visited Belchertown, he became interested in the collection of the Belchertown Historical Society, and provided funds for the erection of a stone structure which is now known as the Ford Annex of the Stone House. The work is now complete, and the keys have been turned over to the Building committee. The building will not be formally opened till spring.

J. J. Garvey, who has been a member of the Selectmen almost continuously for the past twelve years, has announced his retirement.

The men of the Federated Church held a Men's Sunday a week ago. This has encouraged the women to have charge of a Women's Sunday this coming Lord's Day.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Mildred Blackmer, widow of Leroy M. Blackmer, who had spent the most of her life in town, died at the age of 63 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Pike of Dalton.

A Recognition Council, (likely the first of its kind in Belchertown) held in the Congregational Church to examine and recognize Rev. Kenda B. Cully as pastor of the Congregational Church, was a very exceptional one. It was exceptional because of the presence of so many dignitaries. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter of the Center Church of Hartford, the President and Dean of Hartford Theological Seminary and two former pastors, Rev. C. H. Smith of Granby and Dr. V. C. Harrington of Middlebury. The examination was also very noteworthy. To each question asked the candidate, there was a courteous "Thank You" and then an answer which went to the heart of the matter. The evening service of recognition was very impressive.

TEN YEARS AGO

The parish house of the Congregational Church has been moved back on its new foundation.

The new pumper recently secured by the Fire Department, has proved its worth, for the fire which started in the Legion room might have destroyed the whole Masonic block without it.

The Steeple brings us good news for the holiday season, in that Main St. and North Main St. will be reconstructed and widened during 1954.

The Steeple also tells us that he has "particularly enjoyed" the "cheerful and lovely" notes of the Carillon each evening during the holiday season.

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BIRTH

A daughter was born to Harold and Jean (Kingston) Mellin of Sargent Street last week Thursday, January 2, at Mary Lane Hospital.

DWIGHT ITEMS

Arthur Fairhurst of Belchertown Road is recuperating from a heart attack and is at the Cooley Dickinson Hospital.

Frank Lemon of Belchertown Rd. is a patient at the Holyoke Hospital.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The square dance club will hold a dance in Memorial Hall this week Saturday night, with Lloyd DuVal calling. Host and hostess for the evening are John and Jean Wolnicki. The refreshment committee consists of Dick and Mary Pratt, chairmen, Ed and Lee Wallace, Bill and Lu Vershon, Elaine Armstrong.

MRS. MARIE BAKER

Mrs. Marie Lucia Baker, 73, wife of Alexander Baker of Ware Rd. died at her home Sunday morning. She was born August 7, 1890, in Chicopee Falls, the daughter of the late John and Ann (Barras) Forgett and had lived here for the last years. At one time she had been employed by the Skinner Company of Holyoke.

Besides her husband she leaves a son, Raymond J. Doyle of Palmer, a brother, Dona Forgett of Springfield, two grandchildren, one great-grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was at 10 Wednesday at the Beers & Story funeral home with Rev. Marvin Green, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Burial was in Quabbin Park Cemetery.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., Assisting
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

—SATURDAY—

Religion classes will be held at the State School at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

Roast Beef Supper in the Pine Room—details in a separate article in this issue. The public is reminded that the supper is by advance reservations only.

—SUNDAY—

Feast of The Holy Family
(First Sunday After the Epiphany)

Masses in St. Francis church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Colossians 3, 12-17. The Epistle of St. Paul the Apostle to the Colossians.

Gospel—Luke 2, 42-52. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke. (Relates finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple at Jerusalem. Feast commemorates the domestic life of Jesus, Mary and Joseph at their home in Nazareth, where Christ "advanced in wisdom and age and grace before God and men."

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Monday—Feast Day commemorating the Baptism of Our Lord by St. John the Baptist.

Released time classes will be held Thursday, January 16 at 12.30 and 1.15 p. m.

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DWIGHT CHAPEL NOTES

The Dwight Chapel Sunday School classes have gotten together to form a choir. We have been practicing and will sing at this Sunday's service. Please come and hear our new Dwight Chapel Choir.

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Dwight Chapel on January 14, at 8 p. m.

THANK YOU

We wish to say a great big "Thank You" to Mr. Blackmer and his staff for putting our various articles and items in the Sentinel during the past year.

Signed by the Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid—

Irene Fay, President
Betty Gentile, Sec'y

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.

11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "The Beatitudes and Modern Living."
Junior Sermon by the Pastor

6 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Educational Building. This is the last week at this time. Next week the Fellowship will meet in the Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14

7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet in the Educational Building. The evening program will be a discussion and the use of Film Strips and other Visual Aids. Mrs. Marvin R. Green will be in charge of the program.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15

7 p. m. The Church Choir will rehearse in the Church.

7.30 p. m. The WSCS will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16

6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Choir will rehearse in the Church.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

6 p. m. The January meeting of Faith, Food and Fun will be held in the Vestry. The evening will be under the leadership of the Commission on Missions.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19

This will be the Anniversary Sunday of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. Twenty-five years ago this women's society was formed, when the three main branches of Methodism merged to form the Methodist Church. Mrs. William French is in charge of arrangements for the day.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

6.30 p. m. The Fourth Quarterly Conference will meet in the Church Vestry. Reports of the year's work will be heard, and the planning for the new year will be considered. All groups are requested to have reports in as soon as possible. The 15th is a deadline for the Annual report. All treasurer's reports should be audited. It is hoped that a goodly number will be present, as this is the first Conference which will be held by our new District Superintendent, The Rev. Elmo F. Young.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eight tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, Petronella Squires, Blanche Bader, Doris Belanger and Eva Webb; 2nd, Robert C. Hatch, Emma Grover, Ruth Kempkes and Joy Wright; 3rd, Elsa Haller, Herminie Vadnais, Jane Bowler and Christine Henry; door, Elsa Haller and Herminie Vadnais.

This week's party will be in charge of Marion Harrington.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

JANUARY 12

9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12

9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class

10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4

10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Service. Sermon, "Our Human Dilemma"

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

JANUARY 13

7 p. m. Board of Deacons in the Parish House

JANUARY 14

7.30 p. m. All teachers of Sr. High Church School classes will meet in the Parish House.

JANUARY 15

8 p. m. Women's Guild

There will be an open meeting of the Women's Guild next Wednesday in the Parish House. Men as well as women, are welcome.

Program will be a panel discussion on "Problems of a Changing Culture", with issues of vital concern to the church and community being discussed. Panel Moderator will be Mr. Belding Jackson. Members of the panel will be Rev. Elvert Miller, Mrs. Herbert Wood, Mr. Carl Peterson, and Mrs. Harvey Dickinson.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Edward Rogers, Mrs. David Barrett, Mrs. Belding Jackson, Mrs. Edward Gates, and Mrs. Frederick Panzer.

Devotions will be conducted by Mrs. Robert Armstrong. Refreshments will be served by a committee chaired by Mrs. Edward Rogers. Everyone is invited.

JANUARY 16

7 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

8 p. m. The Adult Bible Study group will discuss the Parables of Jesus which teach about discipleship in the Kingdom of God.

JANUARY 18

10 a. m. Training Institute for all Church School teachers at the Congregational Center in Framingham.

7-11 p. m. Recreational Rally for Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowships at the Congregational Church in South Hadley.

An invitation to the Installation Service for Rev. Paul Varga on this coming Sunday, January 12, in the Walpole Congregational Church has been received by this Church. Anyone who would like to go, can contact Byron Hudson as to the services.

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THE YEAR AT THE STATE SCHOOL

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the evening of February 26 the Birthday Box Board of Directors and their friends spent a wonderful evening at Vincent's Steak House. "Vin" had been an enthusiastic sponsor of the Bus project, and as main host, sent champagne to the table to celebrate the happy event.

March

With the help of a crystal ball and the Junior Red Cross kids from Springfield, it almost looked as though our dream of a skating rink might come true. If not in '63 (Spring has almost sprung), definitely in '64. Thanks to the Juniors, we have 30 brand new pair of skates, while other Volunteer groups have given us some new and hand-me-downs in excellent condition. "F" building girls were entertained at the Friends' Party this month, and "Twisting" was the order of the evening.

The Belchertown Blue Eagles' basketball team played teams from the University of Mass. and New Braintree. A St. Patrick's Day dance was he'd in the Auditorium on the 13th with the Holyoke Musicians' Union providing the toe-tapping music as usual.

Our girls' basketball team played the employees this month, too, and although huffing and puffing toward the end, the employees managed to emerge victorious at the final whistle. Twenty-four "E" building girls were entertained at a party at the Second Congregational Church in Amherst on the 26th and were accompanied by Mrs. D. A. Grover of the Volunteer office.

Dr. Jacob Shapiro, Assistant Physician, resigned, due to illness. Dr. Shapiro had transferred to B. S. S. from Westboro State Hospital in October '62. Also this month, Mr. Joseph A. Lamothe, R.Ph., retired after 14 years in charge of the Pharmacy at B. S. S.

With snow and ice melting from the roads, the Birthday Bus is getting to be a familiar sight in the surrounding communities, as the youngsters in all buildings take their turn at a "first ride".

April

Dr. Bowser hosted a meeting of the Department of Mental Health State School and Hospital Superintendents on the first. Luncheon was served in the cafeteria after the business meeting in the Club Room. "L" building boys were guests of the Friends' Association at their monthly ward party. Dr. Estelle J. Foote, Director of Psychiatry, conducted a clinic on mental deficiency to a large group of Psychology students from the University of Massachusetts.

Sister Directress of Maria Assumpta Academy in Petersham brought her senior class for a tour of the grounds, and the girls presented us with some perfectly beautiful dolls they had dressed for our little girls.

Volunteers from the Chicopee Women's Social Club have "adopted" the Tadgell Nursery as their special project and arrived with swings, walkers, strollers and toys for the babies.

Miss Judith Barrett and Mrs. Doris A. Grover escorted a group of our girls to the annual party at the Belchertown Congregational Church, given by the Women's Guild.

Easter vacations started on the 13th, and some 150 of our boys and girls left to spend a week with parents or relatives. The altar in the Auditorium was indeed a thing of beauty on Easter Sunday, beautifully decorated with spring plants which are grown in our own greenhouse. Stanley "Green-Thumb" Kopinto has a truly magic touch.

Both basketball teams had full schedules during this month, and the Blue Eagles, under the direction of Jon Rose, Recreational Therapist, were given an added treat at an award night held at the Daisy Mae Restaurant. Each team member received a medallion, and trophies were given for the most valuable player, sportsmanship, and high scorer. We are indebted to Mr. Dowd, the owner, for donating the refreshments for the occasion.

The Spring Dance was held in the Auditorium on the 24th and the 29th. Russ Jackman's Revue played a return engagement at B. S. S.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, January 6, the Men's Bowling League started the New Year off right with 25 members rolling 300 or better. No one broke any records but there was a lot of action on the alleys. Team results were: Jackson's 6, Cole's 0; Salvage 6, Jabish Brook 0, Henneman's 6, Hilltoppers 0; Independents 4, Gates' Raiders 2; State School 4, American Legion 2; Turkey Hill 4, Reece 2; Cook's 4, Park Lane 2.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	24	0	6215
Cook's	20	4	5811
Park Lane	18	6	5880
Jackson's	18	6	5877
Turkey Hill	16	8	5905
Salvage	16	8	5892
Independents	16	8	5802
State School	10	14	5524
Gates	8	16	5729
Cole's	6	18	5770
Jabish Brook	6	18	5572
Reece	4	20	5832
Amer. Legion	4	20	5524
Hilltoppers	2	22	5630

Season Records

High single string	T. Bleau, 147
2nd high single	K. Rhodes, 143
High 3 strings	R. Hubbard, Sr., 380
2nd high 3 strings	K. Rhodes, 379
Team high single	Salvage, 592
Team high three	Henneman's, 1,655

110 Club—D. Cole 114, 111; D. Bock 112, 119; B. Dickinson 113, 118; P. Menard 128; M. Samson 117; J. Tolpa, Jr. 126; J. Bodzinski 110; J. Hubbard 114; R. Pratt 110; H. Squires 121; D. Barrett 113; E. Lowe 115; R. Blaine 114; H. Mellin 121; J. McInnis 111; R. Robinson 115; L. Small 110; P. Chlebus 124; J. Adams 123; G. Leclerc 110, 123; and R. Hubbard, Sr. 124.

310 Club—D. Cole 328; D. Bock 326; B. Dickinson 326; P. Menard 319; J. Tolpa, Jr. 313; H. Squires 324; P. Chlebus 324; G. Leclerc 332; R. Dana 310; and J. McInnis 310.

Next Week's Matches—

Jackson's vs. Hilltoppers
Gates vs. Henneman's
Cole's vs. Cook's
Park Lane vs. State School
Jabish Brook vs. Turkey Hill
Independents vs. Reece
Amer. Legion vs. Salvage

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On January 2nd, the Belchertown Women's Bowling League had a Fun Night of bowling. The first game was striped pin bowling, and Alice Samborski won high single with 104. Darsa Snow had second high single with 99. Low single was rolled by Laraine Rivers with a 54. The second low single was a tie between Mary Heffernan and Della Gray, each rolling a 62.

The second game was opposite hand bowling. Della Gray had a high single of 72, and Gert LaBroad had second high single with 66. Ellie Tolpa rolled a low of 17. The second low single was won by Lorraine Faulkins with a 24.

The third game was odd pin bowling. Hazel Hubbard had high single with 65, and Ruth Dowd had second high single with 64. Low single was rolled by Doris Rimbold with 21. Second low single was won by Alice Bronner with 24.

High three for the night was won by Alice Samborski with 232. Second high three was rolled by Darsa Snow with 213. Alice Burke had low three of 133, and Alice Bronner had second low three of 139.

Opposite hand bowling special prize was won by Carolyn Webster.

The door prize was won by Ellie Tolpa. Special prizes for getting a strike or spare in one box was won by Rita Lapointe, Darsa Snow, Dot Fitts and Doris Rimbold.

Thank You prizes were given to Joan Poole, president; and Ruth Dowd, secretary.

Many thanks to Mr. Rolla for his cooperation; we all had an enjoyable evening.

Ruth Dowd, Secretary

AMHERST NATURE CLUB

The Amherst Nature Club will meet Tuesday evening, January 14, at 7.30 in Skinner Auditorium, University of Massachusetts. The program will be "Sweden Through a Lens", an illustrated talk by Prof. John F. Hanson, Department of Entomology at the University.

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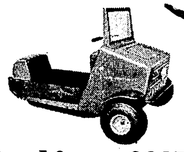

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NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The Democratic Town Committee announces that a caucus will be held at Lawrence Memorial Hall on Monday, January 20, 1964 from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. to act on the following candidates for office:

MODERATOR
(1 year)
HENRY RENOUF

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
Vote for One
MORRIS BLAINE
THEODORE SMIST

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(3 years)
Vote for Two
MICHAEL MATHRAS
JANE L. GAWLIK
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(3 years)
Vote for Two
HAROLD WILLEY
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WILLIAM HENNEMANN

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(4 years)
ROBERT SUTCLIFFE

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
MAX SLIWA

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
SAMUEL JOYAL

Any others seeking office should contact Bernard Bowler, chairman of the Democratic Town Committee, by noon on Saturday, January 11, the deadline.

Bernard Bowler
Chm., Democratic Town Committee

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NOTICE OF REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The Republican Town Committee has set Tuesday, January 21, as the date of its caucus. The polls will be open from 7 to 9 p. m.

Candidates for nomination to office whose names have been submitted to the committee are as follows:

MODERATOR
(1 year)
BYRON A. HUDSON

TOWN CLERK
(1 year)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
FRANK E. FARRINGTON, JR.

SELECTMAN
(3 years)
Vote for two
WILLIAM H. SQUIRES, JR.
WILLIAM GERRY WHITLOCK

TREASURER
(3 years)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
(3 years)
Vote for Two
DAVID A. STAPLES
ANDREW G. KETCHEN

PLANNING BOARD
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(4 years)
JAMES F. HAYWARD

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(5 years)
DONALD PERHAM

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
(3 years)
Vote for One
LINCOLN A. COOK
WILLIAM J. CHEVALIER
SIDNEY T. WHEBLE, JR.

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
DORIS S. SQUIRES

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
Vote for One
CHARLES F. HOWARD
HAROLD B. KETCHEN

SEWER COMMISSIONER
(3 Years)
HARRY L. BROUGHAM

BOARD OF HEALTH
(3 years)
KENNETH L. COLLARD

Until January 15, when nominations will be closed, names of other candidates will be considered by the committee. Names should be handed to Gould Ketchen, chairman.

GRANGE NOTES

The Home and Community Service Committee of Union Grange served refreshments for two Grange groups who held their meetings here Sunday.

The first was the Juvenile Matrons' and Patrons' Conference, with Deputy Mrs. Walter Pease of Ludlow, and Juvenile Superintendent, Mrs. Gladys Reed of Amherst.

The second meeting was the Home and Community Service Conference, with state committee member, Mrs. Ruth Allen of Amherst, and Pomona chairman, Mrs. Helen Hubbard of Northampton.

Following the business meeting, Tuesday night, there was an evening of passwords.

The local Grange is invited to neighbor with Leverett tonight, the 10th; and with Ludlow, Monday, January 20.

The next meeting will be January 21 and will feature a film by a representative of the electric light company.

STARTS DUTIES

Frank M. Dunn, Jr., new Superintendent of Schools has officially assumed his new duties. Mr. Dunn is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. E. Clifton Witt of South Main St. until he can make arrangements to bring his family to Belchertown.

Mrs. Dunn is a kindergarten teacher in the Dover-Sherborn School Union, where Mr. Dunn was administrative assistant prior to coming here. They have a nine year old daughter Holly Jean, who is a fourth grade pupil.

JURORS DRAWN

William H. Squires, Jr. of Main Street and Philip R. Barnes of Old Amherst Road were drawn Monday by Selectmen Michael Mathras and Walter Tolpa, Jr. to serve as traverse jurors at Superior Court in Northampton for the February sitting. The name of Selectman Mathras was also drawn, to serve for the coming year as a grand juror at the Northampton courts.

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A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **CAROLYN A. CLARK** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of February, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, 1964.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register
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CHOSEN DELEGATE

Christine B. Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gould of North Washington Street, has been chosen to serve as one of 12 Massachusetts girls who will be delegates of the Massachusetts State Pilgrim Fellowship Association of the United Church of Christ on a work-study tour of Puerto Rico.

Miss Gould, an honor roll student and junior at Belchertown High School, attended a preliminary meeting Sunday at the Congregational Christian Conference Center in Framingham where she met the other delegates and the chaperones while the group tours Puerto Rico for eight days late in February.

Miss Gould has been active at the high school, Congregational Church, and in the community. She is a member of the Glee Club, Student Council, Drama Club, girls softball team, and was chairman of the high school assembly committee and the recent Student Council dance. She also achieved second place in the 1963 American Legion oratorical contest. She is secretary and batonist for the high school band.

She also has held various Rainbow offices, is a member of the local Ski Club and the Congregational Church choir. She is chairman of the Pilgrim Fellowship. She attended conferences for the past two summers at Star Island, New Hampshire, where she served as a delegate for the town fellowship group.

She also is a member of the Amherst Community Band and served on the recent Leukemia Drive as a volunteer. Miss Gould said that her plans for the future include attending college where she hopes to major in theatre arts.

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MRS. FRANK ESKETT

Mrs. Elizabeth (Shepard) Eskett, 77, of State Street, died Wednesday night in Holyoke Hospital.

She was the widow of Frank Eskett. She was born in Granby June 29, 1886, daughter of the late Joseph and Esther (Carter) Shepard. She had been a resident of this town for 60 years. Before her retirement five years ago, she was employed as an inspector at Tampax, Inc., of Three Rivers. She was a member of St. Francis Church.

She leaves a son, C. Henry of Belchertown; three daughters, Mrs. Lillian Stone and Mrs. Amanda Smith, both of this town, and Mrs. Doris Williams of Hyde Park; two brothers, Charles Shepard of Worcester and Gerald Shepard of South Hadley; a sister, Mrs. Emma Charest of Springfield; 12 grandchildren, and four greatgrandchildren.

The funeral will be at the Beers and Story funeral home here Saturday at 8.15, with a requiem mass at 9 in St. Francis Church. Burial will be in Mount Hope Cemetery.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 3.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
W. S. C. S. Anniversary Service.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.
Democratic Caucus in Memorial Hall from 7 to 9 p. m.
P. T. A. Meeting and Book Sale.

TUESDAY

Republican Caucus in Memorial Hall from 7 to 9 p. m.
Evening Group of W. S. of C. S.
B.H.S. vs. St. Mary's (Westfield), here.

WEDNESDAY

Fourth Quarterly Conference of Methodist Church in Vestry at 6.30 p. m.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Annual Meeting and Roll Call of the Congregational Church. Dinner 6.30 p. m.
B.H.S. vs. Monson, there.

TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

The local Methodist Church will be the scene of a special service on Sunday morning, as the members of the Women's Society of Christian Service will have charge of the morning worship service. The occasion is the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Women's Society. The society was founded in 1939, when the three major branches of Methodism merged at the historic Conference in Kansas City. Mrs. William French will be in charge of the service, and will be assisted by Mrs. Annie French, Mrs. Preston Atwood, Mrs. Harold Suhm, Mrs. Wilbur Eaton, Mrs. Joseph Kempkes, Sr., Mrs. James Lodge and Mrs. John Wood.

The officers for this year are: Mrs. James Lodge, president; Mrs. Jack Poole, vice-president; Mrs. Wilbur Eaton, treasurer; and Mrs. Earl Henrichon, secretary.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

O. E. S. Matrons' and Patrons' Night.

Square Dance Club Fashion Show in Memorial Hall, J. Alden calling.

TODAY

Hitched and Unhitched in Methodist Vestry at 8 p. m.

B.H.S. vs. Hardwick, here.

Police Association "Victory" Record Hop.

TOMORROW

Food, Faith and Fun Night in the Methodist Vestry at 6 p. m.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Feb. 8
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Walt Swan calling.
Feb. 15
Legion Valentine Dance.
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.
Feb. 21
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Feb. 22
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.
Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall, with Red Bates calling.

SPEAKS AT CENTER SCHOOL

Last Friday Center School was honored by Mr. William E. Shaw, who came on Mr. Norcross's request. He talked about the early history of Belchertown. Mr. Shaw brought with him some old Farmers' Bank notes and passed them around the class.

He also gave information about the effects of depressions, and gave some idea of what the town looked like in the early part of this century.

For the 8th grade classes studying American History, this was important and we want to thank Mr. Shaw for his time and trouble.

P. T. A. MEETING

The P.T.A. meeting will be held at Cold Spring School on Monday, January 20, at 8 p. m.

Mr. John Dell, Elementary Supervising Principal, will speak on the use of Modern Math at the elementary level. A representative from the elementary math department at the U. of M. will be his guest, and he and Mr. Dell will answer any questions from the audience. Also, a color film on the subject will be shown.

Everyone is reminded of the book sale which will follow, so please add to our supply by sending all books and magazines to the school before the meeting.

ATTENDED INSTALLATION

The Vargas of Walpole were quite thrilled that some forty-five from the local Congregational Church were in attendance at Rev. Mr. Varga's installation last Sunday. Most of the deacons, acting and emeritus, and their wives attended, also some fifteen from the Senior Pilgrim Fellowship.

The Belchertown and Walpole deacons were in the procession and occupied pews on either side of the main aisle at the front, spokesmen for the two groups participating in the transfer of pastor.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

Arch rival Hardwick provides the opposition at the Town Hall tonight as Belchertown seeks to maintain its hold on first place in the Franklin League. Hardwick comes here off an impressive win at Charlemont and will be shooting the works in an effort to stay in the running for the league title. The visitors will present a well balanced scoring attack and ex-

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HONORED AT BANQUET

Thirty-four seniors were recently honored at a banquet at the University of Massachusetts for having received national recognition for collegiate achievement in the publication, "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." They were selected by a student committee on the basis of scholarship, participation and leadership in extracurricular activities, and citizenship and services to the University. Included is:

John E. Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Burke of Old Enfield Road. Burke, who is majoring in government, is editor of the University Handbook, secretary of the Interfraternity Council, chairman of the Distinguished Visitors Program, and a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. He is a 1960 graduate of Belchertown High School.

MRS. WILLIAM SHAW

A daily paper this past week carried the account of William E. Shaw being awarded a plaque for long service to the library, and just below there was the obituary of his wife, who, whether any plaque ever materializes in her memory, consciously or unconsciously, engraved herself on the lives of countless of our young people in our schools —truly a lasting memorial.

Mrs. Shaw died at her home on No. Main Street last Saturday. She was born in West Springfield March 15, 1894, the daughter of the late Arthur and Clara (Burnett) Ketchen and had resided here for 56 years. She was the wife of William E. Shaw, who recently retired as manager of the Belchertown branch of the Ludlow Savings Bank.

Mrs. Shaw retired in 1959 from the Belchertown school system, where she had taught for 33 years.

She was graduated in 1912 from Belchertown High School.

She was a member of the Congregational Church, Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 97, O. E. S., and the Belchertown Historical Association.

Her musical contributions to school and community were endless. She was pianist, musical diector and everything. Many of her pupils, in later years when they married, had her for church organist.

Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. Marion Hackett of Taunggyi, Burma, and Mrs. Marjorie Powell of St. Albans, Vt.; two brothers, Harold B. Ketchen and Andrew G. Ketchen, both of this town, and four grandchildren.

The funeral was held in the Congregational Church Tuesday afternoon at

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DEDICATED PARTLY TO BELCHERTOWN YOUNG PEOPLE

The young people of three Massachusetts communities are those to whom the Rev. Dr. Kendig Brubaker Cully and his wife, Dr. Iris V. Cully, have dedicated a new book, just published by The Westminster Press, Philadelphia. They refer to the young people with whom they have worked in Belchertown, Melrose and Haverhill. Dr. Cully was minister of the Congregational Church in Belchertown from 1938-1941; of the Melrose Highlands Congregational Church, 1941-46; and of First Congregational Church, Haverill, 1946-1951. The Cullys moved to Evanston, Ill., in 1951, where he has served as professor of religious education in Seabury-Western Theological Seminary (Protestant Episcopal Church) and director of the Master of Arts program there.

Their new book is entitled "An Introductory Theological Wordbook." It contains brief explanations of more than 200 words essential to the vocabulary of Christian theology. It is beamed at young people and adults for elementary reading. A previous work jointly written by Drs. Cully was "Two Seasons: Advent and Lent," published in 1954. Dr. Cully has also written "Sacraments: A Language of Faith," and "The Teaching Church." Mrs. Cully's books include "The Dynamics of Christian Education," "Children in the Church," and "Imparting the Word: The Bible in Christian Education."

In September of this year Dr. Cully will become professor of Christian Education at The Biblical Seminary in New York.

METHODIST FAMILY NIGHT

The January family night -- "Faith, Food and Fun," will have a Southern-Asian theme on this Saturday, January 18, at 6 p. m. at the Methodist Vestry. Each family is asked to bring a salad or a casserole.

This month's supper is in charge of the Commission on Missions, which will serve a dessert made from a recipe of Nepal. Tea will be the featured beverage but coffee and Kool-ade will also be available.

There will be a worship service on the Mission theme, and a flannelgraph story from the Philippine Islands, "The Independent Hen."

This program will be over before 8, so that children and parents can attend together.

Mrs. Preston Atwood, chairman of the Commission on Missions, is in charge of the supper, assisted by Mrs. Harold Suhm, Mrs. Raymond Gay, Mrs. Albert Birge and Mrs. William French.

"Her Children Arise Up
And Call Her Blessed"

Just as I was about to conclude this week's *Soliloquy*, the news came that Marion (Ketchen) Shaw, the wife of William Shaw, had died, and we are indeed bowed with sorrow.

Only a week ago she was at church and heard her grandson, William Hackett sing a bass solo from "The Messiah" before he started back to college. She hadn't been at all well for a long time and her granddaughter Martha Jane, home for the weekend from nurses' training, had told her it would do her good to go to church. She told us it had done just that.

But that afternoon I wrote our Marjorie in San Francisco that Mrs. Shaw looked very frail and perhaps she would like to write her a note. Both of our children thought a great deal of Marion, who was one of the town's finest teachers for many years. She loved teaching and the children she taught. She loved Belchertown, present and past, and taught its history to her pupils.

Everywhere this lady was, sweetness and light were with her, and that is no exaggeration whatever. She had a "mind of her own", but she used it for the good things in life. She loved music, and gave of her talents for years on end. She loved the church, which will remember her for a very long time.

Her children reflect her own nature. Marjorie and her family in St. Albans, Vermont, are a credit to the Shaws and have always been together with the older folks many days each year. Marion and her husband in Burma are doing a tremendous work as Christian missionaries. Mrs. Shaw took great pride in this. She and Bill did much to make this mission successful by providing the pricelesss environment in which young Bill and Martha Jane could live while they prepared for their own mature lives. However great the burden and strain in Burma, there was no fear for the future of the children.

Marion and Bill have indeed been one flesh. I cannot remember when they were not spoken of together in the same sentence—Bill and Marion—Marion and Bill.

The Steeple has lost a friend who has encouraged him for all of his soliloquizing years. He only wishes he could now find the words to say what is in his heart.

God bless you, Marion Shaw, for what you have meant to so many.

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Have You Ever Suffered
From Goitre or Sleeplessness?

I have always been warned by books and lecturers against what are termed "patent medicines". During the nineteenth century all sorts of remedies were being sold, most of them claiming wonderful cures for some form of human or animal ailment, and a great many of them purporting to take care of whole batches of diseases with one panacea.

Then came the reformers, under whose influence such legislation as the "Pure Food and Drug Act" of 1906 was passed, putting a stop to many of the extravagant claims and to the lack of proper labeling on the bottle or package.

"Patent medicine" became a negative expression, and even today I doubt if an advertizer would think of calling attention to the fact that his product is patented, as, of course, it is!

The little "almanacs" or recipe books distributed by the drug companies in the "open market" days of the 1870's and 1880's make sprightly reading now.

I am looking at one of some hundred pages in length, loaned to me by the Harringtons. It was distributed by a druggist in Enosburgh Falls, Vermont, and printed in that town. As the book lies open, the recipes are on the right side, and the medicines on the left. Scattered through the recipes are quiet little testimonials to keep the potential customer alert. Let's sample pages 30 and 31.

On 31 are soup recipes. Between Bean Soup nd Chicken Soup is a little plug for "Quaker Bitters", which are fully described on Page 30:

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Also (in part) this moving testimonial by Rev. James Maston of Williston, Vermont: "I have experienced constant pain in the head and back, poor digestion, sluggish circulation, cold feet, sleepless nights, exceedingly nervous, discouraged, etc. After taking four bottles of Quaker Bitters, I feel better than I have for years and I trust I may still be spared many years of usefulness in the vineyard of the Lord."

On Page 55, between Tomato Custard and Stuffed Tomatoes, comes this unanswerable query:

"Can anyone solve this mystery? Why will a man, woman, or child cough themselves hoarse, sow the seeds of consumption, and throw away their lives, when Dr. B. J. Kendall's Elixer can be bought for only twenty-five cents a bottle, and every bottle guaranteed?"

On the opposite page, the makers of the "Pectoral Elixer" plead with you to keep a bottle ready because "no family can know, when they retire for the night, that they are going to be exempt from sudden attacks which might prove fatal . . . a bottle of this Elixer close at hand . . . (might) in many cases save their children from untimely graves."

You may now go on to a "Yankee Boiled Dinner".

Here's one (Page 81) that will sound familiar, I imagine. Between Gold Cake and Cream Cake it tells its little story:

"Impure Blood is the cause of nearly all diseases that human flesh is heir to. Therefore, the question, What can I get that will purify and enrich my blood? is of vital importance to all. We answer with perfect confidence. Buy a bottle of Kendall's Tonic and Blood Purifier." Nowadays it is not Kendall's—but you know what!

On Page 102, Bassett's Horehound Troches proudly announce that this is "Not a Patent Medicine" because it spells out what has "entered into the composition: Horehound, Wild Cherry, Tolu (a stimulating tonic, with a peculiar tendency to the pulmonary organs), Licorice, Cubebs, and Chlorate Potassa (now used so extensively by the medical faculty in severe cases of sore throat)."

Lots of fun, isn't it!

The *Old Farmer's Almanac* for 1964 is quite different. Any "patent medicines"? Yes, a few. The famous Absorbine, Jr., manufactured in Springfield, has a full page. In other smaller ads, victims of arthritis, diaper rash, epilepsy, and asthma are urged to buy or to write. But it's quiet stuff, and not blatant in presentation. Nor are there advertizing "tuck-ins" between the informational items with which this wholly delightful pamphlet is filled.

Nevertheless, the voice of the pillman has by no means gone from the land. In fact, it seems to get louder year by year. He occupies much time on your TV set and pays a lot for that time.

Far less dangerous in their claims than their predecessors of a hundred years ago, the modern cold cures, headache preventatives, sleep helpers, blood purifiers and the like are extremely persistent and persuasive. That "blood bit" I quoted from 1870 could have come straight from the lips of a professional-looking gentleman who takes you aside frequently and asks you if you're feeling all in these days.

The "real-person" testimonial for a medicine is rare in high-toned circles now, but it is being used for hair tonics, razor blades, tooth paste, and other less vital articles. Cigarettes, treated often (at least through this past week) almost as though they were medicines, have live testimonials, too, as do some of the stronger liquid refreshments, if I remember correctly.

We have made much progress, however, since those days when one bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was being advertized as relieving and often curing Fits, Epilepsy, Neuralgia, Melancholy, Debility, Headaches, Cancer, Goitre, Dyspepsia, Syphilis, and Painful Menstruation."

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Listen to the old clock below me
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off a
other week of our lives.

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gods was presented,
(The list of what Fate for each mortal
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And slipped in three blessings—wife,
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William Spencer
c. 18

—Bob Jackson

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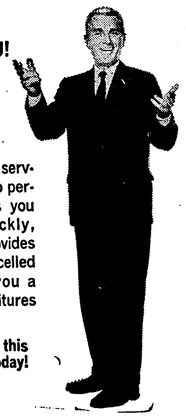

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

As was expected, Women's Sunday outdid last week's Men's Sunday by two to one. At the morning service the pastor spoke on "Women at the Cross", the ladies providing the music. At the evening service Marion Bardwell presided at the song service. Miss Marion Bartlett offered prayer, Mrs. A. R. Ketchen read the Scriptures, and Mrs. H. F. Curtis introduced the stereopticon presentation of Porto Rico, "The Cross Road of the Antilles", the lecture being read by Mrs. Louise Sherman, the lantern being operated by Ella A. Stebbins. The services both morning and evening were of a high quality and rendered with dignity. Now the Young People are entering the friendly competition by having Sunday "Young People's Sunday" the coming week.

Mrs. Ninfa Collard has been installed a Matron of the O.E.S. Howard Gay has been elected Pres. of the Y.P.S. Mrs. Jennie Walker has been chosen president of the Ladies Auxiliary.

An Extension School was held in the vestry of the Methodist church. For the men there were addresses on Farming, and for the women, here on Home Decoration and Meal Planning.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Ella Stanhope, who resides with the Stevens family on Main St. celebrated her ninetieth birthday amidst friends and relatives. She is quite active for her age.

The Methodist men are beginning rehearsals for their Minstrel Show on Feb. 17.

"Peck's Bad Boy" will be presented this week by the Juniors and Seniors of B.H.S.

TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. Grace (Ayers) Thayer, who was born in Belchertown and was a resident here for many years, died in Southampton at the age of 76.

Alex Sukin of the International Club at Springfield College was the guest speaker at the Methodist Men's Club. Born in Russia, and at the age of eight being put in a concentration camp, he spoke of life in Russia. After the address, the men asked him countless questions and would have kept him till morning had not the President rescued him from his friends.

EARLY COPY PLEASE

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., Assisting
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

As announced in last Sunday's Bulletin, the Roast Beef Supper was a big success and all are to be congratulated.

— SATURDAY —

Religion classes will be held at the State School at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Second Sunday after Epiphany

Masses in St. Francis church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Romans 12, 6-16.
Gospel—John 2, 1-11. Commemorates marriage feast at Cana, Christ's first recorded miracle.

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The Holy Name Society will meet Sunday morning in the Pine Room following the 9.30 Mass. At this time the business of electing the new officers will be conducted.

The Sunday School pupils who normally meet in the Pine Room, will for this Sunday, meet in the upper church.

— SUPPER DATE —

Last week, it was announced that the next St. Francis sponsored supper would be held February 8th. Due to the conflicting schedule (Men's Retreat, Feb. 7-9) the Spaghetti supper will be held on Saturday, February 15 with serving continuous from 5 'til 7 p. m. Tickets are available for 99 cents each—more details coming.

— RELEASED TIME —

Released time classes will be held Thursday, January 23 from 12.30 to 1.15 p. m.

— COMING —

Feb. 7-9 Men's Retreat at Mother of Sorrows Monastery in West Springfield.

Feb. 15 St. Francis Supper Committee sponsored Spaghetti Supper.

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Feb. 12 Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

The quarterly business meeting of Faith Baptist Church, Shearer St., Palmer was held last week Wednesday evening at 7.15 p. m. Before the meeting, a tape, containing a 15 minute verbal report from Dr. Vic Olson and Dr. Donn Ketcham on the East Pakistan Hospital Progress Report, was heard. The tape was produced for churches participating in this project. The report contained facts relative to the progress and remaining needs of the project. The prayer service was led by Pastor J. Allen Aardsma. The next regular prayer meeting will be January 29, at 7 p. m.

Sawdust Trails will live again in a more modern sense when Ken Ouellette conducts evangelistic services at Faith Baptist Church, Shearer St., Palmer. Beginning January 19—through 26. Nightly 7.30, except Saturday, Sundays, 10.45 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Mr. Ouellette is a native of Brimfield. He is superintendent of Detroit City Rescue Mission, radio pastor and evangelist. Just as D. L. Moody and Billy Sunday preached the old time gospel in a tent with sawdust spread over the floor, Mr. Ouellette will preach the same gospel in a new setting. A warm welcome will greet his many friends in the New England area.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donovan of North Washington Street are parents of a son born Thursday, January 2, at the Boston Lying-In Hospital.

"DATE BAGS"

Attention Ladies of the W. S. C. S.

Now is the time to check up on your "date bags." They should be completed by now. The dates are as follows:

New Year's Day	Father's Day
Washington's Birthday	July 4th
Lincoln's Birthday	Labor Day
Good Friday	Columbus Day
Palm Sunday	Mission Sunday
Easter Sunday	Election Day
Patriots' Day	Thanksgiving Day
Mother's Day	Christmas Day
Flag Day	Your Own Birthday
Memorial Day	Your Own Anniv.

10c for each day as it came

Please bring your date bags to our next meeting, February 19, 1964.

Finance Committee

MRS. WILLIAM SHAW

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2, with Rev. Elvert F. Miller, pastor, officiating, and Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer at the organ.

Bearers were Donald Geer, Arlan Skinner, David Hodgen, Dr. Kenneth Collard, Louis Fuller and Sherman Gould.

The funeral was largely attended especially by school personnel and O. E. S. members.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Paul Wall, Acolyte
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes in the Vestry and the Educational Building

11 a. m. Morning Worship

This will be the 25th Anniversary Service of the Women's Society of Christian Service and will be under the direction of the women's society. (see fuller story on page 1).

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry. Note the change of hour and place.

7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. The service will continue the study of the Book of Revelation. All are welcome.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry, with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stivers the committee. This will be a box social, with the ladies preparing the lunch, and the gents buying. This will be a wonderful time for all.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21

8 p. m. The Evening Group of the WSCS will meet, with Mrs. Clarence Pierce as hostess.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

6.30 p. m. The Fourth Quarterly Conference will meet in the Vestry. This will be a supper meeting. All members of the Church are urged to be present, as the reports of the year and recommendations for the new year will be brought before the church.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Belchertown Square Dance Club will hold a dance at Memorial Hall on Saturday, January 25th, John Alden calling. The special event of the evening will be a Fashion Show of Square dance apparel by Meg Simkins of Hampden. Models will be Ruth Boicourt, Richard and Joannie Bowen, Barbara Ericson, Eileen Doubleday, Marilyn Johnson, Ereda Jones and Mingo and Betty Martins.

Host and Hostess for the evening will be Mingo and Betty Martins.

Refreshments will be served by Robert and Eileen Doubleday, chairmen of the committee, consisting of Dave and Carolyn Cowher, John and Esther Carr and Pat DeSantis.

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NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The Democratic Town Committee announces that a caucus will be held at Lawrence Memorial Hall on Monday, January 20, 1964 from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. to act on the following candidates for office:

COPY OF

Democratic Caucus

BALLOT

MODERATOR
(1 year)
HENRY RENOUF

TOWN CLERK
(1 year)

SELECTMAN
(3 years)
Vote for Two

MICHAEL S. MATHRAS	
JANE L. GAWLIK	
ARTHUR J. MORIARTY	

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
Vote for One

MORRIS D. BLAINE	
THEODORE W. SMIST	

TREASURER
(3 years)

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
MAX J. SLIWA

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
SAMUEL JAY JOYAL

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
(3 years)
Vote for Two
HAROLD W. WILLEY
JOHN C. CARR

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
(3 years)

SEWER COMMISSIONER
(3 years)

BOARD OF HEALTH
(3 years)

PLANNING BOARD
(3 years)
WILFRED E. LEMIRE

PLANNING BOARD
(4 years)
ROBERT P. SUTCLIFFE

PLANNING BOARD
(5 years)
WILLIAM H. HENNEMANN, JR.

TREE WARDEN
(1 year)

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic Town Committee will meet Wednesday, January 22, at 8 p. m. in Lower Memorial Hall.

Bernard Bowler
Chm., Democratic Town Committee

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

JANUARY 19

9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12

9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class

10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery - grade 4

10.45 a. m. Sunday Morning Worship Service

Sermon—"On Putting First Things First!"

Text—Mark 12: 28-34.

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

JANUARY 21

8 p. m. Preschool Church School teachers will meet in the Parish House

JANUARY 23

10.30 a. m. Hampshire District Women's Fellowship meeting at the Edwards Church in Northampton.

7 p. m. Choir rehearsal

8 p. m. Adult Bible Study Group

JANUARY 24

6.30 p. m. Roll Call Dinner and the Annual Business Meeting of the Belchertown Congregational Church.

JANUARY 25

2.30 p. m. All teachers in the Junior Dept. of the Church School will meet.

JANUARY 26

10.45 a. m. The sermon next Sunday is entitled "On Putting First Things Second!"

HELP ASKED

The Women's Guild and The Board of Deacons are starting a drive to help the family of Joseph Mercier, who lost their home in a fire Tuesday.

The family is in need of a place to rent—and donations of clothing, bedding, linen, and money is needed.

A box has been placed in the entry of the Parish House for articles you may have to donate. Money donations, if in the form of cash, should be given to the pastor, or any deacon or officer of the Women's Guild. Checks may be sent to Mr. Miller at Box 682 and should be made out to: The Congregational Church—Mercier Fund.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. N. Dickinson their property on Federal Street to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coolidge, who have already taken possession. Mr. Coolidge is with Allstate Insurance Company out of the Holyoke branch.

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THE YEAR AT THE STATE SCHOOL

—continued from last week—

May

Under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Gould, Physical Educational teacher, the students gave a gymnastic exhibition on the 2nd. Mrs. Gould was assisted by Miss Judith H. Barrett and Jon Rose.

Mantoux tests, conducted by the personnel from the Mass. Department of Public Health, were given to our boys and girls this month. Once again, members of Melha Temple invited 80 of our youngsters to attend the Shriners Circus at the Coliseum in West Springfield.

On May 13, three representatives from the Nursing Service of the Petersburg State School, Petersburg, Va., arrived at B. S. S. for a four-day visit to observe and study methods of procedure in our nursing and training departments. The first trip of the year to Fenway Park took place on May 16, and now that the Birthday Bus (with its added space) is available, extra trips have been scheduled for this year. Our Girl Scout troops, with Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mrs. James Baker, Mrs. Sherman Gould, Mrs. Richard Pratt and Mr. Leon Geoffroy, enjoyed an outing at Forest Park on the 21st, also via the Birthday Bus.

The Junior League of Longmeadow sent a new group of Volunteers to entertain "B" building girls with a puppet show this month and hope to come again soon.

On the evening of the 22nd the Volunteer Recognition Party was held in the school cafeteria. One hundred twenty - one Volunteer groups received certificates, and twenty-two individual Volunteers received pins for countless services throughout the year.

B. S. S. was represented at the MARC annual convention at the Schine Inn, Chicopee by a display of articles made by our students in the Vocational Training and Occupational Therapy departments.

On May 30th, fifty-four of our Boy and Girl Scouts marched in the uptown parade and participated in the Memorial Day exercises.

June

Music seemed to be the theme this month, with the Belchertown High School Band Concert, and the West Springfield Chorale Group entertaining our school children. Thirty-six "A" building girls were treated to a bus ride and picnic at Forest Park, and on the 13th, graduation exercises were held for eight boys and girls, with Mr. William Lacey, school principal, as host, and Dr. Bowser presenting the certificates. The trustees, parents and friends of the graduates were invited guests, and refreshments were served by the teachers in the club room afterward. The Volunteer department presented each student with a graduation gift.

Fifty "D" building boys attended the Lions Club circus in Belchertown on the 15th, and despite bad weather, they enjoyed every minute of their excursion.

On June 15th, the Merry-Go-Round and new building to house it, donated by the Belchertown State School Friends' Association was dedicated with ceremonies held in the auditorium and at the building itself. His Excellency, Bishop Christopher J. Weldon, gave the invocation and blessed the structure and Congressman Edward P. Boland was the principal speaker. Mrs. Daniel O'Neil, President of the Belchertown State School Friends' Association, was mistress of ceremonies and gave special thanks to Mrs. Bill McNew and her crew of co-workers for the countless hours they had spent refurbishing the horses and panel decorations. Truly a labor of love. The Volunteer department once again offers heartfelt thanks to Nelson Hill and his men for all their help in sanding, repairing and moving the horses. (Never before have so many men taken orders so willingly from so many women!) During the latter part of the month our youngsters were entertained by the Granby Accordion Band—more Red Sox ball games and a Bible Class Party. Mass. Mutual Volunteers continued their Bingo program and another year of Barbecues started on June 24th with Mr. Wyman as usual supplying the music for the occasion. Field Day was held on the 25th with races, a block dance and the Merry-Go-Round going full tilt all day.

Also this month we bid farewell to Mrs. Benton Fielder who resigned as Home Economics Teacher, to accompany her husband and family to Alabama, where Col. Fielder is attending War College.

July and August

Early in the month, 147 of our boys and girls went home for vacations of varying lengths of time, and although we all complained about the heat—the beautiful weather made extra outdoor activities possible for those left behind. The Birthday Bus made almost daily trips, and we hope that all the people who gave stamps for this project (at least those in the surrounding communities) realized when they saw the bus, what a treat it is for the children. For some of them who never go home, just to go through the gates and see something other than the old familiar buildings, campus and faces they see every day, is a big event!

"M" building boys enjoyed a barbecue on the first, and the 4th was celebrated with a baseball game in the morning and a softball game in the afternoon.

The Chicopee Falls Baptist Church women returned to entertain their "adopted" "E" building girls at an evening party on the 7th, and "A" and "B" girls had their turn at the barbecue pits on the 9th.

Forest Park in Springfield was the scene of several picnics given by various Matrons, Attendants and Department Heads during this month. L, K, and F buildings also had cookouts, and the weather man (with the help of R. G. S.) continued to smile on these activities. Mr. Wyman supplied the music for dancing on the green, as usual, and Tom Yawkey of the Red Sox continued to act as host to all the youngsters we could send to Fenway Park during the summer months. Bingo games and Teen-age Canteen served as bright spots with the Mass. Mutual girls in charge.

The South Hadley Explorer Scouts, Troop 303 started an outdoor topee building project with our Boy Scouts this summer, and on completion, Mrs McNew decorated it with appropriate Indian figures.

The American Tape Exchange in Holyoke began sending us two tapes a week for musical programs in the buildings, conducted by Judy Barrett.

Our boys went to Walter E. Fernald State School in Waltham for a ball-game, and proved Jon Rose's prediction by upsetting their hosts.

During August, "D" and the Farm boys, "E" girls, and the Infirmary held their barbecues, and another summer of outdoor fun drew to a close.

Estelle J. Foote, M. D., Director of Psychiatry, retired on August 31st, after a total of 22 years in State Service. A party was held in the Cafeteria, with Doctors Pauline K. Frankowski and Magdelena A. Torres acting as joint hostesses. Miss Ruth Mellor, Matron of Nursery 2, retired after 28 years, 11 months in State Service.

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— to be continued —

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The Republican Caucus will be held next Tuesday evening, January 21, from 7 to 9.

Candidates for nomination to office whose names have been submitted to the committee are as follows:

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Republican Caucus

BALLOT

MODERATOR
(1 year)
BYRON A. HUDSON

TOWN CLERK
(1 year)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
Vote for One
- FRANK E. FARRINGTON, JR.
- KENNETH H. MAIN

SELECTMAN
(3 years)
Vote for two
WILLIAM H. SQUIRES, JR
WILLIAM GERRY WHITLOCK

TREASURER
(3 years)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
(3 years)
Vote for Two
DAVID A. STAPLES
ANDREW G. KETCHEN

PLANNING BOARD
(3 Years)
DONALD S. COLE

PLANNING BOARD
(4 years)
JAMES F. HAYWARD

PLANNING BOARD
(5 years)
DONALD PERHAM

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
(3 years)
Vote for One
- LINCOLN A. COOK
- WILLIAM J. CHEVALIER
- SIDNEY T. WHEBLE, JR.

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
DORIS S. SQUIRES

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
Vote for One
- JAMES A. BONAFINI
- CHARLES F. HOWARD
- HAROLD B. KETCHEN

SEWER COMMISSIONER
(3 Years)
HARRY L. BROUGHAM

BOARD OF HEALTH
(3 years)
KENNETH L. COLLARD

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eight tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, A. Powers, W. DeFord, Fred Lincoln and Helen Lister; 2nd, Joy Wright, Emma Grover, Ruth Kempkes and Gaetane Fortin; 3rd, R. Hebert, Howard Judkins, M. Harrington and Leon Geoffroy; door, George West and Walter DeFord.

This week's party will be in charge of Joy Wright.

GRANGE NOTES

Kenneth Ives, newly appointed deputy of the Massachusetts State Grange, has called a meeting at the Munson Memorial Building, South Amherst, for Sunday, January 19, at 7.30 p. m. It is hoped that Union Grange officers and chairmen of committees will attend.

Next Tuesday evening the program at the regular meeting of Union Grange will be a representative from the electric light company who will show two films, "Better Living Through Electricity," and "A For Atom."

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Albert Dewhurst lost her father, Mr. Maurice Thompson, by sudden death in Shelburne Falls on Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Whidden underwent surgery in Wesson Memorial Hospital, Springfield, on Wednesday.

Patients at Wing Memorial Hospital, Palmer, are Marjorie Chevalier, Lewis Squires, Gloria Scott, Edward Isaac, Mrs. Joseph Brodeur and Francis Brodeur.

BOOKS

Books - Books - Books! Do you have any "outgrown" Books? Send them to school with your children or bring them to the P. T. A. meeting, Monday, January 20. Any "Golden Books" or other children's books will do. The books will be on sale for 5 cents or 10 cents at the P. T. A. meeting.

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B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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ect board control from 6'4" George Jenkins.

Belchertown expects to have Pete Greenan off the sick list but it appears that Tri-Captain Mike Oberly will miss the game. The Oriole leader came down with measles earlier this week.

Belchertown won its important game with Williamsburg last week coming on strong in the fourth quarter to compile a 58-43 margin. The closeness of the game can be seen from the quarter scores which saw the Orioles trailing 13-11, 25-23, and 35-31. Gay. and Hebert came up with his best overall performance which included 12 rebounds and 23 points. Mike Oberly scored 15 and passed off for 5 more baskets. Bucky Barrett, scoreless through the first three chapters came up with 10 points in the final one to lead the late surge. Drew Juskalian, in a starting role, and Joe Lemire and Richie McCallum filling in, came up with important contributions. No one overshadowed Merle Green however. This springy senior came out of a sick bed and dogged high-scoring John Campbell so effectively that he limited him to two points in the second half. The win was Belchertown's sixth in succession and fourth league victory.

This past Tuesday's game with Warren was postponed to Thursday, January 30th because of the snowstorm. This coming Tuesday, January 21, Belchertown will be home to St. Mary's of Westfield in what could prove to be the outstanding home attraction of the year. St. Mary's only loss was to powerful city rival, Westfield High School.

STATEMENT

I have asked that my name be entered on the ballot at the Republican Town Caucus as candidate for the one-year term for selectman, feeling that I have certain qualifications to offer the town. I think that I can offer fair, practical, common-sense representation to each and everyone, regardless of political beliefs, without submitting to pressure from self-seeking groups or individuals. Secondly, I will be concerned with true economy in the administration of town affairs and departments, knowing that false economy can be as costly as extravagance. Finally, I will support and cooperate with all qualified appointed and elected town officials.

Being an engineer by profession, I am particularly interested in the operation of the water department, the sewage system, and the maintenance of town-owned buildings and machinery. In this regard, I feel that a study and adoption of a good system of preventive maintenance in these various departments would benefit the town financially.

Anyone elected to a town office for the first time will naturally meet up with many new and unfamiliar problems. However, by meeting each problem with an open mind and by being willing to listen, learn, and inform myself, I feel that I can fulfill my obligation to the townspeople.

I have lived in Belchertown since 1922, and have been a taxpayer since 1942. Living in a rural area, I understand the problems of those who live in similar areas, and I am interested in the development of such neighborhoods insofar as it is economically practical. I am the father of two boys who received their elementary education in Franklin School, and are now attending Cold Spring School and Belchertown High School. Therefore, I am very much interested in the progress made by our school system to date and in the future development of our schools.

My education was received in the Belchertown school system, Monson Academy, Tufts College, and specialized courses. I have been employed by Gilbert and Barker Manufacturing Company, the Springfield Armory, and since 1945 I have worked at the Belchertown State School, where I am now assistant chief engineer.

I hope that those of you who feel that I would be a good selectman for the town of Belchertown, will make the effort to attend the Republican Town Caucus on January 21, and vote for me.

Frank E. Farrington, Jr.

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LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Town of Belchertown, Massachusetts, acting by and through its duly appointed School Building Committee, as Awarding Authority, will receive sealed bids for the Kitchen Equipment for the Belchertown Junior-Senior High School, Belchertown, Massachusetts.

BIDS shall be deposited with the Awarding Authority at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Belchertown, Mass., no later than 7:30 P. M., on Thursday, January 23, 1964, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

BIDS shall be accompanied by bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check, payable to the TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN, MASSACHUSETTS, issued by a responsible bank or trust company.

BID DEPOSIT for bidders shall be in the amount of $1,000.00.

Bids shall be submitted on the letterhead of the bidder, in a sealed envelope, and addressed to the Awarding Authority, Belchertown, School Building Committee, Belchertown, Massachusetts.

No bid of a bidder shall be withdrawn until thirty (30) days from the opening of bids have expired unless such withdrawal is made on written request to the Awarding Authority prior to the time respectively established for the opening of bids.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Stoner Associates, 8 Newbury Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on Thursday, January 9, at no cost.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids if the Awarding Authority in its sole discretion determines such rejection to be in the best public interest; and reserves the right to reject any or all bids if said Awarding Authority determines that such bid does not represent the bid of a person competent to perform the work as specified, or that insufficient bids were received and the price is not reasonable for acceptance without further competition.

BELCHERTOWN SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE
I. A. Hodgen, Chairman

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Some years ago, when the plans were being formulated for a new State School, a small group of local people and the Board of Trade made a successful bid to locate it here. Now plans are underway to get the new State medical school located here in town.

The idea was put forth recently by John Nelson, secretary of the School Building Committee and was approved at the Selectmen's meeting last Thursday.

The selectmen are preparing a prospectus for submission to Dr. Lamar Soutter, dean of the University of Massachusetts Medical School.

The selectmen asked townspeople interested in assisting in organizing the prospectus to contact them immediately.

Though many towns and cities have made bids for the new school (Holyoke for one) there are many who feel that Belchertown has many advantages—choice of sites, a plentiful supply of water, a central location in the Bay State with many hospitals in nearby towns and cities such as, Ware, Palmer, Ludlow, Springfield, Holyoke, and Northampton, and state hospitals such as B. S. S., Monson and Northampton, as well as its proximity to the University itself.

JOSEPH R. KENNEDY

Joseph R. Kennedy, formerly of Cottage St., died last week Thursday at the Reed Nursing Home in Ware.

He was born in Pelham Aug. 3, 1880, the son of the late William and Jane Kennedy. He had been a resident here for 15 years, having made his home with the late Miss Mary Chaffee. He had at one time been a brakeman for the Central Vermont Railroad. He leaves no near relatives.

Funeral services were held at the Beers and Story funeral home last Sunday at 2. Rev. George D. Condon of the Pelham Federated Church officiated. Burial was in Valley Cemetery, Pelham.

BUSY WEEK

It was a busy week for the fire and highway departments here in town, what with four fires and the 'big' storm of the season all coming within two days.

In the early hours Monday, the fire department responded to a call to a fire at the Crystal Spring Bakery, that turned out to be located in the Dairy Bar section of the same building. It appeared that the entire building was on fire, as heavy smoke poured out of nearly every quarter. The fire completely destroyed the manager's office as well as most records, the kitchen and a portion of the main dining room. Heat, smoke, and water damage also had its toll on the building and contents. The fire apparently started in a electrical fuse box, and later spread via the ceiling, to the rest of the rear portion of the building. The electric clocks in the store had stopped at 2.37 a. m., apparently when the power was lost, so the fire, which was reported around 2.45 must have had some headway.

The bakery next door sustained some smoke damage. The building is owned by Ketchen Realty Trust Co. Stanford J. Harrington of Park St. is the operator of the business.

Later that same day, while the first big storm of the winter was raging, a light plane made an emergency landing on the ice of lake Metacomet because the flying visibility was at zero and Westover was closing out.

That evening, there was a fire at the Johnson home on Warner St.

Tuesday, there was a fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mercier on Stebbins Street. Most of the contents of the home was lost, and the building was badly burned. The family is staying with relatives in Holyoke temporarily.

Around noon that day, the department was called on for water-assistance to a fire in a storage shed at the Quabbin Park Cemetery.

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LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of **JESSIE L. RICHMOND**, also known as **J. LOUISE RICHMOND**, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **CAROLYN A. CLARK** of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of February, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, 1964.

Frank B. Tutt, II, Register

J. 10, 17, 24

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by **HENRY A. ROBIDOUX** of Belchertown, Hampshire County, Massachusetts, to **PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK**, a corporation duly established and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and having **its principal place of business** at Holyoke in the County of Hampden in the Commonwealth aforesaid, dated August 20, 1959, recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, Book 1308, Page 301, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of the said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 A. M., on the 10th day of February, 1964; on the premises below described, all and singular, the premises described in said mortgage.

TO WIT: "The land in Belchertown, Hampshire County, Massachusetts together with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

BOUNDED:

SOUTHWESTERLY: by land of one Pinski and land of one Weasel, two hundred and one and seventy-eight one-hundredths (201.78) feet; bounded

NORTHWESTERLY: by land of one Bodzinski, one hundred (100) feet; bounded

NORTHEASTERLY: by land of Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine a distance of two hundred (200) feet; bounded

SOUTHEASTERLY: by other land of the said Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine a distance of eighty-six and fifty-five one-hundredths (86.55) feet.

Being known and designated as Plot 'A' as shown on Plan entitled "Property Survey for Mr. Blaine, Belchertown, Mass., by W. D. Pharmer, C. E., Holyoke, Mass., Scale 1" equals 40'," which plan is recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Together with a permanent easement and right of way extending Northeasterly and Northwesterly out to Stebbins Street in said Belchertown, as shown on the aforementioned plan and marked "25.00 Foot Right of Way" to be used by the grantor, his heirs and assigns, to be used for all purposes of transportation and travel.

Being the same premises described in deed of Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine to the grantor herein, which deed is dated August 19, 1959, to be recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds."

TERMS OF SALE: Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance payable within five (5) days after the approval of the sale by the Land Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OTHER TERMS to be announced at the sale.

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SECRETARY OF ASTRONOMY CLUB

Pamela M. Adams, daughter of Mrs. Wilma Adams Melnick of Old Enfield Road has been elected Secretary of the Astronomy Club at the University of Massachusetts. Miss Adams is a 1962 graduate of Belchertown High School.

IN APPRECIATION

Our heartfelt thanks to Chief Fuller and Assistant Chief Peterson and all the men of the Belchertown Fire Department who acted above and beyond the call of duty at the Dairy Bar fire on Monday morning. A special word of thanks goes to Phil Labrecque who turned in the alarm.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School.. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5:30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p. m.
Evensong at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following the 9.30 mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Democratic Town Committee in Lower Memorial Hall at 2 p. m.

MONDAY

Firemen's Association.
Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. in the Old Town Hall.

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Club.
Catholic Women's Club.
B. H. S. vs. Charlemont, there.

WEDNESDAY

Republican Town Committee in Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
Lions Club.

THURSDAY

Registration for Evening Practical Arts Class in Library at 7 p. m.
B. H. S. vs. Warren, there.

FRIDAY

Meeting of all Boards and Officers Parish House at 8 p. m.
Sanderson vs. B. H. S.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 7.10 p. m. Den 1 presented the flag ceremony. Announcements were made as follows: Training for den mothers in Pine Room, Friday, January 24, at 10 a. m. Mr. Richard Deso from the Council office will give the training. The round table meeting will be January 27 at the People's Institute in Northampton at 7.30 p. m. The Blue and Gold Banquet will be February 22 in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church.

Awards as follows: Gary Bock, 2 yr. pin; Richard Tarbox and Mark Nute,

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TODAY

Annual Meeting and Roll Call of the Congregational Church. Dinner at 6.30 p. m.

B.H.S. vs. Monson, there.

TOMORROW

O. E. S. Matrons' and Patrons' Night.

Square Dance Club Fashion Show in Memorial Hall, J. Alden calling.

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Feb. 8
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Walt Swan calling.

Feb. 9
Reception for Superintendent Dunn and Family at Cold Spring School from 2 to 5 p. m.

Feb. 15
Legion Valentine Dance.
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.

Feb. 21
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Vernon Lodge George Washington Birthday Ball at Chateau Harmony.

Feb. 22
Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet in the Pine Room.
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.

Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.

Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.

Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall, with Red Bates calling.

P. T. A. MEETING

Remember when it stormed about every night, month after month that the P. T. A. met? It surely was a windy, rainy night on Monday evening, and it is hoped that another series of stormy nights will not be starting. But there was a good attendance at that. Could it be that modern Math coaxed the people out?

John Dell, elementary school principal, the speaker for the evening, was surely all set to go on the subject. He brought out text books by the armful—text books being put out by publishing firms, many of them with a national reputation, indicating that there is possibly some foundation for what some look on as a fad.

It was stated that while we are living in a day of computers, they can do only what human ingenuity tells them.

The modernity of math seems to be to get away from tables to be learned and make processes more logical and understandable to the pupils. In substraction, for instance, it's an effort to get away from the age-old borrowing business. With a series of 10's and 1's, the decimal system largely takes over.

Dell put his problems and solutions on the blackboard with lightning like rapidity. If one turned his eyes from the board, clowns or bottle tops might show up in the meantime.

A film was shown, which by reason of its slower speed, got some of the new ideas across.

Dell pointed out that it was at least his duty to inform folks as to present day trends in education, not necessarily to carry them out.

A pleasing feature of the meeting was the introduction by Arthur Brennen of the school committee, of Frank Dunn, the new superintendent, who spoke briefly, expressing appreciation of the cordial reception he had been accorded here.

It was announced that the musical program scheduled for December had to be cancelled by reason of a busy calendar, and the January executive meeting was not held by reason of the near-blizzard.

The secretary read thank you letters from schools to which the P.T.A. had furnished ice cream for Christmas parties.

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RECEPTION FOR SUPERINTENDENT AND FAMILY

A reception for the Frank M. Dunn, Jr. family, which event is sponsored by the school committee here, will be held on Sunday afternoon, February 9, from 2 to 5 at Cold Spring School. The public is cordially invited to meet the new school superintendent and family.

SKATES AND SLEDS PRESENTED

It wasn't exactly skating weather when the Jaycees showed up at the State School on Tuesday with the skates, sleds, etc. they have been collecting (skating rinks hereabouts were ponds on that day) but the State School personnel were happy to get the grand assortment, awaiting a turn of weather.

A good sized table was loaded, and sleds were stacked on the floor.

The project was a cooperative one of the Easthampton, Amherst and Belchertown Jaycees.

Delivery was made at the School by the several project chairmen. Dick Clark is the chairman here, William Jacque chairman at Amherst, and Maurice Campbell at Easthampton.

On hand to receive the collection were Dr. Lawrence Bowser, superintendent at the School, Mrs. Barbara Valliere, Volunteer Director, and Mrs. Doris Grover, her assistant.

Both the superintendent and director expressed heartfelt thanks for these recreational facilities that will bring joy to so many patients at the School. Only about half enough skates had been previously available.

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DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic Town Committee will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 in Lower Lawrence Memorial Hall.

BOY SCOUT PARENTS' NIGHT

There were about 35 parents at the Boy Scout Parents' Night Thursday, January 16. Scoutmaster Bailey introduced the leaders Mr. Munn, Mr. Shakarian and Mr. Nolan and they outlined their duties. Mr. Chester Dzwonkowski gave a short talk stressing the importance of parents backing the leaders in any way they can.

Two films were shown. One was taken at Camp Chesterfield last summer during the week our troop was there. The other film was taken at the 1960 Boy Scout Jamboree at Colorado Springs, Colo.

The purpose of the meeting was to inform parents of future plans and to ask for their cooperation. It is hoped parents will, whenever possible, be willing to transport scouts to and from hikes, etc. It was pointed out that parents can also help by encouraging scouts to read and study the manual to prepare themselves to pass at least one requirement at each weekly meeting. Mr. Bailey said about two hours' study a week is expected. In

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REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Republican Town Committee will be held in Memorial Hall Wednesday, January 29 at 7.30 p. m. All members of the Committee should attend. The candidates who were successful in the recent Republican Caucus, are urged to meet with the Committee.

TO DISCONTINUE DANCE CLASSES

Jimmy Dominique of the Dominique School of Dance, at a meeting of parents of pupils last Saturday, announced that due to circumstances which have developed, he will be unable to continue his classes here. He said that some of his pupils will go to his studio at Ludlow for classes there.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown visits Monson tonight in a rare Friday night appearance away from home. The Orioles expect trouble and to compound it may not have Pete Greenan who suffered an ankle injury in the St. Mary's game while Mike Mathras is out with the measles.

The Orioles came up with important wins in their last two outings. This past Friday they defeated Hardwick 64-56 to strengthen their hold on first place in the Franklin League. Gayton Hebert pumped 20 points and was ably assisted by Robin Barrett with 14 and Merle Green with 12. Mike Samson who had seen only limited service up until this game added 10 points to spark the win. The big story of this game was the performance of Drew Juskalian. The diminutive Junior filled in for the ailing Mike Oberly and chipped in with 9 assists and 9 rebounds in addition to scoring 6 points. The 9 assists ties a school record since the time the present coach has been here.

This past Tuesday Belchertown came up with its best performance of the season to subdue St. Mary's of Westfield 79-55. The "Saints" came in with a 9-1 record and were 7-0 in their league. But the Orioles, their starting unit together for the first time in three games, accomplished a great team victory. Gayton Hebert and Mike Oberly each had 23 points. Pete Greenan and Merle Green each scored 13 and Robin Barrett had 7. This wasn't all however. Green established a school record with 20 rebounds. Hebert had 14 rebounds and 4 assists. Oberly rebounded 7 times and assisted on 7 baskets. Barrett led the team with 8 assists and must have

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Restoration of Dairy Bar
Good News for Belchertown

Out of the welter of bad news that filled our town a couple of weeks ago, the assurance that the Crystal Spring Dairy Bar would be rebuilt and in operation again as soon as possible, was good to have.

We all felt very bad indeed when we learned what all the siren-blowing had been about in the wee hours of Sunday night or Monday morning when the worst we had been expecting was the arrival of a blizzard.

This business has been a genuine asset to our community as well as a real service to the public in general. It has sold good food in clean and pleasant surroundings ever since its inception. It has been a very convenient place for folks to meet for a bite, for a husband to fill up when the wife was off shopping, for athletic teams and fans to gather and enjoy refreshments after games, for tourists to stop, and so on.

More than this, it has tried hard to make itself available for committee and other meetings in the adjoining room, and continued this practice even after the room had become part of the dining area.

It has been owned and operated by Belchertown people, too, and has helped prove that it is possible to wrest a livelihood from this small town!

Moreover—and this is very important—it has provided work opportunities for a number of Belchertown people. Along with the money to be earned, there has been the training in meeting the public, in developing a pleasing personality, in finding a proper balance between friendliness and familiarity, in being punctual and in following regulations.

Working at the Dairy Bar can teach young persons many lessons that will stand them in good stead, and can give older people a chance to help meet the increasing expenses of operating a home.

We are indeed happy that the sign out in front of the now desolate restaurant is announcing in large letters that the hamburgs will be hot and the ice cream cold before too long! We surely would not want to lose any business which has become successfully established here!

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Local Fire Fighters
Follow Post Office Lead

On the Main Post Office in New York City I am told there is this inscription:

"Not snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

This was not originally written of United States mailmen, excellent couriers though they are. It is a quotation from Herodotus, written about 430 B.C., and was in reference to the Persian post riders.

Since the motto is obviously not copyrighted, it could well be adopted by the Belchertown Fire Department, which surely goes on with its perfectly miraculous service despite plenty of snow, lots of heat, and mostly in the gloom of night.

On a pleasant summer or fall Sunday afternoon, the boys seem to be having a lot of fun at their muster, but there wouldn't seem to be much fun during a weekend like that of January 10-14, when they worked like mad to get the Dairy Bar protected against the oncoming blizzard, fought drifting snow on narrow Warner Street at night, and continued the pace on Tuesday at the disastrous Mercier fire and a lesser blaze at Quabbin Park Cemetery.

We've been praising this outfit for a long time. It's something to keep up the good work decade after decade!

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Comments On Local Scene

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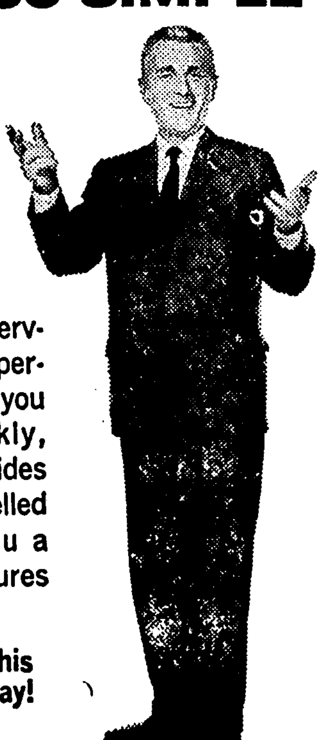

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On the 14th the Mass. Mutual Life Insurance Co. Volunteers sponsored an all-day Bazaar at St. Aidens' Church in Springfield to raise funds for the various programs they carry on here at school. The first meeting of the Friends' Association was held in the club room on the 15th, with Dr. Bowser as guest speaker.

Forty-two boys attended a football game at AIC on the 21st and the 24th marked the last Fenway Park trip for this year.

The Belchertown Birthday Box Board of Directors held a meeting in the club room, and Miss Mary G. Newell president, announced the successful completion of their latest project, with Mr. Frank Moryl of Gilbertville slated for the Bermuda trip. The trip was paid for with stamps remaining from the Birthday Box drive, and the funds raised will be used to install chimes for the organ, a new and larger amplifier, speakers for the roof of the school building, with the turn-table and microphone tied into the system.

At last children in the surrounding buildings who have been unable to attend Church services and entertainments in the auditorium will be able to hear the music, and at holiday time Christmas music will be heard all over the grounds.

Had you started your Christmas shopping last September? Members of the Officers' Wives Club had already begun wrapping Christmas gifts at B. S. S. The University of Mass. and Christian Evangelical Fellowship Volunteers were welcomed back for another year.

Miss Elizabeth Howell has joined the teaching staff. Miss Howell attended the University of Rhode Island and received her B. S. in Home Economics at Simmons College. Mr. Frank Norris retired as Junior Vocational Instructor on the 29th, after 15 years' service. Mr. Norris was in charge of the print shop at school, did a masterful job at any task, and more than once "saved the bacon" for the Volunteer Department.

October

Miss Gladys Meyer 'hostessed' a meeting of the Head Psychiatric Social Workers on the 1st. Luncheon was served in the cafeteria, and afterward the visitors were conducted on a tour of the school via the Birthday Bus.

Miss Catherine Austin, R. N., Nursing Instructor, started a series of staff education meetings, and the Belchertown State School Friends' Association sponsored a party for the Farm boys in the auditorium.

Dr. Samuel Berger served as host to all State School and Hospital Dentists on the 8th, and after a long year of waiting, Coleman Day dawned bright and clear. All day long the children were treated to rides on various concessions, and Mr. Coleman's smiling face was to be seen everywhere greeting the children and taking a personal interest in their welfare. On the 12th our Scouts marched in the uptown parade and were treated to refreshments at St. Francis Church.

Mr. James O'Leary and his Problems of Democracy class visited us again this year. Dr. Bowser addressed the group, and then they were taken on a tour of the grounds.

The October Summup, hosted by Belchertown Local #17, met in the Club Room on the 15th and were given a demonstration by our Boy Scouts and gymnastic class. A Halloween dance was held in the auditorium on the 30th, and refreshments were served by the teachers. Many of the Matrons and Attendants gave Halloween parties to their charges, complete with costumes, prizes and refreshments.

Elmer Middlemast, Third Class Power Plant Engineer, passed away on October 28th. Mr. Middlemast had served nearly 19 years in State service.

November

Tours marked the beginning of this month, as both the girls from Maria Assumpta Academie and members of the Republican Town Committee of Wilbraham were our guests. On the 3rd the Springfield Our Lady of Sacred Heart Variety Show gave the youngsters a wonderful evening's entertainment, and the Friends' party of the month was given to the Infirmary boys and girls. The Friends' business meeting of the month included a beautiful exhibition by the Education, Vocational training and O. T. Dep'ts. The West Side Drama Club of Springfield presented "Rumpelstiltskin" to our school children in an afternoon program. On the 14th the State School Superintendents met at B. S. S. and on the same day four U of Mass. students spent the morning observing classes in the School Building. Hootenannies came officially with the Volunteers from the U of Mass. bringing a professional group from Boston on Saturday afternoon, the 16th—although Dr. Price and Dr. Berger have been conducting their own private shows in the various buildings for several months.

On Monday the 25th Memorial Services for President John F. Kennedy were conducted in the Auditorium by Rev. Price and Fr. Collins with Dr. Bowser at the organ. Our Girl Scouts entertained community Scouts in a joint meeting held after school on the 6th and the school children held a special Thanksgiving program of songs and recitations on the 27th. On Thanksgiving Day itself 150 children enjoyed a ride on the Merry-Go-Round and brothers and sisters visited in the buildings in the morning followed by a delicious turkey dinner with all the fixin's. Our Recreational Therapists have laid out a skating rink in front of the Service Building using plastic sheeting as the base. The senior boys' basketball team has been organized and is now in practice for future games.

December

The West Side Drama Club of West Springfield presented "The Stolen Prince" this month for our School children and Vocational Training Dep'ts K building boys were entertained by the Friends Assn. at a Christmas party and (believe it or not) the Merry-Go-Round was whirling for F. building girls on the 5th. The DAV gave a party for F and donated a beautiful stereo to them along with many of their favorite records. On Monday December 9th Memorial Services were held in the Auditorium for our former Sup't. Dr. Henry A. Tadgell. Although there seems to be a difference of opinion as to whether the 40 & 8 have been coming to the school 20 or 30 years, all we know is that they arrived en masse the night of the 11th and as usual gave their wonderful Christmas party for the whole school. The Officers and their lovely ladies at W. A. F. B. once again entertained 150 of our youngsters with a tour of the Base, a turkey dinner, a Hootenanny and Rock N'Roll music and gifts for all. We are particularly grateful to Mrs. Sherman Manchester 3rd. who is serving as BSS co-ordinator this year and Mrs. Bill McNew for her magic paintbrush. The employees at the Farms gave the boys a Christmas party on the 15th with a group of outside entertainers (Who were they, Don?) The Esoteric Lodge of Masons in Springfield entertained F building girls at a party on the 16th and on the 19th a special Christmas program was shown to E building girls in the Tadgell Nursery Canteen room. Jayne Slate and the Granby Accordion Band played a return engagement on the 23rd and then it was Christmas Day with special church services for the children. Christmas music played thruout the grounds all day and Santa Claus visited every building with gifts for all.

Volunteers manned a reception desk at the front office to facilitate the handling of packages.

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Another Fine Year Past at B. S. S.
Thanks For the Story—Ed.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Belchertown Men's Bowling League results as of January 27 were:

Legion Takes Six! ! ! ! !

For the first time this season the Legion Team took all 6 points. They took their points from Salvage and Joe Yanginski was high for the winners with 335. The Hilltoppers also overpowered Jackson's Team by taking all 6 points which brought them up from the bottom of the standings. Bud Ross was high with 355 and Howie Main right behind with 353. Turkey Hill won 6 points over Jabish Brook, Ed Henrichon, Sr. and Jr. having 317 and 316. Art Henneman paced his team to 6 points over Gates' "Raiders". Art had a 156 single, which is a new league record and a fine three string total of 375. Cole's upset Cook's by taking 4 points. High for Cole's was Sonny Robinson with 322. The State School overpowered Park Lane by also taking 4 points from them. High man was Leon Geoffroy with 329. Independents beat Reece by the score of 4 to 2. High for the winning team was Ken Rhodes with 353.

In general, everyone seemed to have a pretty good night this week by bowling at least their league average or above.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	30	0	7845
Turkey Hill	22	8	7432
Cook's	22	8	7335
Independents	20	10	7395
Park Lane	20	10	7301
Jackson's	18	12	7347
Salvage	16	14	7372
B.S.S.	14	16	6988
Cole's	10	20	7280
Legion	10	20	7040
Gates	8	22	7192
Hilltoppers	8	22	7182
Reece	6	24	7366
Jabish Brook	6	24	6961

Season Records

High Single String A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single T. Bleau 147

High 3 Strings R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three K. Rhodes 379

Team High Single Salvage 592
Team High Three Henneman's 1,655

110 Club—J. Yanginski 121, 118; H. Mellin 115; R. Blaine 118; K. Main 119; D. Bock 111; B. Ross 117, 129, H. Main 110, 116, 127; E. Henrichon, Sr. 116; J. Walker 122; R. Hawkins 111; S. Wheble 124; E. Gates 114; D. Perham 123; A. Henneman 113, 156; A. Sears 131; M. Hubler 114; R. Dana 125, 114; D. Cole 113; C. Robinson, Sr. 126; C. Robinson, Jr. 124; L. Geoffroy 123; C. Owczarski 116; N. Robidoux 113; R. Lapointe 124; R. Reece 119; J. McInnis 126; Rich Robinson 115; H. Goodrow 116, 120; F. Grover 123, 111; K. Rhodes 127, 119; E. Field 115; H. Squires 116, 120.

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Next Week's Matches—

Legion vs Independents
Jackson's vs. Reece
Turkey Hill vs. Park Lane
Salvage vs. Cole's
Gates vs. Cook's
Henneman's vs. Jabish Brook
B. S. S. vs. Hilltoppers

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The second round of bowling started on January 16th with the following team results: Gay Rollers 8, Harmony Five 0; King Pins 8, Nite Outers 0; Pin Pickers 8, Outskirters 0; Bowl-aires 6, Chadson Gals 2; Roll-a-ways 6, Pin Spinners 2; Crystals 4, Congo's 4; and Jolly "5" 4, Hit or Miss 4.

The Pin Pickers had Team high three with 1328 and the Roll-a-ways had 459 for team high single. Joan Poole rolled a 311 for high three and Rose Scott and Alice Samborski each had 296, to tie for second high three. High single went to Alice Samborski with a 119. Second high single was rolled by Joan Poole with 116.

Making the "300" club last week was Joan Poole with 311. The "110" club included Joan Poole 116, 115 and Clara Skinner 115. Those making the "100" club were Alice Samborski 119, Pat Towne 111 and Vi Main 104.

Season Records

High Three—R. Scott, 317
2nd High Three—R. Scott, 315

High Single—C. Hubbard, 127
2nd High Single—R. Scott, 123

Team High Single—Pin Pickers, 507
Team High Three—Jolly "5", 1,367

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	8	0	1328
Gay Rollers	8	0	1259
Roll-a-ways	6	2	1308
Crystals	4	4	1327
Congo's	4	4	1322
Jolly "5"	4	4	1245
Hit or Miss	4	4	1200
Class B			
King Pins	8	0	1247
Bowl-aires	6	2	1289
Chadson Gals	2	6	1267
Pin Spinners	2	6	1193
Harmony Five	0	8	1160
Nite Outers	0	8	1147
Outskirters	0	8	1124

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Restoration of Dairy Bar
Good News for Belchertown

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We all felt very bad indeed when we learned what all the siren-blowing had been about in the wee hours of Sunday night or Monday morning when the worst we had been expecting was the arrival of a blizzard.

This business has been a genuine asset to our community as well as a real service to the public in general. It has sold good food in clean and pleasant surroundings ever since its inception. It has been a very convenient place for folks to meet for a bite, for a husband to fill up when the wife was off shopping, for athletic teams and fans to gather and enjoy refreshments after games, for tourists to stop, and so on.

More than this, it has tried hard to make itself available for committee and other meetings in the adjoining room, and continued this practice even after the room had become part of the dining area.

It has been owned and operated by Belchertown people, too, and has helped prove that it is possible to wrest a livelihood from this small town!

Moreover—and this is very important—it has provided work opportunities for a number of Belchertown people. Along with the money to be earned, there has been the training in meeting the public, in developing a pleasing personality, in finding a proper balance between friendliness and familiarity, in being punctual and in following regulations.

Working at the Dairy Bar can teach young persons many lessons that will stand them in good stead, and can give older people a chance to help meet the increasing expenses of operating a home.

We are indeed happy that the sign out in front of the now desolate restaurant is announcing in large letters that the hamburgs will be hot and the ice cream cold before too long! We surely would not want to lose any business which has become successfully established here!

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Follow Post Office Lead

On the Main Post Office in New York City I am told there is this inscription:

"Not snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

This was not originally written of United States mailmen, excellent couriers though they are. It is a quotation from Herodotus, written about 430 B.C., and was in reference to the Persian post riders.

Since the motto is obviously not copyrighted, it could well be adopted by the Belchertown Fire Department, which surely goes on with its perfectly miraculous service despite plenty of snow, lots of heat, and mostly in the gloom of night.

On a pleasant summer or fall Sunday afternoon, the boys seem to be having a lot of fun at their muster, but there wouldn't seem to be much fun during a weekend like that of January 10-14, when they worked like mad to get the Dairy Bar protected against the oncoming blizzard, fought drifting snow on narrow Warner Street at night, and continued the pace on Tuesday at the disastrous Mercier fire and a lesser blaze at Quabbin Park Cemetery.

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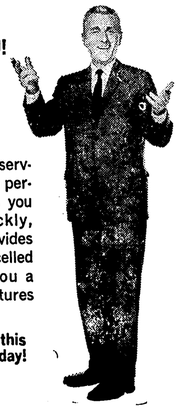
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September

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On the 14th the Mass. Mutual Life Insurance Co. Volunteers sponsored an all-day Bazaar at St. Aidens' Church in Springfield to raise funds for the various programs they carry on here at school. The first meeting of the Friends' Association was held in the club room on the 15th, with Dr. Bowser as guest speaker.

Forty-two boys attended a football game at AIC on the 21st and the 24th marked the last Fenway Park trip for this year.

The Belchertown Birthday Box Board of Directors held a meeting in the club room, and Miss Mary G. Newell president, announced the successful completion of their latest project, with Mr. Frank Moryl of Gilbertville slated for the Bermuda trip. The trip was paid for with stamps remaining from the Birthday Box drive, and the funds raised will be used to install chimes for the organ, a new and larger amplifier, speakers for the roof of the school building, with the turn-table and microphone tied into the system.

At last children in the surrounding buildings who have been unable to attend Church services and entertainments in the auditorium will be able to hear the music, and at holiday time Christmas music will be heard all over the grounds.

Had you started your Christmas shopping last September? Members of the Officers' Wives Club had already begun wrapping Christmas gifts at B. S. S. The University of Mass. and Christian Evangelical Fellowship Volunteers were welcomed back for another year.

Miss Elizabeth Howell has joined the teaching staff. Miss Howell attended the University of Rhode Island and received her B. S. in Home Economics at Simmons College. Mr. Frank Norris retired as Junior Vocational Instructor on the 29th, after 15 years' service. Mr. Norris was in charge of the print shop at school, did a masterful job at any task, and more than once "saved the bacon" for the Volunteer Department.

October

Miss Gladys Meyer 'hostessed' a meeting of the Head Psychiatric Social Workers on the 1st. Luncheon was served in the cafeteria, and afterward the visitors were conducted on a tour of the school via the Birthday Bus.

Miss Catherine Austin, R. N., Nursing Instructor, started a series of staff education meetings, and the Belchertown State School Friends' Association sponsored a party for the Farm boys in the auditorium.

Dr. Samuel Berger served as host to all State School and Hospital Dentists on the 8th, and after a long year of waiting, Coleman Day dawned bright and clear. All day long the children were treated to rides on various concessions, and Mr. Coleman's smiling face was to be seen everywhere greeting the children and taking a personal interest in their welfare. On the 12th our Scouts marched in the uptown parade and were treated to refreshments at St. Francis Church.

Mr. James O'Leary and his Problems of Democracy class visited us again this year. Dr. Bowser addressed the group, and then they were taken on a tour of the grounds.

The October Summup, hosted by Belchertown Local #17, met in the Club Room on the 15th and were given a demonstration by our Boy Scouts and gymnastic class. A Halloween dance was held in the auditorium on the 30th, and refreshments were served by the teachers. Many of the Matrons and Attendants gave Halloween parties to their charges, complete with costumes, prizes and refreshments.

Elmer Middlemast, Third Class Power Plant Engineer, passed away on October 28th. Mr. Middlemast had served nearly 19 years in State service.

November

Tours marked the beginning of this month, as both the girls from Maria Assumpta Academie and members of the Republican Town Committee of Wilbraham were our guests. On the 3rd the Springfield Our Lady of Sacred Heart Variety Show gave the youngsters a wonderful evening's entertainment, and the Friends' party of the month was given to the Infirmary boys and girls. The Friends' business meeting of the month included a beautiful exhibition by the Education, Vocational training and O. T. Dep'ts. The West Side Drama Club of Springfield presented "Rumpelstiltskin" to our school children in an afternoon program. On the 14th the State School Superintendents met at B. S. S. and on the same day four U of Mass. students spent the morning observing classes in the School Building. Hootenannies came officially with the Volunteers from the U of Mass. bringing a professional group from Boston on Saturday afternoon, the 16th—although Dr. Price and Dr. Berger have been conducting their own private shows in the various buildings for several months.

On Monday the 25th Memorial Services for President John F. Kennedy were conducted in the Auditorium by Rev. Price and Fr. Collins with Dr. Bowser at the organ. Our Girl Scouts entertained community Scouts in a joint meeting held after school on the 6th and the school children held a special Thanksgiving program of songs and recitations on the 27th. On Thanksgiving Day itself 150 children enjoyed a ride on the Merry-Go-Round and brothers and sisters visited in the buildings in the morning followed by a delicious turkey dinner with all the fixin's. Our Recreational Therapists have laid out a skating rink in front of the Service Building using plastic sheeting as the base. The senior boys' basketball team has been organized and is now in practice for future games.

December

The West Side Drama Club of West Springfield presented "The Stolen Prince" this month for our School children and Vocational Training Dep'ts K building boys were entertained by the Friends Assn. at a Christmas party and (believe it or not) the Merry-Go-Round was whirling for F. building girls on the 5th. The DAV gave a party for F and donated a beautiful stereo to them along with many of their favorite records. On Monday December 9th Memorial Services were held in the Auditorium for our former Sup't. Dr. Henry A. Tadgell. Although there seems to be a difference of opinion as to whether the 40 & 8 have been coming to the school 20 or 30 years, all we know is that they arrived en masse the night of the 11th and as usual gave their wonderful Christmas party for the whole school. The Officers and their lovely ladies at W. A. F. B. once again entertained 150 of our youngsters with a tour of the Base, a turkey dinner, a Hootenanny and Rock N'Roll music and gifts for all. We are particularly grateful to Mrs. Sherman Manchester 3rd. who is serving as BSS co-ordinator this year and Mrs. Bill McNew for her magic paintbrush. The employees at the Farms gave the boys a Christmas party on the 15th with a group of outside entertainers (Who were they, Don?) The Esoteric Lodge of Masons in Springfield entertained F building girls at a party on the 16th and on the 19th a special Christmas program was shown to E building girls in the Tadgell Nursery Canteen room. Jayne Slate and the Granby Accordion Band played a return engagement on the 23rd and then it was Christmas Day with special church services for the children. Christmas music played thruout the grounds all day and Santa Claus visited every building with gifts for all.

Volunteers manned a reception desk at the front office to facilitate the handling of packages.

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Another Fine Year Past at B. S. S.
Thanks For the Story—Ed.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Belchertown Men's Bowling League results as of January 27 were:

Legion Takes Six! ! ! ! !

For the first time this season the Legion Team took all 6 points. They took their points from Salvage and Joe Yanginski was high for the winners with 335. The Hilltoppers also overpowered Jackson's Team by taking all 6 points which brought them up from the bottom of the standings. Bud Ross was high with 355 and Howie Main right behind with 353. Turkey Hill won 6 points over Jabish Brook, Ed Henrichon, Sr. and Jr. having 317 and 316. Art Henneman paced his team to 6 points over Gates' "Raiders". Art had a 156 single, which is a new league record and a fine three string total of 375. Cole's upset Cook's by taking 4 points. High for Cole's was Sonny Robinson with 322. The State School overpowered Park Lane by also taking 4 points from them. High man was Leon Geoffroy with 329. Independents beat Reece by the score of 4 to 2. High for the winning team was Ken Rhodes with 353.

In general, everyone seemed to have a pretty good night this week by bowling at least their league average or above.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	30	0	7845
Turkey Hill	22	8	7432
Cook's	22	8	7335
Independents	20	10	7395
Park Lane	20	10	7301
Jackson's	18	12	7347
Salvage	16	14	7372
B.S.S.	14	16	6988
Cole's	10	20	7280
Legion	10	20	7040
Gates	8	22	7192
Hilltoppers	8	22	7182
Reece	6	24	7366
Jabish Brook	6	24	6961

Season Records

High Single String — A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single — T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings — R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three — K. Rhodes 379
Team High Single — Salvage 592
Team High Three — Henneman's 1,655

110 Club—J. Yanginski 121, 118; H. Mellin 115; R. Blaine 118; K. Main 119; D. Bock 111; B. Ross 117, 129, H. Main 110, 116, 127; E. Henrichon, Sr. 116; J. Walker 122; R. Hawkins 111; S. Wheble 124; E. Gates 114; D. Perham 123; A. Henneman 113, 156; A. Sears 131; M. Hubler 114; R. Dana 125, 114; D. Cole 113; C. Robinson, Sr. 126; C. Robinson, Jr. 124; L. Geoffroy 123; C. Owczarski 116; N. Robidoux 113; R. Lapointe 124; R. Reece 119; J. McInnis 126; Rich Robinson 115; H. Goodrow 116, 120; F. Grover 123, 111; K. Rhodes 127, 119; E. Field 115; H. Squires 116, 120.

310 Club—J. Yanginski 335; K. Main 319; D. Bock 316; B. Ross 355; H. Main 353; E. Henrichon, Jr. 316; E. Henrichon, Sr. 317; R. Hawkins 316; D. Perham 330; A. Henneman 375; A. Sears 347; R. Dana 331; D. Cole 313; C. Robinson, Jr. 322; L. Geoffroy 329; C. Owczarski 311; H. Goodrow 320; K. Rhodes 353; H. Squires 331.

Next Week's Matches—

Legion vs Independents
Jackson's vs. Reece
Turkey Hill vs. Park Lane
Salvage vs. Cole's
Gates vs. Cook's
Henneman's vs. Jabish Brook
B. S. S. vs. Hilltoppers

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The second round of bowling started on January 16th with the following team results: Gay Rollers 8, Harmony Five 0; King Pins 8, Nite Outers 0; Pin Pickers 8, Outskirters 0; Bowl-aires 6, Chadson Gals 2; Roll-a-ways 6, Pin Spinners 2; Crystals 4, Congo's 4; and Jolly "5" 4, Hit or Miss 4.

The Pin Pickers had Team high three with 1328 and the Roll-a-ways had 459 for team high single. Joan Poole rolled a 311 for high three and Rose Scott and Alice Samborski each had 296, to tie for second high three. High single went to Alice Samborski with a 119. Second high single was rolled by Joan Poole with 116.

Making the "300" club last week was Joan Poole with 311. The "110" club included Joan Poole 116, 115 and Clara Skinner 115. Those making the "100" club were Alice Samborski 119, Pat Towne 111 and Vi Main 104.

Season Records

High Three—R. Scott, 317
2nd High Three—R. Scott, 315
High Single—C. Hubbard, 127
2nd High Single—R. Scott, 123
Team High Single—Pin Pickers, 507
Team High Three—Jolly "5", 1,367

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	8	0	1328
Gay Rollers	8	0	1259
Roll-a-ways	6	2	1308
Crystals	4	4	1327
Congo's	4	4	1322
Jolly "5"	4	4	1245
Hit or Miss	4	4	1200
Class B			
King Pins	8	0	1247
Bowl-aires	6	2	1289
Chadson Gals	2	6	1267
Pin Spinners	2	6	1193
Harmony Five	0	8	1160
Nite Outers	0	8	1147
Outskirters	0	8	1124

—R. Dowd, Secretary

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., Assisting
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Religion classes will be held at the State School at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —
Septuagesima
(Third Sunday after Epiphany)

Masses in St. Francis church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 9, 24-10, 5.
Gospel—Matthew 20, 1-16.

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There will be Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

— C. W. C. MEETING —

The Catholic Women's Club will hold a dinner meeting on Tuesday, January 28 at 6.30 p. m. at DeMarco's Restaurant on Route 21 in Ludlow.

The Mid-Winter Dinner will be under the direction of Mrs. Geraldine Baker, chairman, with the committee consisting of Alice Burke, Rose LeMire, Edith Depot, Mabel Depot, Gerry Miron, Bertha Gromack, Margaret Hunt, and Flora Quinn, assisting her.

— HOLY NAME SOCIETY —

The Holy Name Society elected a partial slate of officers at their meeting last Sunday. The group plans to meet again on Feb. 9 at which time the election of officers will be completed and plans for the installation banquet to be held in the spring will be formulated.

— RELEASED TIME —

Released time classes will be held Thursday, January 30 from 12.30 to 1.15 p. m.

— COMING —

Feb. 7-9 Men's Retreat at Mother of Sorrows Monastery in West Springfield.

Feb. 15 St. Francis Supper Committee sponsored Spaghetti Supper.

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Feb. 12 Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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come up with a dozen interceptions or steals. Greenan had 8 rebounds and turned in a fine defensive game. Thus the keynote of the club all year —Teamwork—paid off Tuesday in this fine win.

Coach Al Hurlburt's J.V.'s ran their winning string to six in a row as the unit of Tom Fuller, Bill McCaughey, Harold Ketchen, Doug McCallum and Joe Dyer continue to improve.

Next week the Orioles will be busy. They visit Charlemont on Tuesday, make up a snowed out game at Warren on Thursday, and play host to Sanderson on Friday.

P. T. A. MEETING

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Andrew Ketchen of the school building committee, told of the proggress of the work which, of course, is having a respite now because of the weather. He maintained that architect and contractor agreed that the work is on schedule, and that there is every expectation that the school will open September 1.

He spoke of the checking being done on the several steges of construction, speaking particulary of procedures that have to be followed to keep the building from settling.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Last week Den Six went hiking at Quabbin. This week we talked about what to do to help our family in case of fire.

After that, we did some push-ups and sit-ups. Then we had some juice and cupcakes.

We elected David Rogers the new scribe and Mark Jackson, denner.

David Rogers, Scribe

TOWN ITEMS

Marilyn Sujdak is a patient at the Wing Memorial Hospital in Palmer.

Mrs. Doris Wood of Enfield Road is recovering from surgery at Wing Memorial Hospital, Palmer.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

The Home and Community Service Committee and interested members of Union Grange are invited to South Amherst, Monday, January 27th, when the principal speaker will be Mr. Milton L. Fitch, public relations counsel of the Mass. Chapter, Arthritis Foundation. He will speak on the 10-point program, "Community Improvement and Health Project."

At the meeting of Union Grange Tuesday evening, the program was furnished by a representative of the electric light company. A short talk and the showing of two films concluded the program.

The next meeting, February 4, will be Educational Aid Night, with that committee in charge. Mrs. Georgia Atwood is chairman

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of the Sunday School
Paul Wall, Acolyte

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "Except a Man Be Born Again"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship
7.30 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship
7.30 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29
7 p. m. The Choir will rehearse at the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30
6.45 p. m. The Youth Choir will rehearse in the Church.

MEDITATION SERVICE

The following item is submitted by Mrs. Ruth French, Spiritual Life Secretary of Springfield District of the Woman's Society of Christian Service:

Women of the local Methodist Church are reminded of the Annual District Meditation Service to be held in the Chapel at Wesley Church, Springfield, on Wednesday, January 29, at 7.30 p. m.

Mrs. Mary Wyatt, contralto, Northampton will present a program of Negro Spirituals, accompanied by Mrs. Bruce Dahlberg, organist. Miss Sarah Chiu, violinist, a sophomore at Williamsburg High School, will also play.

There will be a service of Holy Communion, to close this devotional prelude to the Lenten Season.

RUG HOOKING CLASS

Registration for the evening practical arts class in Rug Hooking will take place on Thursday, January 30, 1964 at 7 p. m., in the Household Arts Room, Clapp Memorial Library.

Mrs. Doris Cunningham of Amherst, who has taught in previous years will again be the instructor. There will be 20 class sessions to be held on Thursday evenings. There is a registration fee of $1.00.

Questions concerning the class should be referred to Mrs. Cunningham at the time of registration.

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FACULTY RECITAL

The public is invited to a free Faculty Recital to be held at the University of Massachusetts on Sunday, February 2, 1964. The event is to be presented by the Department of Music at 4 p. m. in the Bartlett Auditorium.

Mr. Joseph Contino, former band director for the High School band here, will play the Flute assisted by Dorothy Ornest Feldman at the Piano.

The program: Sonata V; Concerto No. 1, K 313; Fantasie—Intermission —Waltz in G Flat Major, posthumous and Waltz in E Minor, posthumous; Danse de la Chevre for Flute Solo, and Sonate (1936).

MYF YOUTH FELLOWSHIP DEBATE

All parents of the Methodist Youth Fellowship are cordially invited to participate in a well-monitored debate with your teen agers. Find out what gripes they have and express your own.

A special feature will be a supper at the beginning of the evening.

When: 26 January 1964.
Where: At the Methodist Church.
Time: 6 p. m.

COLD SPRING SCHOOL NOTES

Grade 4B—Mrs. Dobson

Miss Karen Nolin, student teacher from the University of Mass. completed her eight-week student teaching assignment on Friday, January 17.

Mrs. Dobson's class has completed an interesting unit on the correct use of the telephone. Much material was loaned by the Telephone Co. As a culmination to this activity, the entire class presented a play with Grade 6 as their audience.

Grade 5B—Mrs. Atwood

All mathematics classes have been working on finding the perimeter of squares, rectangles, and triangles.

In Science, we have been working simple machines such as inclined planes, screws, wedges, and levers.

Grade 6A—Mrs. Austin

Miss Marilyn Dupuis, student teacher from Westfield State College completed her period of training on Thursday, January 23.

The Social Studies classes have completed a unit on Medieval Times with special reports and displays. They also viewed an interesting film on the subject.

At present they are working on projects in connection with the study of Great Britain. Each child is preparing either an oral talk or an essay.

Grade 6C—Mr. Hurlburt

The Science classes have been working on the unit called "A Visit to the Doctor". The unit covers such topics as Weight and Height, Measuring Your Breath, A Look at Your Skeleton and Vaccines and Antitoxins.

LETTER RECEIVED

A letter has been received from Rev. Paul Varga of Walpole in which he expresses appreciation to the deacons and the many others who attended his installation service and "helped to make the day so meaningful."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Church School Supt.

JANUARY 26
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5 to 12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery to grade 4
10.45 a. m. Sunday Morning Worship Service
Sermon—"On Putting Second Things First"
Text—Matthew 22: 34-40
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

JANUARY 27
8 p. m. All teachers in the Lower Jr. Dept. will meet in the Parish House.

JANUARY 28
6.30 p. m. Double or Nothing Club. There will be a pot luck supper at 6.30, each couple to bring a casserole or salad. This will be followed by a talk by Dr. Price, assistant superintendent at the State School.

JANUARY 30
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. Adult Bible Study Group

JANUARY 31
8 p. m. The Pastor is calling a meeting of all Boards and Officers of the Church. All members of all Boards and all elected officers are urged to attend this meeting in the Chapel.

FEBRUARY 2
10.45 a. m. The sermon next Sunday is entitled "You, Church, and the Mission."

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night, in charge of Joy Wright. Prize winners were: 1st, Elsa Haller, Herminie Vadnais, Christine Henry and Doris Belanger; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Esther Prescott; 3rd, Fred Holcomb, Bertha Holcomb, Mildred Hartmann and Mildred Waid; special, Ruth Kempkes, Blanche Bader, Emma Grover and Gaetane Fortin; door, Herbert West and Rachel West.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

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denner; Bruce Laporte, assistant denner of their respective dens.

Two boys graduated from the Webelos to Boy Scouting with a ceremony. The boys and their parents were introduced to Scoutmaster John Bailey, who will be their leader in the future. The boys were Richard Couture and Edward Casey. They were presented with the new neckerchief that the Scouts will be wearing after the Banquet, by the Cub Scout committee. Mr. Bailey said a few words to all present.

David Lovett was promoted to Webelos. Cubby was awarded to Den 1. The Living Circle was formed, and they gave out with their motto, "Do Your Best." The meeting adjourned early because the skits were not rehearsed, due to all the illness around town.

COMMUNICATION

To the Voters of Belchertown:

Some of you good people have been wondering what happened as a result of my protest at the Special Town Meeting, which voted to have five Selectmen instead of three. I followed up my verbal protest with a written protest given to the Selectmen the same night. At the time it seemed wise to enter a number of objections in case it was later decided that the vote was void because of technicalities.

If any follow-up was to be made it turned out that I would have to make it, so I asked Judge Ryan of Northampton to look into the matter for me. Judge Ryan was formerly City Solicitor for Northampton and has a wide experience in municipal matters. He investigated the question thoroughly and I understand had an informal conference with the Attorney General's office. To make the story short, inasmuch as the subject under consideration was not a by-law, it was not subject to the approval or the disapproval of the Attorney General. The problem presented was technical and complicated, and there have been no recent court decisions to test certain sections of Chapter 41 which seem applicable.

However, as I tried to bring out at the meeting, three things were, in my opinion, objectionable.

1. The meeting was called at an unsuitable time, namely two days before Christmas.

2. The meeting did not sufficiently represent the voters and taxpayers of Belchertown.

3. The vote was certainly inconclusive, 39 to 30, for such an important step.

Therefore, petitions have been prepared for the signatures of those voters who agree with these three statements. Whether or not we should have five Selectmen or three is not affected by your signature. While I firmly believe that five Selectmen are too large a burden for this small town (3,600 not counting the State School residents), the decision must rest with the voters of Belchertown.

The results of a larger meeting, with the time for second thought since the last one, will determine, I am sure, the wishes of a more representative group of taxpayers and voters.

Sidney W. Wheeler

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Republican Caucus

The results of the Republican Caucus held Tuesday, January 21 were as follows:

MODERATOR
(1 year)
BYRON A. HUDSON 130

TOWN CLERK
(1 year)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR. 135

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
Vote for One
FRANK E. FARRINGTON, JR. 95
KENNETH H. MAIN 92

SELECTMAN
(3 years)
Vote for two
WILLIAM H. SQUIRES, JR. 127
WILLIAM GERRY WHITLOCK 134

TREASURER
(3 years)
ROBERT D. CAMP, SR. 144

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
(3 years)
Vote for Two
DAVID A. STAPLES 136
ANDREW G. KETCHEN 128

PLANNING BOARD
(3 Years)
DONALD S. COLE 143

PLANNING BOARD
(4 years)
JAMES F. HAYWARD 131

PLANNING BOARD
(5 years)
DONALD PERHAM 131

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER
(3 years)
Vote for One
LINCOLN A. COOK 69
WILLIAM J. CHEVALIER 44
SIDNEY T. WHEBLE, JR. 79

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
DORIS S. SQUIRES 125

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
Vote for One
JAMES A. BONAFINI 12
CHARLES F. HOWARD 78
HAROLD B. KETCHEN 99

SEWER COMMISSIONER
(3 Years)
HARRY L. BROUGHAM 142

BOARD OF HEALTH
(3 years)
KENNETH L. COLLARD 146

TREE WARDEN
(1 year)
ALBERT W. BROWN 153

H. F. Peck was moderator, Mrs. Sidney Wheeler was secretary and Mrs. Doris Dickinson, clerk. Counters were Louis Fuller, Alice Whittaker, Fred Thayer and Alma Lindquist.

Successful candidates are reminded that they have to file acceptances with the town clerk by 5 p. m., Jan. 27.

Democratic Caucus

The results of the Democratic Caucus held Monday, January 20 were as follows:

MODERATOR
(1 year)
HENRY RENOUF 37

SELECTMAN
(3 years)
Vote for Two
MICHAEL S. MATHRAS 108
JANE L. GAWLIK 47
ARTHUR J. MORIARTY 80

SELECTMAN
(1 year)
Vote for One
MORRIS D. BLAINE 46
THEODORE W. SMIST 86

ASSESSOR
(3 years)
MAX J. SLIWA 60

ASSESSOR
(1 year)
SAMUEL JAY JOYAL 68

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
(3 years)
Vote for Two
HAROLD W. WILLEY 91
JOHN C. CARR 53

PLANNING BOARD
(3 years)
WILFRED E. LEMIRE 49

PLANNING BOARD
(4 years)
ROBERT P. SUTCLIFFE 60

(5 years)
WILLIAM H. HENNEMANN, Jr. 62

Bernard Bowler was moderator of the caucus, Mabel Depot was secretary. Counters were Mrs. Bowler, Mrs. Lemire, Miss Renouf, and Mrs. Rose Joyal; checkers, Mrs. Papp, Edith Depot and Mabel Depot.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of JESSIE L. RICHMOND, also known as J. LOUISE RICHMOND, late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that CAROLYN A. CLARK of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of February, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, 1964.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

J 16, 17, 24

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by HENRY A. ROBIDOUX of Belchertown, Hampshire County, Massachusetts, to PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK, a corporation duly established and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and having its principal place of business at Holyoke in the County of Hampden in the Commonwealth aforesaid, dated August 20, 1959, recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, Book 1308, Page 301, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of the said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 A. M., on the 10th day of February, 1964; on the premises below described, all and singular, the premises described in said mortgage.

TO WIT: "The land in Belchertown, Hampshire County, Massachusetts together with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

BOUNDED:

SOUTHWESTERLY: by land of one Pinski and land of one Weasel, two hundred and one and seventy-eight one-hundredths (201.78) feet; bounded

NORTHWESTERLY: by land of one Bodzinski, one hundred (100) feet; bounded

NORTHEASTERLY: by land of Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine a distance of two hundred (200) feet; bounded

SOUTHEASTERLY: by other land of the said Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine a distance of eighty-six and fifty-five one-hundredths (86.55) feet.

Being known and designated as Plot 'A' as shown on Plan entitled "Property Survey for Mr. Blaine, Belchertown, Mass., by W. D. Pharmer, C. E., Holyoke, Mass., Scale 1" equals 40'," which plan is recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds.

Together with a permanent easement and right of way extending Northeasterly and Northwesterly out to Stebbins Street in said Belchertown, as shown on the aforementioned plan and marked "25.00 Foot Right of Way" to be used by the grantor, his heirs and assigns, to be used for all purposes of transportation and travel.

Being the same premises described in deed of Morris D. Blaine and Elizabeth Blaine to the grantor herein, which deed is dated August 19, 1959, to be recorded with Hampshire County Registry of Deeds."

TERMS OF SALE: Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance payable within five (5) days after the approval of the sale by the Land Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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My most sincere thanks to all those people who took the time and trouble to vote for me in the Republican Caucus.

Frank E. Farrington, Jr.

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I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for the cards and flowers received while I was in the hospital.

Lewis Squires

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the people who supported me at the Republican Caucus.

Sidney T. Wheble, Jr.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to convey my sincere thanks and appreciation to all who braved the elements to attend the Democratic Caucus Monday nite. Thank you all for a fine turnout.

Michael S. Mathras

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, gifts of flowers, etc. during the time of our recent sorrow at the loss of my mother.

Mr. Alfred Clark
The Family

SKATES AND SLEDS

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There was no formal speechmaking —just a smiling Glad to give them, and a hearty Thank You.

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Adelyn Stacy

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Girl Scout Food Sale at 1 p. m.
Baton Twirling Lessons at 6.30 p. m. in the Old Town Hall.

TUESDAY

B.H.S. vs. Warren, here.
Grange Meeting.
Church Cabinet in Parish House at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service Meeting in Parish House at 10.30 a. m.
Masonic Meeting.

THURSDAY

Garden Club at home of Mrs. Saul Nulman.
Official Board in Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

B.H.S. vs. Chicopee Comp., here.
St. Francis First Friday Services.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Meeting of all Boards and Officers in Parish House at 7.30 p. m.
Sanderson vs. B. H. S.

NOMA RESULTS

The second official 100-word NOMA spelling test was administered this week to the typing and shorthand classes. The following students passed the test with 100% accuracy.

Joanne Gould
Geraldine Holt
Susan Hussey
Sandra Joyal
Nancy Lonczak
Gloria Piskor
Mary Terault

These students will be awarded proficiency certificates since they have passed both spelling tests with 100% accuracy.

BOY SCOUT NIGHT

The Lions Club will hold Boy Scout Night on February 11. Joseph Tolpa and Eugene Vadnais will be co-chairmen.

TOMORROW

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Feb. 8
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Walt Swan calling.

Feb. 9
Reception for Superintendent Dunn and Family at Cold Spring School from 2 to 5 p. m.

February 11
Lions Club sponsored Boy Scout night.

Feb. 15
Legion Valentine Dance.
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.

Feb. 21
Vernon Lodge George Washington Birthday Ball at Chateau Harmony.

Feb. 22
Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet in the Pine Room.
Supper at Dwight Chapel.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.

Feb. 28
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Women's Guild Public Supper.

Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.

Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.

Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall, with Red Bates calling.

COOKIE SALE

The Juniors and Cadettes are taking orders for Girl Scout Cookies until February 7. There are five delicous kinds:—chocolate and vanilla sandwich, four flavor shorties (made this year with a new shortbread base), Savannahs, mints, and Scot-teas.

Each box sells for 50 cents, a good portion of which is retained by the troops for their various projects. Another portion goes for camperships, while a still larger part is used for camp development and maintenance. Our Belchertown girls benefit in many ways by this sale.

As the Brownies this year may not sell cookies, the Juniors and Cadettes must work harder to cover the town. If no Scout calls at your door, please call a leader and place an order with her. Leaders are:

Mrs. Russell Robinson—6247
Mrs. W. E. Fay—AL-3-3740
Mrs. Charles Dowd—6900
Mrs. Roland Lapointe—7793
Miss Sherrill Sample—7868
Mrs. Howard Morey—7782

Only orders for cookies are being taken now; cookies will be delivered the middle of March, and money collected at that time.

May we have your help?

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONG'L CHURCH

The annual meeting and roll-call of the Congregational Church was held in the Parish House last week Friday evening, with a ham dinner preceding the meeting.

At the roll-call, messages of interest were received from absent members and former ministers and pastors.

In the mimeographed Report, there was a report from Rev. Paul Varga, minister here for most of the year, as well as from Rev. Elvert Miller, who began his duties here in December.

Mr. Varga mentioned the special Lenten meetings under the leadership of Rev. Lionel Whiston, and the adoption of the United Church curriculum.

Rev. Mr. Miller said his theme song could well be, "Getting To Know You." He added to his typewritten report by outlining a proposed Lenten program shortly coming up.

The report of the necrologist, Belding F. Jackson, recorded the passing of two members and nine former members or attendants.

Resolutions drawn up by Mr. Jackson on the recent passing of Mrs. Marion K. Shaw, former clerk of the church, and teacher in the school system here for many years, were unanimously adopted.

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VARIETY SHOW WEEK LATER

It is announced that due to a conflict in dates, the Legion Variety Show will be held on February 28, instead of the 21st.

INVITED TO TOURNAMENT

Belchertown High School was pleased to accept an invitation to the Small Schools Basketball Tournament held at the University of Massachusetts. This is the first time in more than 10 years that the school has been represented at this event. The Orioles will take part in the Supplementary division of the Tournament along with Minnechaug Regional of Wilbraham, St. Mary's of Westfield, and Mahar Regional of Orange. Pairings have not been announced but the first game for Belchertown will be Wednesday, March 4th. More information regarding the Tournament will be forthcoming shortly.

FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church was held in the Vestry last week Wednesday evening, with Rev. Elmo Young, the new district superintendent presiding. The meeting was preceded by a supper at 6.30.

The mimeographed reports distributed indicated a good year. Alluding to the new Educational Building, the pastor reported that the "building which faith built was paid for in July—just one year from its consecration."

Commenting on Rev. Paul Varga leaving town last fall, Mr. Green observed "It is something when a Methodist Minister in Belchertown stays longer than a Congregational one."

The pastor reported that there had been three weeks of evangelism, one during Easter week with Cay Anderson and Judy Sorenson, another in July with Reg Goff, and a third in the fall with Rev. Olivia Henry.

Officers elected were:

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GIRL SCOUT FOOD SALE

Next Monday, February 3, beginning at one o'clock, the Cadette Troop of Girl Scouts will hold a food sale on the porch in front of the Meat Market. They are hoping that all week-end baking will have been eaten by Monday and there will be a ready sale of delicious cakes, pies and other goods at the sale.

The sale is for the benefit of the troop for their forthcoming week-end at the World's Fair in New York. Won't you help the girls?

WATCHES LONG SUNSET

Bishop and Mrs. Newell S. Booth were in Belchertown Saturday and Sunday visiting his brother, George Booth, and sister, Alice Suhm, and their families. They left Monday morning to go to Oxford, Ohio, to be with their son, Dr. Newell S. Booth, Jr.

On his way over last Thursday, Newell left Brussels, Belgium about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, just before sunset, and watched the sunset six and one-half hours flying over the Atlantic. It finally set as he reached New York City.

Dr. and Mrs. Booth will be in the United States until the first of July, when they will return to the Congo.

VOTER REGISTRATION

The Town Clerk's Office has announced the following Voter Registration dates:

Wed. Feb. 5 7-9 p. m.—Precinct A.

Sat. Feb. 8 2-4 p. m.—Precinct B.

Tue. Feb. 11 12 noon to 11 p. m.—Pricinct A (This is the final day and hour for registering).

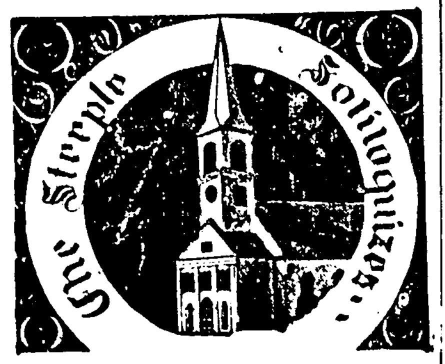
BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown High School can clinch a tie for the Franklin League Pennant tonight by defeating Sanderson at the Town Hall. A win tonight would make their league record 6-0 with two games remaining and all other League teams have at least two defeats.

Please note that tonight's varsity game is scheduled to start at 7.30. The preliminary at 6.15 should be quite interesting. It matches the Junior High team against Belchertown J.V.'s. The eighth graders are having a fine season and this provides many fans their first opportunity to get a look at future varsity material.

Last Friday the Orioles won their ninth in succession by downing Monson 73-58 in a foul-filled fray. Gayton Hebert and Robin Barrett shouldered the scoring load with 31 and 22 points respectfully. Hebert's 31 created a new team record over the last five years as did Barrett's 14 free-throws. Belchertown had its difficulties. Due to injuries they had but 8 men suited to play and Merle Green and Mike Oberly encountered early foul trouble limiting their play to less than half the game. However, the effective play of Hebert and Barrett and good performances by Drew Juskalian, Joe Lemire, Rich McCallum, and Mike Samson were enough to keep the Orioles in the win column.

Last Tuesday's game with Charlemont was postponed until February 20th due to the storm.



Whence Comes The Stimulation For the Attitudes of Youth?

A little while ago a few of us engaged in a panel discussion for the Women's Guild. After talking about mission giving and the need for a stronger combined effort of the men and women of the church in various phases of the work, we turned for the balance of the evening to a problem which is doubtless as old as society, but which seems to some folks to have become more acute these last few years.

It was posed to us in some such form as this: "What can we do to help stimulate in adolescents and teen-agers more respectful attitudes toward their associates, adults, law enforcement agencies, and society in general?"

As you might expect, we did not get far in the solution of the problem. In fact, we hesitated to admit that there was a case against teen-agers in general, as far as attitude is concerned.

It was even suggested that the term "teen-ager" should be used less frequently in describing the activities, good or bad, of a group of young people. The term has been bandied around so much in recent years that it has come to possess a near-negative connotation.

Generally speaking, it is not difficult to cite case after case to show that the young folks of 1964 have tremendous respect for others in authority, including parents, teachers, and law-enforcement agencies.

On the other hand, it is not difficult to "prove" just the opposite from case after case, reported reputably, of disrespect and open defiance of authority.

The panel and the audience seemed to feel that people have prejudiced viewpoints. Either they refuse to punish young people who have been found guilty of insubordinations, large or small, perhaps because they do not wish to upset the community or to make some family feel bad, or they refuse to look squarely at kids and admit that they often show more respect for their society than do the "elders" of that society.

We did seem to come to one solid conclusion in that discussion, though no one called for a vote. We felt that for young people to be expected to respect a particular individual or group, that group or that individual should be worthy of respect.

On that phase of the problem I'd like to say a few words. Young people want very much to be part of a society they can respect. They also want to question that society occasionally, sometimes by argument, sometimes even by rebellion, which may involve smashing a few statutes. Growing up is a process of releasing oneself from a set of restraints and providing oneself with a new set or the old ones reexamined.

To see kids actively respecting something, let's watch a couple of high-school basketball teams in a "big game." Here the excitement is tremendous and the urge to win almost overwhelming. How do the players respond to the rules of the game and to the men who are employed to enforce those rules. They are wonderful! They have learned, sometimes the hard way, to control their tempers and to follow the rules. Only rarely does a youngster get expelled from the game for disrespect in any serious form.

It is the crowd that usually needs to be held in restraint, and often the adults in the crowd, not the kids. So well have high-schoolers accepted the need for rule-obeying and official-respecting in athletic contests that they have made up sportsmanship codes and awarded plaques to the schools best observing those codes. It was not always so. In the "good old days" there was much more trouble in handling interschool athletics than there is today.

Youngsters are living in a very jittery period. They hardly leave the childhood where Santa Claus, Peter Rabbit, and Lassie held sway when they begin to sense the insecurity around them. As they get older, they become bewildered at the great chasms between the ideals and the realities of life.

Resentment often swells. Dams of restraint break. Vandalism, rumbles, crimes larger and smaller, liquor and sex parties sometimes follow and the adult world is outraged.

Without blaming anyone at all, for we have all taken our part in the deceptions, let's examine two or three of the bewilderments that must bother the young.

The adult world has accepted "Peace" as its great ideal. It has sounded off on the Golden Rule, the Ten Commandments, and all sorts of other codes to proclaim its belief that war and suffering should be banished.

Children have learned their carols, admired the good qualities of other nations, and stand ready to live in a warless world. When they get older, they realize the significance of atomic stockpiles, of huge armies, of international danger spots beyond count. If male, they must arrange their own careers to take their part in the pageant.

If a young person happens to be a thinker, or if he happens to come into contact with thoughtful books or teachers, he can easily persuade himself that much of the world is composed of liars or fools, who talk one thing and accept another.

Then let's take a short look at "respect for law", which many people feel is strangely lacking among youngsters. Youth learns a lot of this disrespect from the very ones who are shocked when kids run afoul of the police. Parents often aren't very careful with their household comments about cops or the laws they enforce. Kids watch the fathers on weekend drives. They notice how the parent reacts to Speed Limits and Stop Signs. They also learn something from what they hear at home about Income Tax evasion, about the Supreme Court, about the President and his family, about local boards and committees.

Trouble is that youngsters don't choose to break the same laws that their elders do. The father who tops 80 on a 65 road can't comprehend his boy's night activities on a parking lot.

Let's content ourselves with one more "attitude." The nation has now been told quite officially what the connection is between cigarettes and health. Kids have been criticized for smoking too early. They have learned part of their disrespect for law in the very simple process of getting cigarettes from a vending machine which isn't supposed to be providing tobacco for children. Now they will be watching their elders to see what they do about the cigarette menace. Will adults really cut down? Will they insist on less misleading advertising? Will they go along with the authority of science?

As I have said earlier, I am an adult in a world which has become accustomed to saying one thing and meaning another. I am part of an era which has given its kids (in certain countries) more privileges and opportunities than any other period of history, but which has also provided less security and contentment than we ourselves once had—or thought we had.

Young people will tend to follow the rules they believe to be fair, accept the punishments they believe to be just, and respect those people and institutions they feel worthy of respect. Kids want desperately to "belong" to something significant. Their elders must try to have them see the significance of this century—in terms they can accept and believe.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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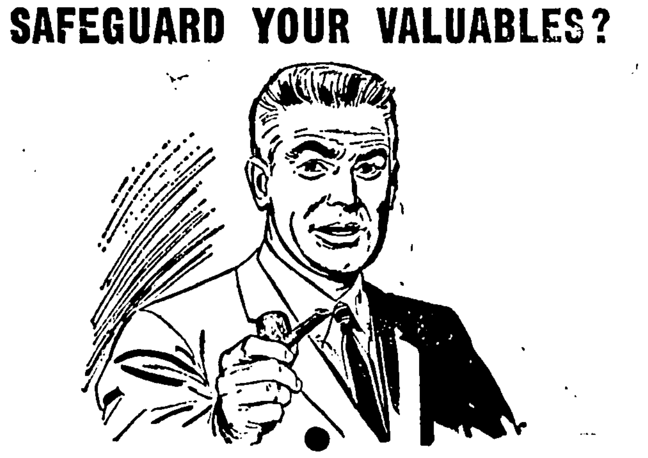

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By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Etta Hill died at the home of her son, Henry Lamson, at the age of 78.

Frederick A. Randolph who was born at Dwight, died at his home in Blue Meadow at the age of 73.

Harold F. Peck has been chosen as S.S. Supt. of the Federated Church in place of E. C. Witt, resigned.

There were 18 display advertisements in the issue of Feb. 1, 1924 and two classified. The only familiar name in 1964 is J. W. Jackson.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The great event of the week was the public reception at Memorial Hall, given by the Congregational and Methodist churches in honor of the Swift River Valleyites. *The Sentinel* gave the names of 57 families that had moved from the Swift River Valley into Belchertown. Harold F. Peck was Master of Ceremonies. Lewis H. Blackmer, the editor, gave an original poem on "Welcome". Raymond Gould was at the piano, and Rachel Shumway was the song leader. Greetings came from Rev. Horatio F. Robbins, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. Kendig Cully from the Congregational Church. There was a two-act play and Old-Time Dances. William French was game director. The guests occupied seats of honor. From first to last, it was a folksy affair. One of the 60 or more guests present gave an informal appreciation of the evening, and said in closing: "Since the valley is definitely closed to us, may we not only transfer our dwellings, but our hearts, and say, 'I am going *home* to Belchertown.' The royal welcome we have received will forever be remembered as one truly great experience in our lives."

TEN YEARS AGO

William H. Squires, Jr., Commander of the Chauncey D. Walker Post 239, announces that the Belchertown Legion Post is one of five Legion Posts in the State to receive National Membership citation because of their increase in membership the past year. The increase from 70 to 110 came largely as the result of the work of Romeo Joyal and John Ousey, chairmen of the membership Committee.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

January 27th results were as follows: Jackson's 6, Reece 0, with Ken Main high for the winners with 341. Independents 6 over Legion with Herb Squires' 308 high. Henneman's 6, Jabish Brook 0. Dick Pratt was high with 346. Gates 4, Cook's 2 with Herb Hayward high with 298. Park Lane 5, Turkey Hill 1. George Leclerc was high with 352. Hilltoppers 4, B.S.S. 2 with Bud Ross's 317 high. Cole's outpointed Salvage 4 to 2 with Gene Vadnais' 321 high for the winners.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	36	0	9386
Independents	26	10	8876
Park Lane	25	11	8855
Jackson's	24	12	8904
Cook's	24	12	8815
Turkey Hill	23	13	8901
Salvage	18	18	8850
State School	16	20	8422
Cole's	14	22	8807
Hilltoppers	12	24	8662
Gates	12	24	8660
Legion	10	26	8438
Reece	6	30	8879
Jabish Brook	6	30	8359

Season Records

High Single String A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three K. Rhodes 379
Team High Single Salvage 592
Team High Three Henneman's 1,655

110 Club—W. Dickinson 116; P. Menard 119; K. Main 125, 125, E. Bock 116; R. Reece 116; R. Robinson 115, 113, 111; H. Goodrow 110, 114; J. Yanginski 120; H. Squires 117; J. McDermott 133; S. Rhodes 112; A. Henneman 119, 112; R. Pratt 117, 112, 117; J. Walker 116; R. Morey 116; R. Dana 116, 123; J. Hayward 111; E. Lowe 115; T. Pereira 114, 110; A. Mignault 136; G. Leclerc 116, 130; E. Henrichon, Sr. 116; P. Chlebus 112; J. Carr 118; W. Lynch 113; C. Owczarski 117; G. Vadnais 122; J. Vadnais 113; C. Robinson, Jr. 119; F. Bodzinski 117; J. Tolpa, Sr. 124.

310 Club—K. Main 341, E. Bock 321, R. Robinson 339, H. Goodrow 314, A. Henneman 336, R. Pratt 346, R. Dana 342, T. Pereira 326, A. Mignault 324, G. Leclerc 352, P. Chlebus 324, C. Owczarski 318, D. Cowher 315, B. Ross 317, G. Vadnais 321, C. Robinson, Jr. 316, J. Bodzinski 311.

Next Week's Matches—

Cook's vs. Henneman's
Independents vs. Salvage
B.S.S. vs. Jackson's
Turkey Hill vs. Hilltoppers
Legion vs. Reece
Gates vs. Cole's
Jabish Brook vs. Park Lane

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Pin Pickers of the Belchertown Women's Bowling League had team high three of 1364 and team high single of 475. The team results were:

Gay Rollers 8, Chadson Gals 0; Jolly "5" 8, Outskirters 0, King Pins 8, Harmony Five 0; Pin Pickers 8, Bowl-aires 0; Congo's 6, Roll-a-ways 2; Hit or Miss 6, Crystals 2; and Nite Outers 6, Pin Spinners 2.

Carol Hubbard had a 129 for high single and beat her own score of 127 for season record. Hazel Hubbard and Joan Hutchinson each had 116, to tie for second high single. Chris Davin had a high three of 314 and Joan Hutchinson had 307 for second high three.

Season Records

High Three—R. Scott, 317
2nd High Three—R. Scott, 315
High Single—C. Hubbard, 129
2nd High Single—C. Hubbard, 127
Team High Single—Pin Pickers, 507
Team High Three—Jolly "5", 1,367

300 Club—Chris Davin 314, Joan Hutchinson 307, Shirley Fitts 306 and Hazel Hubbard 302.

110 Club—Carol Hubbard 129, Hazel Hubbard 116, Joan Hutchinson 116, Rita Lapointe 114, Janice Stone 114, Jean Reilly 112, and Shirley Fitts 111.

100 Club—Joan Cook 100.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	16	0	2692
Gay Rollers	16	0	2487
Jolly "5"	12	4	2519
Congo's	10	6	2592
Hit or Miss	10	6	2545
Roll-a-ways	8	8	2528
Crystals	6	10	2607
Class B			
King Pins	16	0	2538
Bowl-aires	6	10	2554
Nite Outers	6	10	2366
Pin Spinners	4	12	2377
Chadson Gals	2	14	2353
Harmony Five	0	16	2345
Outskirters	0	16	2305

—R. Dowd, Secretary

SCIENCE COUNTDOWN

The annual science countdown, sponsored by Lowell Technological Institute to determine the outstanding eighth grade science students in Massachusetts, was held last week at Center Junior High School. Six finalists competed in an oral science quiz to determine the student to represent the school.

The winner was Edward Zawistowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zawistowski of Bay Rd. He will now take a written examination in science to compete for a chance to be one of the county representatives.

The other finalists are Glenn Pepin, Martha Henneman, Kenneth Miron, Earl McCallum and Loretta Opalanik.

Elimination contests were held in each of the eighth grade classes and each winner and runner-up was in the finals.

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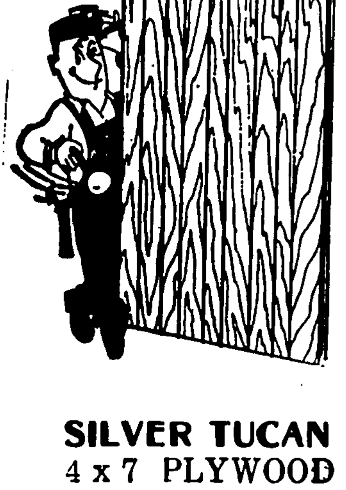

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Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., Assisting
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Sexagesima

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—2 Corinthians 11, 19-12, 9
Gospel—Luke 8, 4-15.

— Religious Education —

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

There will be Sunday School this Sunday following the 9.30 Mass.

Released time classes will be held on Thursday, February 6, at 12.30 and 1.15 at the church.

— Self Denial Boxes —

This Sunday, February 2, the self-denial containers will be handed out at all the Masses.

— First Friday —

First Friday Schedule: Confessions before morning Mass, 7-7.15, Mass at 7.20 a. m.; confessions prior to the evening Mass, 6.15 to 6.45, Mass at 7 p. m. There will not be any confessions on Thursday.

— Blessing of Throats —

On Monday, February 3, the annual blessing of throats will be held. Monday, at 3 and 7 p. m., with the blessing also being bestowed at the Masses on Sunday, February 9. St. Blase is the patron here.

— Special Collection —

On Sunday, February 9, the annual Indian-Negro Collection will be taken at all Masses.

— Ash Wednesday —

Ash Wednesday Schedule: Ashes will be distributed at the morning Mass at 7.20 a. m. and at the evening Mass at 7.

— Lenten Masses —

During Lent, the week-day Mass will be celebrated at 7.20 each morning, unless otherwise stated at future services.

— Coming Events —

Feb. 7-9 Men's Retreat at Mother of Sorrows Monastery in West Springfield. Registration deadline is drawing near—so contact Mr. Forgue immediately!

Feb. 12 Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

Feb. 15 St. Francis Supper Committee sponsored Meatball and Spaghetti Supper in the Pine Room.

Feb. 19, 20, 21 Spring Ember Days.

Mar. 29 Easter Sunday.

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WHITTAKER—HEUSSER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Whittaker announce the marriage of their daughter, Alicia Barbara Dronzek, to Norman Wilson Heusser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Crane Heusser of Manchester, Conn. on the 10th at 7 p.m. in the Congregational Church. Rev. Elvert Miller officiated.

The bride chose a sheath dress of blue peau de soie with matching overskirt for her wedding dress. A crown of blue seeded pearls caught her circular veil. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white orchid, pink roses and white carnations.

Mrs. Nancy Seddon attended her sister as matron of honor. She chose a dress of pink velvet. A pink rose caught her circular veil. Her bouquet was of pink carnations.

Gertardo Benvenuti served Mr. Heusser as his best man.

A small reception was given at the bride's home for the immediate family, following which the couple left for a cruise to Nassau.

The bride was educated in the local school system and attended American International College. She is employed by Romar Tissue Mills in Wheelwright as office manager. Mr. Heusser was educated in Manchester, and is director of maintenance for Nelson Equipment Co. with offices in Westboro, New York City and Philadelphia.

After returning from their cruise the couple will be at home at 1 Crestwood Rd., Leicester.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The Garden Club will meet on Thursday, February 6 at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Saul Nulman.

Miss Ethel Corliss will give a talk on a recent western vacation—slides will also be shown.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Harold Kimball, Mrs. Kenneth Thayer, and Mrs. Milton Locke.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

DEN SIX

Last week Den 6 started making vases for the Blue and Gold banquet. This week Den 6 made a center piece for our table.

David Rogers, Scribe

J. EDWARD ISAAC

J. Edward Isaac, 63, of Chauncey Walker St., died at Wing Memorial Hospital in Palmer Sunday. He was born in Fitchburg Aug. 15, 1900, the son of Mrs. Lillian (Thompson) and the late James E. Isaac. He had lived here for the past 53 years and had operated a dairy farm for many of those years. He was a member of the Methodist Church. Besides his mother, he leaves his wife, the former Bertha M. Gill; two sons, William and David, both of this town; a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Lee; a sister, Mrs. Olive Allen, both of Springfield, seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild. The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 in the Methodist Church with Rev. Marvin Green, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery. Contributions may be made to the Heart Fund.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2
9.45 a. m. Sunday School Classes
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sacrament of Holy Communion
Communion Meditation by the Pastor
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
7 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. The Second Letter to the Churches in Asia will be the topic for the evening.
7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Pastor's Study. All youth desiring to unite with the Church on Maundy Thursday will need to attend these classes.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet in the Vestry.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5
7 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-week service in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6
3.15 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.
7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

Next Sunday is Race Relations Sunday. The Church will receive a special offering to be credited toward the Methodist Work with Negro colleges.

FLUTE RECITAL

Joseph Contino, of the University of Massachusetts Department of Music, will present a flute recital on Sunday, February 2nd at 4 p. m. in Bartlett Auditorium on the University Campus. Professor Contino who gives instruction in woodwind instruments, will program works of Handel, Mozart, Hue, Honegger, and Hindemith.

He is presently assistant professor in charge of woodwinds and music education, being appointed as an instructor of music in 1950.

A graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of Music, he majored in clarinet. Professor Contino has until recently been especially noted for his work with bands and continues his interest in this area.

Assisting at the piano will be Dorothy Feldman, also of the Department of music.

The concert is open to the public and is free of admission charge.

TROMBLY AGENCY SALES

The Ralph W. Trombly Agency, Realtors, have sold for Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Collard property on North Main St. to Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Clark of Federal Street. The Clark family will move in as soon as remodeling is completed.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

FEBRUARY 2
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery to grade 4
10.45 a. m. Sunday Morning Worship Service
Sermon—"You, Church, and the Mission"
Sacrament of Baptism
Sacrament of Holy Communion
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

FEBRUARY 3-4
Lenten Retreat for Congregational Ministers in Springfield

FEBRUARY 4
7.30 p. m. Church Cabinet—note change in day

FEBRUARY 5
10.30 a. m. Women's Friendly Service Group
7.30 p. m. Board of Trustees

FEBRUARY 6
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. Adult Bible Study Group

FEBRUARY 8-9
Sixth Annual Missions Weekend. The theme for the Mission Weekend will be "The Church and Urbanization." The guest speaker will be Miss Selva Reissig. Miss Reissig was born and educated in Argentina. She has worked extensively in inner city mission programs in several of our large cities. She is now a student at the Hartford Seminary Foundation. She will meet with various church groups throughout the weekend to tell her story of the Inner City Ministry. Miss Reissig will also deliver the sermon on Sunday morning. The program for the weekend will be as follows:

Saturday evening at 8—Slide-Illustrated Talk at Parish House.

Sunday Morning at 9.15—speaks to the 5th and 6th grades during Church School.

Sunday morning at 10.45—speaks at Morning Service

Sunday evening—speaks to Junior and Senior High Pilgrim Fellowships.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, Blanche Bader, Rose Wenzel, Gaetane Fortin and Eva Webb; 2nd, Mildred Waid, Mildred Hartmann, Fred Holcomb and Bertha Holcomb; 3rd, Lena Nightingale, Esther Prescott, Idola Patenaude and Katherine Finn; door, Blanche Bader and Mildred Hartmann.

This week's party will be in charge of Howard Judkins.

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ESPERANTO LETTER

January 24, 1964

Dear Mr. Blackmer,

I received a letter from an Esperantist in Holland, parts of which I would like to share. The typically feminine reason for delayed correspondence, and the concern over the death of our President are very heartwarming.

Estis tiel. Dum ses semajnoj vizitis min mia patrino. Si havas 85 jarojn kaj estas tre sana. Komprenebla, ni babilis multi, kaj mi ne trovis tempon por skribi.

Kia terura katastrofo estas en via lando pro la morto de presidanto Kennedy! En nia lando estas multa da konsternacio pro tio. Por la vidvino kaj infanoj la ply terure, cu ne? Ni vidis per televido la entombrajon.

It was this way. My mother visited me for six weeks. She is 85 years old and is very well. Of course, we babbled much and I found no time for writing.

What a terrible catastrophe in your country because of the death of President Kennedy! In our country there was much consternation because of it. For the widow and children it is most terrible, isn't it? We saw the funeral on television.

Isn't it wonderful that there is a usable world language!

Mrs. Calla Allen

MISS PAPP HONORED

Miss Elizabeth Papp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Papp of Mill Valley Rd., a senior at Westfield State College, has been named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Those eligible for this honor are seniors who have a four-year accumulative average of 3.0 or better. Participation in extra curricular activities over the four-year period is a second determining factor. Nominations were voted on by the entire senior class.

Miss Papp during her senior year has been vice-president and program chairman of the honor society, Kappa Delta Pi; sports head on the Women's Athletic Association Council, on planning committee for May Festival, a member of the Newman Club and is currently serving as co-editor of the 1964 yearbook "Tekoa."

TAKE OUT NOMINATION PAPERS

Jane L. Gawlik Selectman, 3 Yrs.
Ralph F. Pittsley Planning Bd., 4 yrs.
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District Steward: Fred Very
Reserve District Steward: Mrs. Carl White
Current Expense Treasurer: Mrs. Burt Collis
Benevolence Treasurer: Mrs. Harold Suhm
Communion Stewards: Mrs Merle Green, Mrs. David Hodgen
Recording Steward: Mrs. E. Clifton Witt
Director of Christian Education: Mrs. Marvin R. Green
Church School Superintendent: Mrs. E. Clifton Witt
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Stewards: Mrs. Max Bock, Mrs. George Booth, Mrs. Harland Purrington, James Lodge, Mrs. Ernest Lowe, Mrs. Annie French, Albert Dewhurst, Mrs. Edward Conkey, Mrs. Eva Webb, Mrs. Edward Isaac, Joseph Kempkes, Jr., Mrs. Joseph Kempkes, Jr., Mrs. Lester Stivers, Lester Stivers, Mrs. Earle Martin, Mrs. Ralph Trombly, Louis Bellerose, Mrs. Ralph Stone, Mrs. Harry Plant, Mrs. Ernest Gay, Mrs. Robert Dyer, Mrs. Carl White, Mrs. Louis Bellerose
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Education: Mrs. Marvin R. Green, Ch.; Mrs. Joseph Kempkes, Jr., Mrs. Carl White, Mrs. Charles Wall, Mrs. Earle Martin, Mrs. Earl Henrichon, Mrs. Ernest Lowe
Christian Social Concern: Mrs. Ralph Trombly, Ch.; Mrs. William Trombly, Miss Irene Orlando, Mrs. Madeleine Lambert.
Worship: Same as Commission on Membership and Evangelism
Pastoral Relations: Mrs. Harland Purrington, Mrs. Loretta Gay, Mrs. Earl Henrichon, Albert Dewhurst, E. Clifton Witt
Parsonage: Mrs. Robert Dyer, Mrs. Carl White, Mrs. Paul Bock
Records and History: Mrs. Burt Collis
Music: Mrs. Joseph Kempkes, Jr., Mrs. Edward Conkey, Mrs. Harry Plant, Mrs. Earle Martin, Mrs. Lois Lowe
Flower: Mrs. Burt Collis, Mrs. Catherine Chadbourne
Nominating: Rev. Marvin R. Green, Chairman; Mrs. Everett Sporbert, George E. Booth, William B. French, Mrs. E. Clifton Witt

SERVICE NEWS

Lackland AFB, Tex.—Airman Frank R. Leja, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Leja, Sr. of Rt. 21, Summit St., Belchertown, Mass., has been selected for technical training as an air policeman at this Air Force base.

Airman Leja, who enlisted in the Air Force a short time ago, has just completed his basic military training here. The airman attended Springfield (Mass.) Trade High School.

IN ARMY

(AHTNC)—Pvt. Denise M. Miron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel C. Miron, Belchertown, Mass., completed eight weeks of basic military training at the Women's Army Corps Center, Fort McClellan, Ala., January 10. Private Miron received instruction in subjects such as Army history and traditions, administrative and supply procedures and first aid. She is a 1962 graduate of Belchertown High School.

Pvt. Denise M. Miron

Before entering the Women's Army Corps, she was employed by the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Springfield.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

The home and community service committee met with Mrs. Arthur Henneman on Monday afternoon to plan their project for the year Monday evening they attended a meeting at South Amherst in charge of Mrs. Ruth Allen of the state home and community service committee, when Mr. Milton Fitch of the Massachusetts Arthritis Foundation, was the principal speaker.

Union Grange is invited to Ware Grange on Monday, February 3. Palmer and Hardwick will also be guests.

Tuesday, February 4, is regular meeting night, in charge of the Educational Aid committee, Mrs. Georgia Atwood, chairman; Mrs. Ruby Martin and Mrs. Geraldine Baker.

Pomona Grange meets at Easthampton, Thursday, February 6.

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COMMUNICATION

Mr. Wheeler, in last week's *Sentinel* pointed out some of the improprieties of voting a five-man board of Selectmen in preference to a three-man board. In this issue I would like to point out some of the improprieties of voting this out at this time. At worst it would be compounding an error that may have already been made. At best, in voting out a five-man board, it would still be an ill-considered move, and would point out an inconsistancy in government which should not be tolerated. Certaily Mr. Wheeler's three points are taken, not well-taken, but there definitely is room for the opposing view.

However, action to rescind this vote should not be considered at this time. Results of the caucuses would be void, so new ones would have to be held, with new dates for nomination papers. At this late date, things would be so rushed that the results would be even more improper than the original action at its worst. From Mr. Wheeler's own words, there does not appear to be very much militant action against a five-man board. Therefore in the interests of making a wiser decision, I feel that this issue should not be considered until such time that the five-man board has had time to prove or disprove itself. Action on this matter should not be taken before September 1964.

Very much is to be said in favor of a five-man board. With a larger board, it could be divided into subcommittees of a minimum of two members to work in liaison with each of the various departments, Highway, Public Safety, School, etc. Although general policies would be set by the full board, at least some members would be fully acquainted with each department's particular problems, and could present them to the full board in correlation to the overall picture. This should allow subcommittee members, who are thoroughly familiar with overall problems, to offer solutions and answer questions to the full board intelligently. There undoubtedly can be a closer harmony between the top office and the various departments. Selectmen will have more warning and more time for consideration of a developing crisis and be better informed for the right decision.

With a larger board, you also receive a larger cross-section of people. Not only North End, South End, and Center, but just as important, white collar, blue collar, business man, working man, Protestant, Catholic, richer or poorer. Undoubtedly it may take longer to reach a decision, but you will not be likely to see this board with a preconceived opinion, and they are more likely to come up with the right decision—the first time. After all, it is much harder to get three heads to agree than two.

All in all, I feel the Town has everything to gain and nothing to lose with at least a trial period for a five-man board of selectmen.

William H. Squires, Jr.

IN BAND

Recently the members of the 70-piece University of Mass. Concert Band completed a 4-day tour of Western Mass. and Connecticut. It was the group's thirteenth annual tour, and included nine concert performances with a repertoire ranging from Bach to Sousa. Joyce Juskalian of this town is a member of this group.

Report of Chief of Police

Board of Selectmen
Belchertown, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the Police Department of the Town of Belchertown for 1963. Following are listed the offenses prosecuted in the District Court of Northampton during the year 1963.

Crimes Against Persons:	
Assault and Battery	12
Assault with dangerous weapon	1
Assault, Indecent	1
Lewdness	1
Crimes Against Property:	
Arson	1
Breaking, Entering, Larceny	10
Larceny, Attempt	1
Malicious destruction of Personal Property	2
Crimes Against Public Order:	
Adultery	2
Disturbing the Peace	2
Driving Motor Vehicle to Endanger	6
Driving Motor Vehicle while Intoxicated	5
Drunkenness	18
Fish and Game Law Violations	19
Neglect of Children	2
Neglect of Wife and Children	1
Selling liquor to Minors	2
Selling liquor not to be drunk on premises	2
Vagrancy	2
Motor Vehicle Law Violation	208
Weapon Carrying	1
	299
Juvenile Cases	11

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Disturbing the Peace	2
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TO WIT: "The land in Belchertown, Hampshire County, Massachusetts together with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

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By Warren A. Rhoades
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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Combined P. F. Meeting at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Public Reception for Superintendent Dunn, Jr., and Family at Cold Spring School from 2 to 5 p. m.

MONDAY

Lions Club sponsored Boy Scout night in Pine Room at 7 p. m.
Workers' Conference in Educational Building at 7.30 p. m.
B. H. S. vs. Williamsburg, there.

WEDNESDAY

O. E. S. Meeting.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men in Vestry at 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Camera Club.

SATURDAY

Food, Faith and Fun Night in Vestry at 6 p. m.
Jaycee Hootenanny in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Legion Valentine Dance.
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

B.H.S. vs. Chicopee Comp., here.
St. Francis First Friday Services.

TOMORROW

Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with Walt Swan calling.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Feb. 18
B. H. S. vs. St. Mary's, there.
Feb. 21
Vernon Lodge George Washington Birthday Ball at Chateau Harmony.
Feb. 22
Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet in the Pine Room.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Feb. 28
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Women's Guild Public Supper.
Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.
Mar. 2
Annual Town Election.
Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Mar. 9
Annual Appropriations' Meeting.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall, with Red Bates calling.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

PUBLIC SUPPER

The public is reminded of the coming meat ball and spaghetti supper in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church on Saturday, February 15th. Serving will begin at 5 p. m. and be continuous until 7 p. m. The price is 99 cents for each person.

Tickets may be procured from Geraldine Baker, Raymond Breton, Roland Lapointe or Francis Longtine.

For those who have not as yet purchased tickets—a reminder that this event is by ticket reservation only.

BOY SCOUT NIGHT

Next Tuesday evening is Boy Scout night at the Lions Club, when the Boy Scouts and their leaders will be guests of the Lions at dinner at 7 in the Pine Room of St. Francis Church. All Lions are requested to be present to host their guests.

A program will be provided by the Scouts, while the Lions will provide a film on the Rose Bowl parade.

END OF AN ERA

We are happy to print herewith the following observations by our High School basketball coach:

An era is coming to a close. Tonight the final chapter will be written as the curtain rings down on high school basketball at the Old Town Hall. For countless years Belchertown High School fans have been taxing the limited capacity of the ageless structure to root home their Orioles. The Town Hall has seen the gamut of emotions; frenzy, frustration, laughter and tears, happiness and despair, heartbreak and pride. Its walls have reverberated and withstood the raucous cheers and noises that only high school basketball can generate. Were it able to speak, it would tell many interesting stories; could it write, it would record an Honor Roll of players which would include many of the town's finest citizens. Tonight, for the last time, an orange and black clad team will burst through the home team door intent on winning another for Belchertown. The Greens, Heberts, Oberlys, Barretts, Juskalians, McCallums, Mathras's, Lemires, Samsons, Greenans, Ketchens of today will be representing the hundreds who preceded them in bidding a fond farewell to the Old Town Hall, where many boys took giant steps towards becoming men. No tears

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CUB SCOUT LEADERS' MEETING

Meeting opened at 8.15 p. m. Secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The den mothers discussed what they had learned at the Council meeting at the People's Institute in Northampton. Dues were turned in to the treasurer, and advancements made to the advancement officer.

The next council meeting will be held February 17, at 7.30 p. m. at the People's Institute.

The training that is planned for February 14 will be held at Mrs. Hislop's at 10 a. m.

Next week, beginning Friday, the 7th, till February 13, is Scout week. All scouts may wear uniforms during this time. All scouts are asked to go to their respective places of worship on Sunday.

The Blue and Gold Banquet will be February 22nd. All parents are asked to reply by the 15th of February to the respective den mothers, so the order can be placed in time for the food. The time for the banquet is 6.30 p. m. Price will be as follows: Adults, $1.50; children 11 to 15 years, $1.00; Under 11, free.

Den chiefs will be appointed to each den by the end of this week.

Meeting adjourned at 9.15 p. m.

RECEPTION SUNDAY

The school committee again calls attention to the public reception for the Frank M. Dunn, Jr. family on Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 at the Cold Spring School. Mr. Dunn is the new school superintendent here.

Floral and room arrangements are under the direction of Mrs. Edward P. Bartlett, who is being assisted by Mrs. Blake S. Jackson.

Social chairman is Mrs. Phyllis Mullane, assisted by Mrs. Arlan Skinner and Mrs. Ernest Lowe.

ON TELEVISION

Wallace Chevalier, local dog trainer, made his first appearance on television with his German shepherd dog, King, a week ago Monday at 1.30 p. m. over Channel 40, as a feature on the Barbara Bernard show.

Mr. Chevalier is conducting classes each Wednesday evening at 7 at the People's Institute at 38 Gothic St., Northampton, to train those who would train their dogs. This course is for beginners, intermediates and advanced classes, show training for novice, open and utility.

BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown High School entertains Chicopee Comprehensive tonight and will be out to avenge its only loss of the year. This is the last home appearance for the Orioles and quite likely will be the last game ? Belchertown High School team plays in the Town Hall. A victory tonight would prove to be a fitting climax to the many years of frenzied activity on display at the hall.

This marks the last home game for five Belchertown players. Tri-captains Merle Green, Gayton Hebert and Mike Oberly, along with Mike Samson and Pete Greenan, would like nothing better than to close out the local portion of their season with a win over this tall and talented Chicopee five. Greenan is a doubtful participant again tonight, because of foot trouble. Tonight's games start at 6.30 and 7.45.

Since the last writing, Belchertown has added three more victories. Two of the wins came against Warren, while the third was over Sanderson. In the latter game the Orioles survived a sloppy first half to win, going away 88-44. Drew Juskalian, relegated to a play-maker's role most of the year, paced the attack with 18 points.

The two victories over Warren were by scores of 47-45 and 72-65. As the scores indicate, both games were pulsating, nerve-wracking contests. In the first game Belchertown almost

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HOOTENANNY

The Belchertown J. C.'s will sponsor a Hootenany on Saturday, February 15, 1964 at 8 p. m. in Lawrence Memorial Hall. Tickets will be available from any member of the group for 75 cents each.

VOTER REGISTRATION

The Town Clerk's Office has announced the following Voter Registration dates:

Sat. Feb. 8 2-4 p. m.—Precinct B.

Tue. Feb. 11 12 noon to 11 p. m.—Precinct A (This is the final day and hour for registering).

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

The Democratic town committee will meet Sunday, February 9, at 1 p. m. in lower Memorial Hall.

Bernard Bowler
Ch. Dem. Town Com.

AROUND OUR TOWN

As every reader must now know, the High School basketball team here is setting the courts in the area "on fire" by displaying fine sportsmanship and teamwork with the resulting season record of 12 and 1. Perhaps, even as you glance through these pages, the Orioles will be downing the Chicopee Comprehensive High School team—perhaps not. Regardless, the record they have speaks well for them. For those of you who attend the games, it is common knowledge that the team does our town honor. For those who are not numbered among that happy, jostled, pushed, cramped crowd each home game, we hope that you will be able to make it to the game tonight when, as the coach so ably put it, "An era is coming to a close" (meaning

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CITIZEN OF THE WEEK

Over the air these days, for those of our readers who listen to the Ware Radio station WARE, can be heard the announcement that a local citizen has been chosen Citizen of The Week for the WARE listening area. This week it is Sidney W. Wheeler of Everett Avenue.

This award is presented to the person selected for "outstanding contributions to the progress, welfare and civic betterment to the Central Mass. area." Awarded weekly, it is sponsored by the Zero Manufacturing Co., Eastern Division, whose plant is located in Monson. Citizens are chosen from Hardwick, Ware, Barre, the Brookfields, Warren, Palmer, Belchertown, and Pelham.

The Purple Soliloquizer

Most Americans Need Lessons About Our Southern Neighbors

Many of the leading American magazines had long feature articles on Latin America last week. *Time,* for instance, gave its cover to Thomas Mann, the new Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American affairs and quoted President Johnson's remark when he appointed Mann: "We expect to speak with one voice on all matters affecting this hemisphere . . . Mr. Mann will be that voice."

Mann is described as a "pragmatist", a term that almost always sends me scuttling to a dictionary. It seems a pragmatist is one who decides his course of action on practical consequences instead of something more ethereal.

Time then goes on to give thumbnail sketches on all the twenty sovereign nations of Latin America, starting quite naturally with Panama!

Business Week, in a long L. A. article, quotes Mann as saying: "I am a practical person. I am in favor of anything that works."

We certainly do seem to be in need of something in our Latin American policy that works better than what we have been using. It has become quite obvious to the average American that the United States isn't presenting a very good "image" to many of those "Good Neighbors" of ours to the south.

The Cuba-Castro saga actually seems to have turned our villain into a hero to a lot of peoples besides the Russians and to have caused some of our best international friends to differ with us on such subjects as blockades and embargoes.

Once in a while we think with a sigh how far we have gone since those days when Teddy charged up the hill at San Juan and when somebody or other was sending a "message to Garcia". That "Bay of Pigs" sticks in our patriotic crops, too. It isn't hard to imagine how that term may have been used as propaganda by those who want the Yankees to head homeward.

Then comes the trouble in the Panama Canal Zone and we again see how another set of people feel about the citizens of the U.S.A. as they sojourn in Central America.

It has been one of our diplomatic dreams to have certain of the Russian satellites hate the Communists with such intensity that they will one day stage successful breakaways. Russia had a chance to see how an American satellite felt about us when Panamanians burned and sniped.

One could sense in much of the American reporting of the Panama riots a lot more regret than resentment, regret that we had allowed ourselves to become so unpopular in a land where we had every chance to be real friends to the people of a nation we had indeed created.

Whenever we find ourselves in a jam in one of the trouble spots which are scattered far and wide across the world, we tend to blame the Communists. And surely the Communists are usually on hand wherever there is anti-American display. But it probably is not true that the Communists are to blame for most of our Latin American troubles. Communists are like germs, ready to infect wherever the tissue of American diplomacy is weak. The fault is actually not in our enemies but in ourselves when we find ourselves being treated in Panama the way the Redcoats were once treated in Boston.

Mr. Mann will no doubt get the situation in Panama sufficiently under control to keep us from losing too much face.

However, until many more of the ordinary people in this country have become familiar enough with Latin America to appreciate its culture, its traditions, its hopes for the future, we shall never be anything but an egotistical, powerful, snobbish despot to millions of nice people who may not know where the next meal is coming from but don't like to think it will need to be a Yankee handout.

I'm not preaching now, I'm cofessing. South of Mexico, Latin America is a strange world to me. My educational background has been European, with recent Oriental accents added. I'm usually not certain whether it is Venezuela or Argentina that lies north of Brazil, or whether it's Nicaragua or Guatamala that borders Mexico.

I look at the "8,500,000 square miles and 200 million people" of Latin America with the interested and almost instinctively "superior" eyes of a tourist who will find the scenery gorgeous, the customs quaint, and the sanitation terrible, and then board a plane for God's country!

We are making progress at learning to live with the rest of the world, but it's pretty slow. Even at the Winter Olympics, I heard several Russian young people talking good English, but no Americans talking any sort of Russian. Perhaps I missed some of them.

The folks in the "big house on the hill" will be loved by the folks down in the flatlands only when they really learn to mingle. If I were a Panamanian, I'd hate the "Zone" and probably a lot of the people in it. And so, all my fellow patriotic Americans, would you!

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Speaking of Kids!

This quotation is from several pearls of real wisdom scattered for *Life* in a recent article about Yogi Berra, the new manager of the New York Yankees. To switch metaphors, this particular pearl is food for thought!

"Kids are different today. I remember on the Hill, where I grew up in St. Louis. It wasn't no slum, but it was poor families. Us kids did things like stealing fruit at the market while the sales guys weren't looking. But it wasn't the same as it is today with 14-year-old kids fighting with knives and homemade guns. Kids ain't afraid of their superiors today. If I wasn't in the house each night by 10, I got a belt from my old man. But now parents are afraid of their kids."

* * * *

Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"You cannot escape the responsibility of tomorrow by evading it today." *Abraham Lincoln*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Harriet B. Shaw died at her home in the West Ware district at the age of 77.

The recent death of Woodrow Wilson causes "Belcher Towne" to pay a tribute to his high ideals.

A clean Federal tuberculine test has been passed on D. C. Randall's herd of 60 Registered Holsteins.

The Committee appointed at the Town meeting to name the various cemeteries are calling for suggestions.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Henry Dubuque, a Belchertown farmer for around thirty-five years, died at his home in South Belchertown at the age of 82.

At the annual town election 973 exercised their right of franchise.

A card party at Memorial Hall netted $40.09 for the school motion picture Projector Fund.

The Social Guild gave a complimentary supper to about thirty men who assisted in the excavation beneath the Chapel.

The town report was the largest in the town's history. There were 44 more pages than last year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sanford, well known by Belchertown people, celebrated their Golden wedding anniversary at their home in Hollywood, California. 90 friends made calls in the afternoon, and there were 60 telegrams and letters.

TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. Howard Davis, who has served effectively as a school nurse for the past nine years, has submitted her resignation.

At the regular Grange meeting, Bill French of the Hampshire Co. Soil Conservation, spoke of the work his department is doing. He showed slides showing different phases of the work at Andrew Ketchen's, Richard Cole's, Sidney Wheeler's, Pat Loftus' and at the State School.

Robert Lindquist has won for himself a road trip with the Boston Celtics by air to New York to witness a game with Rochester.

William Shaw spoke to the 9th grade Civics Class on "Old Belchertown", having data going back to 1740.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Belchertown Square Dance Club will hold a dance on Saturday, February 8th at 8 p.m. in Lawrence Memorial Hall. The caller will be Walt Swan. The host and hostess will be Ray and Betty Madenski.

The refreshment committee will include Bob and Eileen Doubleday, chm., Julian and Jean Hussey, Dan and Fran Jones, Phil and Ereda Jones, and John and Helen Karch.

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Political Advertisement

KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

|X| *Belchertown Republican Town Committee* |X|

In order that you may become better acquainted with your candidates for public office in Belchertown, each week we will give you a brief resume of some of the Republican nominees.

—*The Committee*

This week—

TOWN CLERK & TREASURER

Robert D. Camp, Sr. has served the town for many years as Tax Collector, Treasurer and Town Clerk. This year he is up for re-election for Town Clerk and Treasurer. That he is unopposed is testimony to the fine job he is doing.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Dr. Kenneth L. Collard has served the town as a member of the Board of Health for several terms now and the town is indeed fortunate that he is willing to give of his time and talent to this job for which he is so well qualified.

TREE WARDEN

Albert W. Brown is our present Tree Warden. He is a professional tree expert. It would be hard to find a better qualified or more devoted man in the entire State.

SEWER COMMISSIONER

Harry L. Brougham is your candidate for Sewer Commisioner. He has been engaged in the construction business for the last several years and should be well qualified to serve on this important Commission.

PLANNING BOARD

This year due to resignations, we have three vacancies to be filled on the Planning Board. This is an important Board, whose decisions may have far-reaching effect on the future growth and development of our community. All areas of the town should be represented on this Board.

In Donald S. Cole we have a young businessman from the South end of the town who should make an excellent Board member.

James F. Hayward represents the Lake District and the North end of Town. He has shown much community interest in the past and will strengthen the Board.

The Center of town is fortunate to have a candidate such as Donald Perham, who is willing to give his time to such a worthwhile endeavor.

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER

Sidney T. Wheeble is our candidate for the position on the Cemetery Commission, and though new to the political office area, he feels that he has the necessary qualifications and drive.

Next week, we will try to give you the background, etc. of your candidates for the School Committee (David Staples & Andrew Ketchen); and Assessors (H. B. Ketchen, 3 yrs., and Doris Squires, 1 year). These are very important positions that should be filled by the best possible candidates.

— Gould Ketchen, Chm.,
Republican Town Committee

Mar. 2—Town Meeting (Election)

Mar. 9—Town Meeting (Appropriations)

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The results of the Monday, Feb. 3 bowling and the high man of the winning teams as follows:

Reece 5, Legion 1, with Howie Goodrow's 316 as the high. Jackson's 4, State School 2. Bill Dickinson was high with 336. Jabish Brook upset Park Lane by the score of 4 to 2. High man was Mike Samson with 330. Turkey Hill outpointed Hilltoppers 4 to 2 with Walter Jensen high with 317. Cole's downed Gates 4 to 2. Gene Vadnais was high with 323. Henneman's lost their first two points of the second round to Cook's but bounced back to take the last four. High three strings was Don Perham's 344. Independents maintained their second position in the standings by outscoring Salvage 4 to 2. High man was Ken Rhodes with 324.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	40	2	11,000
Independents	30	12	10,424
Jackson's	28	14	10,415
Turkey Hill	27	15	10,395
Park Lane	27	15	10,316
Cook's	26	16	10,283
Salvage	20	22	10,412
Cole's	18	24	10,320
State School	18	24	9,816
Hilltoppers	14	28	10,138
Gates	14	28	10,106
Reece	11	31	10,384
Legion	11	31	9,876
Jabish Brook	10	32	9,828

Season Records

High Single String — A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single — T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings — R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three — K. Rhodes 379
Team High Single — Salvage 592
Team High Three — Henneman's 1,655

110 Club—J. Yanginski 115, 123; R. Reece 119; H. Goodrow 117; B. Dickinson 111, 116; T. Piekara 114; P. Menard 125; K. Main 117; M. Samson 130; P. Wisnewski 118; W. Jensen 113; E. Henrichon, Jr. 110; B. Malmstedt 123; B. Rivers 119; H. Main 120; G. Vadnais 113; C. Robinson, Jr. 126; D. Dunbar 110; J. Hayward 115; E. Lowe 113; B. Terry 115; J. Hubbard 125; D. Perham 123, 120; R. Pratt 112, 116, 115; M. Hubler 120; R. Dana 139; E. Field 110; K. Rhodes 113; H. Squires 126; S. Rhodes 114; J. Tolpa, Sr. 119; N. Bronner 136, 114; J. Bodzinski 111, 117, 118.

310 Club—J. Yanginski 331, H. Goodrow 316, B. Dickinson 336, P. Menard 316, M. Samson 330, G. Leclerc 317, W. Jensen 317, B. Malmstedt 318, H. Main 324, G. Vadnais 323, C. Robinson, Jr. 318, B. Terry 310, J. Hubbard 318, D. Perham 344, R. Pratt 343, M. Hubler 311, R. Dana 346, K. Rhodes 324, N. Bronner 354, J. Bodzinski 346.

Next Week's Matches—

Hilltoppers vs. Gates
Cole's vs. Legion
Reece vs. Jabish Brook
B.S.S. vs. Salvage
Henneman's vs. Park Lane
Jackson's vs. Turkey Hill
Cook's vs. Independents

—J. Hubbard, Secretary

Note—We have received a special invitation to attend the reception for Supt. Frank Dunn, Jr. and family on Sunday afternoon—R. Lapointe.

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Jolly "5" of the Women's Bowling League beat their own season record for a team high three of 1391 and also had team high single of 473.

Team results were: Bowl-aires 8, Harmony Five 0; Jolly "5" 8, Congo's 0; Crystals 7, Pin Spinners 1, Chadson Gals 6, Outskirters 2; Nite Outers 6, Gay Rollers 2; Pin Pickers 6, Hit or Miss 2; and Roll-a-ways 6, King Pins 2.

Joan Poole made a new season record for high three of 341. Second high three went to Doris Rimbold with 296. High single went to Joan Poole with 118 and second high to Shirley Dzuris with 116.

300 Club—Joan Poole 341.

110 Club—Joan Poole 118, 115, Shirley Dzuris 116, Doris Rimbold 112, Loretta Bodzinski 111, Shirley Fitts 110, Rose Viens 110.

Season Records

High Three—J. Poole 341
2nd High Three—R. Scott 317
High Single—C. Hubbard 129
2nd High Single—C. Hubbard 127
Team High Three—Jolly "5" 1391
Team High Single—Pin Pickers 507

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	22	2	4006
Jolly "5"	20	4	3910
Gay Rollers	18	6	3733
Roll-a-ways	14	10	3849
Crystals	13	11	3923
Hit or Miss	12	12	3854
Congo's	10	14	3922
Class B			
King Pins	18	6	3822
Bowl-aires	14	10	3892
Nite Outers	12	12	3639
Chadson Gals	8	16	3601
Pin Spinners	5	19	3553
Outskirters	2	22	3552
Harmony Five	0	24	3523

There will be a Captain's meeting at the Daisy Mae Restaurant Monday night, February 10th at 7.30. All team captains are urged to attend; if it isn't possible, please send a representative in her place.

—R. Dowd, Secretary

NO SPECIAL MEETING

The Board of Selectmen has decided that a special town meeting to rescind the vote to increase the Board of Selectmen will not be called. This decision was made at the meeting last week Thursday night upon the advice of Town Counsel Paul Ford.

The board had been presented with petitions containing 106 signatures calling for a special town meeting to rescind the vote.

In his letter to the board, Atty. Ford said that 200 registered voters had to sign a petition to call a special town meeting, or 20 per cent of the registered voters, whichever number is the lesser.

Atty. Ford also said, "The petition requests the town to consider a matter which the town is not authorized to act upon at this date. General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 2, authorizes a town at a town meeting 'held at least 30 days before the annual town meeting' to increase the number of members of the Board of Selectmen 'and such vote to increase shall remain in force until the increase under it is accomplished.' It is therefore plain that the vote to increase the number of selectmen taken at the December town meeting must remain in force. Any alteration of the December vote would create chaos in the town. Inasmuch as the caucuses have been held and by the time the town meeting is finally held the ballots would have been printed for five selectmen, it is my opinion that the board should not call the special town meeting."

Sidney Wheeler, who had presented the petitions to the board, said that he was sure that those who had signed the petitions would be satisfied if the board would include an article in the annual town meeting warrant calling for the rescinding of the vote. The selectmen agreed to do this and instructed Atty. Ford to draw up the article.

D. A. R. GOOD CITIZEN

Miss Sandra Field, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Field of North Washington St. and a senior at the Belchertown High School, has been elected as the DAR Good Citizen by the faculty.

Qualities of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism earned her this honor and now makes her eligible for the State DAR Good Citizenship award.

Miss Field and her mother will be guests of the Mary Mattoon DAR Chapter of Amherst at its March meeting. Miss Field has been a member of the Student Council for the past four years and has served as president during her senior year. She has been a member of the band, Glee Club and softball team for the past four years and has also been a cheerleader for four years. She is editor of the yearbook. A Pro Merito student she has been accepted by Springfield College. She has also been active in the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Congregational Church, Ware Assembly of the Order of Rainbow for Girls and the Belchertown High School Ski Club.

Political Advertisement

As Republican Candidates for the office of SELECTMEN

we feel that closer harmony and more efficiency are the major objectives. Since this is also the primary objective of all candidates, we feel it is necessary to point out how this could be accomplished.

A five man board offers more possibilities for sound, long-range planning. By dividing into subcommittees, definite policies can be set with the departments. This would allow for more reliance on department heads and more staunch support for their decisions on minor matters.

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— FIRST FRIDAY —

First Friday Schedule: Confessions before morning Mass, 7-7.15, Mass at 7.20 a. m.; confessions prior to the evening Mass, 6.15 to 6.45, Mass at 7 p. m. There will not be any confessions on Thursday.

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Quinquagesima Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Corinthians 13, 1-13.
Gospel—Luke 18, 31-43.

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

There will be Sunday School this Sunday following the 9.30 Mass.

Released time classes will be held on Thursday, February 13, at 12.30 and 1.15 at the church.

— ASH WEDNESDAY —

Ash Wednesday Schedule: Ashes will be distributed at the morning Mass at 7.20 a. m. and at the evening Mass at 7. It is a day of fast and abstinence.

— COMING EVENTS —

Feb. 15 St. Francis Supper Committee sponsored Meatball and Spaghetti Supper in the Pine Room.
Feb. 19, 20, 21 Spring Ember Days.
Mar. 29 Easter Sunday.
May 7 Next Holy Day following Easter (Ascension of Our Lord).

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Michael S. Mathras Dem.
Arthur J. Moriarty Dem.
William H. Squires, Jr. Rep.
William Gerry Whitlock Rep.
Richard O. Clark Nom. Pa., Dem.
John J. Cyran Nom. Pa., Rep.
Jane L. Gawlik Nom. Pa., Dem.
Selectman for 1 year Vote for One
Frank E. Farrington, Jr. Rep.
Theodore W. Smist Dem.
Town Treasurer for 3 years Vote for One
Robert D. Camp, Sr. Rep.
Board of Health for 3 years Vote for One
Kenneth L. Collard Rep.
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Albert W. Brown Rep.
Sewer Commissioner for 3 years Vote for One
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Assessor for 3 years Vote for One
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Charles F. Howard Nom. Pa., Rep.
Assessor for 1 year Vote for One
Doris S. Squires Rep.
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Donald Perham Rep.
Planning Board for 4 years Vote for One
James F. Hayward Rep.
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Ralph F. Pittsley Nom. Pa.
Planning Board for 3 years Vote for One
Donald S. Cole Rep.
Wilfred E. Lemire Dem.
Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years Vote for One
Lincoln A. Cook Nom. Pa., Rep.
Sidney T. Wheble Rep.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Bernard Bowler of Liberty St. returned yesterday from a stay in Wing Memorial Hospital, Palmer.

Mrs. Wallace E. Wenzel of North Street, West Warren opend her home for a Miscellaneous Shower in honor of Joyce Wenzel's approaching marriage to E. H. Gay. Over fifty guests were present at the event which was held on Sunday, February 2nd.

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Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship—This is Race Relations Sunday.
Sermon, "I have, I am, I will."
Junior Sermon by the Pastor.
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
7 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church—Note the change in time.
7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11
7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet in the Educational Building.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Pastor's Study.
7 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in the Vestry.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13
6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14
The Missionary Group of the W. S. of C. S. will not meet this month.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15
6 p. m. The monthly Faith, Fun and Food Night will be held in the Vestry. This month the program is under the sponsorship of the Methodist Men. Members and friends of the Church are asked to bring a casserole or a salad. These nights have proved themselves to be a period of fellowship and growth as we labor to make our Church strong.

On Race Relations Sunday the Methodist Church recognizes its need to show love and concern for those of our land who differ from us in color. The Church receives on this Sunday a special collection which is used to support the Colored Colleges of our denomination. Special bulletins supplied by the National Commission on Christian Concerns will be used. Material concerning the program has been distributed to the Church. This is typical of the response of those who know and understand a need, to respond generously.

Those desiring to secure copies of the books that are on consignment, will have their last chance on Sunday, as the books will be returned to Evangelistic Materials during the following week.

There will be a group of adults joining the Church on February 16. If you desire to be a part of this group, will you contact the Pastor.

On February 21st, the First Methodist Church in Holyoke will have a retreat at the Church from 9.30 a. m. through the evening service. Luncheon will be served at the church at a nominal cost, and those staying for the evening program should bring sandwiches. Drinks will be provided.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

FEBRUARY 8
2.30 p. m. The Primary Church School Staff will meet in the Parish house
Feb. 8-9 Annual Mission Weekend—The theme of the Mission Weekend for this year is "The Church and Urbanization". Miss Selva Reissig, the Mission leader, is a graduate Student at Hartford Seminary. She was born in Argentina and has done extensive work in several Inner City Missions. Everyone is invited to hear Miss Reissig.
Feb. 8 8 p. m. Miss Reissig will give an illustrated lecture in the Chapel. Her subject—"The Work of the Inner City Mission".
FEBRUARY 9
9.15 a. m. Miss Reissig will speak to the 5th and 6th grades of the Church School
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship with Miss Reissig as the speaker
7 p. m. Combined session of the Jr. High and Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowships
FEBRUARY 9
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery through grade 4
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship
5 p. m. Church School students in grades 7 and 8 are invited to the parsonage for supper.
7 p. m. Jr. and Sr. High Fellowships will meet in the Chapel
FEBRUARY 10
7 p. m. The Board of Deacons
FEBRUARY 11
7.30 p. m. All teachers and advisors of students in grades 7-12 will meet in the Parish House
FEBRUARY 13
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. First session of the Thursday night Lenten Study Group. This group will study the "Christian View of Man".
FEBRUARY 15
2.30 p. m. Teachers in the Junior Dept. will meet.
FEBRUARY 16
10.45 a. m. First Sunday in Lent
Sermon—"The Challenge that is Lent"
Installation Service for all newly elected Church Officers and Board Members

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CUB SCOUT NEWS

This week Den 6 made some place cards. We had some refreshments and did our closing exercises.

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SERVICE NEWS

LACKLAND AFB, Tex.—Airman Thomas T. Soja, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Soja of R. F. D. No. 1, George Hannum Road, Belchertown Mass., is being reassigned to Amarillo AFB, Tex., for technical training as a United States Air Force supply specialist.

Airman Soja, who enlisted in the Air Force a short time ago, has completed his initial basic military training here.

Airman Thomas T. Soja

The airman is a graduate of Belchertown High School and is a former student at Northampton (Mass.) Commercial College.

RAINBOW INSTALLATION

Miss Joanne Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gould, was installed as worthy adviser of Ware Assembly # 71 of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, last Saturday night in Memorial Hall.

Guest speaker was Rev. Elvert F. Miller, pastor of the local Congregational Church, who spoke on "How to be a Rainbow."

Other officers installed were Miss Carol Chase, worthy associate adviser; Miss Sandre Boone, Charity; Miss Linda Hyatt, Hope; and Miss Eileen Kulke, Faith; Miss Ellen Johnson, recorder: Miss Joan Corby, treasurer; Miss Christine Gould, drill leader, Miss Patricia Wadsworth, chaplain; Miss Nancy Tolpa, love; Miss Joanne Sporbert, religion; Miss Martha Emery, nature; Miss Betty Marshall, immortality; Miss Phyllis Hill, fidelity; Miss Kimberly Stimson, patriotism; Miss Linda Osborne, service.

Also, Miss Linda Towne, confidential observer; Miss Karen Smith, outer observer; Miss Sandra Dunbar, musician; Miss Mary Emery, choir director; Miss Deanne Midura, national flag bearer; Miss Marion Hall, state flag bearer; Miss Norma Lundquist, Christian flag bearer; Miss Janet Rogers, rainbow flag bearer; Miss Sandra Schofield, assembly flag bearer; Miss Anita Papp as page in the west; Miss Ann Wisneski, page in the north; Miss April Theodore, page in the south.

NELSON J. BULLOUGH

Nelson J. Bullough, 49, of State St., died last week Thursday in Holyoke Hospital, after a long illness. He was born in South Hadley June 13, 1914, the son of the late John and Pauline (Haas) Bullough. He graduated from South Hadley High School in 1932 and had made his home here for the past 17 years. Until his illness he was assistant traffic manager at the Holyoke Card and Paper Co. in Springfield.

Mr. Bullough was president of the local 210666, AFL-CIO, and belonged to the Congregational Church. He formerly worked at the Cudahy Packing Co. Besides his wife, Constance (Schulz) Bullough, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Cowher of this town; two grandchildren; four brothers, George, Franklyn, Wilbur and John Bullough, Jr., all of South Hadley; 11 sisters, Mrs. Lillian Vars, Mrs. Doris Labonte, Mrs. Constance Gates, Mrs. Lorraine Miller, Mrs. Marilyn McIntrye and Mrs. Agnes Prajzner, all of Holyoke, and Mrs. Mildred Kleeberg, Mrs. Bernice Charron, Mrs. Eleanor Opalenik and Mrs. Shirley Opalenik, all of South Hadley, and several nieces and nephews. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the Congregational Church. Rev. Elvert Miller, pastor officiated at the service. Mrs. Walter R. Blackmer was organist. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery here.

BEAK CLUB

The Beak Club held its first official meeting on Monday, February 3, with all five members present. The two preceding weeks were declared as local Beak weeks. We closed the meeting with our usual salute.

Here is a little about the history of the Beak Club: The Beak Club was ordained into being about a month ago on the inspiration of the two charter members, who are known as Beak # 1 and Beak # 2. The other three members were added gradually.

The official purpose of the Beak Club is to sanction faith in mankind by being kind and trusting to all who call upon us.

Beak # 1

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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frittered away a 7 point lead in the last three minutes but held on to win. Pete Greenan sank a clutch free throw with 15 seconds left to give the Orioles breathing room and their final two point margin. Gayton Hebert paced a balanced scoring attack with 15 points. In the return match, played this past Tuesday night, the Orioles led all the way, but never enjoyed a comfortable edge. Good foul shooting down the stretch kept them from going under, however. Mike Oberly had a fine shooting night to lead the way with 23, while the steady Hebert added 21. Robin Barrett chipped in with 14, including a vital 40 footer, as the buzzer sounded, ending the third period. Merle Green added 9 to go, with 17 rebounds.

Next Tuesday, Belchertown visits Williamsburg in their only game of the week. A win would clinch their first Franklin League championship in three weeks.

4-H CLUB NOTES

On the Hill 4-H Club met on February 3rd, at the home of Wendy Hagan on North Liberty Street. The secretary and treasurer gave their reports and received new books.

The club also had a dairy judging contest given by "Hoard's Dairyman Magazine". The scores will be announced later in the season.

Marie Malmstedt, Sec'y and News Reporter

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UNION GRANGE NOTES

Tuesday night's grange meeting was educational aid nigat and consisted of a talk by Mrs. Atwood who explained the loans and scholarships avaiable to young Grangers seeking a higher education. A music program followed.

The next Grange meeting will be February 18th. It will be Patriotic Night in charge of Miss Helen Lister.

Four tables were in play at the Grange card party last Saturday night. Howard Judkins was in charge.

Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Judkins, Ruth Kempkes, Gaetane Fortin; 2nd, Lyman Hubbard, Cora Hubbard, Joe Berube and Eva Webb; 3rd, Ethel Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Herbert West, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Wenzel, Franklin Wenzel and Petronella Squires; special, Herbert West and Mary Judkins. This week's party will be in charge of Gaetane Portin.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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the end of High School basketball in the Old Town Hall).

Next year, the Orioles will be playing on a new court, and the fans will no longer be "on the court" with the players. We mean of course the new Junior-Senior High School building now under construction.

After a visit to the site this week, it came to mind that this new building is certainly a reward, as it is, for the record of teams past and present, not to mention the future, for the boys who carried the name of Belchertown from Springfield to Turners Falls and beyond. These teams showed people everywhere that such a town did indeed exist—more than that, it gave them the opportunity to know our town through the actions of the team members and the accompanying spectators.

Another season is drawing to a close in the next few weeks—but the future holds many more. It is everyone's hope that they will be as well remembered and enjoyed as this!

The Old Town Hall has had many roles: Meetinghouse, with town meetings held there until 1923 when the Lawrence Memorial Hall was opened; Exhibit hall on Fair Day; temporary school; home of the "baton twirlers"; and of course High School basketball. We are sure it will not be vacant once the new High School with its gymnasium is completed—perhaps, that building will be relieved not to be bulging from overcrowding, then too, it may be used even more. Whatever, the town is fortunate that it does have such a community building, many towns do not.

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will be shed tonight nor should there be. Change is inevitable and necessary. But callous will be the heart that does not dwell fondly on the many moments of pleasure that this venerable institution has provided. May the new gymnasium provide as many.

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I wish to sincerely thank all my friends and neighbors for making my stay at the hospital so pleasant with their many cards and calls.

Henry Choquette

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Many thanks to the Catholic Women's Club and my friends for gifts and cards to Darice. She had a very happy birthday.

Marie Vanasse

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely thank the various organizations and clubs, and our many friends and neighbors for their cards, flowers, visits, and the many kindnesses shown us during our recent sorrow.

Mrs. Nelson Bullough
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SUPPER POSTPONED

Due to conflicting events, the supper at Dwight Chapel scheduled for February 22, has been indefinitely postponed.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

P. T. A. Meeting.

TUESDAY

B. H. S. vs. St. Mary's, there.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Guild
W. S. C. S.

THURSDAY

B. H. S. vs. Charlemont, there.

FRIDAY

Hitched and Unhitched in Vestry 8 p. m.
Police Association Record Hop.
Vernon Lodge George Washington Birthday Ball at Chateau Harony.
B. H. S. vs. Holyoke Trade, there.

SATURDAY

Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet the Pine Room.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, th John Alden calling.
Grange Card Party.

TALENT WANTED

Chauncey D. Walker Post, A. L., which is putting on its annual variety Show on February 28, is looking for talent to help out on the program. Have you a number you could put on? If so, contact Frank Goodrow or John Reed.

P. T. A. MEETING

The P. T. A. will hold its monthly meeting on February 17, at Cold Spring School at 8 p. m. The guest speaker will be Dr. Robert Byrne of the School of Education at the University of Massachusetts. His topic will be: "Controversial Issues in Teaching Reading."

RECORD HOP

The Belchertown Police Association will sponsor a Record Hop on Friday, February 21. Bud Stone of WHYN will be the disc jockey. The event will be held in Memorial Hall from 8 to 11 p. m.

TODAY

Camera Club.
Union World Day of Prayer Service in Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Food, Faith and Fun Night in Vestry at 6 p. m.
St. Francis sponsored Public Supper.
Legion Valentine Dance.
Jaycee Hootenanny in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Feb. 28
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Women's Guild Public Supper.
Feb. 29
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall, John Alden calling.
Mar. 2
Annual Town Election.
Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Mar. 9
Annual Appropriations' Meeting.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 20
Police Association Record Hop.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

The service of World Day of Prayer will be held in the sanctuary of the Methodist Church at 7.30 tonight (Friday). The committee in charge is Mrs. Ruth French from the Methodist Church, Mrs. Sophia Pero from the Congregational church, and Mrs. Amy Allen from the Bondsville Methodist Church.

The offering this year has been designated for work with students in all parts of the world, as well as for work with Indian Americans, and migrants in our own country. Twelve women's colleges in other lands receive funds each year from the World Day of Prayer.

THE RECEPTION

Small town friendliness in a big-hearted way was extended Superintendent Frank M. Dunn, Jr. and family at a welcoming reception at Cold Spring School last Sunday afternoon.

It surely was open house for the "all-purpose" room. With all those movable partitions removed, we do not know when it has been so open.

The receiving line was just in front of the stage. It was "maned" and "womaned" by the school committee, guests of honor, and at times by others of the school personnel. It was not at all static. Members dodged in and out for camera shots, etc. Chairman Willey, who was master of ceremonies, even though there was no program, was chief official greeter, often buttonholing hesitant guests and making them toe the line. Yes, there was an informality about it all that was refreshing.

The floral and room arrangement committee (Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs.

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APPRECIATIVE

Mrs. Dunn and I wish to express publicly our deep appreciation for the reception held for the Superintendent of Schools and his family on February 9. We are grateful to all those who worked in various ways to make the event possible, and we are indebted to the many townspeople and staff members who were able to attend.

We were very pleased in having the chance to meet people individually; and, we were moved by the warm and generous welcome. We are looking forward with pleasure to the time when we shall be able to live as a family in such a responsive and friendly town.

Sincerely yours,
Frank M. Dunn, Jr.

SCOUT NIGHT AT LIONS CLUB

The Pine Room of St. Francis Church, which has hosted about everything under the sun—dogs, Lions and the like, added one more attraction on Tuesday evening—a wrestling exhibition put on by boys from the Boys Club of Ludlow, as part of the entertainment for Boy Scout Night staged by the Lions Club.

The evening's program started with dinner at 6.30. Other years the Scouts and Lions "integrated," but this year, possibly due to inequality of numbers in the two groups, there was "segregation," but there was no segregation of interest or spirit.

The dinner was served buffet style, the Daisy Mae serving as caterers with a smorgasbord variety.

John Carr, president of the Lions Club, welcomed the Scouts and their leaders, and said that their fine work is appreciated. Among those introduced were John Bailey, scoutmaster; James Nolan, assistant; Ralph Munn, assistant; and Harry Shakarian, assistant.

With every introduction there was rafter-ringing applause, leading Carr to say, "I guess you know these people."

The scoutmaster thanked the Lions, their sponsoring organization, for their sponsorship and the hospitality they had extended.

After the felicitations, there was a film on the Golden Jamboree.

It was announced that two from the local organization will go to the Jamboree in July—from the 16th to the 24th. Those who have the honor of going are Kenneth Nolan and Bob Powers. Alternates are Fletcher, Plowucha, Fitzgerald and Vanasse.

The cost for each boy is $115, part of which sum the boys contribute themselves.

Thirty-four Scouts out of a membership of 42 were present Tuesday night. It was stated that membership had grown from 17 last year in February, so there has been a tremendous growth. Not only that, but it seems that attendance at the regular meetings averages 75 to 80 percent.

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BELCHERTOWN HIGH BASKETBALL

Belchertown High School is idle tonight and will get a welcome rest from the strenuous activity of the past week. During this period they ran their win string to 14 consecutive games with wins over Chicopee Comprehensive (59-56) and Williamsburg 57-44). The victory over "Burgy" gave Belchertown its first Franklin League championship in three years.

Last Friday's game against "Comp"

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS

Parents are strongly advised to keep children home from school in all cases of suspected illness. Due to the many duties of the school nurse, she cannot be expected to transport children home from school when they should have remained there

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BOUQUETS— AND BRICKBATS

The scene in the Old Town Hall last Friday night was a happy one. The boys gave a fine performance, and in an exciting game avenged their earlier defeat by Chicopee Comp. The happiness of the team was warmly shared by the fans.

What a shame that this triumph had to be marred by the poor manners of a few! A visitor from Chicopee was heard to remark, "You won the game all right, but we certainly don't think much of Belchertown's sportsmanship."

The booing which caused the remark was not the fault of the team or of the school. It came from sections of the stands occupied almost wholly by adults. Yet the school must take the blame. The school's reputation—not the fans'—must suffer.

There has been very little of this brand of "sportsmanship" at games this year. However, one such incident is enough to do the school immeasureable harm.

Belchertown is about to take part in the Sportsmanship Show at the University of Massachusetts. It is the wish of the faculty and administra-

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LOCAL WINNER

Mr. James E. O'Leary of the High School staff has notified *Time* magazine that Jane Peterson has been named the local winner in *Time's* 28th annual Current Affairs Contest. Other high-scoring local students include: Ann L. Wisneski and F. Denis Sulewski.

Time's Current Affairs Test, given this year to more than 750,000 college and high school students in the U. S. and Canada, consists of 105 questions on national and foreign affairs. Also included are such categories as business, sports, entertainment, science, religion, literature, jcurnalism, education and the arts.

Top scorers in each of the more than 4,000 classes enrolled in the *Time* Education Program receive a certificate from The Weekly Newsmagazine and a choice of either a world globe or a book from a specially selected list.

The Simple Soliloquizer

The History of Our Words
Continues To Fascinate

At lunch the other day we were talking about the Winter Olympics and somebody spoke of the amateur standing of one of the teams as being "Simon pure."

I hadn't heard the expression for a long time, though I had grown up with it. I asked the user if he knew what the significance was. Did it come from "Simon called Peter" in the Bible? Or did it refer possibly to the honest simplicity of "Simple Simon" in the nursery rhyme? None of us knew.

I looked it up that night. It made an interesting story. A play was produced in 1717, entitled "A Bold Stroke for a Wife." There was a Quaker in the cast by the name of Simon Pure. A certain Colonel Feignwell won a girl called Miss Lovely by pretending to be the Quaker, Mr. Pure. But the Quaker, after being the victim of several annoyances, proved himself to be the real thing and so "Simon Pure" became the name given to anything that is genuine!

In that same conversation a math teacher wanted to know where the word *beholden* comes from in an expression like "I wouldn't want to be beholden to anyone." Obviously there must be a connection with the verb *behold*, which means little more than "to see", unless it is used as a command, and followed by the exclamation point. I looked this up in Joseph Shipley's *Dictionary of Word Origins* (Philosophical Library, N.Y. . . 1947).

This most interesting volume explains that the old verb *behold* meant "to restrain" or "hold fast to." The participle *beholden* still has the old meaning. If you are "beholden", you are "attached by obligation." *Behold* tamed down over the centuries, meaning for a time "to be attentive to," then "to watch", and finally (as now) "to see."

To bolster my interest in words, a belated birthday gift arrived last week from our Margie. It is called *Origins* and is "a short etymological dictionary of modern English" (971 pages short!) Its author is Eric Partridge and it was published by Macmillan in 1963.

Just to dip into a volume of this sort can be fun, if you like that sort of thing. Take *agony*, for instance. It comes from a Greek word meaning "a sports contest" and later was applied to non-physical striving.

An *anthology*, as every schoolboy knows, is "a collection of literary pieces of varied authorship", though he may not call it that when his homework is assigned to him from it! What he does not know (nor did I) is that the word really means "a flower-gathering," and thus the selections in an anthology should really be "flowers" of their type!

Let's take a very common word. A *brat* is—you know what! This comes from an old English word, meaning a "coarse garment." It probably came to mean the "whole child" from the fact that his diaper or bib was made of coarse cloth.

You probably know that the *robin* you'll soon be seeking is a derivative from *Robert*. But *pigeon* derives from a Latin word, meaning "to Whimper" and refers to the sounds pigeons make.

Oh well, all this is good for your vocabulary!

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Certain Non-Medical Reactions
To a Few Hospital Visits

This is being written on a Saturday night, and for over a week now we have been making pretty regular trips to the Holyoke Hospital, where Florence has been taking herself a planned vacation.

It is certainly true that all of us should spend a lot more time visiting folks who are hospitalized than most of us do, ourselves of course included. I have tended to content myself with cards or gifts or maybe flowers, and left the actual visiting to "good resolutions." Usually I find myself surprised to learn that the patient I had planned to visit has arrived home safely and may even be back on the job.

In addition to helping the morale of a grounded friend, visits to the hospitals get one to realize how little we appreciate the normal round of our activities until an accident or an illness deprives us of it.

It is natural to dread going to a hospital. We may have perfect confidence in the doctors, the nurses, and all the marvelous modern medications. Nevertheless, taking everything into consideration, we prefer to eat at our own tables and sleep in our own beds. There are likely to be discomforts in hospitals that even the bouquets and the humorous greeting cards cannot wholly conceal. Consequently, it comes as quite a shock when you have decided to go to a hospital—as a patient—and have all necessary arrangements with "Dr. Casey" to find you can't pass the entrance examination.

Florence started her quest on a Sunday morning, with everything all settled here at home, teacher ready to take over the classes, husband quieted down, sister established at the helm—when she was informed that there was no available bed! This same procedure was to continue with monotonous regularity until Saturday noon, a time when we were sure there would be no chance of a bed before Sunday. With everything nicely at sixes and sevens, the call came and the free bed was occupied by three-thirty!

It's a fine hospital. I particularly like the idea of having men and women patients in the same section of the building and not assigned to separate wings or floors. It's all to the good. Much more natural. I have an idea it keeps the men from becoming unduly boisterous, and the women from becoming too complaining or whining. Each sex is likely to have its own undesirable characteristics if left to itself.

I like the visiting hours, extending from mid-morning to 8:30 at night. This must result in less haste and crowding than was inevitable when the hours were restricted to 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 8 or thereabouts.

And the food is good. Not only do the patients seem to enjoy it pretty well, but the hospital cafeteria serves excellent meals to its own personnel and to any others who wish to eat there. Prices are reasonable. One man I know thinks he should take advantage of them when he takes his family "out to eat."

But with all these excellent qualities taken into consideration, a hospital is still a rather dramatically serious place. Anxiety, sympathy, relief, resignation, pain, fear—quiet and efficient though the institution is, it keeps within itself a composite of emotions—too strong for many a visitor easily to bear. Whenever patients or visitors gather for any length of time, the conversation will be sure to contain "How long have you been here?" and "When do you go home?" One gathers from what one hears that *Home* is still America's favorite word!

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The Belts Are Winning!

I've been of two minds on the matter of using seat belts in automobiles until about a fortnight ago. The habits and prejudices of over fifty years as a rider and almost that long as a driver are hard to change. I have never liked to be tied in. This phobia probably had its start when I was a passenger in an early-model Per Am.

I have been willing to believe that the danger of being "fastened to death" was about as great as that of being dashed to death.

Then came the day when an accident involved one of the family. When that person said with deep conviction, "If it hadn't been for my seat belt, I would be dead now", I guess that was enough for me. To underline his remark, his new car, replacing the demolished predecessor, has four seat belts.

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Fitting Finale

The B.H.S. victory over Chicopee Comprehensive in what Coach O'Leary termed the "close of an era," was indeed a fitting finale for regular high school basketball in the Old Town Hall.

Just a few weeks ago this same Chicopee team had achieved the impossible by defeating the High School of Commerce on the Springfield team's home floor. Commerce has been one of the strongest Western Mass. teams this season, as proved by the stunning defeat it pinned on Cathedral a week ago. Its bandbox gym is famous as a local stronghold.

The home team paid a high tribute to its town and to its coach by taking that game from the Comps!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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Than the other half, it's true,
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In order that you may become better acquainted with your candidates for public office in Belchertown, each week we will give you a brief resume of some of the Republican nominees.

—*The Committee*

This week—

This week we would like to discuss our candidates for two very important town offices with you—the Board of Assessors and School Committee. There is probably no more important job than the supervision of education of our children, either from a financial point of view or our future welfare. We have two proven candidates—both have served in this capacity before.

David Staples is now serving on the School Committee and the School Building Committee for our new Jr.-Senior High school now going up. Those who have worked with him know the outstanding job he has done. Dave is a local businessman, long active in community affairs, who was elected to a one year term last year by a large majority. Let's show our appreciation for a job well done and re-elect Dave.

Andrew Ketchen is now serving on the School Building Committee and has served three years on the School Committee. He is experienced and proven, and in the past has contributed much to this committee. Andrew is a prominent local farmer and represents an important segment of our community.

Whereas the School Committee is the largest spender of the town's monies, the Board of Assessors must distribute this cost fairly among our tax payers. Here experience and integrity is of vital importance.

Harold B. Ketchen was chairman of the Board for two years and thoroughly understands its working. He has been a businessman in town for many years, owned much property, built many buildings and knows values. He is honest and respected. He has worked with the State auditors before in setting tax rates. We need his experience in this important office.

Doris Squires has served as an Assessor during the past year and previously had served several years as clerk of the Board. She understands the office routine and her assistance to the other members would be invaluable.

The Republican Town Committee heartily endorse all of the above candidates and is proud of them.

Next week we will discuss our candidates for the Board of Selectmen and Town Moderator.

— Gould Ketchen, Chm.,
Republican Town Committee

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Bowling results for February 10 were as follows: Turkey Hill 6, Jackson's 0, Ed Henrichon, Jr. was high with 361. Cole's 6, Legion 0 with Gene Vadnais' 344 being high. Salvage 6, State School 0. High man was Lou Frost with 349. Reece 4, Jabish Brook 2. Jim McInnis was high for Reece with 325. Hilltoppers 4, Gates 2. Howie Main rolled 374 for the winners. Cook's 4, Independents 2. High 3 strings was M. Hubler's 342. Henneman's 4, Park Lane 2, with Dick Pratt high with 358.

At the present time we find Henneman's on top of the League by eleven points. During the remaining five nights of bowling most of the top teams must bowl against one another. Therefore the second round is still anybody's game with any of the top 8 teams standing a good chance of winning.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	44	4	12,554
Turkey Hill	33	15	12,037
Independents	32	16	11,980
Cook's	30	18	11,873
Park Lane	29	19	11,826
Jackson's	28	20	11,946
Salvage	26	22	11,946
Cole's	24	24	11,843
Hilltoppers	18	30	11,658
State School	18	30	11,230
Gates	16	32	11,579
Reece	15	33	11,902
Jabish Brook	12	36	11,300
Legion	11	37	11,240

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three—K. Rhodes 379
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High Three-Henneman's 1,655

310 Club—W. Jensen 336, E. Henrichon, Jr. 361, E. Henrichon, Sr. 348, E. Bock 342, W. Dickinson 336, G. Vadnais 344, R. Cole 319, L. Frost 349, J. Bodzinski 330, W. Lynch 332, M. Samson 336, R. Hawkins 310, T. Bodzinski 321, R. Robinson 314, J. McInnis 325, D. Dunbar 320, E. Lowe 313, H. Main 374, K. Rhodes 326, M. Hubler 342, R. Hubbard, Sr. 311, R. Dana 340, T. Pereira 370, A. Mignault 325, D. Perham 317, D. Pratt 358.

110 Club—W. Jensen 121, 133; E. Henrichon, Jr. 122, 133; E. Henrichon, Sr. 117, 133; L. Small 112; E. Bock 128, 114; W. Dickinson 113, 117; G. Vadnais 111, 117, 116; R. Cole 122; H. Mellin 113; L. Frost 123, 116, 110; J. Tolpa, Sr. 110; J. Bodzinski 119; W. Lynch 110, 121; H. Judkins 114; M. Samson 124, 117; R. Hawkins 119; T. Bodzinski 118; R. Robinson 118; J. McInnis 110, 113; D. Dunbar 124; E. Lowe 113, 110; B. Ross 114; H. Main 123, 112, 139; F. Grover 132, 110; K. Rhodes 121, 113; J. McDermott 110; M. Hubler 113, 121; R. Hubbard, Sr. 115; H. Labroad 111; H. Cook 114; R. Dana 122, 119; T. Pereira 134, 130; A. Mignault 112, 112; G. Leclerc 113; A. Skinner 112; D. Perham 127; and D. Pratt 117, 125, 121.

Next Week's Matches—
State School vs. Turkey Hill
Cook's vs. Jabish Brook
Henneman's vs. Salvage
Reece vs. Gates
Independents vs. Jackson's
Park Lane vs. Legion
Hilltoppers vs. Cole's

—J. Hubbard, Sec'ty

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

February 6th team results were as follows: Hit or Miss 8, Chadson Gals 0; Jolly "5" 8, Pin Spinners 0; King Pins 8, Crystals 0; Pin Pickers 8, Congo's 0: Roll-a-ways 8, Gay Rollers 0; Bowl-aires 6, Nite Outers 2; and Harmony Five 6, Outskirters 2.

The Roll-a-ways set a new season record for team high three of 1437. Team high single for the night went to the Roll-a-ways with 502. High three went to Lois Lowe with 327. Second high three was a tie between Carol Hubbard and Jean Reilly, each rolling a 315. Lois Lowe had high single with 121 and Jean Reilly had 120 for second high single.

300 Club—L. Lowe 327, C. Hubbard 315, J. Reilly 315, H. Hubbard 305, S. Fitts 304, C. Gagne 301.

110 Club—L. Lowe 121, 119; J. Reilly 120, C. Gagne 115, S. McDermott 111; C. Hubbard 111.

100 Club—H. Rhodes 104; A. Samborski 102, 102; J. Henneman 101; L. Rivers 100.

Season Records

High Three—J. Poole 341
2nd High Three—L. Lowe 327
High Single—C. Hubbard 129
2nd High Single—C. Hubbard 127
Team High Three—Roll-a-ways 1437
Team High Single—Pin Pickers 507

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	30	2	5439
Jolly "5"	28	4	5172
Roll-a-ways	22	10	5286
Hit or Miss	20	12	5197
Gay Rollers	18	14	4932
Crystals	13	19	5198
Congo's	10	22	5257
Class B			
King Pins	26	6	5201
Bowl-aires	20	12	5124
Nite Outers	14	18	4870
Chadson Gals	8	24	4716
Harmony Five	6	26	4755
Pin Spinners	5	27	4761
Outskirters	4	28	4774

—R. Dowd, Secretary

FRANKLIN SCHOOL NOTES

The pupils at Franklin School enjoyed an assembly on a recent Friday morning at which an original play was presented by some of the third and fourth grade students. The play was planned and directed by Beverly Brown, who also played the part of the teacher.

Students were Donna Mikal, Irene Czupryna, Susan Rieff, Patricia Austin, Terry Owen, John Stokosa, Peter Minkley and Tracy Brown. The part of the music teacher was played by Sandra Lyons, and the penmanship teacher was Sharon Mechonski.

The play portrayed a typical school day with classes in arithmetic, music and writing. The serving of lunch was the climax of the presentation.

FOUR-H DOG CLUB

The next meeting of the 4-H Dog Club will be Tuesday, February 18, at 7 p. m. in the Pine Room.

All members are urged to attend in preparation for the show at the Exposition Building in Springfield on Saturday, February 29.

The second 10-week course is now starting, and new members will also be accepted at this meeting. Dogs do not have to be purebred to attend. The minimum age limit for starting members is ten years old, and the dog should be 6 months old to start training. For further information call Club Leader Mrs. Edward Rice or club trainer, Wallace Chevalier.

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If the voters and taxpayers of this town have enough faith in my ability to hold this office, I shall endeavor to justify that faith by treating each and every taxpayer in a just and equal manner.

At this time I wish to thank all those who supported me at the recent Republican Caucus and look for your continuing support in the coming election.

CHARLES F. HOWARD

To the Citizens, Taxpayers, and Voters of Belchertown:

I have decided to run for the office of Selectman because I feel I can serve the people of Belchertown well in this capacity. For the past five years I have served on the Town Finance Board of which I am presently chairman. I feel this has given me an excellent background and understanding of town affairs and town needs. I previously served on the School Needs Committee, am a taxpayer, resident, and father of five children.

I attended high school in Calais, Maine, served two years in the army and then entered the University of Maine. In 1951 I moved to Belchertown and went into business raising broilers and Black Angus. In addition to farming, I joined the Elder Jones Lumber Corp. as a salesman in 1961.

I would like to see our tax dollars spent wisely and to see our town get the most for its money. I would like to see a progressive well informed board of Selectmen which would act decisively and intelligently and which would operate with good co-operation between the various boards. I think that I can help to achieve a stronger town government and one which is interested and energetic in encouraging future expansion.

I thank all who voted for me in the Republican caucus and will appreciate your votes at the forthcoming election.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Fr. Raymond Cahill, S. J., Assisting
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

First Sunday In Lent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—2 Corinthians 6: 1-10.
Gospel—Matthew 4: 1-11.

The Holy Name Society will meet in the Pine Room following the 9.30 Mass.

There will be Sunday School this Sunday following the 9.30 Mass.

Released time classes will be held on Thursday, February 20, at 12.30 and 1.15 at the church.

Don't forget the supper tomorrow evening—it should prove to be a meal to remember if we are to believe the publicity given on it!

— Important Notice In Bulletin —

In the Sunday bulletin this coming Sunday, the official rules on Fast and Abstinence for the Holy Season of Lent, 1964, will be printed for your convenience. Everyone is encouraged to take a copy following the Masses on Sunday and keep it handy for quick reference during this most important season.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16
9.45 a. m. Church School, with classes in the Educational Building and the Vestry.
11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "A Life Worth Living"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
7 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. The Study of the Letters to the Churches in the Book of Revelation continues.
7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship meets in the Vestry.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15
6 p. m. The Methodist Men will have charge of the Faith, Fun and Food Family Night, which will be held in the Vestry. No one calls, but those coming bring a salad or main dish. Dessert and drinks are provided.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19
6.30 a. m. Lenten Services with the Celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion in the Church.
8 a. m. Lenten Services with the celebration of Holy Communion in the Church.
These two services are to meet the varied time needs of the Church people. These services are open to the public. Each will have a Communion meditation by the Pastor.
6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. Mid-week prayer service meeting in the Vestry.
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20
3.15 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21
8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25
8 p. m. The Evening Circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet.

COMING

The Methodist Church will host an evening program of religious story and song on Friday night, February 28. The Carters' quartette will provide the entire program and the public is invited to hear this group who have sung over the eastern part of this nation and Canada. This is a part of the program of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism to bring outstanding religious talent to Belchertown for the deepening of the life of the entire community.

An Adult Pastor's Class will start on Monday night, March 2. This class will meet in the Educational Building and will be open to all who desire to unite with this church, or who desire to know more about the Church.

W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. in the vestry of the church, with the ladies from the Bondsville Methodist Church as our guests.

The program, in charge of Laura Wood, secretary of promotion, and Anna Witt, secretary of Christian Social Relations, will be a film strip in three parts, depicting the medical, educational, and socio-evangelistic projects representative of the Woman's Division at home and abroad.

Members are asked to bring their "money" bags to this meeting, with a dime for each holiday, etc., bringing the total up to $2.

Refreshment committee for the evening will be Doris Trombly, Edith Theriault and Lois Lowe.

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KLONDIKE DERBY

Hampshire-Franklin Council Boy Scouts held their annual Klondike Derby at Camp Chesterfield last Saturday. Troop 507 of Belchertown had four sleds entered in the race.

The Klondike Derby is a form of Patrol competition which shows the Scouts' ability to work together.

Six teams raced at one time with a fifteen-minute interval between races. The teams were instructed to go to the first station, Frost Corners, where the driver would receive instructions for the rest of the race. Each station, named after an Alaskan city, had a specific requirement for the Scouts; i. e. Fairbanks: compass reading and pacing distances; Polar Cave: judging height and distance; Attu: time trial to build fire and get water boiling in quickest time; Skagway: first aid demonstration; Yukon Peak: Sending and receiving message via signal flags; North Pole: build fire and cook meat, and boil water to make cocoa.

At the end of these stops the team returned to Gold Mine, where they received their scores which were figured on number of points for nuggets received, plus time. Highest number of points won.

Outer Limits—John Fletcher, Gary Munn, David Martins, John Ledue, Ed Casey, Jim Joyal, Larry Breton.

Quabbin Rangers—Lester Ely, Robert Powers, Gary Broughton, John Scott, Richard Potter, Paul Wall, Carl Powers.

Panther—Don Vanasse, Larry Pinkos, Dick Cole, Duane Pelchat, Bill Guyer, Robert Squires, Bruce Officer, and Robert Forest.

Whipporwill—James Nolan, Ken Nolan, Bill Dver, Craig Farrington, Dick Officer, Ken Dorey, Chris Olson, Bob Garrison.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

FEBRUARY 16
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Service
Installation of all newly elected Church Officers and Board Members
Sermon—"The Challenge That Is Lent"
Scripture Lesson—Matthew 4: 1-17
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
8 p. m. Adult Lenten Discussion Group at the Parsonage

FEBRUARY 17-18
The Pastor will attend a Conference for Town and Country Pastors at the Framingham Congregational Center.

FEBRUARY 18
8 p. m. Board of Christian Education

FEBRUARY 19
8 p. m. Women's Guild

FEBRUARY 20
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. Adult Lenten Study Group on "The Christian View of Man"

FEBRUARY 23
10.45 a. m. Sermon—"Peter, the Rock that Quavered!"

The Congregational Church invites all members and friends to participate in the special Lenten Study Groups. The following groups will meet:

Tuesday mornings—Feb. 25 - Mar. 31—to study "Prayer and Personal Religious Living"

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Thursday evenings—Feb. 13 - Mar. 19—to study "The Christian View of Man". This group will continue until June.

Sunday evenings at the Parsonage—Feb. 16 - Mar. 22—open end discussions on subjects chosen by the group.

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The sermons for Lent will be as follows:

Feb 16—The Challenge that is Lent
Feb. 23—Peter, the Rock that Quavered
Mar. 1—Simon from Cyrene—Serving Under Compulsion
March 8—Two Thieves-Til Death Do Us Part
March 15—The Centurian-A Lot but Too Late
March 22—A Donkey - On Being Natural for the Glory of God
March 29—A Cave-The Grave that Gave

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Congregational and Methodist Churches federated a few years ago with Rev. H. P. Rankin as pastor. Federation has not proved a panacea for all the problems, but something has been gained. The Church Schools really federated and the church socials have been productive of a get-together spirit. But the air has been filled with conflicting opinions. So an important meeting of the Congregational Church will be held Thursday evening to consider carefully whether federation is wise or unwise, and whether the Congregationalists prefer to withdraw from the federation.

The laundry building at the State School is being fitted up for an Assembly Hall and will be open to the public on Friday evening.

The poultry school is becoming quite popular in Belchertown. This week's meeting was held in Grange Hall, and the ladies will serve coffee at noon. It was casually reported that George E. Scott stood next to the highest in the county in egg production. There were two main addresses, one on "The Disease of Poultry" and the other on "The Care of Chickens."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Anna J. Collis died at the home of her son, Burt S. Collis, at the age of 79.

Charles L. Randall is the teacher of the Men's Class in the Congregational Church School.

Rev. Kendid Cully is conducting during the Thursday evenings of Lent a series of meetings, the first being "The Place of Lent in the Christian Year."

For their next meeting the Grange is planning a patriotic program in charge of the patriotic organizations of the town.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Belchertown Boys' Club was recently formed, Robert Joyal being elected the first President.

The town of Belchertown voted to purchase of Harold F. Peck a tract of land which will provide 60 extra cemetery lots.

Lewis H. Blackmer announces that he has printed the local town reports for fifty successive years, the first reports being in 1905 which contained 40 pages.

Dr. James L. Collard has the honor of having been chosen District Deputy Grand Master of the 19th Masonic District.

TOPS THE LIST

The following is taken from last Sunday's Boston Herald:

Casimi Owczarski of Belchertown, who still calls Adams his home town, heads a list of three names certified by the U. S. Civil Service Commission as eligible for appointment as permanent postmaster in Adams.

Acting Postmaster John E. Wilk is second and George H. Kirby, a merchant, is third. All three are registered Democrats.

The list will be submitted to U. S. Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, who will recommend one of the three for appointment. Because Adams is in Congressional District 1, represented by Republican Representative Silvio Conte, the patronage is at the disposal of the Democratis senator.

UNORTHODOX GROUND HOG

A good neighbor, Mrs. Jason Johnson, sent us a copy of an article taken from the Berkshire Co., Eagle of February 3:

Hinsdale Ground Hog Plays a Long Shot on Early Spring—

Hinsdale—

Mrs. Nettie Drosehn of Peru Cross Roads reports that Woody, the woodchuck acted in unorthodox fashion on Ground Hog Day yesterday.

She said Woody came out from under the barn at 11 a. m. and saw his shadow, but decided to ignore the traditional admonition to go back for six more weeks of winter.

Mrs. Drosehn says the ground hog took the same gamble ten years ago and won. In that year, she said, looking back from age 79, sap was running on February 25, and spring came much earlier than usual.

Mrs. Johnson comments:

To those of us who still cling to some of the old beliefs, I thought this might be pleasant reading.

Conditions were ideal for that Woody, as he was smart enough to hibernate in so convenient a place to easily come out on time.

Can't you imagine Mrs. Drosehn in her rocker by a window facing the barn all ready for what might happen? Woody did not fail her, but at exactly 11 a. m. sauntered out, found things pleasant and stayed out.

Personally I think he was mistaken, but likely he is a young chuck whose love for adventure, something new to do, got the better of his good judgment.

I wish him luck, don't you?

Mrs. Johnson

SCOUT NIGHT AT LIONS CLUB

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Joseph Ross, executive director of the Ludlow Boys Club, described the workings of that organization, its make-up and activities.

John Phelan, wrestling director at Ludlow, a member of the board of directors, and baseball coach, was introduced, following which the boys brought in the mats, and the tumbling started, the participating group being youngsters 9 to 13 years of age.

The trainer demonstrated the different holds, and the boys went to it, the while the local scouts at the ringside rooted for their favorites. At the last, Larry Breton of the local Scouts with a little coaching, took on one of the Ludlow boys and did very well.

The "Rose Bowl parade" didn't materialize, but the Scouts had a full and wonderful evening. The boys appeared for the first time in their brand new red neckerchiefs.

BOUQUETS— AND BRICKBATS

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tion of the High School that all who may attend—spectators as well as players—adults as well as students—will bear in mind that what they do reflects to the credit—or discredit—of Belchertown High School.

Donald E. Geer
Principal Belchertown High School

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Joanne Gould
Rosemary McLean
Jane Peterson

Grade 11:

Grade 10:
Harriet Cunningham

Grade 9:
Donna Wadsworth

Second Honors

Average 90 and above

Grade 12:
Merle Green

Grade 11:
Edward Bodzinski
Keith Farrington
Linda Martin
Michael Mathras
David Scott
Mary Terault

Grade 10:
Catherine Barry
Patricia Lofland

Grade 9:
Maureen Austin
Nora Austin
Catherine Johnson
Nancy Ladue

Third Honors

Average 85-89

Grade 12:
Catherine Ferenz
Peter Greenan
Susan Hussey
Richard Merrell
Susan Miner

Grade 11:
Christine Gould
Judith Green
Nancy Lonczak
Darlene Willey
Linda Wright
Gretchen Bock

Grade 10:
Richard Adam
Harold Ketchen
Duggan Kimball
Douglass McCallum
Arthur Lemire
Linda Phaneuf

Grade 9:
Beverly Ketchen
Richard Officer

CENTER SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Belchertown Junior High School honor roll for the marking period ending January 31, 1964.

First Honors
All A's

Grade 7
Karoline Kimball

Grade 8
Martha Henneman
Anne Jackson

Second Honors
Average 90 and above

Grade 7
Christine Couture
Elizabeth Kopacz
Doreen Plant

Grade 8
Louise Austin
Margaret Langevin
Cathy Ann Lowe
Gregory Olson
Wayne Willey

Third Honors
Average 85-89

Grade 7
April Capen
Gary Hale
Charlotte Lofland
Glenn Morey
Robert Puder

Grade 8
Mark Barrett
Philip Dahlgren
DaEtta Hull
Linda Lagrant
Mark Lamoureux
Earle McCallum
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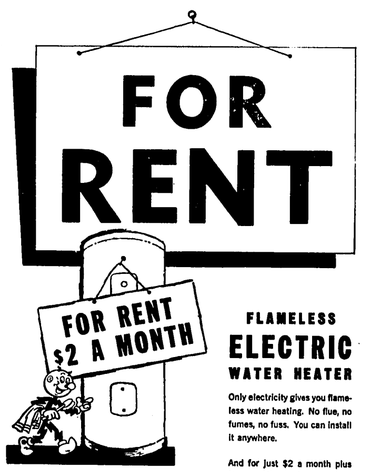

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STATEMENT

My reason for asking your consideration for the post of Selectwoman can best be expressed by the following.

I was not born in Belchertown. Instead, I chose Belchertown to build my home and settle in because this town has many fine things to offer a resident. Geographically, it is ideally situated and has in my opinion a great potential. With the completion of the new Junior-Senior High School, even more people will be attracted to this town. Along with this fine educational facility, there should be a growth in business and commerce. At the present time, the structure of our zoning by-laws and the attitude regarding the interpretation of them has posed a few problems. Whether this can be blamed solely on the by-laws is debatable. Most of our zoning problems could be resolved to the satisfaction of everyone concerned with the right attitude and cooperation between our Planning Board and the Board of Selectmen and brought to a town meeting with enough research so as to be presented for consideration in a proper manner. The necessary increase in our tax rate to offset the cost of our $1,000,000. High School should induce every taxpayer to demand that we try our very best to produce an atmosphere that would attract small industry or business to our town not only for the monetary gain to our tax coffers but also to produce jobs for our increasing number of young people graduating each year from our schools.

The field of vocational education is something Belchertown would do well to explore in more detail. We have an annual appropriation of $14,000 for this purpose, two thirds supplied by the State, not to mention transportation costs. With the millions of dollars that the Commonwealth is spending for the expansion of the State University in our neighboring town, surely Belchertown should have some concentrated effort to induce the State Legislature to consider the location of a State Vocational College in this town. With all due respect to our highly skilled scientists and technicians, it still takes hands to build with. This is a field where many of our young people could find distinction.

In the field of recreation, we have sitting in our back yard Quabbin Reservoir with hundreds of acres of privately owned land surrounding it. This is an area that could be developed, especially since there are federal funds available for this purpose. Thanks to two very enterprising individuals, we have already taken a forward step in that direction.

We need to grow, and the beauty of it all is that we have enough land to grow in without despoiling any of the present existing historical and residential areas such as the town common. This is an area where tradition could be preserved.

These are only a few of the things that attracted me to this town, and knowing full well that progress can only come about with a combination of good business sense as well as vision, I feel that my past experience in finance, industrial production expediting, and at present the insurance field, where I am office manager of an insurance agency, as well as a licensed resident insurance agent in this town, will stand me in good stead in qualifying for the post of Selectwoman.

As to my personal statistics, I was born in Indian Orchard and educated in the Springfield Public Schools, graduating from the High School of Commerce. My daughter, Patricia, is married to Joseph "Rocky" Chadbourne and my son Robert is a senior at Belchertown High. I am a member of the Insurance Brokers Assoc. of Mass. and the Mass. Assoc. of Insurance Women, serving as Co-director of the Hampden County Group. Within this group, I am also serving as State Group Insurance Chairman. At the present time, I am finishing out my second term as Treasurer of the Belchertown Chamber of Commerce.

Because I have a feeling for this town and have already lived and experienced some of life's problems, I would be in a position to understand some of yours, and since we have voted to have a 5 member board of Selectmen, it would be very gratifying to me if you would consider to have at least one woman serving on this board.

Jane L. Gawlik

SERVICE NOTES

Great Lakes, Ill. (FHTNC)—Michael V. Greenan, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Gilbertson of Rockrimmon Road, completed basic training January 31 at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. He is now attending the Aviation Electronics School in Memphis, Tenn. He is assigned to Class H at the school.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Lura Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Sr., of North Washington St., has been placed on the dean's list at the University of Mass. at the end of the first semester marking period. Miss Smith, a Senior, is an education major and recently completed her practical teaching in Miss Flaherty's first grade at Cold Spring School.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

This week Den 6 had a new den chief, Donald Vanasse. He helped us with our cake and our hats. We also made some candy airplanes and some napkin holders.

David Rogers, Scribe

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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proved to be a fitting finale in the Old Town Hall. The Orioles experienced a poor shooting night but overcame the handicap with desire and determination.

Gayton Hebert led the Orioles to a 14-10 first period lead but Chicopee came back to tie it at half time 22-22. Comp held the upperhand during the third session leading by as much as 8 points. But in the final 8 minutes Belchertown struck back. During these hetic moments it was the shooting of Robin Barrett that finally gave the local five the lead. The Junior backcourt star scored 11 of his 16 points in this period hitting on five of his six shots. Once Belchertown got the lead it was Drew Juskalian who saw to it that they didn't lose it. He pumped in 4 consecutive free throws to raise the lead from 1 to 5 points. Barrett and Hebert led the attack with 16 points each while Mike Oberly added 12 to go with his 9 assists. Merle Green once again paced the rebounders.

At Williamsburg this past Tuesday, Belchertown got off to a quick 8-0 lead and then played just well enough to hold the margin. Oberly and Green did the heavy scoring in pacing the local team to a 42-29 lead after three quarters. But Burgy rallied and closed the gap to 48-44 with two and a half minutes to go. Here Barrett took control and drove for three straight baskets to ice the verdict. The Orioles showed their usual balance with four men finishing in double figures. Oberly had 17, Green 15, Barrett 12 and Hebert 10. John Campbell, Burgy's 25 point-a-game man, led all scorers with 19. Green for one period and Barrett for three did an effective job shadowing him.

Belchertown has three road games next week. They'll appear at St. Mary's on Tuesday, Charlemont on Thursday and Holyoke Trade on Friday. The Trade game will start at 7.30 in a schedule change.

THE RECEPTION

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Blake Jackson), with flowers and table setting had helped create just the right atmosphere for the occasion.

Mrs. Dell and Mrs. Donald Geer poured, but if one preferred punch, he could be accommodated in the quietness of the cafeteria, where Mrs. Mullane, the social chairman for the event, and her assistants, Mrs. Lowe and Mrs. Skinner, were the ladies in waiting.

Frank Kosiba provided background music for it all, which added to the "atmosphere," and we understand that many in the background helped out on the event.

About 200 attended. Mrs. Brennen and Mrs. Willey had the guest book in charge.

In the line with the Dunns was Robert Campbell, "Big Brother;" and daughter, Holly Jean, was also present.

Besides Mr. Willey, other members of the school committee in the receiving line were Mrs. Flaherty, Arthur Brennen, David Staples and Lloyd Chadbourne, Jr., who was accompanied by his wife. Principals Geer and Dell also assisted.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS

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in the first place. Having to do this means that she is unavailable for her usual work such as testing eyes and ears, and being available for serious emergencies. The responsibility of transporting children home who should not have been sent to school in the first place, lies squarely on the shoulders of parents.

To facilitate our reaching parents in cases of illness and injury that take place in school it is imperative that we have accurate school records with proper home and business telephone numbers. Shortly you will receive a questionnaire which you will be asked to complete and return to school which will give us this essential information.

Parents are reminded of the current Belchertown School Regulations with respect to communicable diseases particularly German Measles which are in epidemic at the present time. The requirement is that the child remain out of school seven (7) days from the onset of rash. A certificate of good health from a doctor or clearance from the office of the school physician, Dr. Kenneth L. Collard, is required before readmittance to school.

Frank M. Dunn, Jr., Superintendent
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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing at 8 p. m., Saturday, February 29, in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Herman R. Minkley for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a piece of property owned by him located northeasterly of the junction of Liberty and Bardwell Streets and adjacent to land presently zoned Business located along Liberty Street.

F 21

JR. HIGH DANCE

The Junior High School dance, Winter Wonderland, was recently enjoyed at Lawrence Memorial Hall by a large number of seventh and eighth grade students. The tremendous success of the dance was largely due to the efforts of the following committees:

Decorations—Becky Davin, Chm., Linda Lagrant, Patricia Theroux, Lloyd Butler, Kenneth Nolan, Marguerite Brennan, Cindy Brougham, Martha Henneman, Janet Isaac and Anne Jackson.

Refreshments—Jim Lovett, Chm., Sandra Peele, Kathy Martin, Joyce Krol, Susan Ayers.

Tickets and Invitations—Janet Isaac, Chm., Marguerite Brennan, Susan Adams, Patricia Tetrault, and Cathy Lowe.

Music—Wayne Willey, Chm., Mark Lamoureux and James Joyal.

Mrs. Frank Samborski, P. T. A. representative, assisted with refreshments and as a chaperone. Other chaperones included Mr. Geer, principal, and all members of the Junior High faculty. Mr. and Mrs. Collon Norcross assisted with specialty dances, highlighting the social affair.

The dance was planned under the supervision of Mrs. Barbara Field, the eighth grade advisor.

CAMERA CLUB NOTES

The Camera Club meets tonight at 7.45 in Cold Spring School. This is Annual Members' Night. The Developing Tray says:

"This year we will have Helen Marcy presenting "Mediterranean Ports." A number of us have seen some of Helen's slides from her recent trip and we know you will enjoy her presentation.

"Earl Osborn will present "People, Places and Things." Earl informs us that his program contains portraits, nature shots taken on field trips, and other subjects; his slides will be presented with background music.

"Charley's Trip to the Mediterranean' is the title of Charles Vautrain's presentation. Charles has been showing his Mediterranean slides to various groups in the Holyoke area, and we are looking forward to seeing them."

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TOWN ITEMS

Miss Margaret Nelson of North Ryegate, Vt., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Belding F. Jackson of South Main Street.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

The business meeting of the Grange Tuesday evening will be followed by a patriotic program in charge of Miss Helen Lister. Refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. Ethel Hawkins and Mrs. Roberta Chevalier.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 5.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

Heart Sunday.

MONDAY

Firefighters' Association.

TUESDAY

Catholic Women's Club.
Double or Nothing Club at 6.30 p. m.
Lenten Services in St. Francis Church beginning at 7 p. m.
Chamber of Commerce at Legion Hall at 7 p. m.
Evening Group of WSCS with Mrs. Catherine Chadbourne.

WEDNESDAY

Lions Club.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

B. H. S. vs. Wahconah Regional, here.
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Women's Guild Public Supper.
Lenten Services in St. Francis Church beginning at 7 p. m.
Lenten Service of Religious Music at Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

TELEPHONE FACTS

In 1963, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. added 303 new main telephones in the Palmer Area. In Belchertown, 40 additional subscribers were added, 46 in Ware, 44 in Palmer and 173 in the other five exchanges serviced by the Palmer Office, it was reported.

More telephones were added throughout the world in 1963 than in any previous year. Over 9 million additional telephones were placed in service,

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SATURDAY

Vernon Lodge Testimonial Banquet, honoring R. W. Isaac A. Hodgen, D. D. G. M., in Congregational Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Hitched and Unhitched in Vestry at 8 p. m.
Police Association Record Hop.
Vernon Lodge George Washington Birthday Ball at the Chateau Harmony.
B. H. S. vs. Holyoke Trade, there.

TOMORROW

Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet in the Pine Room.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Mar. 2
Annual Town Election.
Mar. 4
B.H.S. vs. Mahar Regional at the U. of M. at 8.30.
Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Mar. 9
Annual Appropriations' Meeting.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 20
Police Association Record Hop.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

Belchertown had its 14-game winning streak snapped by St. Mary's of Westfield Tuesday night, losing 61-56 in overtime. The Orioles experienced bad first and third quarters, but recovered in the second and fourth, only to lose in overtime.

Belchertown fell 14 points behind early in the 2nd session, but battled back behind the shooting of Robin Barrett and Gayton Hebert, and the rebounding of Merle Green to trail 30-29 at half time. However, the local five could not sustain the drive, and fell back to a 43-34 disadvantage, entering the last period. Despite the fact that Green fouled out early in the fourth, the Orioles snarled back. Hoops by Drew Juskalian, Barrett

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HOST REGISTRAR

The first of a series of joint meetings between the Jaycees and the Police Association was held Wednesday, February 12, at the American Legion Hall.

Invitations were extended to local groups and the general public. It was estimated that 100 people attended.

The registrar was introduced by Richard Clark, secretary of the local Jaycees. Others seated at the head table were Police Chief Ernest Gay, Police Association President Edward Czech, Jaycee President Ralph Pittsley, Selectman Michael Mathras, Registry Officers Hughes, Keller and Mc Neil.

Registrar Lawton's topic centered around the many amazing statistics

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REGISTERED VOTERS

Registered Voters—
Prec. A.—Men, 755; Women 780—total, precinct A, 1,535.
Prec. B.—Men, 164; Women, 154—total, precinct B, 318.
Prec. A & B—Men, 919; Women, 934; total A & B, 1,853.

Registered voters by party designation

	Men		
	Prec. A	Prec. B.	
Rep.	223	16	
Dem	132	45	
Ind.	400	103	
	755	164	
	Women		
Prec. A	Prec. B	Totals	
219	14	472	
119	44	340	
442	96	1041	
780	154	1853	

—Robert D. Camp, Sr.
Town Clerk

P. T. A. MEETING

Dr. Robert Byrne of the School of Education at the University of Massachusetts was guest speaker at the P. T. A. on Monday evening, his subject being "Controversial Issues in Teaching Reading." No great controversy developed over what he had to say, as he sat on one of the cafeteria tables, talking informally with the folks, instead of really lecturing. While he was asked some questions, he asked some himself, which added to the interest.

Possibly there was some difference of opinion as to when a child should begin to learn to read—in the crib or later. And there were also the physical factors—sound, sight and hearing. One teacher seemed to think that tests now in use are not 100 per cent dependable.

Dr. Byrne advocated making up reading classes by groups, according to reader rating, etc.

Preceding the talk, Andrew Ketchen and Gerald Tremaine, of the executive committee reported on their trip to a P. T. A. state meeting. Mr. Ketchen told of some of the problems considered there—integration, hate groups, whose activities have to be counteracted, and drop outs.

Mr. Tremaine reported that the type of programs advocated at the meeting were what the P. T. A. here have been enjoying the last few years.

At the business meeting it was stated that copies of the old by-laws have been unearthed, and it was voted that a bylaw committee be appointed, to bring them up to date.

Mrs. White's 4th grade room won the attendance banner.

CARTER QUARTETTE

The Methodist Church will be host for a Lenten Service of religious music and song on Friday evening, February 28, at 7.30 p. m., when the Carter Quartette will sing and witness to what has been done to bring together four people. This quartette, the Carter Quartette, is the only religious bi-racial group in the field and shows what can happen when four people let the Holy Spirit lead. This is a great witness to all of how best the present racial strife can be solved. This problem is at its very core a religious one and must finally be solved on that level of religious faith, Rev. Mr. Green maintains.

America's only *full-time* Interracial-International Evangelistic Party is composed of Evangelist, Rev. Edward Carter, Mrs. Ruth Carter (colored), Miss Treatre Thumith, and Miss Shirley Tupper white). Three members of the team are native New Englanders, while the other is from Michigan.

Rev. Carter is an able preacher, presenting a Christocentic message of the Gospel without sensation hysterics.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE TO SPEAK

Rep. James R. Nolen will be the speaker at the regular Chamber of Commerce meeting next Tuesday evening at 7 at Legion Hall. An invitation is being extended the Junior Chamber to share the evening together.

The subjects of a medical college and a state vocational school, hoped to be located here, will be discussed.

A coffee hour will follow.

The Chamber Nominating committee has submitted the following nominations to the board of directors, two to be elected at this meeting: Walter Boyko, Lloyd Chadbourne, Marguerite Lincourt and Ralph Trombly.

HEART SUNDAY THIS COMING SUNDAY

Again, we the neighborly and concerned citizens of Belchertown will have the opportunity and privilege of sharing for others, our substance, in the continuing crusade against our country's number one killer, Heart Disease.

Under the able and devoted leadership of Mrs. Mitchell A. Sroka, Heart Sunday chairman, and her assistant, Miss Ethel Corliss, volunteer solicitors will seek your support for the maintenance of this most worthy cause. The endeavors of this dedicated group will be more than amply recognized by your generous and cheerful response.

The services of the Massachusetts Heart Association are available to all who need them.

In case you are not personally contacted, kindly send your gift to Mrs. Mitchell A. Sroka, Mill Valley Road Belchertown, or to myself.

"The more you give, the more will live."

Isaac A. Hodgen
Heart Fund Ch. for Belchertown

DATE CHANGE

Representative James R. Nolen will change his regularly scheduled office hours in Belchertown this week from Saturday morning to Friday evening, from 7 'til 9 p. m. in the basement of Lawrence Memorial Hall. Rep. Nolen is making this change because it will be necessary for him to be in Boston on Saturday of this week to attend a meeting of the Massachusetts Education Commission.

POST OFFICE

The post office will be closed all day Saturday, February 22nd, due to Washington's Birthday.

Code of Basketball Sportsmanship Necessary For All Spectators

The article by B.H.S. principal Donald Geer in last week's *Sentinel* should be sufficient to prevent local repetition of the booing which apparently marred the "end of an era" at the Old Town Hall.

It is hard to persuade some fans that a code of sportsmanship is followed in high schools and colleges which is often non-existent when professional teams are playing.

Time was, even in secondary-school circles, when it was the accepted practice to complain loudly at all the referee's decisions which were against "our team", to boo when an opponent was shooting a foul, and in general to act as though all those on the opposing team and from the other town were really "natural enemies."

This is certainly no longer true. The Official Basketball Rules say in one place: "The officials shall penalize for unsportsmanlike conduct by any player, coach, substitute or team follower. If there is flagrant conduct, the officials shall penalize by—banishing any offending attendant or follower . . ."

A further statement following this rule reads that, "Officials may call fouls on either team if its supporters act in such a way as to interfere with the proper conduct of the game."

In short, a referee may call a foul on a booing stand, and a close game could be decided by that free throw! Again, a referee may banish any offending "follower" from the hall and declare a game forfeited if his order is not obeyed.

Enforcement of these drastic rules should never be necessary. However, the crowd must learn that the officials run the game, on the floor *and* in the stands, and that really bad manners are *out*!

Belchertown has become well known for miles around for the high quality of its teams. We should regret it terribly if we should ever become celebrated for displays of bad sportsmanship.

Here is the *Code of Sportsmanship* which is widely followed all over the country. Perhaps it should occasionally be repeated before a crucial contest:

1. We consider all athletic opponents as guests and treat them with all the courtesy due friends and guests.
2. We accept all decisions of officials without question.
3. We never hiss or boo a player or an official.
4. We never utter abusive or irritating remarks from the sidelines.
5. We applaud opponents who make good plays or show good sportsmanship.
6. We never attempt to rattle an opposing player, such as a player attempting a free throw.
7. We seek to win by fair and lawful means, according to the rules.
8. We try to win without boasting and lose without excuses.
9. We ask that every player and fan in the hall do his level best throughout the season to cooperate with us by living up to this code.

That is the way the kids want it. It is too bad when well-meaning adults mess it up!

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Youngsters Get Out of School For Reason Unknown To Oldsters

As I sign parental requests for early dismissals from school for one reason or another, I become increasingly aware that today's children have a number of interests and conveniences which their parents—and certainly their grandparents—missed.

One of these is the automobile, which complicates tremendously the once-simple schedule of a school day. Dates with the "Registry" were pretty frequent before 1964. Now they have multiplied with the requirement that a *Learners' Permit* be secured to entitle a young person to learn to operate a motor vehicle.

To get the LP, an applicant must pass a test at the "nearest branch" of the Motor Vehicle Office. This test is on *sight* and *law*. He gets an appointment which seems usually to be available only while such nuisances as algebra and physics are in session at the school.

Once the LP is secured, there will be time lost for road test, and for exchanging the new-fangled green slip for the precious pink one. Certainly, no one would think of blaming a boy for wishing his license—or a girl either—but it is too bad that the time so often has to come from the school schedule.

Once everything is fixed up, a license secured and a car found, there will be tardinesses caused by engine or tire trouble, and even trips to the insurance company! It is hard to remember that remote time when kids had no cars.

Every little while I excuse someone who is going "to see my lawyer." Such a request probably stems from some motor vehicle skirmish or another, but it always astonishes me. A lawyer, no less! Never in my early life did I have a convenience like that. In fact, as kids we tended to consider lawyers as extravagances reserved for the very wealthy or the very bad! I should have dreaded the very thought of going to see one. Even now, I quaver a bit in their presence.

There are quite a few appointments with the medical profession, too. Dentists still claim the most, but dermatologists and orthodontists are getting their share nowadays. Children need much expensive straightening out one way or another.

Oh well, it's a new and wonderful world! One kid was a bit angry the other day when I did not honor a request for an early dismissal to go to the Income Tax Bureau. We didn't have that in my youth, either!

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Here's What You Can Do To Send the Best Often!

One of Mrs. Steeple's good friends, sending convalescent commiserations in the form of a very cute greeting card, has hit upon a device which has all the earmarks of good Yankee thrift and common sense.

The card goes out without a mark on it except what has been printed by Hall or some other manufacturer. The personal felicitations are on a piece of note paper folded inside the greeting. You are even reminded that it will be very smart of you to reuse the card.

I'm all for this indication of independent thinking, this separation of sentiment from silly over-spending. In the long run the cardmen may not suffer, either. Some of them must be doing right well by the looks of the marvelous treasure trove of really lovely cards we have welcomed to the hospital and the house. Hardly a duplicate in the lot.

Of course, there is the matter of envelopes. It is hard to make a second-hand cover seem really fresh, and cards do look better when they fit the envelope into which they are placed. Maybe one can start to build up a stock of spare envelopes.

And—after a few trips even the best card may become a trifle shop-worn. No greeting is quite the same after the children have got them involved in bubble gum or the guests have used them to serve as rests for ginger ale glasses.

In such cases, the note inside may well read:

Here's best wishes for you, Poppy,
Sorry that the card is Sloppy,
Had no time to Stop and Shoppy.
Hope that this will find you Hoppy!

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"And if I should lose, let me stand by the road
And cheer as the winners go by!"

Berton Brayley
"Prayer of a Sportsman"

—Bob Jackson

Harold W. Willey

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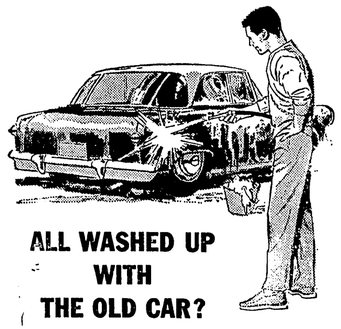

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KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

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Your town election is only a week from Monday—March 2nd. This is an important election, both for you and the town you live in. We ask you to study the candidates carefully—consider their qualifications, experience and what they stand for—then vote. We sincerely believe that the Republican candidates we have recommended to you in this column to be the best for the welfare of Belchertown. But regardless of how you vote—we urge you to vote. There are now some 1900 registered voters in Belchertown—don't be one of those who doesn't vote.

—The Committee

This week—

This year we are electing three selectmen. During the past year the Board of Selectmen have been asked to make many important decisions. All of us have not always agreed with these decisions. One member of the present board is seeking reelection on his record with that board. We offer three new candidates and ask your support for them.

For the one-year term, Frank Farrington is seeking public office for the first time. Frank is Assistant Chief Engineer at the Belchertown State School. He has lived in Belchertown most of his life, attended the local schools, Monson Academy and Tufts College. Frank is the type of young married homeowner and family man that we like to see assuming town responsibilities. Consider his qualifications carefully—you will be proud to vote for Frank Farrington.

There are seven nominations for the two three-year terms on the Board of Selectmen. The two who will best serve the interests of Belchertown are William Squires and Gary Whitlock. Gary has served the town in many capacities in the past and is certainly well qualified to assume this new job. As chairman of the town Finance Board, he has had much valuable experience and training in town government that he can use on the Board of Selectmen. Gary also comes from an area in town that has not been represented on the Board in many years, and with our new five-man Board the northern section of our town should be represented.

Bill Squires is a local business man. He has lived in town all his life and attended our local schools. He is typical of the type of young men we are recommending to you for our new Board of Selectmen. All of these three candidates are young, able, interested and willing to serve you. Be sure to vote for them on March 2nd.

The only contested office that we have not mentioned is that of Moderator. For the past few years this party has not had a candidate for this office. This year, however, we have many requests to nominate a candidate to oppose the present incumbent. In Byron Hudson we have a man who is well known and well qualified. He will conduct our town meetings fairly, impartially and with dignity. We urge you to vote for him on Election Day.

— Gould Ketchen, Chm.,
Republican Town Committee

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Congregationalist and Methodist Federation which was formed about five years ago came to a sudden end this week. The Congregationalists on the next Sunday voted Thursday to withdraw and the Methodists were not sorry. On the next Sunday separate services were held. As one reads the *Sentinel* for the years 1918 and 1919, one can readily see why the Federation took place. It came about naturally. In Oct. of 1918 there was an influenza epidemic so that no public services in either church were held for three Sundays. (One service was held on the Common.) Then, neither church had a settled pastor, and the churches were urged to be careful to save fuel. So the churches held union services in one church or the other. Since the Congregational Church had the larger auditorium, the Methodists cordially invited the Congregationalists to worship with them for the winter, and the invitation was gladly accepted. 1919 was very young when the Methodists secured Rev. H. P. Rankin to fill out the Conference year. The relationship seemed ideal so that when spring came the Congregationalists voted unanimously to adopt the report of the joint committee and formed a Federated Church with the Methodists. In the Oct. issue of the Sentinel the heading "Federated Church" on the first page appeared for the first time. And the Federation was working well throughout the pastorate of Mr. Rankin.

The bronze tablet in appreciation of the work of the Building Committee has arrived and is being placed in Memorial Hall.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Lizzie D. Egleston died at her home on Federal St. at the age of 64.

St. Francis Church presented the motion picture, "Golgotha", appropriate to the Lenten season.

The Minstrel Show sponsored by the Methodist Church drew a full house at Memorial Hall. There were between 30 and 40 minstrelites.

It was Patriotic Night at the Grange, Dr. A. E. Westwell having the entertainment in charge.

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Boy Scout Night at the Lions Club.

The P.T.A. meeting featured a senior class panel and was a drawing card. Mrs. Sophia Pero was chairman, and her understudies were Robert Lindquist, Ann Young, Mary Brown, Blanchette Eaton, Clifford McGinnis and Leland Miner.

The Steeple writes of the welcome news about improvements on Route 9 to Amherst, and adds "We may soon be able to ride with comparative comfort and safety from Belchertown to Amherst."

OMISSION

We are informed that the name of Patricia Very should have been included in the third honor roll (85-89), grade 12, for the marking period recently ended at B. H. S.

TOWN ITEM

Frederick Fitzgerald, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fitzgerald, Sr. of North Washington St. is on the honor roll for the second marking period at Mount Hermon, Northfield.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Monday night results and high man of the winning teams: Turkey Hill 6, State School 0, with Leo Small high with 335; Jackson's 6, Independents 0. Bill Dickinson rolled a 370 for the winners. Park Lane 4, Legion 2 with George Leclerc's 312 being high. Cook's 4, Jabish Brook 2, high man being Sam Dana with 358. Cole's 4, Hilltoppers 2, Dick Cole was high with 300. Gates' "Raiders" took 4 from Reece with E. Lowe's 294 high. Salvage also took 4 from Henneman's. High man here was Jake Bodzinski with 342.

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—R. Hubbard, Sr. 380
2nd High Three—K. Rhodes 379
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High Three-Henneman's 1,655

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	46	8	14075
Turkey Hill	39	15	13593
Jackson's	34	20	13541
Cook's	34	20	13395
Park Lane	33	21	13312
Independents	32	22	13513
Salvage	30	24	13509
Coles	28	26	13303
Hilltoppers	20	34	13064
Gates	20	34	13004
State School	18	36	12686
Reece	17	37	13285
Jabish Brook	14	40	12737
Legion	13	41	12695

110 Club—L. Geoffroy 130, C. Owczarski 111; P. Chlebus 112, 122; E. Henrichon, Jr. 110; L. Small 116, 112; W. Jensen 119; T. Piekara 113; D. Bock 114; K. Main 134; B. Dickinson 131, 115, 124; F. Grover 133; E. Field 115; K. Rhodes 118, 111; R. Blaine 110; J. Yanginski 110, 118; P. Adzima 110; G. Leclerc 111; H. Labroad 118; R. Dana 126, 110, 122; M. Samson 113; R. Hawkins 121; D. Cole 111; B. Ross 113; E. Lowe 111; J. Hubbard 120; A. Henneman 130; D. Pratt 113; J. Tolpa, Sr. 122; F. Bodzinski 112; J. Bodzinski 113, 137; J. Tolpa, Jr. 116.

310 Club—L. Geoffroy 314, P. Chlebus 334, L. Small 335, E. Bock 319, K. Main 334, B. Dickinson 370, F. Grover 328, K. Rhodes 323, J. Yanginski 322, G. Leclerc 312, H. Labroad 311, R. Dana 358, R. Hawkins 322, B. Ross 310, J. Hubbard 320, A. Henneman 325, J. Tolpa, Sr. 331, J. Bodzinski 342.

Next Week's Matches—

Park Lane vs. Reece
Henneman's vs. Turkey Hill
Legion vs. Hilltoppers
Cook's vs. Jackson's
Cole's vs. Jabish Brook
B.S.S. vs. Independents
Salvage vs. Gates

—J. Hubbard, Sec'ty

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

February 13th team results were as follows: Harmony Five 8, Pin Spinners 0; Jolly "5" 8, Bowl-aires 0; King Pins 8, Chadson Gals 0; Pin Pickers 8, Gay Rollers 0; Congo's 6, Nite Outers 2; Crystals 6, Outskirters 2; and Roll-a-ways 4, Hit or Miss 4.

The Pin Pickers made two new season records last week. They had a team high three of 1439 and team high single of 512. Shirley Fitts had high three with 339 and Esther Pierce had 331 for second high three. High single went to Shirley Fitts with 120 and second high single to Esther Pierce with 117.

300 Club—S. Fitts 339, E. Pierce 331, J. Poole 318, P. Bronner 302.

110 Club—S. Fitts 120, 111, E. Pierce 117, J. Poole 112, R. Scott 112, S. Cook 111, J. Reilly 111, M. Barrett 110.

100 Club—P. Hubbard 100, A. Samborski 100, H. Williams 100.

Season Records

High Three—J. Poole 341
2nd High Three—S. Fitts 339
High Single—C. Hubbard 129
2nd High Single—C. Hubbard 127
Team high three—Pin Pickers 1439
Team high single—Pin Pickers 512

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	38	2	6878
Jolly "5"	36	4	6471
Roll-a-ways	26	14	6601
Hit or Miss	24	16	6516
Crystals	19	21	6511
Gay Rollers	18	22	6183
Congo's	16	24	6560
Class B			
King Pins	34	6	6557
Bowl-aires	20	20	6328
Nite Outers	16	24	6089
Harmony Five	14	26	6038
Chadson Gals	8	32	6025
Outskirters	6	34	6031
Pin Spinners	5	35	5968

—R. Dowd, Secretary

COLD SPRING SCHOOL NOTES

GRADE 2B—Mrs. Corbin

Robert Hislop and Edmond Tolzdorf are back to school after having German measles.

As part of Music Appreciation, Grade 2B are listening to the music of Mozart.

GRADE 4B—Mrs. Dobson

On Tuesday, February 18, Mrs. Dobson hostessed an informal "Coffee hour" in her classroom.

The purpose of these informal get-togethers is to give parents the opportunity to meet with the principal, the teacher, and other parents of elementary school children.

Coffee hours have already been held in Grades 1, 2 and 3 at the Cold Spring and Main Street Schools. Coffee hours in grades 5 and 6 at Cold Spring and grades 1 through 4 at Franklin School will be held sometime after the mid-winter vacation.

GRADE 5B—Mrs. Atwood

Mrs. Atwood's Math classes are working on the mid-year "Self Help Tests," using references for aid in their arithmetic problems.

Modern Math classes are showing equations and inequalities by using symbols.

Science classes have worked on mineral treasures and coal formations.

GRADE 5C—Mrs. Foor

This week, Mrs. Foor's reading groups are working on western and pioneer stories.

The latter part of the week will be used for book reports, written and oral reports, and a play about George Washington will be presented on Friday by a group of fifth grade students.

GRADE 6A—Mrs. Austin

Since February is American History Month, Mrs. Austin's class has been writing essays about American heroes, freedom and historical events.

In addition, panel discussions are being planned in connection with the Balkan countries which are being studied at the present time.

GRADE 6B—Mrs. Avery

"Our American Heritage" has been the special theme for the 6th grade this month. Special reading assignments focused on the lives of great men in American History and about events which marked the growth of our nation.

Maps, diagrams and original illustrations climaxed this look at American History.

SERVICE NOTES

San Diego, Calif. (FHTNC)—Leslie E. Squires, airman apprentice, U. S. N., of Jabish Street, Belchertown, Mass., has completed basic training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The nine-week training includes naval orientation, history and organization, seamanship, ordnance and gunnery, military drill, first aid and survival.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Judith Dana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dana of Chauncey Walker Street is on the Dean's list at the University of Massachusetts for the first semester. She is a Physical Education major and English minor.

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CUB SCOUT NOTES

This week Den six finished making all our table decorations for the Blue and Gold banquet. We also had hot chocolate and cookies.

David Rogers, scribe

SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold for Mrs. John Reed of Gold Street, her late father's home located on Cole Street, Springfield, to Mr. Henry Trinque of Springfield.

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FOR

School Committee

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No. 1—Former School Committee Member.

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No. 3—Member past and present School Building Committe.

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No. 5—My thanks for your vote in the caucus.

No. 6—I am again asking your support in the coming election.

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- 1953 Graduate Belchertown High School—Class Salutatorian
- Licensed Real Estate Broker
- President Belchertown Jr. Chamber of Commerce
- Married with four Children
- Employed with Monsanto Chemical Co. for 8 years.

Ralph Pittsley

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass
Epistle—1 Thessolonians 4, 1-7.
Gospel—Matthew 17, 1-9.

There will not be any Sunday School this Sunday, due to the school vacation.

Catholic Women's Club

Mrs Marie E. Eaton, an expert in handwriting analysis will be the guest speaker at the C. W. C. meeting this week, Tuesday the 25th, at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room. Her talk will be on "Reading between the lines".

Mrs. Eaton has been lecturing for fifteen years, and this will be her second visit to the local club.

Members are reminded—only coffee will be served, no dessert.

Masses For The Coming Week

Weekday Lenten Masses, Feb. 24-28—Mon., 7.20 a. m.; Tues., no a. m. Mass, instead Mass at 7 p. m. with a Lenten sermon (confessions prior to the Mass, 6.15 - 6.45); Wed. and Thurs., Mass at 7.20 a. m.; Fri., same as Tues.—Conf. 6.15-6.45, Mass at 7 p. m. with a Lenten sermon.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes for nursery through high school.

11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "Accepting the Unusual" Junior Sermon by the Pastor

6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

7 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. A healing service will follow the evening service.

7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

The Hitched and Unhitched of the Methodist Church will meet this evening at 8 p. m. in the Methodist church vestry with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bellerose in charge. Fun and fellowship for all—see you there.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25

The evening group of the W.S.C.S. will meet Tuesday evening, February 25, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Catherine Chadbourne on Main St.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26

6.30 a. m. Early Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

8 a. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Church Vestry.

6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse. The choirs are rehearsing for Easter morning. All who desire to sing are urged to attend these rehearsals.

8 p. m. The Mid-week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27

6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The square dance club will hold a square dance in Memorial Hall tomorrow evening, February 22, at 8, with John Alden the caller.

Host and hostess are Orie and Loretta Panaccione, with refreshments in charge of Tut and Marilyn Johnson, chairmen; Joseph and Mary Ferro, Mingo and Betty Martins, and Mac and Jennie McLean.

HOST REGISTRAR

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of automobile fatalities in the different age groups. He also expressed concern over the increasing amount of records and files on hand at the present Registry building in Boston. He stated that in the near future a new and greatly expanded building would be needed.

A number of questions were put to the Registrar on various subjects concerning highway travel, safety and matters concerning licenses, etc.

Mr. Lawton praised the Jaycees and Police Association on their endeavor to induce drivers and pedestrians to be cautious while using streets and highways.

A refreshment session was held following the program.

BEAUDOIN—MALONE WEDDING

Mrs. Katherine Beaudoin of Metacomet St. and John P. Malone of East State St., Granby, were married last week Tuesday morning in a double-ring ceremony performed at St. Francis Church by Rev. Joseph Collins.

The bride's only attendant was the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Mary Griffin of Holyoke. Raymond Beaudoin of this town, the bride's son, was best man. John, Thomas and James Malone, all of Granby, and sons of the bridegroom, were ushers.

Mrs. Malone, who was escorted to the altar by her son, chose for the ceremony a pink suit and wore a pillbox hat of shaded pink flowers and a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Griffin chose a green ensemble with matching hat and orchid corsage.

The reception for 50 guests was held at the Old Mill in Westminster. After a wedding trip to Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Malone will live on East State St. in Granby.

STATEMENT

Nearly all of us at some period in our lives get a certain feeling within us to do something constructive and beneficial towards the progress and betterment of the community in which we live. For many months now I have found myself becoming more and more interested and involved in numerous governmental issues and affairs. Most of my participations have proven not to have been in vain. Therefore my desire to be a part of of our local town government has gradually increased to where at this point I would very much like to become an elected town selectman for one of the three (3) year openings.

I feel certain that my ambitions will remain with me for a very long time. Being a property tax payer, having children attending local schools, seeing the need for better streets and highways, knowing that we must go out and work and ask for state and other available aids, are a few of the reasons that would induce me to remain conscientious as one of Belchertown's selectmen.

Furthermore, I would seriously endeavor to assist and work to the best of my ability, with the other four members of the newly adopted five (5) man board, so that it may function and operate in the best of harmony, agreement and quality achievement.

In any event, let's all take part in creating a stronger and better Belchertown.

Richard O. Clark

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

FEBRUARY 23

9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12

9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class

10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4

10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Service

Lenten theme—"They Shared His Passion"

Sermon—"Peter, The Rock That Quavered"

Children's Sermon by Mrs. Miller

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

8 p. m. Adult Sunday Evening at the Parsonage discussion group

FEBRUARY 24

8 p. m. Teachers in the Lower Jr. Dept. will meet

FEBRUARY 25

9.30 a. m. Lenten Study and Prayer Group

6.30 p. m. Double or Nothing Club supper and program

8 p. m. Lenten Study and Prayer Group

FEBRUARY 26

8 p. m. Teachers in the Pre-school Dept. will meet

FEBRUARY 27

7 p. m. Choir rehearsal

8 p. m. Adult Bible Study Group

FEBRUARY 28

6.30 p. m. Public Supper in the Dining Room

7 p. m. Jr. and Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowships will go swimming

FEBRUARY 29

6.30 p. m. Masonic Dinner in the Dining Room

MARCH 1

Sunday 10.45 a. m. Sermon—"Simon of Cyrene, Serving Under Compulsion"

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, Herbert West, Elsa Haller, Blanche Bader and Christine Henry; 2nd, Ruth Kempkes, Joy Wright, Gaetane Fortin and Emma Grover; 3rd, Linda Wright, Franklin Wenzel, Doris Belanger, L. Geoffroy; door, Cora Hubbard and Leon Geoffroy.

This week's party will be in charge of Marion Harrington.

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FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

The Ladies' Fellowship of Faith Baptist Church, Shearer Street, Palmer, extends an invitation to all friends and neighbors of Miss Joyce Wenzel, Bardwell Street., Belchertown, to attend a personal bridal shower. The shower will be held Monday evening, February 24, at 7.30 o'clock at the church. Ladies of the Bresler Block, Ware Branch, will be in charge of refreshments.

Miss Wenzel will become the bride of Mr. Edward H. Gay on February 29 at Faith Baptist Church.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

A very enjoyable patriotic program was given at the regular meeting of Union Grange Tuesday evening. A trip through "America the Beautiful" by means of color slides shown by Joseph Kempkes, Jr., revealed a truly beautiful America.

The following tableau were accompanied by appropriate reading and singing:

"The Great Seal"
"Old Glory"
"Thomas Jefferson"
"Betsy Ross"
"Abraham Lincoln and the Gettysburg Address"
"Freedom"
"Symbols of Democracy"

There was also a humorous reading, "G. I. Joe."

Those taking part were Leon Geoffroy, Mrs. Emma Grover, Mrs. Marion Plant, Henry Eskett, Franklin Wenzel, Clifton Witt, George Poole, Joseph Kempkes, Jr., Diane Pillsworth, Mrs. June Henneman, Lena Wright, Mrs. Joy Wright, Frederick Lincoln, Roy Whidden, Thelma Kempkes, Harriet Chevalier, Harriet Hill and Miss Lister.

Union Grange will visit Granby on Tuesday, February 25 and present a short program.

At the next meeting March 3, there will be a sugar eat for Grangers at 9.30, following the business meeting. Price is 85 cents, for which reservations should be made by February 27th with Frederick Lincoln, Tel. 323-7770; or Mrs. Emma Grover, Tel. ALpine 3-2732.

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For Selectmen - 3 Years—

MICHAEL S. MATHRAS

During Mike's Chairmanship we were capably piloted thru many active years in local affairs with a minimum of confusion. An improved telephone service, a new Post Office, a superb Bicentennial Program, the final selection of our new school, and a well defined road maintenance and improvement program are only a few of the projects instituted or completed during Mike's term.

Certainly we need this type of experience and ability on what may well be a relatively new board. Mike is not a handshaking, back slapping type of candidate, but a man forceful enough to give you the type of representation you deserve.

ARTHUR J. MORIARTY

Belchertown resident for 19 years, married, and a son, High School Student. Member, Board of Appeals and Regional Vocational School Survey Committee. Executive position with Wirthmore Feed Stores for 19 years. This management experience over the years well qualifies Arthur for a business like approach for progress in our community at the present time. He will be a fine addition to the Board.

THEODORE W. SMIST
For Selectman - 1 Year—

Age, 47—Resident, property owner, and businessman in town for 14 years; Veteran of World War II, serving with the U. S. Air Force as an Aerial Gunnery Instructor; Member of American Legion Post No. 239 in Belchertown for the past 14 years. Member of the Belchertown Chamber of Commerce and president for the past two years. Chairman of the Town Beach Committee. Previously employed at the U. S. Rubber Corp. for 11 years in a capacity of Production Control Supervisor.

Will exercise good judgement in determining the requisites of our community and strive for a better economic future of our town at all levels.

MAX J. SLIWA
For Assessor - 3 Years—

Educated in the Chicopee Schools; a resident of Belchertown for 14 years; married and has two sons, both presently attending college. Has been a businessman for the past 12 years. Recently built a new home on his farm on South Liberty St. Max is a well qualified candidate for the office of assessor.

SAMUEL JAY JOYAL
For Assessor - 1 Year—

Life-time resident of Belchertown; attended the Belchertown Schools, graduated in 1952. Member of the U. S. Army from 1953 to 1955; member of Legion Post 239, past commander, present adjutant. Member of the Belchertown Fire Department. Employed the past seven years at B. S. S. and past two years as a painter. Will have the proper amount of time to do a good job if elected.

For School Committee - 3 Years—

HAROLD W. WILLEY

For continued service and sincere interest in the education of our youth within the economy of our community.

JOHN C. CARR

Married, 3 children, two of whom are in school. An Engineer with the Commonwealth of Mass. at Belchertown State School. Past president of both State and National Power Engineers Association. John is presently serving as president of the Belchertown Lions Club; is interested in other civic and town affairs.

WILFRED E. LEMIRE
For Planning Board - 3 Years—

A ten-year resident on a 130-arce farm on Rockrimmon Rd. He is a graduate of "Renouard" in New York City.

Former Superintendent af Standard Greetings, Inc., of Holyoke, Mass. Presently employed at Sickles Co., in Chicopee. Wilfred is very much interested in the future of Belchertown.

ROBERT P. SUTCLIFFE
For Planning Board - 4 Years—

A resident of Belchertown for sixteen years; graduate of B. H. S.; attended Springfield Trade School. Is a Radiac officer in Civil Defense; property owner. Served seven years with the 109th Signal Bn., M.N.G., located in Holyoke. Is a charter member of the local Jr. Chamber of Commerce. Work for Tecnifax Corp. in Holyoke as an electrician, and is a member of I.A.M. Hasset Lodge 1420.

WILLIAM H. HENNEMAN, JR.
For Planning Board - 5 Years—

Life-time resident of Belchertown; educated in the Belchertown schools, graduated from B.H.S. in 1957. Attended Hamden College of Pharmacy and Holyoke Jr. College. Served two years in the U. S. Navy; recalled for one year active duty in 1961 during the Berlin Crisis. Married, no children. Employed at Tecnifax Corp. in Holyoke as a research technician; treasurer of the Belchertown Jr. Chamber of Commerce. A sincere interest in the future orderly growth of Belchertown and the desire and ability to learn what is required of any active member of our Planning Board.

Democratic Town Committee
Bernard J. Bowler, Chairman

For Transportation to the Polls CALL:

Prec. A	3-6665	Prec. B	AT 3-5119
	3-6931		AT 3-5068
	3-7004		AT 3-7185

TOWN ELECTION MONDAY, MARCH 2

Report of Selectmen

The year of 1963 has passed for the Town of Belchertown, and has left behind it many signs of progress. Following after the annual Town Election, the Board of Selectmen organized as follows: Earl F. Henrichon, Chairman of the Board; Walter Tolpa, Jr., Clerk of the Board; and Michael Mathras, Chairman of the Board of Public Welfare.

The Board of Selectmen have met regularly on Thursday nights, and have scheduled additional meetings as they became necessary. Your Board has attended all out of town meetings that required local representation. During this year the Board held a meeting with all Town boards in an attempt to create better harmony and to lessen overlapping of authority in certain areas. We feel that this meeting led to a better understanding between departments and should be a regularly scheduled event.

Our Chapter 81 road program was responsible for the surfacing of 1200 feet on Gold Street, 1400 feet on Gulf Road, 1200 feet on Rural Street, 1500 feet on Boardman Road, 1500 feet on South Washington Street, 1200 feet on Cold Spring Road, and 1200 feet on Warren Wright Road. We hope to see all the above roads completed in 1964. In addition to this work over 42,000 feet of road surface was treated with penetrating sealer. Also under C. 81, the bad curve on Rockrimmon Road was partially eliminated and widened.

New work under Chapter 81 for the year of 1964 will include work on Orchard Street and Eskett Road, which are both school bus and mail routes.

The Chapter 90 construction project on Route 21, under the supervision of Donald Terry, has been completed to the junction of Route 202 and 21 except for shoulder grading which will be completed this year. Due to the number of serious accidents resulting in serious injury and death on Route 21 at Isaac's corner, this Board has written several letters to the Department of Public Works in Boston and in Greenfield. They have recommended that reconstruction of this curve is the only possible solution to this problem. The Department of Public Works estimates that the probable cost of this reconstruction will be $25,000. Large flashing signs (at the cost of $1200 each) were felt by the State engineers to be inadequate as they would do nothing to correct the situation. The Board looks forward to continuing the construction on Bay Road and Stebbins Street in 1964.

Funds allocated by the Department of Public Works under Chapter 782, have enabled us to complete 400 feet of road construction and surfacing on Fuller Street, and 800 feet of reconstruction and surfacing on Jensen Road and the parking area in front of Parson's Field. 1200 feet of bituminous concrete was used to resurface Park Street. New projects to be undertaken under Chapter 782 are the removal of the banks at the side of the underpass on the Three Rivers Road, and further work on Allen Street, East Street and on Daniel Square to eliminate the water drainage problem.

The Board of Selectmen, the Fire Department, the Police Department, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dickinson and their family represented the Town at the Bicentennial Celebration in Wilbraham. A special thanks goes to Dr. Kenneth Collard for his services as chauffeur.

This year of 1963 has shown great progress by the Town of Belchertown in the appointment of Attorney Paul T. Ford, of Amherst, as Town Counsel. His services have been called on by nearly every department in our Town Government. The Board feels that it is good for a growing and progressive town to have all its legal business handled by one lawyer to avoid any confusion in town business.

The Belchertown Civil Defense program has limped along despite the efforts of Mr. Thomas to put some life into it. This program has met with almost complete apathy on the part of the townspeople. Your Board is carrying this program over into the 1964 budget because we feel that it is essential. Civil Defense is like insurance, you hope you never need it, but when you do it can be a matter of life or death to any one or all of us.

The Board has found in Mr. John Reed, our newly appointed Zoning By-law Enforcement Officer, a capable and very competent worker. Mr. Reed is working closely with our Town Counsel to correct some of the circumvention of our Zoning Laws which has been going on. This past year, the Town finally succeeded in getting some of the area of the Loftus property rezoned to Industrial. We have now a correctly zoned area that could be offered to an industry interested in locating in this area.

The Board wishes to commend the Town Beach Committee and those who worked with them for their work in the construction of the New Bath House at the Town Beach.

Much work has once again been done this year to improve the appearance and serviceability of our Town owned buildings. At Memorial Hall new front doors have been installed. We regret that the cost of repairing the floor was far more than the appropriation, so the Board had to delay this much needed work temporarily. At the Town Barn new doors were installed, three stalls were blacktopped, the rear side of the building was clapboarded, and new lights were installed on the outside to facilitate the load-

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HEART OF THE WARRANT—

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1964

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to rezone from Agriculture to Business a portion of the property owned by Herman Minkley near the junction of Liberty and Bardwell Streets and adjacent to land presently zoned Business along Liberty Street, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will petition the State Tax Commission for the installation of the State Assessment System as provided in Section 7A of Chapter 58, of the General Laws or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the School Building Committee for completely furnishing and equipping the new Junior-Senior High School or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to diminish the membership of the Board of Selectmen from five (5) to three (3) members, and to effect said diminution within three (3) years, the members thereof shall be elected as follows: At the Annual Town Election in 1965 one (1) member for a term of three (3) years and one (1) for a term of two (2) years; at the Annual Town Election in 1966 one (1) member for a term of three (3) years; and at the Annual Town Election in 1967 one (1) member for a term of three (3) years; thereafter the said Board of Selectmen shall consist of three (3) members each of whose term shall be of three (3) years duration, and one (1) member shall be elected to said Board at each Annual Town Election after 1967, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to construct a storm sewer drain from the corner of Lot No. 30 on Fuller Street for a distance of 258 feet in an easterly direction and join the line on Mill Valley Road, Belchertown, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, or borrow a sum of money for the construction of an interceptor sewer to serve the Springfield Road-Three Rivers Road area and to construct street laterals, and to see if the Town will authorize the Board of Sewer Commissioners to make application for a Federal Grant as a contribution towards the construction costs; and authorize the Board of Sewer Commissioners to use any Federal Grants received under such application for the purpose of the Grant, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of 1000 Lumen Lamps along Mill Valley Road beginning at Pole #25 and ending at Pole #68 or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the treasury a sum of money for use by the Assessors to reduce the tax rate or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,750.00 to purchase six (6) acres of land, more or less, for cemetery purposes or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept from the Kimball family and heirs, the land, approximately forty (40) feet by forty (40) feet, and cemetery known as the "Kimball-Shaw Cemetery" or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the purchase of a new police cruiser or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money for bills incurred in 1963 or take any action relative thereto.

Board of Health to Albelene Pest Control	$12.00
Town Dump to Joseph Tolpa	40.00
Town Dump to Belchertown Salvage Co.	38.50

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as shall be deemed necessary to defray the expenses listed in the Finance Committee report for the current fiscal year, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) and that said sum shall be added to and become a part of the Stabilization Fund, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for improvements of the following streets, all public ways:

Eskett Road	Beach Road	Moore Road
George Hannum	Shea Avenue	Gold Street
Orchard Road	So. Washington	Gulf Road
Boardman Road	Rural Road	Bardwell Street

or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for permanent construction on Bardwell Street beginning at the junction of North Liberty Street and running westerly therefrom or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 27. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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and Pete Greenan finally gave them a 52-48 lead with 2.30 to go. Belchertown did few things right from this point on. They missed fouls, layups, had the ball taken away from them, and didn't execute their out of bounds plays properly. Still, they led 53-51 with 12 seconds left, but St. Mary's made good on a one and one opportunity to send the game into overtime. The Saints scored 3 quick baskets, and all Belchertown could counter with were 3 fouls by Drew Juskalian.

Belchertown finishes a busy week tonight with a visit to Holyoke Trade. Game time will be 7.30. This was to have been the final game of the season, but another game was scheduled for Friday, February 28th, with Wahconah Regional in Dalton. This will give Belchertown a tough game on a big court, and should serve as good preparation for their tournament test, March 4th.

In the tournament, Belchertown was paired with Mahar Regional of Orange, and will play the second game at 8.30. The first game will match St. Mary's of Westfield with Minnechaug Regional of Wilbraham and starts at 7. Doors open at 5.30. The winners of these two games will meet for the championship at 7 Friday, March 6th.

Adult tickets for the tournament will go on sale Tuesday, February 25, at the following places of business: Belchertown Market, Belchertown Pharmacy, Henneman's Esso and Jackson's Store. Price for the ticket is $1.00. Adults are asked to purchase their tickets in Belchertown, for the high school will receive a percentage of each ticket sold. In addition, it will protect the individual against the possibility of a sell-out.

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Report of Selectmen

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ing of trucks at night. The interior of the Town Hall was repainted and the floors refinished.

1963 saw the start of construction on our long awaited new Jr.-Sr. High School. At this time the construction is on schedule and we hope that it will be completed by September of 1964.

In the year of 1963 the town purchased a new pickup truck to be used by the Highway Superintendent, and one new dump truck was ordered in December of 1963 and delivered in January of 1964 completely equipped with a new snow plow. It is the hope of this Board that the Town will vote favorably the money for construction of an addition to the Town Barn, so that our new equipment may be properly housed and cared for.

The skating Rink at the North End of the Common was enlarged through the efforts of our Fire Department and Police Association and Dr. Kenneth L. Collard. We thank them for the erection of lights so that this area may be enjoyed during the evening hours, by adults as well as young people.

We wish to thank all town departments as well as local organizations that have cooperated with this board to make 1963 a year of progress.

EARL F. HENRICHON, Chm.
WALTER TOLPA, JR., Clerk
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Moderator for 1 year	Vote for One
Henry Renouf	Dem.
Byron A. Hudson	Rep.
Town Clerk for 1 year	Vote for One
Robert D. Camp, Sr.	Rep.
Selectmen for 3 years	Vote for Two
Michael S. Mathras	Dem.
Arthur J. Moriarty	Dem.
William H. Squires, Jr.	Rep.
William Gerry Whitlock	Rep.
Richard O. Clark	Nom. Pa., Dem.
John J. Cyran	Nom. Pa., Rep.
Jane L. Gawlik	Nom. Pa., Dem.
Selectman for 1 year	Vote for One
Frank E. Farrington, Jr.	Rep.
Theodore W. Smist	Dem.
Town Treasurer for 3 years	Vote for One
Robert D. Camp, Sr.	Rep.
Board of Health for 3 years	Vote for One
Kenneth L. Collard	Rep.
Tree Warden for 1 year	Vote for One
Albert W. Brown	Rep.
Sewer Commissioner for 3 years	Vote for One
Harry L. Brougham	Rep.
School Committee for 3 years	Vote for Two
David A. Staples	Rep.
Harold W. Willey	Dem.
John C. Carr	Dem.
Andrew G. Ketchen	Rep.
Assessor for 3 years	Vote for One
Harold B. Ketchen	Rep.
Max J. Sliwa	Dem.
Charles F. Howard	Nom. Pa., Rep.
Assessor for 1 year	Vote for One
Doris S. Squires	Rep.
Samuel Jay Joyal	Dem.
Planning Board for 5 years	Vote for One
William H. Henneman, Jr.	Dem.
Donald Perham	Rep.
Planning Board for 4 years	Vote for One
James F. Hayward	Rep.
Robert P. Sutcliffe	Dem.
Ralph F. Pittsley	Nom. Pa.
Planning Board for 3 years	Vote for One
Donald S. Cole	Rep.
Wilfred E. Lemire	Dem.
Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years	Vote for One
Lincoln A. Cook	Nom. Pa., Rep.
Sidney T. Wheble	Rep.

TELEPHONE FACTS

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PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing at 8 p. m., Saturday, February 29, in the Planning Board rooms in the basement of Memorial Hall on the petition of Herman R. Minkley for a change of zone from Agriculture to Business of a piece of property owned by him located northeasterly of the junction of Liberty and Bardwell Streets and adjacent to land presently zoned Business located along Liberty Street.

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m., Mar. 10, 1964 on the application of Bondsville Realty, Inc., for a variance to use a trailer for housing, on property located on the Belchertown side of Swift River, and off Franklin St., a distance of some 100 yards, and North of building No. 9 on property owned by the Bondsville Realty, Inc.

Henry Renouf, Chm.
Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Arthur Moriarty
Ira Shattuck

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m., March 10, 1964, on the application of Henry and Helen Renouf for a recreation area permit for their property on Baggs Street, known as Robin Farm and consisting of 630½ acres, more or less.

Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

LAND COURT

(Seal) Case No. 41431 Misc.

To Herve Choiniere and Margaret Choiniere, of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire and said Commonwealth; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Mechanics Savings Bank, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Holyoke, in the County of Hampden and said Commonwealth, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Belchertown, Amherst Road, given by Herve Choiniere and Margaret Choiniere, to the plaintiff, dated April 1, 1955 and recorded with Hampshire Deeds, Book 1191, Page 380, has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the sixteenth day of March 1964 or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court this twelfth day of February 1964.

THOMAS B. CUMMINGS,
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To all persons interested in the estate of JAMES E. ISAAC, JR., late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that BERTHA M. ISAAC of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person, be appointed administratrix of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of March, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of February, 1964.

Frank E. Tult, II, Register

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Annual Town Election. Polls open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.
Church Cabinet in Parish House at p. m.

TUESDAY

Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

B.H.S. vs. Mahar Regional at the U. of M. at 8.30.
Masonic Meeting.
Friendly Service Meeting in the Parish House at 10.30 a. m.

THURSDAY

Official Board of Methodist Church in Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

First Friday services in St. Francis Church at 7 p. m.

SATURDAY

Mar. 7
W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.

PUBLIC HAT SALE

This week Saturday a Hat Sale will be conducted by the W. S. of C. S. in the Methodist Vestry from 7 to 10 p. m.

Come in and get your Easter bonnet.

PUBLIC SUPPER

The Women's Guild will serve a public supper in the Parish House tonight at 6.30. The menu will consist of meat loaf, mashed potatoes, peas, carrots, cole slaw, rolls and coffee, with dessert of gingerbread and whipped cream.

The price is 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children.

The committee consists of Mrs. Harriet Chevalier, Mrs. Marion Cook, Mrs. Alice Lofland, Mrs. Joan Clark, Mrs. Raymond Reece, Mrs. Harriet Hill and Mrs. Cyrilla Malcolm.

Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

B. H. S. vs. Wahconah Regional, there.
10th Annual Legion Variety Show.
Women's Guild Public Supper in the Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
Lenten Services in St. Francis Church beginning at 7 p. m.
Lenten Service of Religious Music at Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m.

TOMORROW

Vernon Lodge Testimonial Banquet, honoring R. W. Isaac A. Hodgen, D. D. G. M., in Congregational Parish House at 6.30 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Public Hat Sale in the Methodist Vestry from 7 to 10 p. m.
Square Dance Club Graduation in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Mar. 9
Annual Appropriations' Meeting.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 20
Police Association Record Hop.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

FIREFIGHTERS' ANNUAL MEETING

The firefighters held their annual supper meeting at headquarters last Monday night. It is really the big occasion of the year. About a dozen pitched in to get up the meal, plus a lady in absentia, and it was something of which to be proud.

Guests included Earl Henrichon, chairman of the board of selectmen, who commented on the fine spirit of the group, J. Raymond Gould, Frederick Lincoln, and the local editor, who resurrected some verses written 25 years ago, when baseball games were played on the north end of the common.

Of course, former chief Mit Baggs, was no guest—he still attends most of the regular meetings.

Deputy Chief Edmund Tetrault of the Greenfield fire department, who has conducted two ten-weeks' classes here, where he is highly thought of, sent a letter regretting that he could not be present.

The group voted $15 to the heart fund. It also voted to purchase identification plates for cars of members, so traffic officers can assure them the green light.

New blood keeps flowing into the organization. Carl E. Peterson was welcomed into the group on Monday evening.

Donald Bock, who is in charge of the Auxiliary group, which recently had its own blowout, is now Lieut. Bock.

Some pleasantries were passed on the fact that the Police Association had not yet responded to their challenge to meet them on the basketball court.

Officers elected Monday evening were:

Vice-President	Carl J. Peterson
Secretary	David Hodgen
Treasurer	Harold Peck

The chief is appointed by the selectmen.

The House and Supper committee consisted of Louis Shumway, Ernest Gay, Donald Bock, Lawrence Bowser, Jr., John Hubbard, David Staples, Albert Dewhurst, Elwyn Bock, Kenneth Bristol, David Hodgen, William Squires, Harry Brougham and Hubert Greene.

Chief Louis Fuller presided at the business meeting.

Election Day

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1964

Polls Open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Precinct A—
Lawrence Memorial Hall

Precinct B—
Franklin School

VARIETY SHOW TONIGHT

The 10th annual Legion Variety Show will be held tonight at 8 in Memorial Hall. William Squires is master of ceremonies. Pianist is Marion Plant. Stage managers are Harvey Dickinson and Everett Plant.

The program has the usual variety of numbers: accordion solos, tap dances, piano solos, guitar numbers, the Drifters: and quite outstanding at the rehearsal on Sunday were the Beatles. Another new group, "The Raam Rods," will also appear.

Prices are 75 cents and 50 cents.

Refreshments will be served by the Women's Auxiliary.

LODGE TO HONOR HODGEN

Vernon Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will honor R. W. Isaac A. Hodgen, recently appointed district deputy grand master of the 19th Masonic District at a testimonial dinner at the Congregational Parish House tomorrow night.

BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET

It has been said, "There'll always be an England." As one looked in on the Blue and Gold Banquet in the crowded Pine Room last Saturday night, he was convinced that "There'll always be a Belchertown,"—and it will be a lively one.

It was stated that this is the 54th year of Scouting, so, of course, "Happy Birthday" had to be sung.

Assistant Scoutmaster Nolan spoke of the increase in Boy Scouts in the past year—17 to 45—and looked forward to welcoming a lot of Cubs in the Boy Scout troop in the not distant future.

A wonderful meal was served at 6.30, with Messrs. Lapointe and Ruel in charge, assisted by a lot of others. Girl Scouts assisted in waiting on the tables.

All sorts of unique decorations were on the tables, most of them the work of the Cubs themselves; and many a table boasted a fancy birthday cake.

As the Pack Number is 57, Fr. Collins cutely commented on its appropriateness, due to the "57 varieties" on the menu.

Scout executive Dzwonkowski, as usual, pled for cooperation and support on the part of parents. He called for a big hand for Mrs. Lapointe, the hard-working leader of the Cubs—and that is what they gave her.

Of course, the awards drew endless applause, as the youngsters came proudly forward to get them at the hands of Cubmaster Hutchinson, the master of ceremonies.

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HEAR REPRESENTATIVE

Representative James R. Nolan, fresh from the legislative halls in Boston, breezed into the joint meeting of the two Chambers of Commerce, as per invitation, on Tuesday night, and talked about the proposed medical school and vocational schools.

He was quite sure that not even a tentative location of the medical school would be decided upon until late summer. He believed that no requirements for such a school had been made. As for vocational schools, he said that all that could be expected would be regional schools.

He was much in favor of the two types of schools, stating that such state supported institutions will make it possible for young people to go into professions otherwise not financially available.

As for vocational schools, he said that by having evening classes, those older in years could take refresher courses.

A new one was Rep. Nolan's opinion that not only must juvenile delinquency be counteracted, but that the older age group with more and more time on their hands, may create a new problem. They were alluded to as Retired Delinquents.

At the busines meeting which preceded, Ralph Trombly and Rocky Chadbourne were elected directors.

Richard Clark of the Jaycees read a letter signed by the selectmen, addressed to the dean of the proposed medical school, as a result of which it was hoped that requirements of such a school might be ascertained before drawing up a brochure, as has been contemplated.

Theodore Smist, president of the senior Chamber, presided. A number of Jaycees attended.

CARTER QUARTETTE TONIGHT

Repeat Notice

The Methodist Church will be host for a Lenten Service of religious music and song on Friday evening, February 28, at 7.30 p. m., when the Carter Quartette will sing and witness to what has been done to bring together four people. This quartette, the Carter Quartette, is the only religious bi-racial group in the field and shows what can happen when four people let the Holy Spirit lead. This is a great witness to all of how best the present racial strife can be solved. This problem is at its very core a religious one and must finally be solved on that level of religious faith, Rev. Mr. Green maintains.

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A Few Dates Are Good—
Have You One With William?

It is generally conceded that the study of history should be much more than the memorization of many dates.

On the other hand, it is essential that we select a number of milestones in the march of events, and keep them in our minds as reference points. Otherwise we shall find ourselves in the sort of fog that seems to surround lots of people as they grope around in the past, never quite certain whether or not Jefferson ever sent a telegram, or if there was a Chicago in 1812.

1607 — 1620 — 1775 — 1788 — 1828 — 1861-65 — 1898 — 1917 — 1929 — 1941 — 1945—How many of these pegs help you in your remembering of United States history? And what others?

In the history of literature few dates remain firmer in my mind than 1564-1616, the span of the life of William Shakespeare, who still maintains his place as the greatest of all English authors, and perhaps of all those who lived by the pen in all countries, in all time.

1964, then, marks the 400th anniversary of Shakespeare's birth, and the event is being celebrated all over the world. The exact date is unknown but the date of his baptism is recorded as of April 26, 1564.

All thirty-seven of his plays will undoubtedly be produced this year, although there is nothing so remarkable about that. Most of them would be staged regardless of what year it was.

The Kirby Theater at Amherst College is presenting *Twelfth Night* for eight performances, the last five of which start tonight, and include a matinee tomorrow, and the concluding performance on Monday evening, March 2.

In several Stratfords, including the one in nearby Connecticut, there will be outstanding festivals. To be properly dated, try to include William once or twice in 1964!

Smith Brothers Now Merging
Will Soon Beard Your TV!

I have been reading in *Time* that Smith Brothers Cough Drops have merged with Warner-Lambert Pharmaceutical and that we'll be hearing much more about them pretty soon. The bearded brothers ("Trade" and "Mark") will be getting on the competitive ball, and Vicks and Luden's will be searching hard for new coughers to keep their coffers from shrinking.

It was probably the Smith boys that made coughdrops what they are today. Once they were just horehounds and no patents! But the Smith business has been lagging of late.

We'd hate to have the Smith product disappear. Only one man knows the formula. That is the stepson of the late William Smith ("Trade"). But millions of us know the flavor!

Some of these old trademarks are important to us who have come along through the century with them. Take poultry seasoning, for instance. To us, it has to be *Bell's*. Dressing seasoned with any other brand just doesn't taste right, somewhow.

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Some brands I don't seem to see as often as I did once. Sapolio — Uneeda — Gold Dust — Pluto Water — They're around, but not quite as talkative as they once were.

"Moxie" has tried to keep afloat in the Coke floods, but has had its troubles. "That man" used to point at me from every drugstore window.

Have you tried any *Mentholatum* with your *Cuticura* lately?

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Cold Figures

According to one of our insurance companies, about twenty million people in the United States are down with a cold today. Almost everyone has at least one cold a year, and on the average it keeps us off the job threee days. The cost of colds to the country adds up, says this company, to some five billion dollars a year. Whatever else may be true about them, colds are surely the best-advertised ailment on TV and the most widely used as alibis for the man who can't make the office on a Monday morning.

The American Medical Association says the best way to avoid colds is to:

1. Keep strong by a well-balanced diet.
2. Get adequate rest.
3. Don't sit or lie in a draft.
4. Beware of chilling and overheating.
5. Try to avoid close contact with persons who have colds.

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From Slide Burns to Side Burns

One of the physical education men said something about *slide burns* the other day and for a minute we were confused, thinking he was saying *side burns* and talking about whiskers.

A *slide burn* is a painful injury to a leg or rump, caused by friction while sliding into a base. An older generation of baseball players knew just the remedy for such sore spots. It was tobacco juice, made right at the game. This juice (with cud) was put on the scrape and the cud covered with a piece of toilet issue. Very reliable cure. Just as good as fresh cow manure used to be for certain injuries back on the farm.

Side burns are, of course, quite different. Those interesting facial decorations got their name from General Burnside, a Union leader in the Civil War. How the words got turned around is anyone's guess.

The word *whiskers* comes from *whisk,* as in *whisk broom,* and a *whisk* was probably a wisp of straw, which is quite descriptive of some whiskers.

And while I'm on the subject, I wish some good soul would do a legend for that marvelous composite photograph in Johnny's Barber Shop, showing all the Bicentennial Bearded Men. Even now I can't identify some of them. The legend could be pasted on the back of the picture.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"A cold is both positive and negative; sometimes the eyes have it and sometimes the nose."

—*William Lyon Phelps*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

35 people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lincoln to celebrate their tenth wedding anniversary.

The Congregational Church School organized with H. F. Curtis as S. S. Supt. The Christian Endeavor Society organized with William Chamberlain as President.

At a special meeting of the Historical Association a tablet was purchased to be put up on the newly completed Ford Annex.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Leon E. Williams of Springfield Road died at his home at the age of 51.

"Blue Meadow School", long heralded in the *Sentinel* was the product of the brain of C. L. Randall and took place last Friday night. It was a faithful reproduction of the schools a hundred years ago. Some of the cast were the descendants of those who used to live in the Blue Meadow district. Belding F. Jackson took the part of Mr. Forward, the teacher, and the Prudential Committee consisting of C. L. Randall, Roswell Allen and H. C. Knight, fired the teacher at the close of school because he had adopted so many new fangled notions, like spelling "labour" without a "u", or leaving the "k" off of "musick". A surprise coincidence took place when at the proper psychological moment the wooden water pail suddenly collapsed (it was not planned in the play) at the time when complaint was made that a new waterpail was needed.

A wedding took place in the Congregational Church when Grace Shattuck became the bride of Baldwin Steward.

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Boy Scout Night at the meeting of the Lions Club. Nearly 20 Scouts appeared in uniform. Andy Sears recited the Scout laws in rhyme. The various patrols gave demonstrations, such as methods of first aid, and making a stretcher.

It was Game Night at the meeting of the Double or Nothing Club, and it was called a Telephone card party, and the games went all the way from pool and bowling to Canasta.

Major Edward L. Dyer, formerly of this town, died at the age of 65 in Washington, D.C.

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THE "ANGEL FLIGHT"

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A candy sale on Valentine's Da has helped the Angels build up funds by which they hope soon to be able to launch some major service projects. The Angels began their program of service even before their initiation with an evening of Christmas caroling at a local home for the aged and are now organizing into a glee club. The Angels also take the daily responsibility of serving coffee at the R.O.T.C. building. And a major event in the future—the Angel Flight will act as hostesses at a Memorial Service for our late President, John F. Kennedy, in March.

Leonora A. Mullane, daughter of Mrs. Phyllis A. Mullane, Mill Valley Rd., Belchertown. 1963 graduate of Belchertown High.

Sheila M. Mullane, daughter of Mrs. Phyllis A. Mullane, Mill Valley Rd., Belchertown. Chosen Flight Commander of the Angels. Member of the Newman Club, the Equestrian Club, and President of the History Club. Senior History major. 1963 graduate of Belchertown High School.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The Garden Club will meet Thursday, March 5, at 2 p. m. at the Library. The program has been changed, and Mr. Malcolm Modrzakowski of the staff of the Veterans' Hospital at Leeds will be the speaker. He will give an illustrated talk on their flower show and explain the horticultural program.

Hostesses will be Mrs. E. H. Rist Jr., Mrs. Harold Curtis and Mrs. Howard Dickinson.

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THESE **REPUBLICAN** CANDIDATES, WHO ARE ACTIVELY SEEKING THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, HAVE THE TIME, DESIRE, AND QUALIFICATIONS TO SERVE THE TOWN BEST.

MODERATOR—BYRON A. HUDSON

In Byron Hudson we have a man who is well known and well-qualified. He will conduct our meetings fairly, impartially, and with dignity.

SELECTMAN—WILLIAM H. SQUIRES, JR.

(3 Year Term) Bill's experience as Civil Defense Director and Chairman of the Planning Board has proven his interest in the welfare of our town. As a local businessman and property owner, he appreciates the problems of the businessman and the taxpayer in a small town and has worked to encourage an atmosphere that will attract other businesses and small industry.

SELECTMAN—WILLIAM GERRY WHITLOCK

(3 Year Term) Gary is serving his fifth year on the Finance Board, presently as its Chairman. While a member of the Board, he has helped to initiate and support many, progressive long-range programs. His experience on this board has given him an excellent understanding of town affairs and town needs, thus well qualifying him to serve the town in the capacity of selectman. Gary resides in an area of town, Dwight Station, which has not been represented on the Board of Selectmen for many years. With the new five-man Board the northern section of our town should be represented.

SELECTMAN—FRANK E. FARRINGTON, JR.

(1 Year Term) Frank's experience as Assistant Chief Engineer at B.S.S. will be of great value to the Board since his technical training enables him to make critical and sound judgments. His interest lies in true economy. Living in a rural area he understands the problems of such sections and will work for their betterment within the economy of the town.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—DAVID A. STAPLES

(3 Year Term) Dave now is completing a one-year term on the School Committee, to which he was elected by a large majority. He serves as the Committee's representative on the School Building Committee for our new Junior-Senior High School. Those who have served with him know his outstanding work and his dedication to the youth of our town.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—ANDREW G. KETCHEN

(3 Year Term) Andrew is now a member of the School Building Committee and has served three years on the School Committee. He is experienced and proven and in the past has contributed much to this Committee. As a prominent local farmer, Andrew represents an important segment of our community. He is interested in obtaining for the town's youth the best educational opportunities that our tax dollar can provide.

ASSESSOR—HAROLD B. KETCHEN

(3 Year Term) Harold's past experience first as a member and then as Chairman of the Board of Assessors provides him with a thorough understanding of the town's real estate evaluation. He has attended Assessors' School and has worked with State Auditors in setting previous tax rates. We need his experience in this important office.

ASSESSOR—DORIS S. SQUIRES

(1 Year Term-filling unexpired term) Appointed as a member of the Board of Assessors, Doris has conscientiously served the town during the past year. Previously she acted as Clerk of the Board for 14 years. Her experience in maintaining the town's evaluation records will be invaluable to the other board members.

PLANNING BOARD—

This year due to resignations three vacancies are to be filled on the Planning Board. This is an important board whose many decisions may have a far-reaching effect on the future growth and development of our community. All areas of town should be represented.

DONALD S. COLE

(3 Year Term) A young businessman from the south end of town, he will make an excellent Board member. He has served effectively on the Town Beach Committee and is active in the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

JAMES F. HAYWARD

(4 Year Term) Mr. Hayward represents the Lake District and the north end of town. He has shown much community interest in the past and will strengthen the Board.

DONALD PERHAM

(5 Year Term) He would represent the center of town. Don is the type of civic-minded resident we like to see assuming important town responsibilities.

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER—SIDNEY T. WHEBLE

(3 Year Term) Sidney, a resident of Belchertown for 25 years, intends to support the Commissions' progressive work. He is interested in an expansion program which is vital to the town.

UNCONTESTED OFFICES

TOWN CLERK, AND TOWN TREASURER—ROBERT D. CAMP, SR.

Robert D. Camp, Sr. has served the town for many years as Tax Collector, Treasurer, and Town Clerk. This year he is up for re-election for Town Clerk, and for Treasurer. That he is unopposed is testimony to the fine job he is doing.

BOARD OF HEALTH—DR. KENNETH COLLARD

Dr. Kenneth L. Collard has served the town as a member of the Board of Health for several terms and the town is indeed fortunate that he is willing to give of his time and professional knowledge to this position for which he is so well qualified.

TREE WARDEN—ALBERT W. BROWN

Albert W. Brown is our present Tree Warden. He is a professional tree expert. It would be hard to find a better qualified and more devoted man in the entire State.

SEWER COMMISSIONER—HARRY L. BROUGHAM

Harry L. Brougham is your candidate for Sewer Commissioner. He has been engaged in the construction business for the last several years and should be well qualified to serve on this important commission.

FOR TRANSPORTATION CALL:

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Vote In The Town Election . . .
MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1964

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE **Gould Ketchen, Chairman**

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

There will be a requiem high Mass for Mrs. Amelia Lapointe at 8 a. m. Requested by the Engineering Department of B.S.S.

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Third Sunday In Lent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Ephesians 5, 1-9.
Gospel—Luke 11, 14-28.

— Mass Schedule —

Weekday Lenten Masses, March 2-6—Mon., 7.20 a. m., Tues., 7 p. m.; Wed., 7.20 a. m.; Thurs., 7.20 a. m.; Friday (See First Friday Schedule).

— Released Time —

Released Time classes will be held on Thursday, March 5 at 11.30 and 12.30 at the church.

— First Friday Schedule —

The schedule for the First Friday in March: Conf. at 7, Mass at 7.20 a. m.; Conf. from 6.15 to 6.45, Mass at 7 p. m.

The leaders of the various discussion clubs will meet at 8 p. m. Friday.

— Coming Events —

Mar. 22. Palm Sunday.
Mar. 26. Holy Thursday.
Mar. 27. Good Friday.
Mar. 28. Holy Saturday.
Mar. 29. Easter Sunday.

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARIES

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Nichols will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 1 at the home of a niece, Mrs. Gerald White, 563 Chapin St., Ludlow, with an open house from 2.30 to 9 p. m. Also to be celebrated will be the 80th birthday of Mrs. Nichols.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY WARE

One of the main themes at Christian Science churches this Sunday will be from John (1:17): "The law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ."

The Bible Lesson on "Christ Jesus" will also include this selection from the Christian Science textbook: "Christianity as Jesus taught it was not a creed, nor a system of ceremonies, nor a special gift from a ritualistic Jehovah; but it was the demonstration of divine Love casting out error and healing the sick, not merely in the *name* of Christ, or Truth, but in demonstration of Truth, as must be the case in the cycles of divine light" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 135).

HEART FUND SOLICITORS

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Lower Mill Valley Rd.—Donna Wadsworth
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Franklin St.—Bonnie Opielowski
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Bay Rd. & Poole Rd.—Mrs. Perron
Amherst Rd.—John Carpenter
Stebbins St. & Daniel Sq.—Carl Theroux
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No. Main St.—Harriet Cunningham and Jane Skinner
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Sargent St.—Linda Towne
Daniel Shays H.—Mrs. Sylvia Conkey
Jackson St.—Patricia Menard
Cottage St.—Harriet Chevalier
Walnut St. and around Common—Michael Miller
Maple St. & Howard St.—Sandra Joyal
State St.—Mrs. Allan Witt
Gold St. and Munsell Rd.—Mrs. James Lodge
Jabish St. and Old Enfield Road—Mrs. John Bailey
Amherst Rd., Lower Federal, Allen St., Boardman, Eskett, Rural, Metacomet, Orchard, and Warren Wright Rd.—Mr. Russell Robinson
Quabbin—Mrs. Arthur Brennen

UNION GRANGE NOTES

Grangers, did you make your reservations for the sugar eat next Tuesday evening? If you haven't, do so immediately by calling Fred Lincoln or Mrs. Emma Grover.

Pomona meets at Granby, Thursday, March 5.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Gary Gay, Acolyte

SUNDAY, MARCH 1
9.45 a. m. Sunday School with classes through high school
11 a. m. Morning Worship
The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated
Communion Meditation by the Pastor
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry
7 p. m. Evensong will meet in the Church. The Belchertown-Ware Area will have the Union Worship Service with Mr. Green, preaching. There will be a free song service till 7.30 when the Area service will start. All are welcome.
7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28
7.30 p. m. The Carter Quartette will bring an evening of The Word and Song.

MONDAY, MARCH 2
7.30 p. m. The Adult Pastor's Class will meet in the Educational Building.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Membership and Evangelism will meet at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Fred Very. All members are urged to be present.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4
6.30 a. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated for those desiring an early service
8 p. m. Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse
8 p. m. The Mid-week service will be held in the Vestry

THURSDAY, MARCH 5
2.15 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church
7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry

FRIDAY, MARCH 6
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage

On Sunday, March 8, the local Methodist Church will join with Methodism everywhere to take a special offering for overseas relief. Cooperating with other protestant denominations the One Great Hour of Sharing will be observed. The Local Funds will be used by the Methodist Church to further its work in military camps, Chaplain work and emergency needs around the world.

Classes are now being prepared for church membership. If you desire to unite with the Methodist Church you should contact the Church Office at 323-7584 at once. More about times for classes.

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APPRECIATE SUPPORT

The Belchertown Junior Chamber Hootenanny held on the 15th of this month was a sucess and the committee would like to thank all who contributed in making it such a big hit.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

MARCH 1
Sermon—Simon from Cyrene, Serving Under Compulsion
Sacrament of Holy Communion
3 p. m. Church School teachers will visit Sinai Temple
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Fellowship will meet
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
8 p. m. Lenten Discussion Group at the parsonage

MARCH 2
8 p. m. Church Cabinet in the Parish House

MARCH 3
9.30 a. m. Lenten Study and Prayer Group
8 p. m Lenten Study and Prayer Group

MARCH 4
10.30 a. m. Friendly Service Women's Group in the Parish House

MARCH 5
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. Lenten Bible Study Group

MARCH 8
10.45 a. m. Sermon—Two Thieves 'Til Death Do Us Part
5 p. m. Family Night Potluck Supper and Church School Survey Night

DOUBLE OR NOTHING NOTES

Dr. Richard H. Price of the State School staff, was the speaker at the Double or Nothing Club Tuesday evening. After presenting his "Practical Philosphy," he answered many questions on Hypnosis.

Before the address, eleven couples sat down to a pot luck supper. After the address there was a business meeting conducted by President John Bailey. It was decided to hold the March meeting on March 31 for a Table Game party. It was hoped that the April meeting would be an Hawaiian meeting, the May meeting a trip, and the June meeting a picnic

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For Selectmen - 3 Years—

MICHAEL S. MATHRAS

During Mike's Chairmanship we were capably piloted thru many active years in local affairs with a minimum of confusion. An improved telephone service, a new Post Office, a superb Bicentennial Program, the final selection of our new school, and a well defined road maintenance and improvement program are only a few of the projects instituted or completed during Mike's term.

Certainly we need this type of experience and ability on what may well be a relatively new board. Mike is not a handshaking, back slapping type of candidate, but a man forceful enough to give you the type of representation you deserve.

ARTHUR J. MORIARTY

Belchertown resident for 19 years, married, and a son, High School Student. Member, Board of Appeals and Regional Vocational School Survey Committee. Executive position with Wirthmore Feed Stores for 19 years. This management experience over the years well qualifies Arthur for a business like approach for progress in our community at the present time. He will be a fine addition to the Board.

THEODORE W. SMIST
For Selectman - 1 Year—

Age, 47—Resident, property owner, and businessman in town for 14 years; Veteran of World War II, serving with the U. S. Air Force as an Aerial Gunnery Instructor; Member of American Legion Post No. 239 in Belchertown for the past 14 years. Member of the Belchertown Chamber of Commerce and president for the past two years. Chairman of the Town Beach Committee. Previously employed at the U. S. Rubber Corp. for 11 years in a capacity of Production Control Supervisor.

Will exercise good judgement in determining the requisites of our community and strive for a better economic future of our town at all levels.

MAX J. SLIWA
For Assessor - 3 Years—

Educated in the Chicopee Schools; a resident of Belchertown for 14 years; married and has two sons, both presently attending college. Has been a businessman for the past 12 years. Recently built a new home on his farm on South Liberty St. Max is a well qualified candidate for the office of assessor.

SAMUEL JAY JOYAL
For Assessor - 1 Year—

Life-time resident of Belchertown; attended the Belchertown Schools, graduated in 1952. Member of the U. S. Army from 1953 to 1955; member of Legion Post 239, past commander, present adjutant. Member of the Belchertown Fire Department. Employed the past seven years at B. S. S. and past two years as a painter. Will have the proper amount of time to do a good job if elected.

For School Committee - 3 Years—

HAROLD W. WILLEY

For continued service and sincere interest in the education of our youth within the economy of our community.

JOHN C. CARR

Married, 3 children, two of whom are in school. An Engineer with the Commonwealth of Mass. at Belchertown State School. Past president of both State and National Power Engineers Association. John is presently serving as president of the Belchertown Lions Club; is interested in other civic and town affairs.

WILFRED E. LEMIRE
For Planning Board - 3 Years—

A ten-year resident on a 130-acre farm on Rockrimmon Rd. He is a graduate of "Renouard" in New York City.

Former Superintendent af Standard Greetings, Inc., of Holyoke, Mass. Presently employed at Sickles Co., in Chicopee. Wilfred is very much interested in the future of Belchertown.

ROBERT P. SUTCLIFFE
For Planning Board - 4 Years—

A resident of Belchertown for sixteen years; graduate of B. H. S.; attended Springfield Trade School. Is a Radiac officer in Civil Defense; property owner. Served seven years with the 109th Signal Bn., M.N.G., located in Holyoke. Is a charter member of the local Jr. Chamber of Commerce. Work for Tecnifax Corp. in Holyoke as an electrician, and is a member of I.A.M. Hasset Lodge 1420.

WILLIAM H. HENNEMAN, JR.
For Planning Board - 5 Years—

Life-time resident of Belchertown; educated in the Belchertown schools, graduated from B.H.S. in 1957. Attended Hamden College of Pharmacy and Holyoke Jr. College. Served two years in the U. S. Navy; recalled for one year active duty in 1961 during the Berlin Crisis. Married, no children. Employed at Tecnifax Corp. in Holyoke as a research technician; treasurer of the Belchertown Jr. Chamber of Commerce. A sincere interest in the future orderly growth of Belchertown and the desire and ability to learn what is required of any active member of our Planning Board.

Democratic Town Committee
Bernard J. Bowler, Chairman

For Transportation to the Polls CAl l:

Prec. A	3-6665	Prec. B	AT 3-5119
	3-6931		AT 3-5068
	3-7004		AT 3-7185

TOWN ELECTION MONDAY, MARCH 2

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday, the 24th, the pins were really flying at Rolla-Way Lanes. Three new season records were set. The Salvage team broke the team high three previously held by Henneman's, with 1673.

On the same night the Independents broke the new Salvage record by rolling 1695. Also, the individual high three strings was taken away from R. Hubbard, Sr. by Dick Pratt with 383. Herby Squires then turned around and broke Dick's new high three with 394. Herby's three strings were 114, 139, 141.

Team results were as follows:

Independents 6, BSS 0. Herby Squires was high man with 394. Salvage 6, Gates 0, with Tom Bleau high with 349. Jackson's 4, Cook's 2. Ken Main's 346 was high. Hilltoppers 4, Legion 2, with Howie Main taking the honors with 373. Park Lane 4, Reece 2. George Leclerc was high man with 343. Henneman's 4, Turkey Hill 2. Dick Pratt was high with 383. Jabish Brook 4, Cole's 2, with Ron Hawkins' 350 high.

As a reminder, there will be bowling March 2, which is the Town Election, but no bowling March 9, Town Meeting night.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	50	10	15,640
Turkey Hill	41	19	15,143
Independents	38	22	15,208
Jackson's	38	22	15,130
Park Lane	37	23	14,866
Salvage	36	24	15,182
Cook's	36	24	14,879
Cole's	30	30	14,786
Hilltoppers	24	36	14,573
Gates	20	40	14,454
Reece	19	41	14,742
State School	18	42	14,140
Jabish Brook	18	42	14,296
Legion	15	45	14,128

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—H. Squires 394
2nd High Three—R. Pratt 383
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High 3—Independents 1,695

310 Club—F. Grover 372, H. Squires 394, W. Lynch 333, C. Owczarski 322, E. Lowe 343, J. Tolpa, Sr. 343, T. Bleau 349, J. Bodzinski 345, K. Main 346, P. Menard 317, W. Dickinson 333, R. Hubbard, Sr. 314, R. Blaine 323, J. Yanginski 322, D. Cowher 329, H. Main 373, E. Plant 321, A. Mignault 313, G. Leclerc 343, B. Gawlik 319, P. Wisnewski 335, R. Hawkins 350, P. Chlebus 317, W. Jensen 325, L. Small 319, E. Henrichon 310, J. Hubbard 324, A. Henneman 327, R. Pratt 383.

110 Club—F. Grover 137, 120, 115; J. Coty 110; K. Rhodes 113; J. McDermott 119; H. Squires 114, 139, 141; W. Lynch 115, 115; C. Owczarski 117; D. Barrett 124; E. Lowe 118, 114, 111; J. Tolpa, Sr 139; F. Bodzinski 119; T. Bleau 123, 122; J. Bodzinski 127, 113; R. Bronner 132; K. Main 111, 131; D. Bock 114; P. Menard 113; W. Dickinson 124, 114; R. Hubbard Sr. 116; H. Labroad 112; R. Dana 116; H. Cook 116; R. Blaine 113; J. Yangiski 124; R. Reece 114, 113; H. Goodrow 113; D. Cowher 139; H. Main 145, 122; E. Plant 111; A. Mignault 143; G. Leclerc 116, 122; J. Carr 111; B. Gawlik 120; P. Wisnewski 114, 136; R. Hawkins 118, 127; D. Cole 119; C. Robinson, Jr. 126; P. Chlebus 114; W. Jensen 120; L. Small 117; J. Hubbard 110; D. Perham 119; A. Henneman 116, 121; D. Pratt 125, 113, 145; R. Robinson 113.

Next Week's Matches—
Salvage vs. Jackson's
Park Lane vs. Gates
Independents vs. Cole's
Jabish Brook vs. Legion
Henneman's vs. State School
Reece vs. Hilltoppers
Turkey Hill vs. Cook's

—J. Hubbard, Sec'ty

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PLANNING BOARD -- 4 Years

RALPH F. PITTSLEY

- 1953 Graduate Belchertown High School—Class Salutatorian
- Licensed Real Estate Broker
- President Belchertown Jr. Chamber of Commerce
- Married with four Children
- Employed with Monsanto Chemical Co. for 8 years.

Ralph Pittsley

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WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

February 20th team results were: Congo's 8, Harmony Five 0; Pin Pickers 8, King Pins 0; Roll-a-ways 8, Outskirters 0; Chadson Gals 6, Pin Spinners 2; Crystals 6, Bowl-aires 2; Hit or Miss 6, Nite Outers 2; and Jolly "5" 6, Gay Rollers 2.

The Pin Pickers had team high three of 1423 and team high single with 495. High three went to Alice Bronner with 312 and second high three to Shirley Fitts with 311. Shirley Fitts had 126 for high single and Alice Bronner had 116 for second high single.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	46	2	8301
Jolly "5"	42	6	7764
Roll-a-ways	34	14	7992
Hit or Miss	30	18	7818
Crystals	25	23	7741
Congo's	24	24	7882
Gay Rollers	20	28	7414
Class B			
King Pins	34	14	7851
Bowl-aires	22	26	7523
Nite Outers	18	30	7330
Pin Spinners	7	41	7153
Harmony Five	14	34	7276
Chadson Gals	14	34	7258
Outskirters	6	42	7237

"300" club—A. Bronner 312, S. Fitts 311, C. Davin 310, H. Hubbard 307, R. Scott 304, E. Tolpa 303, L. Lowe 301.

"110" club—S. Fitts 126, A. Bronner 116, C. Davin 112, J. Perham 112, R. Scott 112, H. Hubbard 111.

"100" club—A. Samborski 102, E. Plant 100.

Season Records

High three—J. Poole, 341
2nd high three—S. Fitts, 339
High single—C. Hubbard, 129
2nd high single—C. Hubbard, 127
Team high three—Pin Pickers, 1439
Team high single—Pin Pickers, 512

—R. Dowd, Secretary

SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Square Dance Club graduation takes place tomorrow night, Feb. 29, in Memorial Hall, preceded by a smorgasbord supper at the Methodist Church.

The supper committee is Hawley and Evelyn Whitcomb, Joseph and Helen Lecours, co-chairmen; Cal and Dot Ewell, Ken and Mo Brown, Al and Ruth Boicourt, Julian and Jean Hussey, Bruce and Marion Lucier, and Fred and Pearl Very.

Host and hostess for the graduation are Julian and Jean Hussey, with refreshments in charge of John and Barbara Ericson, chairmen; Chris and Jessie Crisafulli, Frank and Arline Goodrow, and John and Jean Wozniciki.

BLUE AND GOLD

— continued from page 1 —

The main speaker was Executive Deso, who because of another appointment, gave his message before the repast.

Rev. Elvert Miller gave the invocation, and Fr. Collins, the prayer of benediction.

The grand finale was the singing of Cub Scout songs, lustily rendered.

THE GUEST LIST

Mr. Richard Deso, Hampshire Dist. Executive
Assistant Scoutmaster James Nolan
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dzwonkowski
Selectman and Mrs. Earl Henrichon
Selectman and Mrs. Michael Mathras
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor of St. Francis Church
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate of St. Francis Church
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor of the Congregatiional Church, and Mrs. Miller
Rev. Harold Suhm, Pastor at Dwight Chapel, and Mrs. Suhm
Rev. Marvin Green, Pastor of the Methodist Church, and son
Mr. Lewis Blackmer, Editor of the Sentinel

AWARDS

Bobcat—Robert Hislop
Wolf—Arthur Hanlin, Roy Bergeron, Darwin Hess, Albert Brighenti, Donald Geer, Patrick Gannon, Walter Robinson, Wayne O'Donnell, Gary Kendrick, Steven Whitlock, Lester Rhodes, Leslie Rhodes
Arrows under Wolf—Darwin Hess, 1 Gold; Walter Robinson, 1 Gold; Scott Hutchinson, 1 Gold; Glenn Armstrong, 1 Silver; Steven Whitlock, 1 Gold; Lester Rhodes, 1 Gold
Bear—Steven Waite, Bruce Laporte, Paul Leclerc, Alan Fish, Lyle Hislop, David Rogers
Arrows under Bear—Paul Leclerc, 1 Gold; Mark Jackson, 1 Gold; Michael Couture, 1 Gold
Arrow under Lion—Gregory Normand, 1 Gold
Webelos—Arthur Fish
Denner—Gary Bock, Den 1; Geo. Berard, Den 4; Mark Jackson, Den 8
Asst. Denner—Gerald Clark, Den 1; William McGrea, Den 4
2-Year Pin—Mrs. Theresa Rule

Political Advertisement

TO THE VOTERS OF Belchertown --

This year, for the first time, we will have a five-man Board of Selectmen, enabling this Board to have members of more diversified education and experience. Most of the present members and candidates have business backgrounds. Therefore, an engineer should be a worthwhile addition to the Board, since he has been trained to consider many factors in arriving at decisions which might not occur to someone with another type of training.

If elected, I will be interested in true economy, I will attempt to be fair with everyone, I will cooperate with all town officials and departments, and I will educate myself on the many subjects coming under the jurisdiction of the selectmen. I realize that this will all be time consuming, and I am willing to give that time.

FRANK E. FARRINGTON, JR.

VOTE!
WILLIAM H. SQUIRES, JR.
for Selectman

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The Facts:

1. 37 years old
2. Operates small auto-repair business
3. Veteran W W II & Korean War
4. Past Commander of American Legion
5. Member of War Memorial Committee
6. Former Civil Defense Director
7. Organized Auxiliary Police
8. Member of Police Association
9. Helped organize Chamber of Commerce
10. Member and Lieutenant in Fire Department
11. Organized Auxiliary Firefighters
12. Presently chairman Planning Board

ACTION NOT PROMISES!

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Political Advertisement William H. Squires, Jr.

D. H. JONES AGENCY SALES

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wentworth of Belchertown have sold their six-room Cape Cod home on Stanley Street, Amherst, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Drew, Jr. and family. Mr. Drew is employed by the New England Milk Producers Assn. of Springfield. They will be moving in immediately.

The transaction was negotiated by the D. H. Jones Real Estate Agency.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eight tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, Joy Wright, Ruth Kempkes, Gaetane Fortin and Emma Grover; 2nd, Walter DeFord, Fred Holcomb, Bertha Holcomb and Arline Powers; low, Ada Underwood, Christine Henry, Blanche Bader and Rose Wenzel; door, Lyman Hubbard.

This week's party will again be in charge of Marion Harrington.

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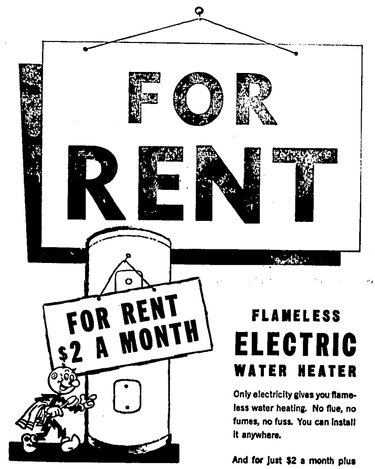

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CARTER QUARTET

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posed of Evangelist, Rev. Edward Carter, Mrs. Ruth Carter (colored), Miss Treatre Thumith, and Miss Shirley Tupper white). Three members of the team are native New Englanders, while the other is from Michigan.

Rev. Carter is an able preacher, presenting a Christocentic message of the Gospel without sensational hysterics.

STATEMENT

At this time, I wish to express my reasons for running for the one year term on the Board of Selectmen. Being a resident, voter and businessman in town since 1950, I have become extremely interested in the welfare and growth of our community and hope that I may help to develop our resources into a progressive, well adjusted and harmonious civic center. Since joining our local Chamber of Commerce, and serving as president for the past two years, I have observed, studied and evaluated the problems we are confronted with and believe this experience will serve as a guide to reaching decisions which will be beneficial to our town. With the aid and support of the Industrial Development Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, I initiated a program to establish an Industrial Park within our boundaries, and after carefully selecting an advantageous site and meeting with our local planning board and other interested parties, this program was accepted at a special town meeting. I firmly believe this is the first step in the right direction to attract a good, substantial industry to our community which will help defray our tax costs and also provide employment for our growing population. In other community affairs, I have served as a member of the Town Beach Committee and chairman since 1963. This committee, with the assistance of interested citizens, is in the process of building and equipping a bath house and developing a suitable beach front with picnic areas. With a nominal allotment of town funds, this project would not have been developed to such proportions without the overwhelming donations of time and labor offered by these public spirited citizens. It is gratifying indeed, to know the interest that was generated by these people in their efforts to provide a substantial recreation area at such a small cost in order to keep our tax rate from climbing. Working with these persons and realizing their aims, it has provided me with greater incentive to appreciate cooperation and harmony in civic affairs. I would like to see this effort expanded throughout our town government at all levels. With the problems confronting us, it is imperative that we all strive together in harmony and objectiveness to reach a fair and correct solution. By working in cooperation with our local boards and committees, by maintaining proper liaison with other organizations, much more will be accomplished to promote the future growth of Belchertown. More effort should be extended by the Board of Selectmen to introduce action in exploring and promoting the advantages of securing a state medical and vocational college in our vicinity, and also to emphasize our industrial and recreational sites. The possibility of increased state aid for relocation and reconstruction of highways within the town should also be investigated.

If elected, I shall endeavor to devote all the time and energy necessary to fulfill this position with an unbiased and non partisan viewpoint. The welfare of the people and the tax burden they bear will be uppermost in my mind and I shall strive to perform the highest standard of representation possible.

Theodore W. Smist

ANTIQUE DEALERS TO MEET

Mr. George Marshall Fox, of Charlemont, Mass., will speak on "Children's books and games" of the 19th century, at the regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Pioneer Valley Antique Dealers Association, which will be held March 3, 1964, at Wiggins Tavern, Hotel Northampton, Mass. at 8 p.m.

Mr. Fox, well known in this area, was formerly associated with Milton Bradley Company, and McLoghlin Bros. Company, both of Springfield, Mass. For a time Mr. Fox conducted his own advertising agency and at present is a manufacturer of games called "Qubic", "3Ds" and two old fashioned games "Tic Tac Toe" and "Jack Straws".

Also on the agenda, plans for the forthcoming Antique Show in April at the Smith School arena will be discussed.

TICKET REMINDER

Attention is again called to the sale of tickets for the Tournament at the U. of M. in which the local high school team will participate on Mar. 4th. They may be purchased at: Belchertown Market, Belchertown Pharmacy, Henneman's Esso and Jackson's Store. Price for tickets is $1.00.

Belchertown will play Mahar Regional in a game starting at 8.30. The first game will match St. Mary's of Westfield with Minnechaug Regional of Wilbraham. The winners of these two games will meet for the championship at 7 Friday, March 6th.

Note—Since our last printing, the Orioles have added two more wins to their win column, beating Charlemont and Holyoke Trade. They play the last game of the schedule in an away game at Wahcona Regional in Dalton. A victory against this untried opponent would leave the Orioles with a fine 17-2 season record. The local team clinched the Franklin League championship with an 8-0 record.

AVAILABLE AT POLLS

The Finance Committee has announced that the Finance Committee Report booklet will be available at the polls on Election Day, Monday, March 2. They will not be mailed out to individuals, as last year's copies were.

TOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Lawrence Rhodes is a patient at the Holyoke Hospital.

Mrs. H. F. Peck is a patient at the Holyoke Hospital.

Political Advertisement

FOR

School Committee

ANDREW KETCHEN

To All the Voters of the Town of Belchertown:

I again ask your support, that I may represent you on the School Committee.

The education of our children is of great interest to me, that they may be better equipped for the future upon graduation.

I am well qualified, having served three years on this committee, and on the building committee, and have a sincere interest in our School Department.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m., Mar. 10, 1964 on the application of Bondsville Realty, Inc., for a variance to use a trailer for housing, on property located on the Belchertown side of Swift River, and off Franklin St., a distance of some 100 yards, and North of building No. 9 on property owned by the Bondsville Realty, Inc.

Henry Renouf, Chm.
Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Arthur Moriarty
Ira Shattuck

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PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m., March 10, 1964, on the application of Henry and Helen Renouf for a recreation area permit for their property on Baggs Street, known as Robin Farm and consisting of 630½ acres, more or less.

Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Arthur Moriarty
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampshire, ss Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of JAMES E. ISAAC, JR., late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that BERTHA M. ISAAC of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person, be appointed administratrix of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of March, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of February, 1964.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

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LOCAL WINNER

Sandra J. Field has been named 1964 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Belchertown High School. She achieved the highest score here in a written homemaking examination taken by senior girls throughout the country on December 3, 1963, and now becomes eligible for one of 102 scholarships totaling $110,000.

Her paper has been entered with those of other school winners in the state in competition for the title, State Homemaker of Tomorrow. The winner of this honor will receive a $1,500 scholarship from General Mills, Inc., sponsor of the annual program. The second-ranking girl in the state will receive a $500 educational grant. The school of the state winner will be awarded a complete set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica by Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc.

BIRTH

Clifford and Marcia (Cochron) Dyer of Bay Road are the parents of a son, born on Wednesday, February 19 at the Mary Lane Hospital in Ware.

DIRECTOR RESIGNS

It has been announced that Mr. Richard Thomas, civil defense director for Belchertown has submitted his resignation to the board of selectmen, the resignation effective February 1st. One of his reasons for resigning was the general apathy of the townspeople, as always the most difficult problem to be overcome by civil defense people at all levels—local, state and federal. In the past dozen years, we have had nearly as many directors. For the most part, all of these attempts to build an efficient and lasting civil defense organization have failed due to the state of mind of the populace. As long as the immediate danger of a nuclear holocaust is not upon us, the attitudes of the public will not change. It takes Berlin and Cuban crises to sell this program to the people. Until recently, even our own government did little to keep this program going. Today, they are fully behind it, both materially and financially. What then is the answer on the local level? If the answer to this were known, there would be at least a dozen former civil defense directors who would be relieved to have it! —pmd

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Home Department and the Ladies' Guild of the Congregational Church for the flowers, also for the many, many cards and messages I received from the good people of Belchertown, while in the hospital.

Emily B. Spencer

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everybody for the cards, flowers, gifts, etc., I received while I was in the hospital.

Catherine W. Sullivan

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Lenten Family Night at 5 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Annual Appropriations Meeting at 7.30 p. m.

TUESDAY

St. Francis parish C.C.D. Exec. Bd. meeting at 7 p. m.
Workers' Conference in Education-Building at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

G. E. S. Meeting.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

M.Y.F. Food Sale between the Masonic Hall and Jackson's.
Missionary group of W.S.C.S. meeting at 7.30 p. m. with Rev. and Mrs. Harold Suhm.
Camera Club.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.

WATER DISTRICT MEETING

The annual meeting of the Belchertown Water District will be held on Monday, March 16 at 7.30 in Memorial Hall. The polls will be open at 6.45 and may be closed at 9. The commissioner whose term expires this year is Frederick E. Lincoln. Robert D. Camp, Sr., is again candidate for re-election for clerk and treasurer.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

The Belchertown High School basketball team will attempt to cap a fine season tonight by defeating Minnechaug Regional High School in the finals of the Small School Supplementary Division Tournament. The game will be played at 7 in the University of Massachusetts Cage and will be followed by the main division finals.

The Orioles, earned their way into the championship game by defeating Mahar Regional Wednesday night, 63-54. Belchertown adapted itself nicely to the spacious surface and raced to an 18-9 first quarter lead

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TODAY

First Friday services in St. Francis Church at 7 p. m.

B.H.S. vs. Minnechaug Regional in the finals at the Small School Sup. Div. Tournament at 7 p. m. at U.of M.

TOMORROW

W. S. C. S. Public Supper in the Methodist Vestry.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall, with John Alden calling.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Mar. 16
Water District Annual Meeting.
Mar. 17
Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 18
Girl Scout Camporee in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 20
Police Association Record Hop.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 23
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

TOWN REPORTS

The Town Reports will be out this week end.

FULLY EQUIPPED HIGH SCHOOL TO COST MORE MONEY

The following article was released by the School Building Committee:

The members of the School Building Committee invite your attention to Article 13 of the town warrant for 1964. This article points out that the School Building Committee needs additional funds for completely equipping the new Junior-Senior High School.

Some of you have already asked if it is necessary to spend more money at this time. Our answer is yes! Our conclusions are based on a thorough study of the educational requirements. We feel that before a taxpayer should be asked to vote on this article, he is entitled to an explanation as to why and how this requirement was generated. Accordingly, we propose to discuss this problem with you at the Town Meeting on the 9th of March. Our discussion will not be limited to but will include answers to the following questions which have already been raised by some of you.

a. Why didn't the original appropriation include the requirement for completely equipping the school?

b. Can we get along without *completely* equipping the school at this time?

c. Does the recommended expenditure include items of equipment which were not in the original program?

d. What are the benefits to be derived from spending this additional money?

e. What will the impact be on the tax rate?

We urge as many taxpayers as possible attend the town meeting and listen to our frank discussion. Our Committee has faced the problem squarely—all we ask is that the voters do likewise, once we have presented the facts. We wish to leave you with these thoughts:

First: Children are our undeveloped resources, and as such belong to everybody—including the childless taxpayer.

Second: In building and equipping a school, the initial cost is not a true measure of economy.

Third: In this instance the measure of a good investment is determined by how well it serves the educational requirements of the community.

VARIETY SHOW

The 15th Annual Legion Variety Show was held in Memorial Hall last Friday evening and featured interesting local talent. The Beatles were certainly a scream.

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TESTIMONIAL BANQUET

The dining room at the Congregational Parish House rang last Saturday night with praises of R. W. Isaac A. Hodgen, and congratulations bestowed upon him by reason of his having been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the Palmer 19th Masonic District.

The banquet got off to a good start with the serving of a fine dinner by the Women's Guild of the Congregational Church; and the program following got off to a sizzling start when Wor. Donald Geer, master of ceremonies, introduced Doric Alviani of the music department of the University of Mass., finding himself in congenial environment with the presence of Dr. Ken Collard, chairman of the program committee, and one of his former students, broke any ice that might have been in evidence by his rendition of "I Love Life" and "They Only Live Who Life Enjoy" and other blood tinglers.

Armed with a license to do anything in the musical line to pep things up, Doric hopped over to the piano and started some old-time favorites, "Hills of Home," "Home on the Range," etc. Meanwhile he had enticed Ken to get going on "Stout Hearted Men," which was followed by "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory," "America the Beautiful" and "God Bless America," by all.

The Mc then started introducing those at the head table: Past Masters Frank Grover and Henry Ludlam, then R. W. Alexander R. Dunbar, an honorary member of Vernon Lodge, and installing master for a number of years. He set the tone for the evening by calling to mind a rare anecdote concerning Ike, setting forth one of the latter's characteristic reactions.

The room was alive with District Deputy Grand Masters, past or present, including R. W. Frederick H. Greensmith of the Indian Orchard Lodge, and Ray L. Bartlett, D. D. G. M. of Mt. Moriah Lodge of Westfield.

A colorful guest was Bro. Judge Thomas Key, special justice of the East Boston district court, who served with Ike in the Legislature. He reminisced mose entertainingly, and concluded as did many others with 'I Like Ike."

Wor. William D. Morton, past master of Wellesley Lodge, an attorney, was introduced as the principal speaker—one with a sense of humor most pleasing. Others introduced at the head table were Wor. Kenneth Collard, and Robert D. Camp, Sr., past masters of Vernon Lodge. Camp read several letters from dignitaries unable to be pres-

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RED CROSS DRIVE

Could it be that the many people in Belchertown have the same sort of feeling toward the Red Cross that they have towards the Church—an organization that we would not want to go out of existence, but one that we are willing to let others support financially or with their time. To those responsible for setting up the annual Red Cross Membership Drive, which in reality is an appeal for funds, this does seem to be the attitude.

Knowing how much time and money has been spent in Belchertown by this organization this past year, we are urging the townspeople to help us reach our goal of $700. To do this we will need people to give a little time in a house-to-house canvass; we will need people to give HERE LOCALLY, since only a tiny part of what is contributed at one's place of business outside of town comes back to Hampshire County.

The list of services the Red Cross has given to Belchertown this past year is impressive. Our records show that 3 people used 17 pints of blood, and 7 individuals received credit for 24 pints. (they were hospitalized outside the County).

At your pool at Arcadia, Red Cross issued Swim Certificates. The instructor is a Red Cross trained individual.

There was also a Standard and Advanced First Aid Course given by a Red Cross certified instructor, and he issued 3 Standard Certificates and 21 Advanced Certificates. This course was given for the Auxiliary Police and Fire Department.

Mrs. Juskalian taught a Home Nursing class last year, and three students received Red Cross certificates. She has just completed another course, and twelve girls have just been awarded certificates.

The Red Cross has also answered calls from 10 service men and their families, giving all kinds of aid. Did you realize that it cost $200 to bring the Bloodmobile to town last December?

Perhaps when all these facts are considered, we can give generously of our time and money to the 1964 drive.

—Rachel Collard and Rachel Shumway,
Co-chairmen for this year

PUBLIC SUPPER

The W/SCS will serve a public supper in the Methodist Vestry, Saturday, March 7th, from 5.30 to 7 p. m.

The menu will consist of baked beans, baked corned beef hash, brown bread, salad, pie and coffee.

The price is 99 cents for adults and 60 cents for children.

The Steeple Soliloquizes

Our New School Program
Holds Forth Much Promise

The detailed explanation of the 1964 School Department Budget, which appeared in the daily papers but somehow missed the *Sentinel*, holds a great deal of interest for all of us, whether or not we have youngsters in school.

(Incidentally, I always feel sorry whenever the exigencies of the printing schedule make it necessary for the local paper to miss some of the vital news. I like to feel that the story of the year is completely told, week by week, in the *Sentinel*. It is much easier to go back and find it there, for one thing.)

There will surely be a new look in Belchertown education when the Junior-Senior High School is ready for occupancy. We have planned for that time for so long, and have had so many expectations and disappointments along the way, that it seems more like a dream than reality that this is the year! Some folks do say that the dream will be over when the tax bills come out in the years ahead. But I think many of us will take the bill down the street and examine it in the shadow of the new building and be glad that we made the move, belated and expensive though it was. Let's look at some of the changes.

Full-time instructors in boys' and girls' physical education will insure that the new gymnasium and outdoor area are utilized for a physical fitness program. The by-product of this program will be a wholesome development in our athletics. It may be hard to see how the high school could do much better in baseball and basketball than it has been doing for some years now, but the facilities will be improved, the girls will at last be treated as "equals," and in all likelihood we shall be able to add another sport or two to our program. We've had a long wait for these changes.

For a great many years we have deplored the fact that our boys have had no opportunity to learn the use of hand and machine tools as part of their junior and senior high school experience. The full-time industrial arts teacher will be a big asset to the school.

After a lapse of many years, there will again be an art supervisor for the entire system. A full-time music instructor will also be sought.

A librarian for the secondary school and a remedial reading teacher may round out the new personnel as outlined by the school committee.

The report to the finance committee also outlined the use of buildings, a matter which has caused much speculation while plans were being laid for the new school.

Cold Spring is going to have Grades 1 through 3, as will Franklin School. Double grades will be eliminated at Franklin. The all-purpose room at Cold Spring will cease to be used for classrooms, and there may for a time be one unused room in the building, with one room used for remedial reading and one for a library.

It is said that Center Grade will be filled to capacity with only the fourth grade. This is a bit hard to understand, as the 1962 Town Report listed the present fourth grade as a bit under 100 pupils, and Center Grade housed 158 as of October 1, 1962. However, it may be that it is planned to use the big room in that building for the purpose for which it was designed in 1922.

In the present high school building there will be only the fifth and sixth grades" with possibly two rooms remaining empty." In October, 1962, 235 were housed there, while grades five and six added up to about 170. Vacant rooms in the present high school would not be long vacant, it seems to me, as town offices would doubtless make good use of them.

These new arrangements will continue in another form the rather awkward split in our elementary school family, four buildings being needed for the first four grades. However, it looks as though the total framework is logical in the light of the buildings we own.

The fact that four custodians will be needed at the new school should surprise no one.

Much thought has been given to these matters over the last few years, by a large number of honest, intelligent and deeply interested citizens. It will probably not be a bit hard to find flaws in what has been done and with what will be done. It will certainly be natural to shudder over the effect of the added costs on our tax bill. I feel that excellent work has been done to solve a very complex problem. We should certainly go heavy on thank-yous and light on criticism at this time.

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"If At First"—Etc.

When this column is "out," the Town Election will be long over. But now when it is being written, one of the most interesting ballots in years is ready for the voters. An excellent list of candidates is waiting for the choice.

Inevitably, some very good people will have had to be disappointed. Once more the *Steeple* pleads with all who have lost out this year not to be discouraged or angered because they have not been elected.

It sometimes takes a few years for candidates to be known to the voters. A second attempt often reverses the results.

Please don't give up! Competition is one of the best guarantees of good government!

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University Establishes
Uganda High School

(This article, clipped from the current issue of the U.ofM. *Alumnus*, will interest many of you. It details the project on which Elwyn Doubleday is now working.)

The University, in an unusual international educational experiment, will cooperate with the U.S. government in the construction of an all-girl high school for the African country of Uganda. Plans for the project began two years ago when the University's School of Education, under Dean Albert W. Purvis, was asked to consider the program by AID, the Agency for International Development.

Dean Purvis led a survey team composed of Elwyn Doubleday, principal of East Longmeadow High School, and Dean Doris Whyard of Northfield School for Girls, for a preliminary inspection tour in Uganda in the summer of 1961.

Dean Purvis returned to Uganda in the summer of 1962. As a result of the survey team's report, AID asked the University to establish the high school. Under terms of the recently signed contract, the University's School of Education will provide personnel in Uganda and at the University to write specifications for all equipment. In addition, UMass will recruit one-half of the teachers for the school, the other half to be provided by the Uganda Ministry of Education.

The high school will eventually enroll 420 girls. The four major curricula to be offered will be Home Economics, Business, General and "Academic." The academic major will prepare students for college, while the other three majors will be terminal.

The high school will be unusual in many respects. Under the British plan of education, the "Academic" and Business programs will take six years, the others, four years. Located on 70 acres of land, the school will be interdenominational and inter-racial. AID will pay for construction, equipment and salaries of American teachers. Uganda will subsidize the low tuition for students. Construction will be undertaken by a company in Uganda.

Why an all-girl school? Dean Purvis says, "Uganda received its independence from Great Britain about a year ago, and since that time many of the top government posts have gone to educated men. Many of these government leaders are concerned about the low status of women. They also realize the necessity of having highly educated women as wives and mothers." In 1960, 708 boys graduated from high schools in Uganda, but only 76 girls received diplomas.

Mr. Doubleday, who has resigned as principal of East Longmeadow High School, is the first to go to Uganda under the recently signed contract. Doubleday will spend two years in Uganda, ordering furniture and equipment and taking the necessary steps to open the school. The school will formally open in January, 1965.

Charles Taylor, former superintendent of schools in Foxboro, Massachusetts, has joined the University staff as campus co-ordinator for the Uganda project. Part of Taylor's duties will be to recruit American faculty to staff the Uganda school.

As part of the project, 13 Uganda teachers, at a rate of three or four a year, will train in the University's School of Education. They will be trained to replace the American teachers in the Uganda school.

According to Dean Purvis, the Uganda project is one of the largest educational contracts that AID has written.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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We're getting very near the date
When it blizzed in eighty-eight
But if it's all the same with fate
Let's not have snow to celebrate!

—Bob Jackson

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FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

On Monday evening there was the unveiling of the bronze tablet at Memorial Hall in appreciation of the trustees, Reuben L. Roberts and Daniel D. Hazen, and the Building Committee, George E. Scott, Mrs. Geraldine F. Howard, Alvan R. Lewis, Wilbur F. Nichols, Everett A. Gee and Harry H. Ward. Those participating in the Unveiling were: Rev. D. L. Hilliard, Belding Jackson, Dr. Rowland and Dr. McPherson.

A whole page ad announces the closing out sale of the entire stock of D. D. Hazen who has been in business in town since he was a boy.

W. F. Killmer observed his 70th birthday on Sunday.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Ella Cogswell Goodell, the widow of the late Wesley M. Goodell, died at the age of 85. Mr. and Mrs. Goodell made their home at Dwight for 33 years, her husband being postmaster and station agent.

Mrs. Lillian Kelley was elected President of the Ladies' Social Union of the Methodist Church.

The men of the Congregational Church served their annual supper for 50 cents and maintained their high reputation. Following the supper there was a concert by fifty voices from Williston Academy. The group was on special significance because Kenneth Collard was one of their number. Following refreshments, the concert was put on in the Chapel. They "made the one-time chapel reverberate with music, as has seldom been its wont."

TEN YEARS AGO

Over 100 sat down to supper at Firefighters' Night at the Grange. Chief Dowd of Westover Field was the guest speaker. After he had showed a film on procedures in putting out airplane crash fires, he spoke of the different pieces of fire equipment, and how its proper use saves lives.

Belchertown had four flower exhibits at the Western Massachusetts Flower Show. The Garden club had one exhibit. The other three were furnished by Mrs. Burt Collis, Mrs. Alvin Andrews and Mrs. Elliott Gardner.

Mrs. Antranig Juskalian was elected school nurse to replace Mrs. Howard Davis.

The first fall and winter dress course given by the Belchertown High School was completed on February 8. Eight juniors and four sophomores were licensed by the Registry Instructor.

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Monday, March 2 results: Turkey Hill 6, Cook's 0. High man was Ed Henrichon with a 344. Independents 4, Cole's 2, with Frank Grover being high man with 345. Park Lane 4, Gate's 2. Roland Lapointe was high with 343. Jackson's 6, Salvage 0. Pat Menard took the honors with 346. Henneman's 6, State School 0, with Geo. Smith's 325 high. Jabish Brook 4, Legion 2. Ron Hawkins was high with 317. Hilltoppers 4, Reece 2, with Howie Main's 359 high for the match and the evening.

As a reminder—There will be no bowling next week because of the town meeting.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	56	10	17196
Turkey Hill	47	19	16681
Jackson's	44	22	16733
Independents	42	24	16790
Park Lane	41	25	16363
Salvage	36	30	16729
Cook's	36	30	16366
Cole's	32	34	16360
Hilltoppers	28	38	16061
Gates	22	44	15928
J.B.C.C.	22	44	15770
Reece	21	45	16240
B.S.S.	18	48	15597
Legion	17	49	15607

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—H. Squires 394
2nd High Three—R. Pratt 383
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High 3—Independents 1,695

110 Club—E. Henrichon, Sr. 120, 123; P. Chlebus 114; E. Field 114; H. Squires 110; F. Grover 115, 116, 114; S. Rhodes 123, 126; C. Robinson, Jr. 110; G. Vadnais 110; J. Vadnais 118; D. Cole 111; D. Barrett 116, 115; E. Lowe 113; R. Lapointe 110, 134; E. Plant 114; J. Tolpa, Jr. 123; F. Bodzinski 134; J. Bodzinski 126; R. Bronner 11; D. Bock 123, 120; T. Peikara 123; W. Dickinson 111; P. Menard 140; G. Smith 116; D. Pratt 117; C. Owczarski 121; H. Judkins 115; W. Lynch 110; P. Wisnewski 131; R. Hawkins 127; R. Blaine 119, 110; J. Yanginski 117; R. Reece 115; F. Loftus 113; R. Robinson 115, 110; H. Main 118, 112, 129; H. Cook 115.

310 Club—M. Hubler 315, W. Jensen 313, E. Henrichon, Sr. 344, P. Chlebus 314, F. Grover 345, G. Vadnais 324, J. Vadnais 332, R. Cole 318, D. Barrett 323, R. Lapointe 343, G. Leclerc 310, F. Bodzinski 325, D. Bock 337, T. Peikara 319, W. Dickinson 319, P. Menard 346, G. Smith 325, D. Pratt 322, P. Wisnewski 314, R. Hawkins 317, R. Blaine 332, J. Yanginski 323, R. Robinson 317, H. Main 359.

J. Hubbard, Secretary

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Two season records were made on February 27th at the Rolla-Way Lanes. The Roll-a-ways made a new team high three with 1447 pinfall. Carol Hubbard made a new high three string of 357. Shirley Cook had second high three with 317. High single went to Carol Hubbard with 126 and second high single to Louise Soule with 120. The Roll-a-ways took team high single with 503.

Team results were: Gay Rollers 8, Pin Spinners 0; Hit or Miss 8, Bowl-aires 0; Roll-a-ways 8, Harmony Five 0; Pin Pickers 8, Chadson Gals 0; Congo's 6, Outskirters 2; Crystals 6, Nite Outers 2; and King Pins 6, Jolly "5" 2.

300 Club—C. Hubbard 357, S. Cook 317, J. Reilly 307.

110 Club—C. Hubbard 126, 118, 113, L. Soule 120, J. Poole 119, G. LaBroad 118, S. Cook 117, C. Davin 112, J. Perham 111

100 Club—A. Samborski 109, P. Towne 107, M. Chadbourne 106, I. Sutcliffe 102.

Season Records

High single—C. Hubbard, 129
2nd high single—C. Hubbard, 127
High three—C. Hubbard 357
2nd high three—J. Poole 341
Team high single—Pin Pickers, 512
Team high three—Roll-a-ways 1447

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	54	2	9704
Jolly "5"	44	12	9044
Roll-a-ways	42	14	9439
Hit or Miss	38	18	9230
Crystals	31	25	9021
Congo's	30	26	9220
Gay Rollers	28	28	8636
Class B			
King Pins	40	16	9227
Bowl-aires	22	34	8792
Nite Outers	20	36	8598
Harmony Five	14	42	8493
Chadson Gals	14	42	8469
Outskirters	8	48	8527
Pin Spinners	7	49	8281

R. Dowd, Secretary

COMMUNICATION

March 4, 1964

To the Voters of Belchertown:

Article 14 of the Town Warrant to be acted on Monday, March 9th, provides a method of rolling back the Board of Selectmen from five members to three. The article was prepared by the Town Counsel.

This is an attempt to rectify the action of the Special Town Meeting in December which by a majority of nine, with only 77 voters attending, brought this change upon the town. The reaction throughout the town was more against than for and tends to show that drastic changes in town government should be considered at the Annual Town Meeting and not at Special Meetings. When the School Board was increased to five members the action was taken at an Annual Town Meeting and did not take effect until the following year.

In answer to the argument that an increase to five members on the School Board has been advantageous to the town, this may or may not be so, but even if true it does not necessarily follow that the increase would be equally advantageous in the case of any other board. The Board of Selectmen is an administrative body. Its responsibilities are great, but its duties are not onerous and I am sure the members will agree that they are not overworked. I have at hand the latest report for the state and it reveals that of 312 towns only 39 have five Selectmen. Such towns as Brookline, Winchester and other towns which have special problems because of location, etc., have five members. 273 towns are still getting along with three Selectmen, even towns as large as Greenfield.

Although a petition was filed with the Selectmen calling for another Special Town Meeting to rescind the above action, the Town Counsel advised the Selectmen that such a meeting should not be called as it would "create chaos" in connection with the Town Election. It is to be hoped that in our regular town meeting Art. 14 will accomplish the same result without chaos.

The main purpose of this letter is to earnestly request that you attend the meeting on March 9th and honestly record your own feeling in this matter, be it for or against the article.

Sidney W. Wheeler

TESTIMONIAL BANQUET

—continued from page 1—

ent—the Grand Master, Senior Grand Warden and Junior Grand Warden.

Past District Deputy Myron Richardson of Eden Lodge of Ware was introduced, also that grand man of Masonry, P. D. G. M. Henry O. Holley of Day Spring Lodge of Monson, also a distinguished school man. He admitted he might not agree with Ike in athletic matters, due to the latter's home town loyalties, but said that there were many things on which they could.

R. W. Leonard Campbell of Eden Lodge of Ware, a retired banker there, took a bow, as did Ike's predecessor in the secretaryship—William E. Shaw, a retired banker here.

Others on the guest list were R. W. Raymond E. Orcutt of Day Spring Lodge, R. W. Robert Rutter of Quaboag Lodge of Warren, who insisted that Ike was not only an outstanding Mason locally, but that he classified as such in the state.

R. W. Augustus Newman of Thomas Lodge was "awfully pleased" to be present. A former district deputy, George Petrie of Ware, chimed in with "We all like Ike."

Junior P. D. Deputy Herman Hasenjager of Day Spring Lodge of Monson, in happy vein, presented Ike with a bit of regalia—a cap which he donned as the spirit moved.

R. W. Ralph Hosford of Pacific Lodge said he admired every quality of the man being honored.

Wor. Frank Grover read messages from a number unable to be present, including Bro. Winfred Forward of Florida and Wor. E. A. Geer, recently returned from the hospital.

Dr. Ken read greetings from political friends—Leverett Saltonstall, Charles Gibbons, Charles A. Bisbee, etc.

Wor. Bradley of the local Lodge presented Ike a district deputy jewel.

Ike's brother, George, from Greenfield, was introduced. He bade fair to let out some choice family secrets, saying he wanted to "straighten some things out", but nothing too dramatic resulted. He said he was the first Mason to be raised by Ike, and introduced the folks to the "Hodgen Brotherhood."

Bill Morton, the chief speaker, paid tribute to Ike as a staunch Representative, a solid citizen and a fine Mason.

Dr. Ken thanked his committee—Don Geer, M. C.; Frank Grover, tickets; Master Francis Bradley; Bob Camp, dinner arrangements; and the Women's Guild for putting on the meal.

Ken recalled that ten years ago his father, the late Dr. James L. Collard, had received similar honors to those accorded Ike, when Ken was district deputy grand marshal, and called attention to the fact that son Dave holds a similar position in the present circumstances.

Ike was then presented an AM-FM table model radio, "a gift from all of us."

Ike maintained he didn't deserve all of this, but humbly thanked them for it all. He recalled his coming to Belchertown, and appreciated the cordial reception accorded him over the years.

So ended a night to remember.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Six tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Harrington. Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Jenks, Rose Canavan and Howard Judkins; 2nd, Eva Webb, Rose Wenzel, Franklin Wenzel and Godfrey Wenzel; 3rd, Jane Bowler, Hermina Vadnais, Elsa Haller and Christine Henry; door, Doris Belanger and Nellie Jenks.

This week's party will be in charge of Nellie Wetmore.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

Guests at the sugar-eat, following the meeting of Union Grange, Tuesday evening were present from Plainfield, Williamsburg, Southampton, Ware, Ludlow, Northampton and Leverett.

Invitations were received to neighbor with South Hadley, Tuesday, March 10, and Westfield for their 70th anniversary, April 22.

The next meeting will be in charge of the conservation committee, Ralph Trombly, chairman.

SECOND PLACE WINNER

Miss Maureen Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Austin of Valley Farm, West Street, was named second place winner in the District American Legion Oratorical Contest held in Northampton on Sunday. Maureen's topic was "The Constitution—Barrier Against Tyranny."

Miss Donna Patterson of Turners Falls High School was adjudged first place winner. Her speech was entitled "The American Code." Other contestants represented Hopkins Academy, Smith Academy, Easthampton High School and Frontier Regional.

Maureen previously won the contest in Belchertown High School and therefore represented the school at the district competition. She was the only Freshman in the second contest.

FOUR-LEAF CLOVER CLUB

The 4-Leaf Clover Club met at the home of Mrs. Atwood for the election of officers for this coming year. The following officers were elected:

President Lloyd Butler
Vice President Sandra Henrichon
Secretary Gary Butler

Projects carried over from last year were discussed. Two new members—Alan Fish and George Berard joined the group.

4-Hily, Gary Butler, Sec'y

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— FIRST FRIDAY —

The schedule for the First Friday in March: Conf. at 7, Mass at 7.20 a. m.; Conf. from 6.15 to 6.45, Mass at 7 p. m.

— SATURDAY —

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fourth Sunday In Lent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30 and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Galatians 4, 22-31.
Gospel—John 6, 1-15.

There will be Sunday School this Sunday, March 8, following the 9.30 Mass.

— Organ Concert —

The following is an excerpt from a letter received by the parish from the Rt. Rev. Msgr. David J. Power, chaplain at the U.ofM. Newman Center:

On Sunday evening, March 8th at 7.30 in the chapel of the Newman Center at the U.ofM. we shall present an organ concert to be given by Mr. Zamkochian, organist of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

We shall be happy and honored to have you come for the concert if your schedule will allow. We shall also be pleased to have your organist and choir members as well as any parishioners who may wish to come.

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— C. C. D. Meeting —

On Tuesday evening, following the 7 o'clock Mass, there will be a meeting of the Executive Board of the Parish Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in the rectory.

— Released Time —

Released Time classes will be held on Thursday, March 5 at 11.30 and 12.30 at the church.

— Mass Schedule —

Weekday Lenten Masses, March 9-13—Mon., 7.20 a. m.; Tues., 7 p. m; Wed., 7.20 a. m.; Thurs., 7.20 a. m.; Friday, Conf. 6.15 to 6.45, Mass at 7 p. m.

SERVICE NEWS

Sergeant James L. Dearness, USAF, a resident here years back, has returned to the United States following a tour of duty with the U. S. Air Force in the Far East. He arrived here in Massachusetts early this week following a 45 hour flight, with refueling stops, across the Pacific from Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines.

While in the Far East he was assigned to temporary duty in Thailand, Formosa, Korea, Okinawa, and Japan.

After a leave, he will be stationed at Orlando, Florida.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY WARE

The Bible Lesson at Christian Science churches this Sunday will explore the question from Psalms (8:3), "What is man, that thou art mindful of him?"

Golden Text: "God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him" (Genesis 1: 27).

One of the major themes from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The understanding of his spiritual individuality makes man more real, more formidable in truth, and enables him to conquer sin, disease and death" (p. 317).

LENTEN FAMILY NIGHT

Congregational Church Notes

On Sunday evening, March 8th, at 5, all church families are invited to attend Lenten Family Night. Our fellowship supper at 5 p. m. will be followed by a full length Walt Disney film for all children. During the film, all adults will meet in the chapel. Each staff member will meet individually with the parents.

Our Youth Ministry staff and advisors will acquaint parents of all youth with our hopes and dreams for our youth. All other adults will be urged to make suggestions as to what type of adult Christian Education would most attract them. A display of educational and inspirational books for all ages will be available.

Activities which the children have undertaken during the year to make their subject material more real to them will be on display in each department.

The evening is under the direction of our Board of Christian Education. Mrs. Eva Cunningham is supper chairman, and Mrs. Ethel Hawkins is in charge of decorations.

This is a most important and fitting evening for our Lenten season. Remember, everyone is invited.

WENZEL—GAY WEDDING

Joyce Marie Wenzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Wenzel of Bardwell St., and Edward H. Gay of Monson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Gay of Old Belchertown Road, Ware, were married in a double ring ceremony at 10 a. m., February 29, by Rev. J. Allen Aardsma in Faith Baptist Church, Palmer. Mrs. D. Lemon was organist, and Mrs. Aardsma, soloist, sang "A Wedding Prayer."

The bride wore a floor length gown of white taffeta, with lace insert. Her fingertip veil was tulle, falling from a crown of satin embroidered with iridescent beads and sequins. Her bouquet was of white and pink carnations, cascading with ferns.

Miss Eileen Ryan of New Hampshire Avenue, Three Rivers, was maid of honor. Her gown was yellow taffeta and lace. Mrs. Joyce Erikson wore sheer nylon ballerina length in orchid.

Mrs. Geraldine Minkley's gown was aqua sheer nylon. Each wore a crown with tulle veils to match their gowns, and carried cascading bouquets of roses and carnations. All were friends of the bride.

Diane Wenzel of West Warren, the bride's niece, was flower girl. Marc Wenzel, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Franklin Wenzel, brother of the bride, was best man. Her father gave her away.

Walter Erikson, friend of the couple, and Mark Gay of Ware, brother of the groom, were ushers.

The bride's mother wore wedgewood blue lace over taffeta and wore a corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Gay wore a dark blue gown and wore a corsage of miniature red roses.

Going away, the bride wore a red suit and hat with black accessories. The couple did not announce their destination. On their return they will live on Old Town Farm Road in Monson.

A reception for over 150 guests was held at Lake Thompson Community Center, followed by a gathering at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law in West Warren.

The bride is a graduate of Belchertown High School and was active in 4-H work for 13 years. She was employed at the Thorndike Mills, Palmer.

The groom is an attendant nurse at Monson State Hospital. He attended Ware schools and is a veteran of the Korean Conflict.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte

SUNDAY, MARCH 8
9.45 a. m. Sunday School classes
11 a. m. Morning Worship. The local Church will take part in the One Great Hour of Sharing.
"The Responsible Christian"—Sermon Topic
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.
7 p. m. The Evensong will meet in the Church.
7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

SATURDAY, MARCH 7
5.30 p. m. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold a public supper in the Vestry. See separate article.

MONDAY, MARCH 9
7.30 p. m. The Second Session of the Pastor's Class will meet in the Educational Building. Mrs. Fred Very, chairman of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism, will speak during the first session of the class. A fellowship period will be held between the two sessions. All those who desire to join the Church on Maundy Thursday should be in these classes or make arrangements with Mr. Green.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10
7.30 p. m. The Workers' Conference will meet in the Educational Building.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11
6.30 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.
8 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.
2.05 p. m. The Pastor's Class for teenagers will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service of Prayer and Praise will meet in the Vestry

THURSDAY, MARCH 12
3 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry.
6.30 p. m. The Methodist Men will meet in the Vestry. This will be a supper meeting.
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13
7.30 p. m. The Missionary Group of the WSCS will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harold D. Suhm.

On March 15 Mr. Green will be one of the leaders in a Lay Speakers' School being held in the Methodist Church in Northampton.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

This week Den 6 went to the Quabbin tower. We had our juice and cookies near the tower.

The Den chiefs made three of the boys go through the "hot-oven."

David Rogers, Scribe

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

MARCH 8
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4
10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Service
Lenten Worship Theme—"They Shared His Passion"
Sermon—Two Thieves, "Til death Do Us Part"
5 p. m. Lenten Family Night
Fellowship covered dish supper
Film for the children
Church School visitation for parents
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
8 p. m. Lenten Discussion Group in the parsonage

MARCH 9
7 p. m. Board of Deacons

MARCH 10
9.30 a. m. Lenten Study and Prayer Group
8 p. m. Lenten Study and Prayer Group

MARCH 11
8 p. m. Board of Trustees

MARCH 12
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal
8 p. m. Lenten Bible Study Group

MARCH 15
10.45 a. m. Sermon—"The Centurion, So Late With So Much"

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Office	Name	Prec. A Votes	Pr. B	Total
Moderator for 1 year—vote for one				
	Henry Renouf	436	127	563
	Byron A. Hudson	532	69	601
Town Clerk for 1 year				
	Robert D. Camp, Sr.	891	176	1067
Selectmen for 3 years—vote for two				
	Michael S. Mathras	460	107	567
	Arthur J. Moriarty	173	172	345
	William H. Squires, Jr.	433	28	461
	William Gerry Whitlock	432	25	457
	Richard O. Clark	141	13	154
	John J. Cyran	27	3	30
	Jane L. Gawlik	113	23	136
Selectman for 1 year—vote for one				
	Frank E. Farrington, Jr.	523	85	608
	Theodore W. Smist	449	102	551
Town Treasurer for 3 years				
	Robert D. Camp, Sr.	900	180	1080
Board of Health for 3 years				
	Kenneth L. Collard	899	169	1068
Tree Warden for 1 year				
	Albert W. Brown	895	182	1077
Sewer Commissioner for 3 years				
	Harry L. Brougham	848	158	1006
School Committee for 3 years—vote for two				
	David A. Staples	600	88	688
	Harold W. Willey	637	154	791
	John C. Carr	214	80	294
	Andrew G. Ketchen	403	52	455
Assessor for 3 years—vote for one				
	Harold B. Ketchen	384	32	416
	Max J. Sliwa	250	141	391
	Charles F. Howard	326	32	358
Assessor for 1 year—vote for one				
	Doris S. Squires	615	88	703
	Samuel Jay Joyal	358	113	471
Planning Board for 5 years—vote for one				
	William H. Henneman, Jr.	504	157	661
	Donald Perham	452	32	484
Planning Board for 4 years—vote for one				
	James F. Hayward	439	58	497
	Robert P. Sutcliffe	338	96	434
	Ralph F. Pittsley	160	31	191
Planning Board for 3 years—vote for one				
	Donald S. Cole	670	134	804
	Wilfred E. Lemire	278	69	347
Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years—vote for one				
	Lincoln A. Cook	609	142	751
	Sidney T. Wheble	347	42	389
	Donald Dunbar	1		1

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B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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paced by the shooting of Mike Oberly. They built the margin to 24-12 early in the second session but Merle Green and Robin Barrett both became burdened with 3 personal fouls and sat out much of the period. As a result the score at half time was 30-22. The play of Pete Greenan in the first half is certainly worthy of note. This senior rookie did a fine rebounding job and contributed six big points, including 4 out of 5 from the free throw line.

Barrett, Green and Gayton Hebert sent the Orioles soaring again in the third period and when it was over they had built a 48-34 advantage. Mahar resorted to a full court press which caused the local team some difficulties but Barrett twisted and drove for four baskets to take the heat off each time the Senators threatened. The junior guard scored 20 points to lead the way and was joined in double figures by Green with 13 and Hebert and Oberly with 12. Hebert was the leading rebounder and Oberly piled up 9 assists. Defensively the Orioles held high scoring Rollie Letorneau to 9 points as their 2-3 zone kept him from getting the ball inside.

Tickets for the championship game will be on sale TODAY at: Henneman's Esso Station, Jackson's Store, Belchertown Pharmacy, and the Belchertown Market until 5:15 Friday. Doors open at the University at 5.30.

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

Girl Scout Week is celebrated each year during the week which includes March 12, the birthday of Girl Scouting in this country. It was on this day that Juliette Low met with 8 girls at her home in Georgia, to start the first troop. Mrs. Low had become interested in the British Girl Guide movement while a resident in England, and she quickly saw the advantages of such a program for girls in this country. The scouts in the United States now number more than two million, and are divided into four categories—Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, and Seniors. Thousands of adult volunteers supervise the many activities of these girls, giving them an opportunity for a program which will better fit them to be useful and active citizens.

Girls are asked to wear their uniforms all week if possible, or at least twice during the week. They are asked to worship in the church of their choice on Sunday, March 8th.

All Scouts and their parents are invited to a Camporee Night on the 18th of March at Memorial Hall at seven o'clock. Miss Jean Kearns, director of the mobile day camp, and a professional worker at the Pioneer Valley Council offices, will be present to answer questions about day camping and about overnight camping. The Mobile Day Camp at Quabbin was most successful last year, and Belchertown had a good representation. The overnight camps, or established camps as they are called, are situated in the Berkshires in East Otis. Camp Edith Newell is for the younger girls, and Camp Bonnie Brae is for the older girls. Both are staffed with excellent, qualified women. The cost of two weeks at a Girl Scout established camp is quite often less than one week at other established camps.

Miss Kearns will show slides and movies of activities at camps during the summer of 1963 at the Camporee Night. Applications for camps will be accepted at the Girl Scout Office, 23 Buckingham St., Spfld., on April 6, in person or by mail. Register early!

VARIETY SHOW

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Bill Squires was Master of Ceremonies, taking his duties with his usual calmness, even though at the time he was in the storm center of political rock throwing.

As concerns the younger entertainers, Bill gave the age, grade in school, and the length of time they had been taking lessons, etc.

Bill filled in himself with his guitar when there were drop-outs on the program.

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To all persons interested in the estate of JAMES E. ISAAC, JR., late of Belchertown, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that BERTHA M. ISAAC of Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, or some other suitable person, be appointed administratrix of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of March, 1964, the return day of this citation.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of February, 1964.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

F 21, 28, M 6

Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Seal)

Hampshire, ss. Probate Court

To ANDREW CHARLES ROCK of 56 Martinot Avenue, Rochester, in the State of New York.

A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, CAROLINE KNIGHT ROCK of (no number) Everett Avenue, Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment, and praying—for alimony—and—for custody of and allowance for minor child. And further praying that during the pendency of said libel, the care and custody of said minor child be given to said libellant.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, within twenty-one days from the eighth day of April, 1964, the return day of this citation, and in the meantime, until the further order of the Court, you are notified that the care and custody of said minor child has been granted to said libellant.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of February, 1964.

Frank E. Tuit, II, Register

Mar. 6, 13, 20

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks for the hearty support given me in the recent election

Harry L. Brougham
Candidate for Sewer Commissioner

CARD OF THANKS

At this time, I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to all those who gave me their vote at the annual town election Monday, March 2.

I will still respond to any call for which I might aid and assist in any manner for the good of our town.

Richard O. Clark

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all the voters who voted for me in the election on Monday.

Andrew Ketchen

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CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all those who voted for me in the recent election, and say an added thanks to those who worked so hard in my behalf.

Elections are over now, so let's all get together and support and back our town officials.

Gerry Whitlock

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you greatly for electing me to the office of moderator for the ensuing year.

Byron Hudson

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all those people who voted for me in the recent election for their expression of confidence and trust in me.

I also wish to thank all the candidates whose names appeared on the ballot at the caucuses and the election for their willingness to serve the town of Belchertown.

Frank E. Farrington, Jr.

CONGRATULATIONS

My congratulations to all the newly elected candidates and sincere thanks to each and every one who gave me their support at the polls.

Charles F. Howard

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Mr. and Mrs. Norris N. Nichols

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to everyone for their well wishes, cards, flowers, etc., sent me during my stay in the hospital and also upon my return home.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Lenten Family Night at 5 p. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Water District Annual Meeting
Town Clerk's Office at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m. Polls open from 7.45 to 9 p. m.
P. T. A. Meeting.

TUESDAY

Square Dance Club St. Patrick's Day Dance in Memorial Hall.
Special Meeting of Ladies' Aid at Dwight Chapel at 8 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scout Camporee in Memorial Hall at 7 p. m.
W. S. C. S. in Vestry at 7.30 p. m.
Women's Guild.

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Police Association Record Hop.
Hitched and Unhitched.

JOINT MEETING

The Lions Club held a joint meeting with the Indian Orchard Club on Tuesday night at DeMarco's Restaurant. Arthur Tinney of the Cheshire Lions Club, a candidate for district governor, was present and spoke on his candidacy. Election takes place at the state convention in May.

The civil defense director from the Sector in Wilbraham, spoke on the merits of civil defense. He had a sample of chlorinated water of the type one would use if confined in a fallout shelter. Not too tasty!

The high mark of the evening was the singing of Happy Birthday to Pat Loftus.

PUBLIC SUPPER

The St. Francis Supper Committee is sponsoring a third public supper which will be held on Saturday, March 21. It will be a corned beef and cabbage supper, and servings will again be continuous from 5 to 7 p. m.

Tickets are $1.90 each, and are now on sale. Reservations must be in by Monday, March 16. If you desire a ticket or tickets contact any one of the following: Mrs. Geraldine Baker, Mrs. Christine Davin, Raymond Breton, Sr., Roland Lapointe, Ralph Munn, Harry Shakarian, or Francis Longtine.

There will be a meeting of the ticket committee at 7.30 tonight.

SATURDAY

Public Supper at St. Francis Church.
Grange Card Party.
Food, Faith and Fun Night.

TODAY

M.Y.F. Food Sale between the Masonic Hall and Jackson's.
Missionary group of W.S.C.S. meeting at 7.30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Booth.
Camera Club.

TOMORROW

Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Mar. 23
C.W.C. Retreat at Marian Retreat House in Holyoke.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Mar. 24
Republican Town Committe at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

SOFT BALL AROUND CORNER

The soft ball season is just around the corner. Belchertown would like to have its own league. It can be made possible if there are enough interested participants. All men and boys who are interested in playing are asked to contact Richard Cook at 323-6929, or Roland Lapointe at 323-7793.

This will be a slow-pitch league. Anyone wishing to sponsor a team, notify the men named above. Sponsors are needed and will be appreciated.

Come on fellows and play ball for fun and enjoyment.

B. S. S. CONTRIBUTES TO NURSING

Recently Mrs. Frances T. Lenehan, R. N., Chief Supervisor of Psychiatric Nursing in Massachusetts, spent a day at Belchertown State School studying methods and materials used in nursing education and practice at the institution.

Three teaching tools in the area particularly impressed Mrs. Lenehan. They were:

(1) "The Nursing Procedure Manual" which was developed at the school following several years of study, research and practical application to clinical situations.

(2) The "Teaching Outline for Classes for Attendant Nurses".

(3) Literature on "Safe and Effective Oxygen Therapy".

Mrs. Lenehan is having all three of these teaching aids printed for distribution and use in all State Hospitals and Schools in Massachusetts.

Miss Catherine L. Austin, R. N., Chairman of the Staff Education Committee on Nursing at the School said, " Grateful appreciation is expressed to the following who gave practical assistance in the revision of the manual: Doctor Lawrence P. Bowser, Superintendent, for promoting a climate favorable to improved nursing care; to the Nursing Department secretary; to the Medical Records Office, and to Mr. Frank Kohanski, X-ray Technician, for the helpful illustrations for the manual; to the Children's Medical Center of Boston and The Providence Hospital of Holyoke for simplification of nursing procedures in medication and in communicable disease, respectively; to the many graduate nurses, licensed practical nurses and attendants for their helpful suggestions.

"In conclusion we acknowledge the great contribution to nursing procedures which the medical and nursing staff made long before our time. We have built upon it."

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APPROPRIATIONS MEETING

The curtain ran up on Belchertown's annual classic—the Appropriations Meeting at Memorial Hall on Monday evening; and what a stage play it was! Seated on the rostrum were the much publicized 5-man board of Selectmen, there was the finance board with its numerous watch dogs, there was town counsel (something new under the sun at this annual event), while tucked over at one end where the curtain raiser usually hides, with barely room to move around, were the Town Clerk and the Moderator.

There was an air of expectancy about it all. One sensed it as he opened the outside door. Checkers were there to make sure you were eligible to see the performance. Questions immediately came to mind. How would the new moderator function? Would the town decide to revert to a three man board of selectmen? How would the voters react to the request of the school building committee for more funds? What would they do about new sewer construction around the new school site? Would the voters acquiesce in all the items in the school committee requests or would there be rebellion somewhere? Would the town accept the State assessment system?

The outlook was anything but propitious, but it didn't turn out too badly. Fr. Collins' prayer put folks in the proper mood. (Prayer is still permitted in the building, with school pupils absent.) and Henry Renouf, retiring moderator, eased the path of his successor by presenting him the gavel he himself had used during his term of office, and spoke words of encouragement to give him a good start in his duties. The gesture was appreciated by the recipient and the audience.

A majority vote was all that was necessary in most cases. In others, a two-thirds vote was required; and as concerns the previous years' unpaid bills, a four-fifths vote was necessary.

Moderator Hudson used the same set of counters—Dave Staples, Arthur Brennen, John Nelson and Andrew Ketchen on the main floor—with Edward Gates functioning in the balcony. To save the latter some shoe leather, the moderator accepted returns over the ainways, adding the figures to those more silently turned in. There seemed to be good connections between Hudson and Gates out in outer space.

The town voted to petition the State Tax Commission to install the State assessment system. Chairman Kimball of the assessors favored trying the system out for a year at a cost of $200. If the anticipated help does not materialize, then we can withdraw.

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WATER DISTRICT MEETING

The annual meeting of the Belchertown Water District will be held in the town clerk's office at Memorial Hall next Monday evening at 7.30 p. m. Polls will be open at 6.45 p. m. and may be closed at 9. The commissioner whose term expires this year is Frederick E. Lincoln. Robert D. Camp, Sr. is again candidate for clerk and treasurer.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL TEAM ENDS SEASON

Belchertown High School closed out its 1964 season on a disappointing note last Friday night losing to Minnechaug 60-47, in the finals of the Small School Supplementary Tournament. The Orioles just wern't up to par in this important game. Their shooting, ball-handling and rebounding didn't measure up to their usual standards. As a result the tall and talented Minnechaug team had things pretty much their own way except for one stretch. The Falcons held a comfortable 31-19 lead at half time and when they increased it to 36-21 in the early moments of the third period it looked like school was out for the Orioles. Sparked by the hustling Drew Juskalian, Belchertown made good advantage of its half court zone press. Robin Barrett, Merle Green and Gayton Hebert began to hit and the Falcons lead was suddenly cut to five at 36-31. The teams swapped baskets until the end of the period with the score then showing 40-35.

Joe Truesdale hit for two quick baskets as the final period opened and try as they did Belchertown couldn't close the gap. Barrett scored 16 to again lead the home team. Green added 15 and Hebert 11. Barrett and Green were selected on the All-Tournament team.

So ended the "64" season. Ironically it began and ended with losses. But in between there were many significant victories including one stretch of 14 in a row. The 17-4 record was compiled against the toughest schedule Belchertown has played in the last few years. Teams like St. Mary's, Chicopee Comp., Monson, Wahconah, Mahar and Minnechaug are all strong clubs generally thought to be at a more advanced level. Warren, Williamsburg, Hardwick and Charlemont all had good teams this year so the Oriole record was a good one.

Five players closed out their careers last Friday. Tri-Captains Merle Green, Gayton Hebert and Mike Oberly for the past two years were outstanding. During that time they won 34 and lost 7. Included in their laurels were a Tri-State Tournament Championship,

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A Good Yankee Welcomed Into Our Yankee Home!

Of all my birthday gifts last December 29 (oh, that's perfectly all right—I forgot yours too!) none of the three was more pleasing to me than a subscription to *Yankee* which had for its announcement card the 1964 *Farmer's Almanac*.

This delightful little magazine from Dublin, New Hampshire, is one I have always rather wanted to have as a regular visitor, but until I was blessed with the first copy of my own I didn't realize how much I have been missing for these last twenty-five years. Trouble now will be that I won't have time enough for my other two friends: *Vermont Life* and the *Belchertown Sentinel*.

There's not a dull page in the 150. The current issue, for instance, has two articles on trees. "Are the Sugar Maples Doomed?" and "New Hope for the Elms" will be bound to interest anyone who has seen the ravages of Dutch Elm Disease and has heard about the "dying back" of sugar maples.

You can also find out all about Sam Blotner of Maine, the "Black Panther" of fact and legend, the New Hampshire primary, and Train 508.

But there's much more in the Yankee. It's non-national advertising is fascinating. All the irritants appear to have been removed. Soaps, cigarettes, and much of the other stuff that makes TV the most mixed of our blessings, don't lavish money on this little magazine-praise the Lord!

One whole section is devoted to "the original Yankee Swoppers' Column." These pages will give you considerable insight into the vagaries of human nature as well as a chance to get into the game with something of your own: 1) Yashica A camera for a registered female Pekinese dog; 2) baby crib, bottles, sterilizer, toys—for wooden furniture for ages 5-10 (family must be growing up!); 3) Hawaiian shell earrings for new bath towels.

And you are entitled to run a four-line swop ad each or any month for free, whether or not you are a subscriber! What nicer way to find pen-pals!

The regular ads tell of things you don't usually find described in other periodicals: coats of arms, glass domes, yarns, furniture—world without end.

The ad that really got me this month was for a "dog butler", price $3.98, postpaid, "fastidiously thorough on grass or sidewalk to police after trespasser pets. Just scissored—shaped handles—32 inches, of seasoned spar-varnished maple; aluminum-toothed head non-leaking . . . this efficient tool makes an onerous chore effortless. No stooping, no pan or brush to scour."

Now it just strikes me that this would make a wonderful present for one of my admirers to give me. Business here always picks up in the early spring as one polices his walks, driveways, and lawns for meaningful mementoes left by depositing dogs which have learned not to do at home what can be postponed until later.

I am never sure what to take with me for tools on this treasure hunt. Sometimes a rake and a square-pointed shovel will do. At other times a hoe and a long-handled dustpan. So much depends on so much. But to have a little, leakproof tool that will make light of all this business would mean the difference between delight and despair, and bring a new note of joy into the call of the cat bird.

It was fun to read the remarks of a "seasoned moderator" (anonymous) in New Hampshire who feels that while the eyes of the nation may have been on the Granite State earlier this week, the New Hampshire folks were still most concerned about the local issues.

The Town Dump, for instance: "There is the question of what to do about the article which reads that 'all refuse and material taken to the dump shall be placed beforehand in plastic bags—so that Dump Shoppers and Pickers, Inc. will have an easier time rugging items to *their* homes."

Or Zoning Laws: "Feeling has run high on this issue in other years, and this year it will run high again. The man who wants to have a pig sty next to the public school has had stronger backing in past years than the white-shoed lady who wants every lot in town no smaller than ten acres, with a house on it to cost no less than $50,000. The infirm and elderly will be brought in for this one as they never would be brought in for the Primary Battle."

Yes sir, I'm going to like this Yankee. And when you order my dog butler, be sure to tell them to wrap it carefully.

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Speediest Snow Removal

Every season breaks some sort of record hereabouts or it wouldn't be New England. Goodness knows how the weather looks right now, but whatever is going on, last week produced the fastest snow-removal job that I can remember.

A combination of rain, fog, and a warm breeze took perhaps six inches of snow away from my back yard between sunrise and sunset on Thursday, March 5, and left lawn in its place.

The job was accomplished with no fuss or bother. We had no flooding, no water in the cellar. The snow just went, leaving only the remnants of old drifts and piles, along with some cover still in the woods and other shady spots and corners. In no time at all the transition (temporary?) was made from snowdrifts to snowdrops.

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They Made Us Proud!

Although the town was disappointed when the high school basketball team lost the final game of the year to Minnechaug Regional at the University of Massachusetts last week, we are all very proud of the Orioles and very grateful for the pleasure they gave us all season long and for the contribution they made to the good name of Belchertown.

Once in a while we worry about our kids, and with good reason. We worry, too, about selfishness and lack of interest in the affairs of the community, as displayed by older folks.

The basketball season did a lot for us in the way of sharing interest in a good activity in a good town.

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It Was "Tissue"

Two weeks ago we had an article about slide-burns, and I mentioned that tobacco juice was applied to these scrapes, with toilet tissue. Somehow or other, the "t" was left off the tissue, and a neighbor called to make sure what was meant. It surely was *tissue*!

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Song for George Smith

I go to church on Sundays
Where heavens opens wide;
I learn to love my neighbor—
But I take my hat inside!

* * * *

Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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For St. Patrick's Day. Remember Mr. Dooley (1867-1936)?

"Th' dimmycratic party ain't on speakin' terms with itself."

"Th' raypublican party broke ye, but now that ye're down we'll not turn a cold shoulder to ye. Come in an' we'll keep ye broke."

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The trustees of Memorial Hall and the Building Committee express their appreciation of the commemorative bronze tablet unveiled in their honor, concerning which mention was made a week ago.

F. W. Fellows celebrated his 81st birthday. He was the recipient of many post cards.

A Young Folks' Social (attended also by gray haired men and women) was held in the Methodist vestry. It concluded with an old fashioned spelling match.

The Social Union of the Methodist Church held a 25 cent baked bean supper, which was followed by a lecture in the church auditorium by a Mr. Dunning of Springfield, who delighted his audience with a fund of stories. He also paid high tribute to William E. Gladstone and Disraeli and the U.S. Presidents, all of whom he had known since the days of Cleveland. He spoke especially of President Theodore Roosevelt.

"The Live Wires" of the Junior High School met in their rooms to meet a Mr. Washburn who is organizing a Boy Scout troop. Sixteen boys have already lined up.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The death of E. C. Witt at the age of 82 removes another of the old guard. In his life he served the town as selectman, superintendent of streets, and water commissioner since its installation. He was a member and "pillar" of the Methodist Church for over sixty years, serving for many years as superintendent of the Sunday School.

The reception to the members of the School department and the State School which was scheduled for last September, but which could not be held because of the hurricance, was held on March 9 with 32 school members as guests of honor. About 120 sat down for the supper. Rev. Horatio Robbins welcomed the group, and Belding Jackson, representing the school board, responded. The gathering concluded with hilarious dart baseball and quiet Chinese checkers.

The Legion's 20th birthday was celebrated Wednesday evening. The invitation to the Legionnaires read as follows: "To penniless privates, degenerated generals, and other veterans regardless of rank . . . The 'poor but proud' ladies of the Auxiliary invite you to a *'Ragged Rendezvous* . . . in the cellar of Memorial Hall. Please attend in shabby attire. The tatters that cause the most litters will be rewarded—And the fine feathers will make fined birds." Dr. and Mrs. Westwell, "Pinkie" Bishop and Fred Wood won prizes.

TEN YEARS AGO

R. J. Joyal, station agent for 45 years, from 1905-1948 (when the last passenger train went through Belchertown) says that in that period of time he has served some 130,000 passenger trains. And that in the early 1900's Belchertown had 22 passenger trains daily. Now the passenger station has been torn down and the freight and express office moved to the north end.

Mercedes Stone was elected Worthy Matron of O.E.S. . . . Mrs. Mina Sutherland died at the age of 87 . . . David Hodgen is representing B.H.S. at Good Government day in Boston.

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B. S. S. CONTRIBUTES TO NURSING

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P. T. A. MEETING

The speaker for the P. T. A. meeting on Monday evening, March 16 will be Mr. Robert Donovan, guidance counselor in the Ware Public School system.

There will also be a discussion of the newly proposed By-Law revision.

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

A new season record was made on March 5th by Joan Poole rolling a 154 for high single string. It was previously held by Carol Hubbard for six weeks with 129. Second high single went to Esther Pierce with 124. Esther Pierce had high three with 316, and Joan Poole had 314 for second high three. The King Pins had team high three of 1437, and team high single of 498.

Team results were as follows: King Pins 8, Hit or Miss 0; Outskirters 8, Pin Spinners 0; Pin Pickers 8, Roll-a-ways 0; Congo's 8, Bowl-aires 0; Harmony Five 6, Chadson Gals 2; Jolly "5" 6, Nite Outers 2: and Gay Rollers 6, Crystals 2.

300 Club—E. Pierce 316, J. Poole 314, H. Hubbard 309, A. Samborski 305, J. Perham 302, R. Scott 301.

110 Club—J. Poole 164, E. Pierce 124, C. Hubbard 117, J. Perham 116, R. Dowd 114, C. Gagne 111, D. Fitts 110.

100 Club—A. Samborski 118, H. Rhodes 113, L. Rivers 103, I. Sutcliffe 102, P. Towne 101, 100.

Season Records

High single—J. Poole 154
2nd high single—C. Hubbard, 129
High three—C. Hubbard 357
2nd high three—J. Poole 341
Team high single—Pin Pickers, 512
Team high three—Roll-a-ways 1447

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	62	2	11,095
Jolly "5"	50	14	10,383
Roll-a-ways	42	22	10,806
Hit or Miss	38	26	10,537
Congo's	38	26	10,535
Gay Rollers	34	30	9,912
Crystals	33	31	10,274
Class B			
King Pins	48	16	10,664
Bowl-aires	22	42	9,989
Nite Outers	22	42	9,839
Harmony Five	20	44	9,746
Outskirters	16	48	9,814
Chadson Gals	16	48	9,703
Pin Spinners	7	57	9,404

R. Dowd, Secretary

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B. H. S. BASKETBALL

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a Franklin League Crown, and runner-up in the Small Schools event. Pete Greenan and Mike Samson who did not play last year both contributed greatly to the team's success. Worthy of mention is the fact that Gayton Hebert started in 61 consecutive games since the time he was a sophomore. In that stretch the quiet senior scored almost 800 points and averaged about 13 points a game.

It's natural that one's thoughts should turn to next year. For those familiar with the makeup of the Belchertown roster it is apparent that the big problem will be lack of size. Of the seven holdovers only Harold Ketchen is 6' or better. Nobody else is more than 5'10". But if he and Joe LeMire can get help off the boards the Orioles could surprise. The talented Barrett will be back to supply all around ability and scoring punch. There'll be plenty of speed with Drew Juskalian and the McCallum brothers and Mike Mathras who could have a big year. Frequently in a year like this help will come from the Junior Varsity. So all things considered it would not be out of the question for Belchertown to come up with a good club next year.

ODE TO THE ORIOLES

Six-feet-four off the ground,
Hebert was scoringest boy in town.

Green was shorter—*only* six-feet-two;
But he could snag those rebounds, too.

Oberly quarterbacked; he called the plays
That proved our boys had winning ways.

Short on stature, long on speed,
Barrett often sparked us into the lead.

Juskalian's another little mite,
But he pulled us through when things were tight.

Greenan is only five-feet-eleven,
But at times he jumped halfway to heaven.

Lemire's a scrappy little cuss;
Makes you glad he's *for*—not against—us.

McCallum's long shots from 'way out
Made the other teams do a turn-about.

Samson and Mathras did their share, too,
In helping us pull some victories through.

So, to sum it up in simple words,
Our ORIOLES are definitely *not* "for the birds"!

They did us proud all season through
And at the Small Schools Tourney, too.

Then there's Coach O'Leary—can't forget him.
Best of luck in '65 in the brand new gym.

And may ORIOLE teams in years to come.
Continue to prove we're second to none.

Lorena E. Joyal
B.H.S.—Class of '56

ASSESSORS ORGANIZE

The Assessors have organized with William Kimball, Jr., as chairman: Mrs. Doris Squires, secretary; and Harold Ketchen the other member. Regular meetings of the board will be held on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 8 p. m. The office will be open Monday through Friday from 1-4 p. m.

Forms which were due to be returned March 1 are Form 2, and the Animal Excise form.

MRS. SIDNEY WHEBLE, SR.

Mrs. Nina L. (Hubbard) Wheble, wife of Sidney T. Wheble, Sr., died last week Thursday in Wesson Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Feeding Hills, November 16, 1901, daughter of Herbert E. and Caroline (Crafts) Hubbard. She lived in Springfield for 24 years. She was a member of Rebeccas and Ladies of the Moose and was formerly employed as manager of a store owned by Sperry and Hutchinson in Springfield.

Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Sidney T., Jr. of Belchertown, and Herbert J. of Springfield and three grandchildren. The funeral was held Sunday at 2 at Beers & Story funeral home. Rev. Elvert F. Miller, pastor of the Congregational Church officiated. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Bearers were Raymond Dana, Ernest Germain, Edward Trachey, Robert and Leon Manser, and Ronald Wheble.

ANOTHER ATTACK

Friends of Rev. Horatio F. Robbins of Oakdale, former pastor of the local Methodist Church, were sorry to learn that he suffered another heart attack (his fourth), following the service he conducted last Sunday, as he was driving to a restaurant on Route 12. He was taken to the Holden District Hospital.

Dr. Leslie Johnson, superintendent of the Worcester District of the Methodist Church, has written Rev. Marvin Green that on his later trips to the hospital, he found him somewhat improved, but he was still on the danger list.

We understand that cards are welcome, but visitation is not permitted. Rev. Mr. Robbins is remembered as a beloved pastor here.

CAMERA CLUB NOTES

The Camera Club meets tonight, March 13, at 7.45, at Cold Spring School. This will be "Model Night," with the featured model, Miss Debbie Bradley of Northampton, who has posed for the Springfield Fine Arts. The "Developing Tray" says: Miss Bradley will give us an excellent opportunity to photograph an experienced model."

Members of the club are invited to appear as models, also. It is hoped that many will come in costume for their colleagues to "shoot." It is stated that many of the shots taken at previous model nights have become "salon shots."

"Adventures In Pictures" is the title of the outstanding program that was presented by the Belchertown Color Camera Club to the members of the Boston Camera Club. It will be presented in the Ludlow High School Auditorium on Tuesday, March 17, at 8 p. m. under the sponsorship of the Ludlow Teachers Association for the benefit of its Scholarship Fund. Although an admission will be charged, members of the Belchertown Color Camera Club will be admitted by presenting their membership cards.

Thirty-four members of the club are represented in this presentation which moves along at a lively pace to musical accompaniment, with a narration by Les Campbell.

The program features a variety of material presented in several sections—a miniature salon, featuring the work of the club's many successful exhibitors in international exhibitions: competition type slides which have given the club its national reputation; a parade of the club's annual "slide-of-the-year" award winners for the past 10 years; a humorous sequence called "Funtography" which shows club members in action; a foreign travel section; a selection of slides taken on club field trips; and, in conclusion, a series of sound-slide tone poems.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Seven tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Nellie Wetmore. Prize winners were: 1st; H. Lister, A. Powers, W. DeFord, F. Lincoln; 2nd, H. West, Godfrey Wenzel, Rose Wenzel, and Franklin Wenzel; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jenks, Rose Canavan, and Doris Belanger; door, Christine Henry and Rose Canavan.

This week's party will be in charge of Marion Harrington.

UNION GRANGE NOTES

The program next Tuesday evening will be in charge of the conservation committee, Ralph Trombly, chairman. The speaker is announced as William French, soil conservationist for Hampden County.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

This week Den Six made some Easter bunny baskets. We played a game called "boiler burst." We had pop corn and kool-aid for refreshments.

David Rogers, scribe

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Fr. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Religion class at B.S.S. tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —

Fifth Sunday In Lent

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Hebrews 9: 11-15.
Gospel—John 8: 46-59.

Fr. Hilary Sullivan will speak here at all Masses this Sunday on the Franciscan magazine, *The Friar.*

Sunday School will follow the 9.30 Mass Sunday, March 15.

Released Time classes will be held Thursday, March 19 at 12.30 and 1.15.

— MASS SCHEDULE —

Weekday Lenten Masses, March 16-20—Mon., 7.20 a. m.; Tues., Conf. 6.15-6.45, Mass at 7 p. m.; Wed., 7.20 a. m.; Thurs., 7.20 a.m.; Friday, Conf. 6.15-6.45, Mass at 7 p. m.

Sunday, March 22 is Palm Sunday, and services will be as on regular Sundays.

VACANCIES

The School Committee announces that vacancies currently exist for one school custodian, and one school secretary. Qualified persons are invited to make application at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

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DWIGHT CHAPEL NOTES

The Dwight Chapel Ladies Aid held their annual supper and election of officers at the United Church of Pelham, Tuesday evening, March 10. The Pelham Women's Guild served a delicious supper.

The officers elected for the coming year were:

President — Betty Gentile
Vice-President — Clara Clark
Secretary — Muriel Jenks
Treasurer — Mitzi Rhodes
Ways and Means Committee
Ruth Dexter, Faye Pittsley, Loraine Neven
Program Committee
Alma Fay, Irene Fay, Gladys Jenks
Bazaar Committee
Ethel Casey, Cassie Fay, Bertha Aldrich, Elizabeth Bush
Publicity — Louise Capen

Twenty-one members attended, along with two guests.

After the supper and election, we were entertained by Mrs. "Bobby" Topping, who showed various oriental clothing, along with slides. Each article and slide was explained thoroughly, and this turned out to be a very enlightening, as well as an entertaining program. Thank you, "Bobby" !!!

Betty Gentile
Past Sec'y

A special meeting of the Dwight Chapel Ladies' Aid will be held at the Chapel on Tuesday, March 17, at 8 o'clock. A big surprise!—all members please attend.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY WARE

Spiritual "Substance" will be the subject at all Christian Science church services next Sunday.

Responsive Reading will include this passage from II Corinthians (4:18): "We look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal."

Related readings from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following: "As God is substance and man is the divine image and likeness, man should wish for, and in reality has, only the substance of good, the substance of Spirit, not matter" (p. 301).

W. S. C. S. NOTES

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet in the vestry Wednesday evening at 7.30. Ruth French, our district secretary of Spiritual Life, will review the book "Studies in Christian Perfection" by Dr. Olive Wyon. This is an introduction to the three spiritual classics—Senelon, a Roman Catholic and a 17th century writer. John Wesley, founder of Methodism in the 18th century, and Evelyn Underhill an Anglican in the 20th century.

Refreshments for the evening are in charge of Patricia Witt, Betty Krause, and Joan Seamore.

On Tuesday, March 17, the Society has been invited to attend a Society meeting at the White Church in Chicopee Falls. If you would like to go, please contact the president, Evelyn Lodge at 7119.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

9.45 a. m. Sunday School, with classes for all ages through High School.

11 a. m. Morning Worship Sermon, "To Sit With Him" Junior Sermon by the Pastor Special Music by the Women's Chorus.

6 p. m. The Junior High Methodist Youth Felllowship will meet in the Vestry.

7 p. m. Evensong. The Book of Revelation will continue to be the source of evening study. This is an evangelistic service and is open to all. The Love of God encircles all of us.

7.30 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13

The Missionary Group of the W.S.C.S. will meet in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Booth tonight at 7.30. Members, please note that this is a change of meeting place.

MONDAY, MARCH 16

7.30 p. m. The Adult Pastor's class will meet in the Nursery in the Educational Building.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17

6.30 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

8 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.

2.10 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Vestry.

6.45 p. m. There will be choir rehearsal in the Church.

7.30 p. m. The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

3 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet in the Vestry. Rev. Marvin R. Green will have the Lenten Program—Echoes of Easter in story and song.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 21

6 p. m. The monthly Family Night will be held. These Faith, Fun and Food nights come from the past history of the Church, when Rocky Smith was pastor. All families and friends of the Church are welcome. Each is asked to bring a main dish, a salad, desserts and drinks are supplied by the group who have the responsibility for the month. March is under the direction of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism. The Methodist Youth Chorus will provide the program.

COMING

MARCH 26

8 p. m. The Maundy Thursday Service will be held at this hour to permit the earlier service in Bondsville. The new classes of members will be received at this time.

MARCH 29

The Annual Sunrise Service will be held at the Tower on Quabbin Reservation. Each Easter the breaking of the morning across the eastern mountains has added much to this Sunrise Service. All are welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

MARCH 15

9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12

9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class

10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4

10.45 a. m. Morning Worship Service

Lenten Theme: They Shared His Passion

Sermon—The Centurion, So Much but So Late!

3-6 p. m. All persons in the Belchertown Congregational Church are invited to the Church of Christ in Granby to meet and hear the Missionary couple to Massachusetts, the Rev. and Mrs. Kingsbury S. Jeyasingam.

5.30 p. m. Jr. High Fellowship

7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship

8 p. m. Lenten Discussion Group in the parsonage

MARCH 16

7 p. m. Board of Deacons

MARCH 17

8 p. m. Lenten Prayer and Study Group

8 p. m. Board of Christian Education

MARCH 18

9.30 a. m. Lenten Prayer and Study Group

MARCH 19

7 p. m. Choir rehearsal

8 p. m. Lenten Study Group

MARCH 22

10.45 a. m. Palm Sunday Worship Sermon—A Donkey, On Being Natural for the Glory of God

WOMEN'S GUILD

The Women's Guild will meet next week Wednesday evening, March 18. It will be a service of dedication for Friendly Service Work and the Family Thank Offering. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Edison Bresett, Mrs. Victor Blackmer and Mrs. Harold Curtis. All women are urged to attend and bring with them their Family Thank Offering boxes. If unable to attend, kindly get the boxes to Mrs. Curtis as soon as possible. Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Houghton Snow, Mrs. Frank Grover, Mrs. Cyrilla Malcolm and Mrs. Byron Hudson.

The Women's Guild March Public Supper has been cancelled.

HISTORICAL ASSN. NOTES

The Dorchester Historical Society and the First Parish Church, Unitarian, will be hosts to the Bay State Historical League at its spring meeting to be held in Dorchester April 18, 1964.

Registration will start at 10 a. m. at the Society's headquarters, 195 Boston St. Luncheon is by reservation at 12.30. The business meeting is at 2 p. m., followed by a talk by James K. Allen, pastor of First Parish Church, Unitarian, "Dorchester's prime historian."

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APPROPRIATIONS MEETING

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This same type of psychology was used as concerned the matter of the new 5-man board of selectmen. It was argued,—try it, and if it doesn't work out, go back to three. Considerable heat was generated over this article. When it was moved to table the article, there was pandemonium and no peace till the motion was withdrawn. After considerable discussion, the vote was 181 to 106 to keep the 5-man board. The much larger number voting seemed to satisfy those who felt something had been slipped over on them when 5 were voted. The selectmen were accused of setting the original "two days before Christmas" meeting.

The article taking the most time for explanation was that pertaining to our increased appropriation for the Junior-Senior High School. Walter Papp of the committee carried the ball for this proposition, giving a most comprehensive fireside chat on the matter. He answered so many of his own questions that few others had any to ask. It developed that many such committees had run into similar unexpected difficulties. It was explained that unless we come across now, we'll be in more trouble later. The vote was 247 to 9 to come across now.

The very same psychology was advocated in connection with the sewer development near the new school. The finance committee in view of drains on the town's finances, couldn't see recommending only the requirements of the new school, but Don Hazen of the sewer commissioners said that with federal and state aid, it would be foolish not to put in that 1300 ft. at a cost of around $5,500., called an exceptionally reasonable price. The meeting voted to incorporate this addition, 146 to 60.

About the most decisive vote of the night (156-1) concerned man's last resting place—the proposed addition to South Cemetery. No diagram or floor plan was presented. The meeting was dragging on, life was departing, and why argue?

Action taken on the other articles in the warrant include the following:

Art. 3. Raised and appropriated $4,500 and transferred from unappropriated funds in the treasury, $28,325 for Chapter 81 Highways.

Art. 4. Appropriated to Clapp Memorial Library the balance of $538.37 of the dog license refund after damages are paid.

Art. 5. R aised and appropriated $6,000, and transferred from unappropriated funds, $18,000 for Chapter 90 Highways Construction.

Art. 6. Raised and appropriated $1,000, and transferred from unappropriated available funds, $6,000 for Chapter 90 Maintenance.

Art. 7. New maximum hourly rates set:

Assessors	$2.00
Cemetery Comm.	1.75
Sower Comm.	1.75
Tree Warden	2.00

Art. 9. Appropriated from Insurance Reserve Account $820.29 to the Insurance Account.

Art. 10. Appropriated from Road Machinery Earnings Account $3,000 to Road Machinery Expense Account.

Art. 11. Rezoned from Agriculture to business, a portion of property of Herman Minkley near the junction of Liberty and Bardwell Sts.

Art. 15. Voted No on Fuller St. storm sewer drain.

Art. 17. Voted $200 for installation of 8 1000 lumen lamps along Mill Valley Road.

Art. 18. Appropriated from available funds, $20,000 for use by the assessors to reduce tax rate.

Art. 20. Voted to accept the Kimball-Shaw Cemetery, $600 to be turned over to the Perpetual Care fund.

Art. 21. Voted $1,450 to be used for the purchase of a new police cruiser.

Art. 23.

General Government—3.9%	$27,090.00
Protection of Persons and Property—3.4%	$23,270.00
Health and Sanitation—1.2%	$8,319.00
Highways and Sidewalks—3.8%	$26,520.00
Charities and Relief—4.5%	$31,470.46
Vetreans' Department—.6%	$4,300.00
School Department—62.8%	$458,530.00
Clapp Memorial Library—.3%	$2,000.00
Parks, Beach and Recreation—.3%	$1,900.00
Cemeteries—.7%	$5,061.00
Pensions and Insurance—3.4%	$23,893.30
Unclassified Items—.3%	$1,860.00
Maturing Debt and Interest—14.8%	$103,055.11

Art. 25. Voted sums to improve the following streets:

Eskett Road	$1,200
So. Washington St.	1,200
George Hannum St.	600
Rural Road	1,200
Orchard Road	1,200
Boardman Road	1,000
Gold Street	1,200
Beach Road	500
Gulf Road	1,200
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WILLARD H. YOUNG, SR.

Willard H. Young, Sr., of Cottage Street, died at his home Wednesday night after a brief illness. He was born in Ware, October 14, 1884, son of the late John and Lucy (Dumas) Young and was a resident here for the past 32 years. Prior to his retirement in 1957, he was employed as a painter at the Belchertown State School for 25 years. He was affiliated with the Belchertown Congregational Church, Vernon Lodge of Masons, the Doric Club, and the town Recreation Committee. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary (Riordan) Young; a son, Willard, Jr., of Longmeadow; two daughters, Mrs. George Franz of Ford City, Pa., Mrs. Loren Barrows of Northboro and four grandchildren.

Mr. Young was for years caretaker of the recreational facilities at the Old Town Hall and spent many days and hours there, always finding something to do. It was the same with Parsons Field. It was a familiar sight to see him going down by to the Field to fix up something.

He was a great lover of sports, participated in them, watched his heroes on field and screen, and was well versed on their activities.

Yes, many people, young and old, will miss a happy comrade in Bill.

There will be private funeral services held at the Beers and Story funeral home in Belchertown today. Burial will be in Mount Hope Cemetery. There will be no visiting hours. Donations may be made to the Shriners Hospital in Springfield.

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A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, CAROLINE KNIGHT ROCK of (no number) Everett Avenue, Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment, and praying—for allmony—and—for custody of and allowance for minor child. And further praying that during the pendency of said libel, the care and custody of said minor child be given to said libellant.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, within twenty-one days from the eighth day of April, 1964, the return day of this citation, and in the meantime, until the further order of the Court, you are notified that the care and custody of said minor child has been granted to said libellant.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of February, 1964.

Frank E. Tutt, II, Register

Mar. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m., March 31, 1964, on the application of Henry and Helen Renouf for a recreation area permit for their property on Baggs Street, known as Robin Farm and consisting of 630½ acres, more or less.

Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Arthur Moriarty
Ira Shattuck
and/or other members as appointed by the board of selectmen during the interim.

Mar. 13, 20

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids to furnish, deliver, and install Classroom Furniture and fixed furniture and equipment in Science Laboratories, Homemaking Rooms, Arts and Crafts Room, and Language Laboratory in the new Belchertown Junior-Senior High School will be received by the Belchertown School Building Committee up to 7.30 p. m. on Tuesday, March 31, 1964. Bids shall be filed in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, South Main Street, Belchertown, Massachusetts, where the same shall be opened publicly on Tuesday, March 31, 1964, at 7.30 p. m. Awarding of the Contract will be made by the School Building Committee at a later date.

Bidders may obtain copies of the Specifications from the Office of the Superintendent of Schools at the above address, on or after March 13, 1964. All proposals shall be submitted in the manner and form prescribed by the specifications, which control bidding and awarding of the Contract.

No bidder may withdraw his proposal for a period of thirty days after the opening thereof, and in no case after the award of a contract to such bidder.

The Belchertown School Building Committee, Belchertown, Massachusetts, reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part, or to choos that bid which in its judgment is in the best interest of the Town.

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Our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses shown us during our recent sorrow.

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I wish to express my sincere thanks for the many, many kindnesses I received during my stay in the hospital. Your cards, flowers and visits made my stay more pleasant.

Jean Phaneuf

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the voters for the fine confidence they expressed in me at the election.

Harold W. Willey

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the police department and Eastern Star for flowers sent me while I was in the hospital, also the many who sent me cards.

Walter Tolpa, Jr.

CARD OF THANKS

To the people who voted for me in the recent Town election, many thanks, and to my victorious opponent, congratulations and good luck.

Theodore W. Smist

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many people who voted for me in the annual election. Regardless of the rumor that I am a quitter, they advanced me to a more responsible position. From here I hope to maintain my reputation for honesty, sincerity and fairness to all.

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

C.W.C. Retreat at Marian Retreat House in Holyoke.

TUESDAY

Evening group of the W.S.C.S. with Mrs. George Booth.
Republican Town Committe at Memorial Hall at 7.30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Lions Club.

THURSDAY

Holy Thursday services in St. Francis church at 7.20 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Maundy Thursday service in the Methodist church at 8 p. m.
Maundy Thursday Service in the Congregational Church at 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

Good Friday services in St. Francis church at 3 p. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Good Friday Service with cantata, in Congregational Church at 8 p. m.

MARCH OF DIMES REPORT

The following is a report of the recent March of Dimes campaign here in Belchertown:

Friendly Neighbors of Dwight	$5.00
Schools	15.80
Coin Collection	4.50
March of Dimes mailer	172.03
	$197.33
Expense—Postage	32.12
Net	$165.21

Miss Mary Hanifin, chairman for the Drive is most grateful to all who contributed.

SATURDAY

Pilgrim Fellowship Car Wash at Congregational Church from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clean-Up of Congregational Church Grounds at 9.30 a. m.
Holy Saturday service in St. Francis church at 7.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

TODAY

Police Association Record Hop.
Hitched and Unhitched.

TOMORROW

B. H. S. Car Wash at the High School Grounds from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Juvenile Grange Craft Meeting.
Food, Faith and Fun Night.
Public Supper at St. Francis Church.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Mar. 29
Easter Sunrise service at Quabbin Tower at 5.30 a. m.
Sunrise service at Pelham Hill.
April 3
Senior Class Play.
Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 23
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 13
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

SUNRISE SERVICE AT QUABBIN
(See Methodist Notes)

P. T. A. MEETING

We've had a good deal to say about the P. T. A. being fated with stormy nights, but apparently they thrive on them. At least, on Monday evening which was much better weatherwise than some nights, there were not as many out as usual: Possibly the subject of By-Law revision didn't sound too interesting, but Mac can make even a dictionary take on appeal. Her paragraph by paragraph presentation seemed to hypnotize them. They had no comments or criticisms.

It was quite revealing that so much of the by-laws were dictated by state and national authorities. There just was no choice in the matter. As in so much business today, the t's have to be crossed and the i's dotted in Boston or Washington.

Possibly the subject of the child's growth and development was not too appealing, either, we have worried over the poor kids so much.

Robert Donovan of this town, guidance director at Ware, was the speaker. He said he wondered how much research had gone into some of the material that had been written on the subject. He said that he was tempted to write on "What's right with our youngsters?"

He spoke of the influence of heredity, environment and association. He elaborated on several different types of psychology, said that tests were helpful, but that one must never leave out the human element.

He spoke of the influence of parents and said that the time comparison between home and school is 3 to 1 in favor of the former.

He said that old maladies have simply been identified and given a new name in this day and age.

Not only did he mention different types of psychology, but also attributes a growing child should have as propounded by Eric Ericson, an authority on the subject, who has stressed the necessity of a sense of trust, stability, self-reliance, adequacy, curiosity, initiative, sense of accomplishment, identity and being understood. Discipline must be interjected somewhere, he said, and nothing will take the place of love and affection.

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AROUND OUR TOWN

Today being the first day of spring I thought that it might be well to comment on the usual spring-inspired activities like baseball, etc., but the white "stuff" that fell this past week reminded me that I had better not. Instead this week's 'bit of column' will feature something very, very

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VOTER REGISTRATION

Registration of Voters for the Presidential Primary here in Massachusetts will be conducted on Saturday, March 21st at Franklin School from 2 to 4 p. m., and Lawrence Memorial Hall from 12 noon to 10 p. m. on Friday, March 27th.

This is the final day and hour to register to vote in the primary.

WATER DISTRICT MEETING

The annual meeting of the Belchertown Water District was held in the town clerk's office at Memorial Hall on Monday evening.

The business meeting was at 7.30, with Byron Hudson serving as moderator. More were present than is sometimes the case, with sitting room at least, at a premium.

The first five articles were mostly routine.

Under article 4 the following amounts were voted:

Commissioners' salaries	
Chairman	500.00
Secretary and Accountant	600.00
Other member	500.00
Treasurer's salary	450.00
Clerk's salary	150.00
Expenses	
Administration	600.00
Hampshire County Retirement system	205.40
Unpaid bills of 1963	312.89
Maintenance and operation	8,427.34
Interest (debt)	35.00
Maturing debt	500.00
	$12,380.63

The commissioners had stated in their report that a gravel packed well with a turbine pump could not be installed as planned, but that centrifugal pumps were decided upon as a practical substitute. The commissioners explained at the meeting that on testing for the proposed gravel packed well, a ledge was struck at 40 feet, and as concerns a public water system, a ledge is considered a carrier of contamination, so this type of installation had to be abandoned.

It was contemplated that two automatic 200-gallon-per-minute centrifugal pumps would be installed in place of the north pump, which would provide ample capacity for some time to come.

Frederick E. Lincoln was re-elected commissioner for three years, and Robert D. Camp, Sr. was re-elected clerk and treasurer.

JUVENILE GRANGE NOTES

Juvenile Grange members will have a craft meeting in Grange Hall, Saturday, from 2 to 4 p. m. This is for both girls and boys.

PELHAM SUNRISE SERVICE

The Meeting House Fellowship will sponsor the 27th Annual Sunrise Service on Pelham Hill, Easter morning, the 29th of March. The hour of the service will be at 5.30.

The guest preacher this year will be the Rev. Elvert Miller, pastor of the Congregational Church in Belchertown. Others assisting in the service will be: Call to Worship, Malcolm W. Turner, lay pastor of the Hope Congregational Church in Amherst; Scripture, Rev. Karl Anderson, pastor of the Second Congregational Church of Amherst, and prayer by the Rev. Francis Drake, pastor of New Salem and Leverett Congregational Churches. The Easter offering will go to support the work at Camp Anderson.

In case of rain, the service will not be held.

The next meeting of the minister-study group of the Meeting House Fellowship will be on Palm Sunday afternoon at the Second Congregational Church in Amherst., when plans will be completed for the Sunrise service.

CAR WASH

There will be a car wash, Saturday, March 21, from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. behind the Belchertown High School. The seniors will be doing the honors.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Due to the rapid growth of 507, it has been found necessary to form seven new 6-man patrols. This was done a week ago this Thursday, and this week the troop had an election to choose new patrol leaders. Before this change we had 10 and 12-man patrols, 8 men being the set limit.

In the past year Troop 507 has grown from 17 to 49 boys.

We welcome anyone wishing to join, and we promise fun and adventure.

SCIENCE TEACHER CHOSEN

Mr. Jerome P. Shea, science teacher at Belchertown High School, has been chosen to participate in the National Science Foundation sponsored Summer Institute in BSCS Biology to be held at the State College, Bridgewater, Mass. July 6 through August 15, 1964.

Mr. Shea is a graduate of St. Anselm's College from which he received his A. B., State College Westfield, M. Ed.; and has done graduate work at the University of Massachusetts.

He is married to the former Barbara A. McLean and they have two children, Jerome, Jr., 5, and Cynthia Ann, 3. The Sheas make their home at 88 Westfield Road, Holyoke.

A Most Altruistic Sportsman Turns In His Equipment

Sir William Osler, celebrated Canadian physician and teacher (1849-1919), once said:

"We are here not to get all we can out of life for ourselves, but to try to make the lives of others happier."

Something like this must have been the unspoken motto of Bill Young, Sr., who passed away last week. If there is any other man in Belchertown who has spent more hours doing things for other people, especially for kids, I haven't happened to meet him.

Osler made another and more notorious statement which brought the verb *Oslerize* into the language for a while. It was this: "My second fixed idea is the uselessness of men above sixty years of age, and the incalculable benefit it would be in commercial, political, and in professional life if, as a matter of course, men stopped work at this age."

The fallacy of this philosophy could be illustrated in the life of Mr. Young, who would have been 80 years old come next October, and had spent countless hours since he turned sixty, quietly and efficiently working to improve or maintain the recreational facilities for youngsters, who sometimes seemed appreciative and sometimes not.

When the new junior-senior high school is completed, it will have a gym which will doubtless put the Old Town Hall in the shade, and there will be adjacent athletic fields that will be a lot handier and more easily maintained than Parsons Field.

However, for the last twenty and more years the town has provided pretty fair playing surfaces for championship-calibre basketball and baseball teams. Bill Young was the perennial committee member who saw to it that the Old Town Hall and the newer (1940) Parsons Field were fit for use. His was the sort of do-it-yourself service which is found only when the donor is devoted to the purposes for which the committee stands.

As this paper said last week, he was always to be seen on his way to fix something or other. And he had the skill to do the fixing!

Bill was a fine husband and father. His interest in sports was tremendous. He was always a friendly quiet man, fond of games, gardening, his neighbors, and people in general.

Cottage Street, from Lewis Blackmer at the East Gate to Byron Hudson at the West Gate, will miss him greatly. There's a spirit on that little by-way that you don't find everywhere, a combination of thoughtfulness, love, and prankishness that would be hard to match.

Last summer, for instance, in the dark of night, Deacons Emeriti Blackmer and Peck spent quite a time giving Bill's tomatoes a new crop of fruit. When he went out to admire them in the fresh light of dawn, he found beans, corn, and other vegetables attached to the tomato vines. L.H.B. fully expected to get a dusting of bird shot that night!

Probably you can't memorialize a man like Bill Young. Consequently, his good work could be forgotten in a few years. However, if there is a field, or a rink, or a pool, that could be given a name some day, I suggest Mr. Young be kept in mind. We owe Bill a lot of memory.

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A Few Slight Observations On Local Occurrences

Big Choices Made Quietly

The Appropriations Meeting surely settled in the quietest manner ever some of the most important and expensive questions we have ever seen offered for local disposition.

It is interesting to note that about 300 people voted on the most-debated article in the warrant. About 256 voted on the increased costs for the new school. 206 voted on the sewer development.

At the Town Election, over 1200 voters cast ballots. In view of the importance of the articles last week, I can't help wondering why the shrinkage was so great.

Also I am forced to wonder what would have happened had, say, a thousand voters decided to try to get into that meeting. Is there a previously-arranged plan for a "double session" or something to be used when and if the day comes when there isn't enough room for folks who want to vote at an Appropriations Meeting?

I don't like to think of the time when we shall need to have "representative" voting, already in effect in so many places. There is no substitute for the old Town Meeting.

I am glad that the size of the board of selectmen was determined by a clean-cut, decisive vote rather than by a vote to table the matter. It was generous of Mr. Hodgen to withdraw his "table", as it probably would have passed, leaving sore spots and a sure article in some forthcoming warrant.

The resigned way in which the sky-rocketing tax rate was "approved" by the voters showed that the battles had been fought long ago, the results decided, and the time come for saying "Yes." The theme song could have been that musical-comedy favorite, "All 'Er Nuthin' At All." We gave all.

Mr. Papp of the School Building Committee did a masterly job of explaining the added costs of the construction and equipping.

As a matter of fact, as one looked over the "cast of characters" on the stage, and the committees in the pit, he must have felt that we have very good people working hard and generously for our town. There were no women on the stage, come to think of it. Like a Shakesperian play!

New-Old Resting Place

The expansion of the Old South Cemetery by six acres is a clear look into the future, and a most interesting development to those of us who like town history.

This is the cemetery where many of our pre-Revolutionary forebears lie. Like the old Lake Vale Cemetery near Metacomet, it borders the Old Bay Road. After the Congregational Church was built, Mt. Hope Cemetery became *the* place to be buried. Now the space in the center is pretty well used up, and, in a manner of speaking, we're right back where we started from.

Appointments

It was good to learn that some of those who ran unsuccessfully for elective offices have been offered places on committees and have accepted them. Kenneth Main, Charles Howard and Donald Perham are cases in point.

Good too to have Jack Avery back on a community job. He was an excellent selectman and will do well on the Finance Committee.

But what goes with the Dog Officer? As far as we know, Wally Chevalier has held that job sucessfully for many years. He surely knows dogs pretty well, and is recognized over a wide area for his work in obedience classes. According to the papers, a woman is now the Dog Officer. That's a switch!

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Peace?

There may now be a better understanding between the Board of Selectmen and the Planning Board. Former P. B. chairman William Squires is now the selectman who will be contact man with the now-considerably-changed Planning Board. Sometimes things do work out.

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Listen to the old clock below me—tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

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"That man who lives for self alone
Lives for the meanest mortal known."
—*Joaquin Miller*

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Miss Rachel Randall has the distinction of being state champion in the Garden club of the state, which entitles her to a week at camp in the summer.

A moving picture has been installed at the State School, and the opening entertainment was given Monday night.

Turkey Hill has a bowling team.

Stanley Blackmer of Mill Valley has a "General Photography" ad in the *Sentinel.*

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Rev. Charles H. Smith who was pastor of the local Congregational Church from 1887-89 died at the Holyoke hospital, after a ministry of 53 years. It was during his ministry here that he organized the Y.P.S.C.E. He has had a deep interest in this church through all the decades.

The Pilgrim Hymnals recently purchased for the Congregational Church will be installed the Sunday after Easter.

The firemen and their wives were guests of honor at Union Grange. Mrs. Frances Moore wrote a Hymn of Welcome which was sung by the Grange singers.

TEN YEARS AGO

The work of painting the interior and vestibule of the Methodist Church is nearing completion. The color of the pews is changed from cream to white. The organ has been refinished with the pipes newly gilded. The men of the church have cared for the painting of the floor.

Eleven men of St. Francis Church are attending a Retreat at West Springfield.

Supt. Carl Peterson spoke at the P.T.A. meeting on "The Schools Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

Dr. Kendig Cully, formerly pastor of the Congregational Church and his wife, are authors of a small volume entitled, "Two Seasons: Advent and Lent."

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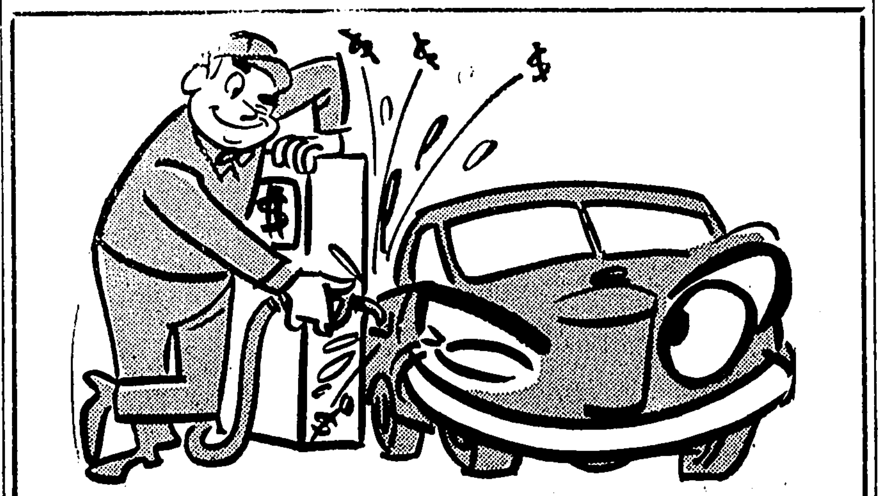

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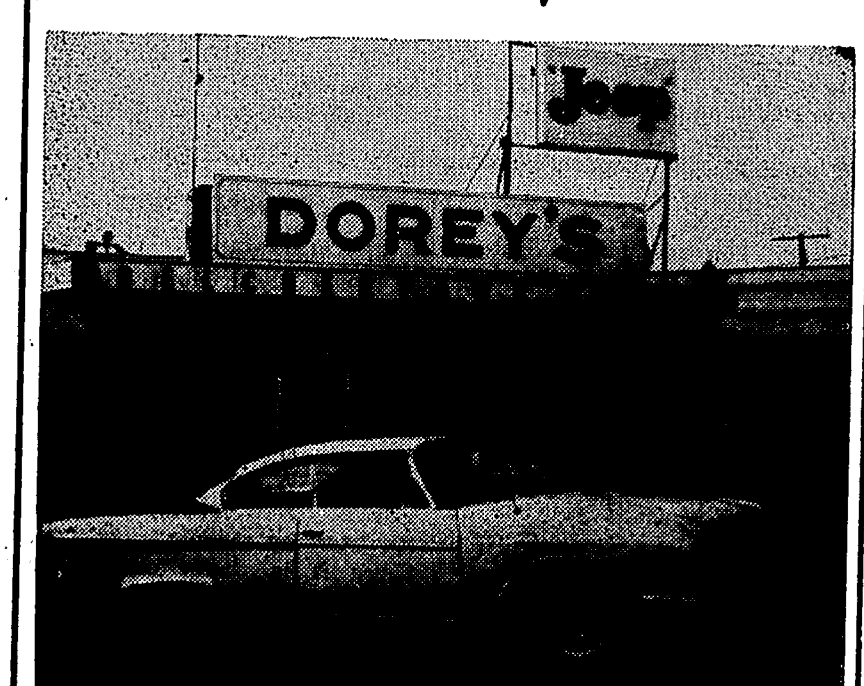

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STATE SCHOOL NEWS

It's Show Time again at Belchertown State School. A Variety Show under the direction of Judy Barrett is scheduled for March 23rd. With Rachel Shumway at the piano, and Volunteers Gerry Baker, Mary Pratt, Marie Carmody and Ruth Gould helping in every conceivable way—the show is bound to be a hit! The Officers' Wives Club Volunteers have made beautiful blouses for the girls in the chorus, and we can't wait for Monday night to arrive. Good luck to everyone!

The University of Massachusetts Volunteers held another Sock-Hop in the Gym on a Saturday afternoon, and it was a great success. Nearly 100 youngsters came from various buildings, and the University students supplied all the top tunes on tape for the event. Mrs. "Boots" was in charge—ably assisted by Judy Barrett and Jon Rose of the Recreational Department.

Lee McNew of the Officers' Wives club is busy on a new project—this time for the Educational Department. She is doing a series of paintings for the classrooms, and has completed the one destined for Edith Lacey's room.

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

Results of the March 16 bowling: State School 6, Cook 0, with D. Judkins high for the winners with 341; Reece 4, Cole's 2, J. McInnis was high with 335; Jabish Brook 4, Gates 2, with Bob Gawlik's 303 high; Henneman's 4, Independents 2, Dick Pratt was high with 340; Salvage 6, Turkey Hill 0, Jake Bodzinski took the honors with 374; Jackson's 6, Legion 0, with Pat Menard high with 348; Park Lane 6, Hilltoppers 0, with Geo. Leclerc high man with a fine 371.

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	60	12	18,761
Jackson's	50	22	18,313
Turkey Hill	47	25	18,195
Park Lane	47	25	17,948
Independents	44	28	18,349
Salvage	42	30	18,352
Cook's	36	36	17,767
Cole's	34	38	17,847
Hilltoppers	28	44	17,529
Jabish Brook	26	46	17,171
Reece	25	47	17,744
Gates	24	48	17,341
State School	24	48	17,099
Legion	17	55	17,063

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—H. Squires 394
2nd High Three—R. Pratt 383
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High 3—Independents 1,695

310 Club—J. Carr 314, D. Judkins 341, J. McInnis 335, R. Robinson 314, S. Robinson 329, G. Vadnais 315, E. Lowe 312, K. Rhodes 353, H. Squires 327, J. Hubbard 313, D. Pratt 340, P. Chlebus 312, E. Henrichon 313, J. Bodzinski 374, J. Yanginski 336, K. Main 334, P. Menard 348, B. Dickinson 331, B. Ross 312, H. Main 339, A. Mignault 330, R. Lapointe 335, G. Leclerc 371.

110 Club—D. Judkins 111, 118, 112; R. Dana 118; J. McInnis 113, 126; S. Robinson 138; G. Vadnais 116; J. Vadnais 126; H. Hayward 112; E. Lowe 127; K. Rhodes 123, 123; H. Squires 112, 111; F. Grover 118; G. Smith 123; A. Henneman 138; D. Pratt 125, 115; E. Henrichon, Sr. 116; L. Small 116; E. Henrichon 111; J. Tolpa, Jr. 111; J. Bodzinski 131, 115, 128; T. Bleau 120, 114; F. Bodzinski 111, 112; J. Yanginski 134; P. Adzima 113; K. Main 118, 115; P. Menard 113, 133; B. Dickinson 111, 114; T. Pickara 119; A. Mignault 129; R. Lapointe 126, 114; G. Leclerc 142, 123.

Next Week's Matches—

Reece vs. B.S.S.
Jabish Brook vs. Hilltoppers
Gates vs. Legion
Cole's vs. Park Lane
Turkey Hill vs. Independents
Salvage vs. Cook's
Jackson's vs. Henneman's

J. Hubbard, Secretary

BACK AT OLD STAND

Dave White has reopened his stand for business at White's Farm Produce at the same location and would appreciate the patronage of his former customers.

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ST. FRANCIS CHURCH NOTES

Fr. George R. Dudley, Pastor
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Mrs. Mary C. Landers, Organist

— SATURDAY —

Confessions will be heard tomorrow from 4 to 5 p. m., and from 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

— SUNDAY —
Palm Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—Phil. 2, 5-11.
Gospel—St. Matthew 26, 36-75; 27, 1-60.

— C.C.D. SCHEDULE —

Sunday School following the 9.30 Mass.

Religion class at B.S.S.—Saturday, March 21, at 10 a. m.

Released Time—Thursday, March 26, at 12.30 and 1.15.

— PUBLIC SUPPER —

The St. Francis Supper Committee is sponsoring a third public supper which will be held on Saturday, March 21. It will be a corned beef and cabbage supper, and servings will again be continuous from 5 to 7 p. m.

There will be a few tickets available at the door.

— HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE —

Monday—Confessions from 6.15 p. m. until Mass at 7 p. m. There is not a morning Mass.

Tuesday—Same as Monday (No Lenten sermon)

Wednesday—Same as Monday

Holy Thursday—Mass at 7.20 a. m., Conf. in the evening from 6.15 until Mass time at 7. This is the principle Mass and will be followed by Adoration until midnight. The men and women of the parish will assist in the Adoration until midnight. The C.W.C. and the Holy Name Society will assist in this service.

Good Friday—There will not be a morning Mass. The Good Friday service—Veneration of the cross, will be held at 3 p. m. In the evening, Good Friday prayers, and Veneration of the cross will be held at 7.30. Confessions will follow these services until 8.30 p. m.

Holy Saturday—The Lenten Fast continues until midnight—meat is allowed once on Holy Saturday.

Confessions on Holy Saturday: 10-12 a. m. (espec. for children); 4-6 p. m. No confessions that evening.

The Easter Vigil services will begin at 7.30 p. m.

HONORED BY D. A. R.

Miss Sandra Field and her mother were guests at Mary Mattoon Chapter, D. A. R., Amherst, Tuesday afternoon, March 17, when Good Citizens' awards were made to Miss Field, Miss Laurie Slobody of Leverett, and Miss Linda Kempisty of Hatfield.

Senior class girls from B. H. S., Amherst Regional High School and Smith Academy are annually chosen for this honor by vote of their classmates and faculty members as a part of the Daughters' youth program of patriotism and citizenship.

The girls are elected on a basis of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism, together with participation in school and community activities. Besides their good-citizen pins, the girls and their mothers were honored with corsages of spring flowers.

The occasion also celebrated the birthday of Mary Mattoon, for whom the chapter was named.

Mary Mattoon was the wife of General Mattoon, Amherst's most famous Revolutionary soldier.

The speaker of the afternoon was Col. Binehorn, who described the part of the Strategic Air Command (SAC) at Westover AFB in our National Defense System.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY—WARE

Paul's words, "Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth" (Col. 3:2), will be the Golden Text at all Christian Science churches this Sunday.

The Bible Lesson on "Matter" will also include this explanatory passage from the Christian Science textbook: "You command the situation if you understand that mortal existence is a state of self-deception and not the truth of being" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 403).

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte

SUNDAY, MARCH 22 — PALM SUNDAY
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon, "King of Glory"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
6 p. m. Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship
7 p. m. Evensong.
7.30 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet in the Vestry.

The Calla Lilies are memorial flowers given for the Palm Sunday service by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gay in loving memory of John Gay.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20
8 p. m. The Hitched and Unhitched will meet at the Parsonage. Rev. Mr. Green will have charge of the program—"Easter in Story and Song."

SATURDAY, MARCH 21
10 a. m. The members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will have a cleaning party at the church.
10.30 a. m. The Spring meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship at North Adams.
6 p. m. The March Family Night—Faith, Fun and Food Night—all members and friends of the church are welcome. Those who attend are asked to bring a salad or main dish. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will provide the evening's program.

MONDAY, MARCH 23
The Pastor's Class for Adults will meet in the Educational Building.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24
8 p. m. The Evening Group of the WSCS will meet with Mrs. George Booth on North Washington Street.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25
6.30 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.
8 a. m. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated.
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-Week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26
8 p. m. Maundy Thursday Service of Holy Communion and reception of members.

SUNDAY, MARCH 29
5.30 a. m. The Easter Sunrise Service at the Tower in Quabbin Reservation. Again this year this program is under the direction of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. Miss Patricia Very is in charge of the Morning Service. Miss Judy Green is in charge of invitations. Merle Green, Jr. is in charge of the breakfast that will follow at the Church.
9.45 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Morning Worship in the Church.
7 p. m. Evensong.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

MARCH 22
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Church School for nursery-grade 4
10.45 a. m. Palm Sunday Worship Service
Sermon—"Lessons Taught By A Donkey!"
5.30 p. m. Jr. High Fellowship
7 p. m. Sr. High Pilgrim Fellowship
8 p. m. Lenten Discussion Group in the parsonage

MARCH 24
7.30 a. m. Holy Week Devotions for Pilgrim Fellowship
9.30 a. m. Lenten Prayer and Study Group
8 p. m. Lenten Prayer and Study Group

MARCH 25
7.30 a. m. Holy Week Devotions for Pilgrim Fellowship

MARCH 26
7.30 a. m. Holy Week Devotions for Pilgrim Fellowship
8 p. m. Maundy Thursday Service with Holy Communion and the Office of Tenebrae

MARCH 27
8 p. m. Good Friday Service with the Cantata "The Crucifixion" by Stainer

MARCH 28
9.30 a. m. Church Grounds clean-up. Men bring rakes and elbow grease.
10 a. m.—4 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship Car Wash

MARCH 29
5.30 a. m. Easter Sunrise Service on Pelham Hill
10.45 a. m. Easter Morning Worship Service
Sermon—"The Grave That Gave!"

TOWN ITEM

Mrs. Alice Willey of Alice's Home of Beauty attend Monday the international hair dressers' convention at the Hotel Statler in New York City.

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P. T. A. MEETING

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His was not a cold analysis of kids, but a presentation of warmth and fascination.

Mrs. Leo Hall, chairman of the group's nominating committe, presented the following slate of officers to be voted on at the next meeting:

President Andrew Ketchen
Vice-President Mrs. Robert Armstrong
Secretary Gerald Tremaine
Treasurer Mrs. Chris Marcacos

Miss Falk's first grade room won the attendance banner. Refreshments were served by the 5th grade room mothers.

FRANKLIN SCHOOL NOTES

Grade 3
Miss Fitzgerald and Mrs. Schott

Crackers and butter were enjoyed by the children at Franklin School on Wednesday, when the third grade made "real butter" as a climax to their Social Studies unit on dairy products. The cream was purchased from the milk man and converted into butter by means of an electric mixer. The children had just one complaint —"No seconds!"

CUB SCOUT NOTES

DEN 5

After refreshments, we held our opening ceremony and then elected Robert Hislop, denner, and Lyle Hislop, scribe. We made plans for the Mardi Gras pack night. Then we played games.

Lyle Hislop, Scribe

DEN 6

This week Den 6 started making a dragon for our Mardi Gras Pack Night. Our den chief inspected our uniforms. We had juice and cup cakes.

David Rogers, Scribe

UNION GRANGE NOTES

Union Grange observed Conservation Night Tuesday evening with Ralph Trombly in charge. The speaker was William French, soil conservationist for Hampden County, who explained soil conservation maps available to towns. He also injected St. Patrick's Day humor in his talk.

Mrs. June Henneman and Mrs. Veronica Dana served refreshments in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Members will attend a meeting at South Amherst on Monday at 7.30 (note the time) when the girls from the Kurn Hattin Home will entertain.

They will attend a "sugar eat" at Leverett on Friday, March 20.

On Friday, March 27, they will attend the 75th anniversary of Athol Grange, when the past state lecturer, Dorothy Warden, will be the guest speaker.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Nine tables were in play at the Card party last Saturday night in charge of Marion Plant. Prize winners were: 1st, John Madigan, Lillian Madigan, Katherine Finn, Idola Patnaude; 2nd, Gaetane Fortin, Joy Wright, Emma Grover and Ruth Kempkes; 3rd, Jane Bowler, Christine Henry, Blanche Bader, and Elsa Haller; Door, Mrs. M. L. Nightingale and Mildred Hartmann. This week's party will be in charge of Harriet Chevalier.

CLOVER CLUB

The second meeting of the 4-leaf Clover Club was held at Mrs. Atwood's home on March 13. Glenn Butler was made junior leader for 1964. Seven members were enrolled in Hoard's Dairyman's Cow Judging contest. 4-H certificates for 1964 were given to eight last year members.

4-Hily,
Gary Butler, Sec'y

ORGANIZES

The planning board met and organized on Thursday the 12th:

Chairman James Hayward
Clerk William Hennemann
Other members
Donald Cole, Raymond Burke, George Jackson

The planning board will hold its regular meetings on the fourth Thursday of the month in the basement of Lawrence Memorial Hall.

BUSINESS NOTES

Miss Madeline Fitzgerald and two Senior business education students, Susan Hussey and Patricia Very, were guests of Springfield Monarch Insurance Company at the annual NOMA Education Day sponsored by the Springfield NOMA Chapter of the A. M. S. (American Management Society.)

They observed many of the machines in operation and were able to discuss office procedures with many of the office personnel. They enjoyed a social hour followed by a licious dinner at Massachusetts Mutual.

There were 305 students and faculty members participating, as compared to participation by five students 13 years ago.

Doctor Robert O. Harvey, Dean of the School of Business Administration at the University of Connecticut, was the speaker for the evening, and his address was entitled "Your Stake in the Free Enterprise System."

Two principles that affect the young, able, and ambitious in our enterprise system are the growth of equalized mediocrity and the principle of compounded complexities. He further elaborated on the principle of compounded complexities by saying that each new level of achievement becomes increasingly more difficult to surpass.

In the enterprise system there is opportunity for progress. This opportunity for progress is the stake that our young talented and hopefully ambitious have in our enterprise system.

He concluded his remarks by stating that progress can be harsh, demanding and very difficult. Progress is change which allows increased efficiency in meeting our goals. The incentive for progress comes from the drive for achievement, and the will to achieve can flourish only among the young, talented and ambitious members of our society.

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ORGANIZATION AND APPOINTMENTS

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Clerk of Selectmen—Frank Farrington, Jr.

Chairman Board of Public Welfare—William Squires, Jr.

Other Members — Earl Henrichon and Walter Tolpa, Jr.

—Sub-Committees—

Highways and Sidewalks—Tolpa, Mathras

Parks, Beach, Summer Recreation —Tolpa, Farrington

Library, Town Dump—Mathras

Dog Officer and Public Building Maintenance—Farrington

Police, Fire Department, Related Branches—Squires, Farrington, Henrichon

Relations Between Town Offices—Civil Defense, Zoning By-Law Enforcement office, Planning Board, Board of Appeals—Squires

—Appointments—

Finance Committee — Kenneth Main, John Avery

Registrar of Voters—Rose Joyal

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Royal Gay

Inspector Wiring—Walter J. Henry, Jr.

Dog Officer—Mrs. John McCaughey

Appeals Board—Charles Howard, Donald Perham

Measurers of Wood and Lumber—Donald Terry, Merton Pratt

Fence Viewers and Field Drivers—Joseph T. Mercier, David E. Fournier

Trustee Hampshire County Aid to Agriculture—Preston Atwood

Zoning Enforcement Officer—John Reed

Public Weighers—Walter Tolpa, Jr., Eleanor Tolpa, Leo Small, Rudolph Smola, Robert Anderson, Thaddeus Bodzinski, Joseph Tolpa

Police Officers—Ernest M. Gay, Andrew T. Sears, Adam L. Antonovitch, Frank P. Loftus, Herbert E. Squires, Robert G. Anderson, Lester Beaudoin, Randolph Brown, Edward Czech, Merton Pratt, Chester F. Dzwonkowski, Sr., A. Preston Atwood, Charles Howard, Elmer Potter

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Special Officers Limited to State School—Dr. Lawrence Bowser, Francis J. Longtine, Donald B. Hayden

Old Town Hall and Recreation Committee—Earle Whitehouse

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Pin Pickers' high ratings were upset by the Jolly "5" on March 12th when the Jolly "5" took 6 points from them. During the second round of bowling, 9 weeks, the Pin Pickers have lost only 8 points. The Jolly "5" took team high single of 501 and team high three of 1443. High single went to Lois Lowe with 127 and second high single to Rita Lapointe with 123. Joan Poole had 322 for high three. Second high three was a three way tie between Shirley Fitts, Rose Scott and Eleanor McHaffie each rolling 312.

Team results were as follows: Chadson Gals 8, Nite Outers 0; Gay Rollers 8, Outskirters 0; Hit or Miss 6, Harmony Five 2; Jolly "5" 6, Pin Pickers 2; Roll-a-ways 6, Crystals 2; King Pins 6, Bowl-aires 2; and Congo's 6, Pin Spinners 2.

300 Club—J. Poole 322, E. McHaffie 312, S. Fitts 312, R. Scott 312, R. Lapointe 311, L. Lowe 307

110 Club—L. Lowe 127, R. Lapointe 123, E. McHaffie 121, J. Poole 117, 112

100 Club—J. Cook 101, C. Gagne 115, R. Scott 113, S. Fitts 111, D. Rimbold 111

Season Records

High single—J. Poole 154
2nd high single—C. Hubbard, 129
High three—C. Hubbard 357
2nd high three—J. Poole 341
Team high single—Pin Pickers, 512
Team high three—Roll-a-ways 1447

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	64	8	12,529
Jolly "5"	56	16	11,826
Roll-a-ways	48	24	12,153
Hit or Miss	44	28	11,845
Congo's	44	28	11,845
Gay Rollers	42	30	11,222
Crystals	35	37	11,567
Class B			
King Pins	54	18	11,995
Bowl-aires	24	48	11,190
Chadson Gals	24	48	11,068
Nite Outers	22	50	11,084
Harmony Five	22	50	10,963
Outskirters	16	56	11,052
Pin Spinners	9	63	10,567

—R. Dowd, Secretary

4-H CLUB NOTES

The 4-H Wood Working Club met at Lawrence Memorial Hall last Friday night at 7. We elected officers as follows:

President	Kevin Brown
Vice President	John Rush, Jr.
Secretary & Reporter	Robert Squires
Treasurer	Gregory Lyon

Our next meeting is at the home of Kevin Brown.

Robert Squires, Secretary

SHAW AGENCY SALES

The Don Shaw Real Estate Agency has sold the former Sullivan home located on Bardwell Street to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Niquette of Chauncey Walker Road. Mr. Niquette is employed by *The Wall Street Journal* in Chicopee Falls. The Niquette family will occupy their new home about April 1.

TOWN ITEM

Mrs. H. F. Peck, who underwent surgery at Holyoke Hospital, returned home yesterday.

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WATER DISTRICT REPORT

Commissioners' Report

The outstanding project of the year was the approval of the Federal Government to conduct a survey of our pumping facilities and wells for the purpose of replacing pumps, and to greatly increase the capacity of the station, also to include automatic controls. This survey has been completed by the firm of Tighe & Bond.

Although it was found that a gravel packed well with a turbine pump could not be installed as we had planned, a replacement in our station with centrifugal pumps, plus the installation of a second force main to Jabish Street, and a connection from this to the present main on Jabish Street thus forming a loop, seems the best solution and will more than double pumping capacity. The cost of this project is about half the original estimate and we hope to receive Federal aid to complete this work.

The connection of water mains to the new Junior-Senior High School required an extension of the water main on North Washington Street of approximately 225 feet with 6-inch asbestos cement pipe. The hydrant installation was moved from in front of the Midura property to a point beyond the school entrance. A 6-inch main valve installed and connections to the new school were also completed.

An 8-inch cement pipe was installed across Park Street before that street was repaved. This line when connected to the larger main near the standpipe and extended to each end of the common with large hydrants will greatly increase the volume of water for fire protection. Eventually this line can be connected to the water mains on South Main and North Main Streets, increasing the volume of water on these lines especially on South Main Street where an 8-inch pipe extends to the State School standpipe.

There were seven new service connections made during the year, making a total of 310.

The clearing of a greater area of trees and brush at the pumping station has made for much more attractive surroundings.

Permits from the State Department of Public Works were received for the replacements of several house services on Maple and Sargent Streets. These were not received until late fall and restrictions were so great that they are now scheduled for early in 1964.

Each year replacement of our older meters has continued. Twelve new meters were installed plus approximately twenty that were rebuilt.

Monthly and quarterly samples of water were sent to Mass. Public Health Laboratories in Amherst and Lawrence. All of which proved excellent.

Regular meetings are held on the second Monday of the month.

We express our appreciation to Town officials and residents for their cooperation during the year.

ITEMIZED REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AS FOLLOWS:

RECEIPTS

WATER:		
Rates	10,280.63	
Miscellaneous sales & connections	317.66	
Extension Service	50.00	
Hydrant Service	2,000.00	
1963 Water Main Apportioned	189.00	
1963 Water Main Appor., paid in full	286.00	
1961 Water Liens	33.85	
1962 Water Liens	106.12	
1963 Water Liens	778.12	14,041.38
AGENCY:		
Federal Withholding Taxes	394.07	
Retirement	142.04	
State Withholding Taxes	26.29	
Employers' Compensation	.78	563.18
FEES & FINES:		
Water Lien Fees	17.00	
Release of Lien	4.00	21.00
INTEREST:		
On Deposits	234.44	
All other Interest	65.41	299.85
		14,925.41
Cash on hand January 1, 1963		8,069.37
		$22,994.78

EXPENDITURES

ADMINISTRATIVE:		
Salaries:		
Commissioners	$1,600.00	

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WATER DISTRICT REPORT

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Treasurer	400.00	
Clerk	100.00	2,100.00
Expense:		
Treasurer's Bond	10.00	
Law	16.00	
Insurance	61.50	
Clerical	144.37	
Printing, postage etc.	93.67	
Other wages	101.70	427.24
STATE AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS		264.76
Hampshire County Retirement System		258.00
AGENCY:		
Federal Withholding Taxes	394.07	
Retirement	142.04	
State Withholding Taxes	26.29	562.40
MAINTENANCE & OPERATION:		
Pump House Expense:		
Wages	1,548.30	
Telephone	143.90	
Massachusetts Electric Co.	1,348.31	
H. E. Kimball & Sons	98.36	
All other wages	147.00	
Repairs to Pump House	145.89	
Repairs to Pump	145.06	3,576.82
OPERATION:		
Association Dues	8.00	
Wages	1,154.77	
Hired Trucks & Equipment	727.22	
Insurance	103.12	
Postage on Water Samples	2.68	
New England Meter Repair Co.	314.84	
Badger Meter Co.	350.10	
All other material	1,470.30	
Reading Meters	127.00	
Tool Shed Repairs	10.36	
Painting & Repairing Truck	377.99	
Oil, Gas & Anti Freeze	35.00	
State Inspection	1.00	4,682.38
INTEREST:		
On Maturing Debt		69.00
MATURING DEBT:		
Water Main Extension of 1957	600.00	
Water Main Extension of 1960	500.00	1,100.00
STABILIZATION FUND		700.00
		$13,740.60
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DWIGHT ITEM

Miss Muriel Jenks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jenks, Sr. was guest of honor at a personal shower given by her two aunts, Mrs. Florence Prescott and Mrs. Leila Bennett, both of Connecticut, at her grandmother's, Mrs. Cassie Fay, Saturday evening, March 14. Friends and relatives attended from New Hampshire, Connecticut, Belchertown, Pelham and Sunderland. She was made happy by several lovely gifts.

A mock wedding was performed which gave the guests a great deal of amusement, along with other entertainment. Lovely decorated tea cakes and coffee were served.

Mr. Melvin Atwell, her future husband was also given a party held at the same time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fay., given by her brother Robert Jenks, Jr. and her uncle Carl Fay. A nice party of Mr. Atwell's relatives and friends attended. Mr. Atwell received a purse of money.

The couple will be married April 4th at Dwight Chapel.

AROUND OUR TOWN

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different—eating places in Belchertown.

At the present time it is next to impossible to get a bite to eat anywhere else other than at home due to a number of reasons. The Dairy Bar has been closed now for over two months since it was raked by fire. Across the street, the Four Corners Grill is closed as it is every winter, and we understand that Daisy Maes has been closed for a short spell while work was done there.

As regards the Dairy Bar, while it is being brought back to life, many improvements are being incorporated in the renovations now going on and it is hoped by all concerned that it will be ready for re-opening sometime early next month. The structure was enlarged, and considerable rearranging was done, and from all appearances will be a welcomed addition by the operator of the business, which is one of the top employers of local people.

Up at Dwight work goes on in the readying of the new building recently put up to house a restaurant. Perhaps one day when Rte. 9 gets its long, long awaited rebuilding in the 1970's (?), it will be another boost for the small business economy which seems to be the second in line after property owners in supporting our tax needs.

In any case, most of the eating places will be doing business by the time spring is really upon us as it surely was a few days in early February!

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A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife, CAROLINE KNIGHT ROCK of (no number) Everett Avenue, Belchertown, in the County of Hampshire, praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment, and praying—for alimony—and—for custody of and allowance for minor child. And further praying that during the pendency of said libel, the care and custody of said minor child be given to said libellant.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Northampton, in said County of Hampshire, within twenty-one days from the eighth day of April, 1964, the return day of this citation, and in the meantime, until the further order of the Court, you are notified that the care and custody of said minor child has been granted to said libellant.

Witness, HARRY JEKANOWSKI, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of February, 1964.
Frank E. Tuit, II. Register

Mar. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the recreation room of Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8.30 p. m., March 31, 1964, on the application of Henry and Helen Renouf for a recreation area permit for their property on Baggs Street, known as Robin Farm and consisting of 630½ acres, more or less.

Joseph Tolpa, Clerk
Arthur Moriarty
Ira Shattuck
and/or other members as appointed by the board of selectmen during the interim.

Mar. 13, 20

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids to furnish, deliver, and install Classroom Furniture and fixed furniture and equipment in Science Laboratories, Homemaking Rooms, Arts and Crafts Room, and Language Laboratory in the new Belchertown Junior-Senior High School will be received by the Belchertown School Building Committee up to 7.30 p. m. on Tuesday, March 31, 1964. Bids shall be filed in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, South Main Street, Belchertown, Massachusetts, where the same shall be opened publicly on Tuesday, March 31, 1964, at 7.30 p. m. Awarding of the Contract will be made by the School Building Committee at a later date.

Bidders may obtain copies of the Specifications from the Office of the Superintendent of Schools at the above address, on or after March 13, 1964. All proposals shall be submitted in the manner and form prescribed by the specifications, which control bidding and awarding of the Contract.

No bidder may withdraw his proposal for a period of thirty days after the opening thereof, and in no case after the award of a contract to such bidder.

The Belchertown School Building Committee, Belchertown, Massachusetts, reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part, or to choos that bid which in its judgment is in the best interest of the Town.

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FUNERAL

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at the Beers & Story Funeral Home for Willard H. Young, Sr. Rev. Elvert F. Miller, pastor of the Congregational Church, officiated. Bearers were Sherman Gould, Edward Gates, Elwyn Bock and Donald Bock, David Hodgen and William Squires. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

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Barbara McCaughey
Dog Officer

CARD OF THANKS

A most sincere thanks to all the many friends and neighbors who came to visit me and sent me flowers and cards during my stay in the hospital.
Dorothy DeWitt

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Willard Young greatly appreciates the many kindnesses extended to us during our recent loss.

CARD OF THANKS

A humble, sincere Thank You to each and all for the cards, flowers and kind deeds that came my way. They made things so much easier and brighter the past two months.
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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Sunrise Service on Pelham Hill at 5.30 a. m.
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Easter Sunrise service at Quabbin Tower at 5.30 a. m.
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Pilgrim Fellowship Cabinet Meeting at 7.30 p. m.
Firefighters' Association.

TUESDAY

Double or Nothing Club at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Friendly Service Meeting at 10.30 a. m.
Masonic Meeting.

THURSDAY

Garden Club at Library at 2 p. m.
Official Board in Vestry at 7.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Senior Class Play.

SATURDAY

Grange Card Party.
Cub Scout Bus Trip.

PUBLIC SUPPER AT DWIGHT CHAPEL

A public supper will be served at Dwight Chapel on April 25. Particulars will be announced later.

FAMILY CAMPERS' SPRING SAFARI

Robin Farm here in Belchertown will be the site of the New England Campers Association spring safari to be held May 22-24. The occasion is expected to draw between 1800 and 2000 families.

A spokesman for NEFCA's Pioneer Valley Chapter pointed out that camping families average five members, so that attendance may run as high as 10,000, double the population of this town.

Volunteers from the Pioneer Valley Chapter and from the Worcester and Springfield, Vermont, chapters will be spending the two weekends prior to the safari at Robin Farm laying out individual camp sites.

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MOTHCAKE SALE

The Belchertown Jaycees are announcing a mothcake sale to be held April 2, 3, and 4, as per their advertisement on Page 3. The cut they use is quite novel.

TODAY

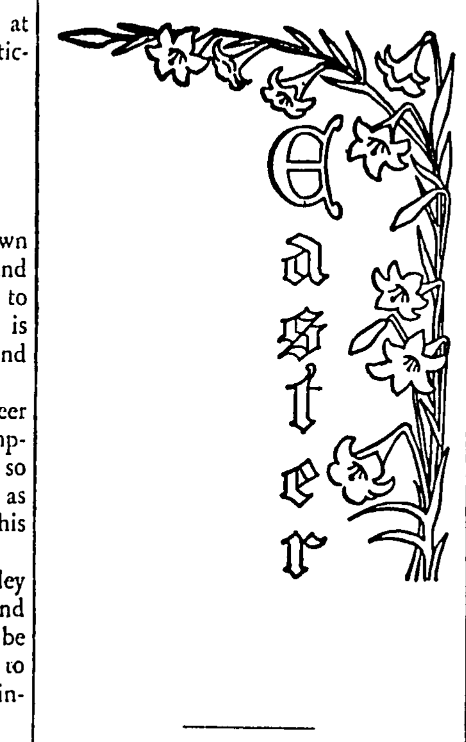
Good Friday services in St. Francis church at 3 p. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Good Friday Service with cantata, in Congregational Church at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Paper Drive and Food Sale.
Pilgrim Fellowship Car Wash at Congregational Church from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clean-Up of Congregational Church Grounds at 9.30 a. m.
Holy Saturday service in St. Francis church at 7.30 p. m.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Apr. 11
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Apr. 25
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Public Supper at Dwight Chapel.
May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
May 23
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
June 13
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.



SUNRISE SERVICE AT PELHAM NO MATTER WEATHER

The members of the Meeting House Fellowship held a meeting at the Second Congregational Church in Amherst on Sunday afternoon. Plans were completed for the 27th Annual Sunrise Service to be held on Pelham Hill at 5.30 a. m. on Sunday.

The call to worship will be led by Malcolm W. Turner, lay pastor of the Hope Congregational Church; the Scripture will be read by the Rev. Karl Andersen, pastor of the Second Church; the Sermon will be by the Rev. Elvert Miller, pastor of the Congregational Church in Belchertown; and the benediction will be by the Rev. Darrell Holland, pastor of the Hadley Congregational Churches. Easter prayers will be offered by the Rev. Francis Drake, pastor of the Leverett and New Salem Congregational Churches. Rev. Mr. Drake is the president of the Meeting House Fellowship. Rev. George Condon is also on the committee. Miss Donna Grow will be organist. *In case of rain the service will be held in the Pelham Town Hall.* The Women's Guild of the United Church of Pelham will be in charge of the fellowship coffee hour in the Town Hall. The offering will be for work and support of Camp Anderson.

CAR WASH TOMORROW

The Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will hold a car wash tomorrow, Saturday, March 28, from 10 to 4 in the church parking lot, weather permitting.

SUNRISE SERVICE AT QUABBIN

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will be in charge again this year of the Sunrise Service at the Tower in Quabbin Reservation. Miss Joan Sporbert will bring the message, with Miss Patricia Very as soloist. The public is invited to this service which looks across the rolling mountains from the east to the mountains across the Connecticut River to the west. Just to worship on this mountaintop is an experience. Breakfast will be served at the Church Vestry at 7 a. m. Breakfast will be served by reservation only.

LIONS CLUB

With a little re-vamping, the talk on India by Paul Monson before the intrazone meeting of the Lions Club on Tuesday evening at the Quabbin Club, might well have been a sermon.

He said that fundamentally, people everywhere, are moved by the same emotions, have the same desires—for a job, to earn a living, to get food, clothes, an education, and what is most universal, a better education for their children. Even savages, he said, want better opportunities for their families.

He believed that what the world suffers the most from today is lack of communication—possibly not technical—but a lack of understanding of each other on the part of nations and individuals. For instance, we can't understand India's stand on neutralism, because we have not really put ourselves in their place—in the other fellow's shoes, so to speak—to find out why he reacts as he does.

Mr. Monson said that this lack of communication causes trouble, even in the home. Members of the family don't really get to know each other, perhaps leading to divorce, and delinquency in children where there is a lack of understanding.

In particular, he said that the Indians of the Amazon associate the words, "enemies" and "strangers" with each other, proving that "communication" is necessary.

The pictures Monson showed of scenes in India, especially temples, were marvelous. Close-ups of some of these edifices revealed their intricate detail, wrought by infinite patience.

In conclusion, the speaker repeated his objective—to jog his hearers into "communicating."

King Lion John Carr was master of ceremonies, introducing the dignitaries from the several clubs around. There was group singing of Lions songs, with Mr. Longtine as the accompanist. Pat Loftus introduced the speaker (sponsored by Volkswagen), embellishing his introductory remarks with some of his inimitable stories.

SLOW - PITCH LEAGUE PROPOSED

It seems an awful shame that a town like Belchertown is losing interest in sports. We can remember when this town had six softball teams and the town's folks had a wonderful time at Parsons Field.

Two weeks ago we advertised for sponsors or people interested in playing softball in a slow pitch league in Belchertown. We have had very little response. We figured that by starting a slow pitch league it would give young and old alike a chance to play and have an enjoyable summer.

It is not too late. All you have to do is call either Roland Lapointe at 323-7793 or Dick Cook, Sr. at 323-6929.

Come on! Let's get on the ball—softball that is—and have an enjoyable time this summer.

Richard K. Cook, Sr.
Roland Lapointe

SENIOR CLASS PROJECTS

The Senior Class of Belchertown High School is planning the following events:

Paper Drive and Food Sale—Saturday, March 28. The paper drive will get underway at 9 a. m. and will end at 5 p. m. Those who have paper for the drive are asked to call John Riberio at 323-6335 or B. Socha, Jr. at ATlas 3-6969. The food sale will be held from 10 to 4 in front of the Belchertown Market and Morey's Drug Store on Park Street.

Senior Class Play—Friday, April 3. The play, "Tammy Tell Me True" will be presented in Lawrence Memorial Hall at 8 p. m. Admission, 75 cents for adults and .50 cents for children through the sixth grade.

CUB SCOUT BUS TRIP

The boys are asked to meet in the parking lot on the common between 12.30 and 12.45 p. m., Saturday, April 4, to go to the museum, being sure that their den will have adult leadership.

FINAL REGISTRATION DATE

The town clerk announces that due to a recent directive from Boston, the final registration date before the primaries will be Monday, March 30, from 12 noon to 10 p. m., in Lawrence Memorial Hall, instead of March 27, as previously announced.

The Steeple Soliloquizes

Case Of Maddened Major
Modern Lesson In Repentance

One of the most dramatic legends to come out of Holy Week is that of the "Wandering Jew", who refused to allow Christ to sit at his door while Jesus was bearing the cross to Calvary. For this he was condemned to wander over the face of the earth until the end of the world.

The Reader's Encyclopedia goes on to say (Page 1186—1948 Edition): "The usual form of the legend says that he was Ahasuerus, a cobbler. The craftsman pushed Him away, saying, 'Get off! Away with you, away!' Our Lord replied, 'Truly I go away, and that quickly, but tarry thou till I come.'

"Another tradition has it that the Wandering Jew was Kartaphilos (Cartaphilus), the doorkeeper of the judgement hall in the service of Pontius Pilate. He struck our Lord as he led Him forth, saying, 'Go on faster, Jesus'; whereupon the Man of Sorrows replied, ' I am going, but thou shalt tarry till I come again' (*Chronicle of St. Albans Abbey;* 1228). The same *Chronicle,* continued by Matthew Paris, tells us that Kartiphilos was baptized by Ananias, and received the name of Joseph. At the end of every hundred years he falls into a trance, and wakes up a young man about thirty.

"In German legend, he is associated with John Buttadeus, seen at Antwerp in the 12th century, again in the 15th, and a third time in the 16th century. His last appearance was in 1775 at Brussels. In the French version, he is named Laquedem or Lakedion. Another story has it that he was Salathiel ben Sadi, who appeared and disappeared toward the close of the 16th century, at Venice, in so sudden a manner as to attract the attention of all Europe; and another connects him with the *Wild Huntsman.....*"

These varying stories of the Wandering Jew have been used by poets and novelists, great and small, for many years, and will probably continue to be so used as long as Christianity endures. They make good drama.

In many of the stories, the Wanderer, a sad and repentant man, spends his years doing good deeds to his fellow men. One of the lessons of Good Friday is that of repentance. This is the time when we contrast the central message of Christ's teachings: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself", with the shouts of hatred, the "Crucify him!" of the people He loved.

I was reminded of the story of the Wandering Jew when I read very recently in the daily paper the story of a present-day man, whose troubled conscience has been doing strange things to him.

He was caught just the other day after holding up a supermarket with a toy pistol. In the last couple of decades he has been in jails and mental institutions several times. When he goes to sleep, he dreams of children running and screaming, enveloped in flames.

This man was once a major in the United States Army Air Force. He gave the signal for the atomic bomb to be dropped on Hiroshima. Small wonder, perhaps that remorse and horror-stricken conscience should have brought him his present state.

He symbolizes the fact of the bomb just as the wandering Jew symbolizes the fact of the Crucifixion. We do not feel hatred toward the Wandering Jew. Moreover, we certainly read of the major with sympathy and even with some understanding, because we feel that somehow or other we share what he must feel is his guilt, though he was simply performing a duty.

We know that generation after generation of blameless people was made to suffer because of the crucifixion of Christ. We suspect, too, that the first use of the atomic bomb as a destroyer of cities will haunt the conscience of our people for a long time to come, however necessary was its use to end a terrible war.

It is hard for us to build for other peoples an acceptable image of a friendly America against the background of the mushroom cloud. However, we do know that we try to follow the teachings of Christ and that we do stand as builders, not as destroyers.

The story of the maddened major is a sobering lesson on the price of war and the cost of hatreds.

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Listen to the old clock below me—
tick, tick, tick. It has counted off another week of our lives.

* * *

"And all through life I see a cross—
Where sons of God yield up their breath;
There is no gain except by loss;
There is no life except by death;
There is no vision but by faith."
Walter Chalmers Smith
(1824-1908)

—Bob Jackson

FROM THE SENTINEL FILES

By W. R. B.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Mrs. Clinton R. Rhodes, the mother of Lawrence, Stanley and Harlan Rhodes, died in the Springfield hospital at the age of 47.

The State School Minstrel show was a "real show". It could hardly be otherwise with Dr. Westwell in charge, and also acting as Interlocutor.

The Water District meeting savored more of being a "fire" meeting than a "water" meeting. On the part of some, the water commissioners were held up to ridicule. But the commissioners made their defense, and W. F. Nichols said he was the first one to have water, and he was satisfied, and ex-Senator Morse gave a clarion call to the citizens to take water now that they have an opportunity, and maybe the tax rate might be lessened. Thomas Allen was the Moderator.

The Ladies' Social Union of the Methodist Church have elected as their new President Mrs. Bertha Conkey.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Garrett B. Demarest died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clinton Hamilton at the age of 91. He had been a well-preserved man and was an exceedingly friendly person.

Mrs. Marion Randolph Tribe died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Etta B. Randolph, at the age of 31. She was active in Dwight Chapel and was a reporter for the *Belchertown Sentinel* and the *Amherst Record*.

Work began at the new Esso service station at the corner of Park and Jabish Streets. The station will be operated by J. Raymond Gould.

Mrs. Mary Jane Ladd who had lived in town for 55 years, died at the age of 81.

Forty-Hours' Devotions start at St. Francis Church on Friday.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Steeple says a good word about Scrabble "the new game which has swept the amusement field off its feet."

A farewell party was given at the State School for Mr. and Mrs. Mason, who are retiring.

Mrs. Agnes Cumming Coote, a former Belchertown girl, has retired after 47 years of teaching in this area. Her first teaching was in the Belchertown Schools.

The Lions club announces that the University of Massachusetts Chorale will present a concert on April 21 here in town.

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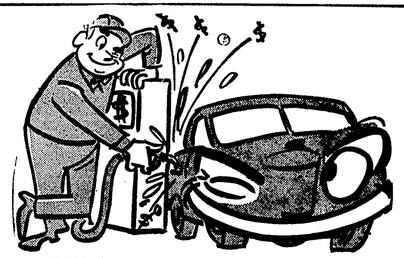
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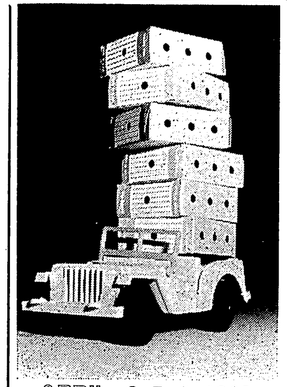
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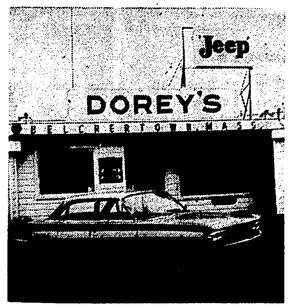

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MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

On Monday the 23rd the final night of bowling was held with Henneman's winning the second round. They will bowl the Independents, who won the first round, March 30, for the league championship. Also on Monday, Mar. 30, there will be an odd pin tournament.

Monday night results were: Reece 6, State School 0, with Rich Robinson high with 328; Independents 6, Turkey Hill 0, with Frank Grover and Jack Coty having 328, also for the winners; Gates 4, Legion 2, Ernie Lowe was high with 321. P. Lane 4, Cole's 2, Tony Pereira was high with 328; Hilltoppers 4, Jabish Brook 2, with Pete Wisnewski 326 high; Henneman's 4, Jackson's 2, with R. Pratt high with 339; Salvage 4, Cook's 2, with Franny Bodzinski's 319 high.

Final Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Henneman's	64	14	20335
Jackson's	52	26	19887
Park Lane	51	27	19443
Independents	50	28	19888
Turkey Hill	47	31	19639
Salvage	46	32	19825
Cook's	38	40	19190
Cole's	36	42	19345
Hilltoppers	32	46	19011
Reece	31	47	19207
Gates	28	50	18889
Jabish Brook	28	50	18645
State School	24	54	18511
Amer. Legion	19	59	18564

Season Records

High Single String-A. Henneman 156
2nd High Single—T. Bleau 147
High 3 Strings—H. Squires 394
2nd High Three—R. Pratt 383
Team High Single—Salvage 592
Team High 3—Independents 1,695

110 Club—L. Geoffroy 128; C. Owczarski 119; R. Robinson 110, 110; J. Coty 110; E. Field 112; F. Grover 126; P. Chlebus 120; L. Small 114, 120; R. Blaine 111, 110; F. Yanginski 121; P. Adzima 121; E. Lowe 118; E. Gates 113; D. Dunbar 132; D. Barrett 113; C. Robinson, Jr. 124, 114; J. Vadnais 115; T. Periera 110, 127; A. Mignault 110; G. Leclerc 112, 116; B. Gawlik 112; P. Wisnewski 123; R. Hawkins 113; B. Malmstedt 119; K. Snow 115, B. Ross 110, 115; G. Smith 112, 110; W. Terry 116; D. Perham 117, 114; R. Pratt 120, 130; T. Piekara 110; E. Bock 120, 110, 131; W. Dickinson 113; P. Menard 121; R. Dana 116, 115; F. Bodzinski 112, 110; J. Bodzinski 115.

310 Club—L. Geoffroy 318, R. Robinson 328, J. Coty 328, F. Grover 328, P. Chlebus 324, L. Small 329, R. Blaine 323, J. Yanginski 320, E. Lowe 321, C. Robinson, Jr. 331, T. Pereira 328, G. Leclerc 326, P. Wisnewski 326, B. Ross 333, G. Smith 312, W. Terry 323, D. Perham 319, R. Pratt 339, E. Bock 361, W. Dickinson 322, P. Menard 322, R. Dana 324, F. Bodzinski 319, J. Bodzinski 311.

It was decided to have our banquet this year at DeMarco's Restaurant on April 13, 1964. A cocktail hour will be held from 6-7 p. m., followed by dinner.

J. Hubbard, Secretary

ON VACATION

William A. Terry, a student at Northampton Commercial College, is spending the Easter recess at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Terry. He will report back to classes on Monday, March 30.

TOWN ITEM

Miss Karen McKissick, daughter of Mr. Glenn McKissick of Fairview, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. William Russell of Everett Avenue, March 18. Guests were present from Holyoke, Granby, Fairview and Belchertown.

Miss McKissick will become the bride of Mr. John Plowucha, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plowucha, Sr., of North Main St., on April 11 in St. Francis Church, Belchertown.

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—SUNDAY—

Easter Sunday

Masses in St. Francis Church are at 7, 9.30, and 11 a. m. Mass at the State School is at 8.15 a. m.

In This Sunday's Mass

Epistle—1 Cor. 5, 7-8.
Gospel—Mark 16, 1-7.

There will not be any Sunday School this Sunday, Easter Sunday.

—Schedule of Services—

Good Friday—There will not be a morning Mass. The Good Friday service—Veneration of the cross, will be held at 3 p. m. In the evening, Good Friday prayers, and Veneration of the cross will be held at 7.30. Confessions will follow these services until 8.30 p. m.

Holy Saturday—The Lenten Fast continues until midnight—meat is allowed once on Holy Saturday.

Confessions on Holy Saturday: 10-12 a. m. (espec. for children); 4-6 p. m. No confessions that evening.

The Easter Vigil services will begin at 7.30 p. m.

—Parish Notes—

The three churches here in Belchertown will soon be conducting a church census by telephone. In connection with this, a meeting will be held April 3rd at 8 p. m. in the Pine Room.

The new envelopes will be sent out before April 5th, the first Sunday they are scheduled for use.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY—WARE

The effect of the resurrection on Jesus' disciples will be one of the themes at Christian Science church services this Sunday.

Both Matthew's and John's account of the resurrection will be read as part of the Bible lesson on "Reality." Also included will be this passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Through all the disciples experienced they became more spiritual, and understood better what the Master had taught. His resurrection was also their resurrection. It helped them to raise themselves and others from spiritual dulness and blind belief in God into the perception of infinite possibilities" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 34).

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The Garden Club will meet on Thursday, April 2, at the Library at 2 p. m. for a half-hour business meeting. We leave at 2.30 for Mt. Holyoke College gardens and greenhouses.

An invitation has been received to the Easthampton Garden Club's annual tea, and lecture on Home Flower Arrangements by Mrs. George Taylor, at St. Phillip's Hall on Main St. at 2 p. m. on April 15. Fee of $1.00 at the door.

The Springfield Garden Club cordially invites the members of the Belchertown Garden Club to attend a demonstration lecture of Japanese Flower Arrangements by Miss Mary Takahashi of New York, at the Longmeadow Community House on April 17, at 1.30 p. m., followed by Japanese Tea. This is the first appearance of Miss Takahashi in this area. Speaking fluent English, she is a teaching professor of the Ikenobo School in Kyoto. Fee of $1.50 at the door.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Mrs. Edward Conkey, Organist
Mrs. Earle Martin, Director of Music
Mrs. E. Clifton Witt, Superintendent of Church School
Albert Dewhurst, Head Usher
Emerson L. Green, Acolyte

SUNDAY, MARCH 29
EASTER SUNDAY
5.30 a. m. Sunrise Service at Quabbin Tower
See Article on Front Page
9.45 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Divine Worship
Sermon, "Early"
Junior Sermon by the Pastor
Easter Music by the Combined Choirs.
7 p. m. Evensong.

The Easter Lilies in the church are given in loving memory of Lloyd Chadbourne, Sr., by Mrs. Lloyd Chadbourne and family.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1
2.15 p. m. The Pastor's Class will meet in the Vestry.
6.45 p. m. The Choir will rehearse in the Church.
8 p. m. The Mid-week Service will be held in the Vestry.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2
3 p. m. The Good News Club will meet in the Vestries.
6.45 p. m. The Methodist Youth Fellowship Choir will rehearse in the Church.
7.30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Vestry.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3
7.30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the Parsonage.

COMING

On April 7 at Asbury First Methodist Church there will be a workshop to introduce the New Methodist Sunday School materials. This workshop is designed to assist the local Church School to gain a better understanding of the materials and how to teach them. Mrs. E. Clifton Witt and Mrs. Marvin R. Green, Superintendent, and Chairman of the Commission on Education, respectively, are looking with interest at the completely re-written materials that will go through the junior high school classes.

April 17 and 18 will be filled for the local Church financial program, as members of the Commission on Stewardship and Finance attend a Lay Conference on Finance at Rolling Ridge in Andover, Mass.

The Spring District Conference will be held at the First Methodist Church in Westfield on April 26.

GRANGE CARD PARTY

Eight tables were in play at the card party last Saturday night in charge of Harriet Chevalier. Prize winners were: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenks, Rose Canavan and Howard Judkins; 2nd, Leon A. Geoffroy, M. E. Harrington, Eva Webb and Blanche Bader; 3rd, Jane Bowler, Christine Henry, Elsa Haller and Doris Belanger; door, Lillian Madigan and Cora Hubbard.

This week's party will be in charge of "Kelly" Hubbard.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

Elvert Franklin Miller, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Forde, Organist
Mrs. Louise Wadsworth, Supt. of Church School

MARCH 28
9.30 a. m. Cleaning of the Church grounds
10-4 p. m. Car Wash by the Pilgrim Fellowship

MARCH 29
5.30 a. m. Sunrise Service on Pelham Hill. See article on first page.
9 a. m. Church School for grades 5-12
9.15 a. m. Men's Bible Class
10.45 a. m. Nursery care only during Worship Service
10.45 a. m. Easter Sunday Worship Service
Sermon—"The Grave That Gave"
Please return your church bank.
The One Great Hour of Sharing offering will be dedicated.

MARCH 30
7.30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship Cabinet meeting

MARCH 31
9.30 a. m. Prayer and Study Group
8 p. m. Double or Nothing Club

APRIL 1
10.30 a. m. Women's Friendly Service Group meeting

APRIL 2
8 p. m. Adult Study Group

APRIL 3
8 p. m. All women who will help in the Belchertown Religious Census by telephone are asked to meet in the Pine Room at St. Francis.

APRIL 5
10.45 a. m. First Sunday after Easter
Sermon—"Where Is Jesus Now?"

DOUBLE OR NOTHING CLUB

The Double or Nothing Club will meet Tuesday, March 31, at 8 p. m. in the Parish House. An innovation will be the serving of refreshments at the beginning, to the accompaniment of a short business meeting, to give ample time for an evening of fun with table games. So don't bother with dessert at home. Bring another couple. Bridge fans, bring own cards and tallys. Many games and tables will be provided.

The committee in charge is the Edward Bartletts, the Rev. Walter Blackmers, the Ed Gates's and the Alonzo Jones's.

CUB SCOUT NOTES

DEN 6

This week Den Six finished making the rest of our dragon. We made decorations too. We also made a game for the coming Mardi Gras.

David Rogers, scribe

DEN 5

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith, Sr., of N. Washington St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lura Edith, to Robert J. Bieda, son of Mrs. Joseph Bieda of Bonneville Ave., Chicopee.

Miss Smith was graduated from Belchertown High School and is a senior at the University of Massachusetts.

Her fiance, a graduate of Chicopee High School and the University of Massachusetts, is a science teacher at Hopkins Academy, Hadley.

The wedding will take place June 27 at St. Francis Church, Belchertown.

WOMENS' BOWLING LEAGUE NOTES

The Pin Pickers had team high single of 503 and team high three of 1386. High single went to Rose Viens with 116 and second high single to Joan Hutchinson with 113, Carol Hubbard had 301 for high three and Ruth Dowd had 299 for second high three.

Team results were: Pin Pickers 8, Nite Outers 0; Jolly "5" 8, Chadson Gals 0; Crystals 8, Harmony Five 0; Hit or Miss 8, Outskirters 0; King Pins 8, Pin Spinners 0; Congo's 6, Gay Rollers 2; and Roll-a-ways 5, Bowl-aires 3.

300 Club—C. Hubbard 301
110 Club—R. Viens 116, J. Hutchinson 113, J. Stone 112
100 Club—A. McGinnis 103, P. Towne 103

Season Records

High Single—J. Poole 154
2nd High Single—C. Hubbard 129
High Three—C. Hubbard 357
2nd High Three—J. Poole 341
Team High Single—Pin Pickers 512
Team High Three—Roll-a-ways 1447

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	P'fall
Class A			
Pin Pickers	72	8	13,915
Jolly "5"	64	16	13,145
Roll-a-ways	53	27	13,407
Hit or Miss	52	28	13,135
Congo's	50	30	13,100
Gay Rollers	44	36	12,473
Crystals	43	37	12,866
Class B			
King Pins	62	18	13,294
Bowl-aires	27	53	12,406
Chadson Gals	24	56	12,229
Nite Outers	22	58	12,332
Harmony Five	22	58	12,145
Outskirters	16	64	12,229
Pin Spinners	9	71	11,778

—R. Dowd, Secretary

BONDSVILLE MAIN EXTENSION

The Board of Selectmen recently informed the Bondsville Water Co. that their proposal to extend the water main in South Belchertown for some distance on Franklin Street including the elementary school there, would be acceptable to them under certain stipulations.

Selectmen said that all installation and maintenance costs were to be the responsibility of the company; the town would bear no portion of the cost; a plan must be submitted to show the size of pipe and the start and ending of the line; the plan must be approved by selectmen; and any police protection or road repairs due to laying the lines must be paid for by the company. A hydrant to service Franklin School was also to be included in the plan to be submitted by the company.

Selectmen offered any assistance possible and commended the company for supplying this service to residents of the area, which is rapidly being developed.

At present, the company provides water to some 50 homes in the area.

The Bondsville Water Co., owned by the Bondsville Mills, has been in operation since about 1900. While most of the residents serviced by the company are in the Bondsville section of Palmer, the company also serves the Bondsville section of this town. This situation is similar to that on Warren Wright Road, where some homes in Belchertown are serviced from Amherst. Perhaps of the greatest value are the fire hydrants, which give these areas increased protection in areas where the possibility of service from the Water District here in the central part of the town is nil.

IN APPRECIATION

Yes, I am home from the hospital, and I would choose to thank each one personally for their prayers, letters, cards, flowers, gifts, and calls, but am obliged to do it through the Sentinel column. Harold joins me in sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness we have received.

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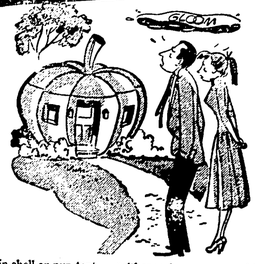

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Pursuant to the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 79, Section 5B, the Sewer Commissioners of the Town of Belchertown will hold a public hearing in Lawrence Memorial Hall, Belchertown, on April 3, 1964, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening relative to the proposed taking by Eminent Domain an Easement in land situated between U. S. Route 202 (Maple Street) and Springfield Road, in said Belchertown, the land believed to belong to Walter Paige Piper and/or Mrs. Elizabeth Piper, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Sewer Easement and Right of Way, Board of Sewer Commissioners, Town of Belchertown, Mass." The aforesaid plan is dated August 1963 and drawn by Tighe & Bond, Consulting Engineers, with said plan on file in the office of the Belchertown Town Clerk.

D. Donald Hazen, Chairman
Frederick E. Lincoln
Harry L. Brougham
Sewer Commissioners of Belchertown

March 27, 1964

COTTAGE DESTROYED

Fire early Tuesday destroyed a two-story summer cottage in Laurel Park in Northampton and damaged two others adjacent to it. Deputy Fire Chief John H. O'Connor said the cause has not been determined.

Fire fighters battled nearly three hours in an attempt to save part of the cottage of Rev. Marvin R. Green, pastor of the local Methodist church here in Belchertown, and prevented flames from spreading to others.

The blaze was called in by William Adams, park caretaker. By the time two fire engines arrived the cottage was a mass of flames, soaring high into the night sky. Before firemen got their hoses playing on the blaze, the cottage roof caved in.

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The spring and fall safaris offer a varied program of activities ranging from campcraft clinics and workshops for chapter newsletter editors to teen-age dances, children's field days, entertainment programs, and Sunday worship services.

This safari is the first to be held at a private camping area. Usually, they are held at State Reservations. One of the reasons this site was selected was its central location in the Association's membership, and the extensive roominess of Robin Farm campground. It is one of the largest private campgrounds in the northeast.

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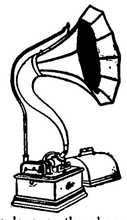

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The Coming Week

SUNDAY

—Congregational Church—
Rev. Elvert F. Miller, Pastor
Church School. Classes at 9, 9.15 and 10.45 a. m. (Men's class at 9.15)
Morning Worship at 10.45 a. m.
Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 6.30 p. m.
Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship at 7 p. m.

—Methodist Church—
Rev. Marvin R. Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.
Evensong at 7 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7.30 p. m.

—St. Francis Church—
Rev. George R. Dudley, Pastor
Rev. Joseph T. Collins, Curate
Mass at 7 a. m.
Mass at 9.30 a. m.
Mass at 11 a. m.
Mass at State School at 8.15 a. m.
Sunday School following 9.30 Mass.

—Dwight Chapel—
Rev. Harold D. Suhm, Pastor
Morning Worship at 9.30 a. m.
Sunday School following Morning Worship Service.

MONDAY

Church Cabinet in Parish House at 8 p. m.
Junior and Senior High Choral Groups in Memorial Hall at 8 p. m.
Juvenile Grange.

TUESDAY

Workshop for Teachers at Methodist Church from 7.30 to 10 p. m.
Grange Meeting.

WEDNESDAY

Cub Scout Leaders' Meeting in the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.
O. E. S. Meeting.

THURSDAY

Methodist Men at 6.30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Missionary Group of WSCS with Mrs. Ada Staples at 7.30 p. m.
Camera Club.

SATURDAY

Jaycee-Boy Scout Mothcake Sale.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Grange Card Party.

ASSISTANCE NEEDED

The father of seven, living alone with five small children, was left homeless when their home was practically destroyed with all its contents by fire Monday, March 30th, in Belchertown. Fortunately there was no loss of life and limb. The generous townspeople and various organizations have donated food and clothing, but he desperately needs financial aid to rebuild his home.

This Sunday, April 5th, from 2 to 5 p. m. the town will attempt to raise this financial aid by volunteers calling on homes in the Belchertown area.

Those wishing to send contributions can do so by mailing them to the Lewis Squires Fund, c/o Arlan Skinner, Ludlow Savings Bank, Belchertown, Mass. Any amount of contribution will be gratefully received.

There will be a work party on Saturday, April 4th, to clean up the debris at the Squires home.

TODAY

First Friday Service in St. Francis church at 7 p. m.
Senior Class Play at 8 p. m.

TOMORROW

Jaycee-Boy Scout Mothcake Sale.
Senior Class Paper Drive.
Cub Scout Bus Trip.
Grange Card Party.

Coming Events

Apr. 13
Men's Bowling Banquet at DeMarco's Restaurant.

Apr. 17
Junior - Senior High School Band.

Apr. 18
C.W.C. Public Ham Supper.
O. E. S. Installation.

Apr. 23
Women's Bowling League Banquet at DeMarco's.

Apr. 25
Public Supper at Dwight Chapel.

Apr. 28
Annual Meeting of Belchertown Historical Association in Stone House at 8 p. m.

May 2
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

May 9
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

May 23
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

June 13
W.S.C.S. Strawberry Supper.
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.

July 3
Square Dance in Memorial Hall.
Commission on Education of Methodist Church Food Sale.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY TONIGHT

Tonight is the night of the play, "Tammy, Tell Me True.", when the Seniors hope to raise a good sum for their Washington trip. Prices are 75 cents and 50 cents. Principal characters in the cast are:

Tammy Jane Peterson
Her Grandfather Jeff Carr
14-yr.-old country boy Claude Demers
Tom Freeman, professor of speech John Carpenter
Rita, a beautiul young girl Susan Hussey
Prof. Everett Richard Merrell
Pete Brent Merle Green
Miss Jenks, dean of women Joanne Gould
Mrs. Call, alias Shanty Board Annie Sandra Joyal
Miss Rook, her niece Sandra Richards

Other roles will be played by Joyce Gagne, Cheryl Sample, Sandra Field, Bernie Socha, Patricia Very, John Riberio, Cathy Ferenz, Todd Gentile, Denis Sulewski, Patricia Wadsworth, David Depot, Ann Wisneski, Gayton Hebert, James Dorman, James Shaw, Peter Greenan, Rosemary McLean, Robert Gawlik, Susan Miner, Patricia Menard and David Garrison.

JAYCEE—BOY SCOUT MOTHCAKE SALE

Last week's announcement about the Jaycee mothcake sale caused some concern to our local Boy Scout troop. Seems that last fall, after a successful candy sale, the troop planned a mothcake sale for the spring. Their advertising was held back, due to the Holy Week preceding Easter, and the Jaycees got the drop on them.

The Troop leaders held a conference and decided to phone advance apologies to the local Jaycee Chapter. The mothcakes were bought and repackaged. The Scouts had to go ahead. But they found that almost forgotten ingredient, generous cooperation, in the Jaycees. And they found it two-fold.

First, the Jaycees will hold off their mothcake sale until Saturday, April 4th. The Troop will do the same. Then, on two successive Saturdays, the 4th and 11th of April, both groups will work together. The Jaycees will provide transportation, and the members and Scouts will sell together. The entire town will be covered. In this manner, both groups will aid each other. The men will help the boys sell their supply, and the boys in turn will help the Jaycees sell theirs.

So spring is here, and war is declared on our nasty little enemy, the

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CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

The meeting on March 25 was called to order at 7.10 p. m. A special flag ceremony was presented by Den 7. For the first time that any of us present can remember, I'm sure, the flag spoke to the Cub and all the audience. Then we all sang the "National Anthem" and pledged allegiance to the flag.

The awards were then presented. We had no Bobcats to accept this month because of the lack of more den mothers, but we will have some next month, as there has been some room made in a few dens.

WOLF: Michael Brougham, Lance Clark, Paul Clark, Richard Cook, Daniel Shea, Jeffrey Keller.

BEAR: George Berard, Jerald Clark, Darwin Hess, Richard Lavigne, Norman Leduc.

ARROWS: Darwin Hess, 1 Silver - Wolf, 1 Gold and 1 Silver - Bear; Patrick Gannon, 1 Gold - Wolf; Roy Bergeron, 1 Gold - W; Norman Leduc, 1 Gold - B; Bruce Laporte, 1 Gold - B.

WEBELOS: Wayne Henrichon.

A ceremony was presented by the Webelos den to wish the best to the boy who is leaving that den and going into Boy Scouting. Wayne Henrichon was graduated, and his father was presented the certificate. He was then relieved of his Cub Scout neckerchief by his former den pals, and was presented a new Boy Scout neckerchief which was placed on him by Patrol Leader Nolan, and Scoutmaster Bailey put on the final touch by putting on his neckerchief slide, and congratulated him. He then said a few words to the audience.

Mr. Nolan, assistant scoutmaster, introduced the den chiefs who were present, and spoke of their responsible position in helping the den mothers and the Cubs.

Mr. Parker, the Hampshire Advisor for pack committees, was present at the pack meeting and said a few nice words about how our pack is organized. He also thought the Mardi Gras was a big success.

The boys who were moved from their present dens to Webelos were brought forward and accepted by its leaders and presented with their Webelos den patches.

The new boys who were called and invited to attend our pack meeting this month and who we hope will become our new Bobcats next month were brought forward with their parents to meet their den mothers, who would brief them on time and place of meeting.

Attendance was then counted and we are very happy to say that for the first time in a long time a den had 100 per cent attendance. We are

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JR.-SR. HIGH CHORAL PROGRAM

The Junior and Senior High Schools' Choral Groups will present a musical program in Memorial Hall on Monday, April 6, at 8 p. m. under the direction of Mrs. Clara Cook, music supervisor. These groups include a hundred voices in the high school and ninety voices in the junior High School. The program is open to the public.

The following selections will be presented by the High School:

The Heavens Resound
Heart and Soul
Gypsy Love Song
The Spacious Firmament
Year of Jubilo
Silver Swan
Kentucky Baby
Let Me Call You Sweetheart
Let Every Tongue Adore Thee
Onward Ye People
Ride the Chariot
Abide With Me

There will be a banjo solo by Glen Pepin, plus the following selections by the Junior High School:

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PAPER DRIVE TOMORROW

Last week's Senior Class paper drive is being continued tomorrow. If you have papers, call:

John Riberio 323-6335
or
B. Socha, Jr. AT3-6969

SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE SAYS

It has been called to the attention of the School Building Committee by the contractor, that recently there has been a growing amount of unauthorized visiting at the new school site, especially from children.

The School Building Committee urges all who wish to visit the area, to obtain permission from the contractor or his superintendent, and that under no circumstances, children be allowed in or around the building, unless escorted by an adult.

Open trenches, piping, heavy cement slabs and masonry, provide hazards which are dangerous.

The Committee further warns, that it will under no circumstances, accept any liability for injuries sustained by anyone visiting the area, while the building is under construction, or during any part of the completion of the project.

We respectfully request the public's cooperation.

Isaac A. Hodgen, Chm.