



Mrs. Louise Bridge has her 50-Year Membership Pin put on by Worthy Matron Alice Clarke, at the O.E.S. Ceremony, Monday night.

Approximately 40 members and guests attended the regular meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242, O. E. S. held at the Masonic Temple on Monday evening, May 9th.

At this time, two 50-year Members, Mrs. Louise Bridge and Miss Lena Will were honored. Miss Will was unable to be present because of illness.

After the regular business of the meeting had been transacted, the Worthy Matron asked that the honored guest be escorted to a seat in the East.

A special presentation was given by the officers, which when completed was in the form of a chain of golden links. The Worthy Matron and the Chaplain read appropriate verses as the chain was being formed. The Worthy Patron presented and pinned a 50-year Pin on the honored guest and she was also presented with a corsage from the chapter. A duet sung by Sisters Doris Godown and Alberta Rogers was an inspiring close to the presentation.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served in the dining room. The buffet table was decorated with gold candles and dollies and centered with a beautiful decorated cake in the form of an open book. The cake was made by Mrs. Dora Kibbe. Mrs. Coar Burdick presided at the table and served the cake.

The refreshment committee was Mrs. Virginia Weber, Mrs. Alberta Rogers and Mrs. Gail Taylor.

Little League News

Weather permitting, the Mets will have practice Saturday morning at 10 A. M. The Yanks will practice Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

Practice will be the same nights next week as this past week. Mets, Monday — Yanks, Tuesday — Angels, Wednesday. Any teams rained off will practice Thursday. All boys who played last year are requested to turn their uniforms in to their coaches. If you are not playing this year turn uniforms in at school to Mr. Russell.

BABE RUTH NEWS

Practice will be held Sunday at 1:30 P. M., at School Diamond.

OES Notice

The regular meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter No. 242, OES will be held at the Masonic Temple on Monday evening, May 23rd at 8:00 p. m. At this meeting, initiation of new Candidates will be held and there will also be a Memorial Service. All Officers are requested to be present and to wear formals.

Lunch Committee will be Mrs. Helen Boyd, Mrs. Hazel Barlow and Mrs. Pauline Kent.

There will be a practice for initiation on Sunday, May 22 at 3:00 p. m., at the Temple.

Rural Resident Do You Have A House Number - Is It Up?

Anyone can find a well established land mark, but can anyone find you?

Finding un-numbered homes or buildings in rural areas is a problem that has existed for years. Recent movement of thousands of city dwellers to the suburbs has added to the confusion. To simplify the task of locating these rural homes, many counties have adopted a standardized system of rural house numbers. This program in New York State has met with wide-spread approval.

It's just as easy to locate a rural home as it is to locate one in the city — if it has a house number.

How does this affect you? For some examples, put yourself in someone else's shoes for a moment.

You're the driver of an ambulance. There's been an accident on a farm just south of your village, and the ambulance is needed there immediately. The only address you have is: "The Smith place, beyond the crossroad". Your job: Find it!

You have come into the town for the first time to visit old friends. It's already past the time of your expected arrival. You know they live east of the village, but the best description you have of this home is: "It's the one with the picket fence". Your job: Find it!

Why not help ourselves by helping others? When you're sick you want attention fast, by many times the doctor is late in arriving because he can't find your house. Equally as important is when you have a fire. If you have a house number, your place can be located easily. Those that have been assigned a house number by their town board's representative should have it placed so it can be seen. Merchants, postmen, friends and many others benefit as well as yourself.

Rural house numbering is a civic undertaking in which everyone should do his part to make it a success.

Many towns have completed the numbering plan. Do your part in getting your number up as soon as you have it.

If you haven't a house number contact Ken Vars at Vars Men's and Boys' Wear Store.

Help save lives and property plus valuable time by having your property numbered. Why not get behind such a worthy project in your community?

Rod & Gun Club Meeting Friday, May 20th

The Andover Rod & Gun Club will meet Friday, May 20th at 3 p. m. at the Club House.

News That's Print To Fit

Well, Well, Well — will wonders ever cease? First — the weather warmed up a little the past week; and second — we had a nice warm, sunny week-end! And was it ever welcome — made a feller feel like getting outside and do a little weeding in the yard — or even play a game of croquet.

We noticed that the bad spot down by Eddy Ryan's on the back road has been patched up as well as the holes on down towards Route 17 near the overhead. However, there are still quite a few bad holes between the Village line and Eddy's house. We see that the roller is still down there so perhaps it is planned to fix these other spots in the near future — at least we hope so! 10-4?

Speaking of messes — did you see that dandy one down in front of the Bank — right in the middle of the sidewalk on Main St. — Or is this something that pedestrians are just supposed to ignore? Maybe if the dog lovers that turn their dogs loose to roam the streets had to clean up after them, or had to pay for the nuisance of cleaning up the garbage that they strew around after they tip over a bunch of garbage pails — or even had to pay for the damages to peoples flower beds, etc. — well, maybe they would keep them home so they could enjoy their company.

However, if we ever catch the "horse" that came up on our back porch and left his calling cards right in front of our back door — maybe he won't even be able to get back home! Being a good neighbor is one thing — but it should work both ways!

"Walls of the Missing"

Location of the names of two Andover men missing in action during World War II have been discovered through a recent article in the American Legion Magazine and the co-operation of the local Legion Post.

On 1 May 1966, the Honolulu Memorial at the National Cemetery of the Pacific was dedicated. 1st Lt. Donald E. Hardy, US Army Air Corps, Serial No. 0 748 369 has been commemorated at the Honolulu Memorial National Cemetery of the Pacific, Honolulu, Hawaii by the inscription of his name in the memorial's "Courts of the Missing". On the walls of the eight Courts of Missing are engraved the names of 18,093 American Heroes from World War II and 8,187 names from the Korean War. Each of them was recorded as missing-in-action, or lost or buried at sea, in the Central, Southern and Western Pacific regions.

Those who were missing-in-action, or lost or buried at sea in the Southwest Pacific during World War II were commemorated by the inscription of their names in the "wall of the missing" of the Manila Cemetery and Memorial which was dedicated in 1966.

Sgt. Charles W. Lever, US Army Air Corps, Serial No. 32 939 746, is one of those memorialized at our Manila Cemetery and Memorial in the Philippines. Here on the Walls of Missing are inscribed the names of 36,279 World War II heroes who gave their lives in the service of their Country.

The American Battle Monuments Commission located in Washington, D. C., have sent documents to: Mrs. Ruth Cook, Miss Marilyn Hardy and Mrs. Anna Nelson, sisters of Lt. Hardy and to: Mrs. Floye Lever, mother of Sgt. Lever. Each of the aforementioned have received an 11" x 14" colored lithograph of the cemetery or memorial where the air-men are commemorated and affixed to each lithograph, a photograph of the actual inscription of the monument name on the "Walls of the Missing".

With Memorial Day approaching more serious thought should be

Wear A Poppy! Honor America's War Dead

"The Time Is Now For Solemn Remembrance"

"Fear not that ye have died for naught, The torch ye threw to us we caught . . ."

These lines by Poet W. R. Lillard in response to the poignant message of Colonel John McCrae's classic, "In Flanders Field", seem most applicable to the American Legion Auxiliary this year as we observe another Poppy Day.

Our hearts are touched anew as we follow daily reports from the Viet Nam area and scan the casualty reports concerning those courageous young Americans who have lost their lives in defense of our freedoms. And what memories are stirred for all of us! Etched against the terrible conflict of our own times are the unforgettable figures of those who "lie in Flanders' field" — those who made the supreme sacrifice on the beaches of Normandy or in the French, German and Italian countryside — those who saw their last day's light in the steaming jungles of the Pacific fighting or in the frigid waters of Korea — those whose final resting place was in the deep waters of our great oceans.

The American Legion Auxiliary's Annual Poppy Day is a period of very special remembrance and all of you who work so hard for its success in your communities are helping to keep the pledge that "we will keep true faith with you who lie asleep".

Americans everywhere join in expressing their deep gratitude to our war dead by wearing the bright red flower of remembrance on Poppy Day — a simple yet somber tribute to those who gave their lives that "Freedom's light shall never die".

IN REMEMBRANCE

On Saturday, a young lady will knock on your door, And maybe you never have seen her before, But she will be pretty and wear a big smile, And she'll cause you to stop and think for awhile Of not long ago, but far, far away, When our freedom was shaken and some had to pay. You'll remember our Soldiers, so loyal and true, How they fought to protect our own red, white and blue, How they went into battle with courage to win, While loved ones were waiting and praying for them. Soon the war was all over but many were sad From losing a sweetheart, or brother or dad. The boys who returned still hold memories of war, And of buddies still sleeping on some foreign shore. Today let's endeavor to hold their torch high, And keep freedom's light burning It never shall die! Now we all can help someone in some special way. In THEIR MEMORY let's all wear a POPPY on POPPY DAY!

by Blanche O. Jeffers

Missing Alumni

The following are "missing" Andover School Alumni. Please call 478-5802 if you have any information about them.

- 1936 — Katherine Barber
- 1938 — Ferne Holroyd
- 1942 — Virginia Rice
- 1944 — Betty Rogers Carrall
- 1958 — Jean Tingley
- 1951 — Richard Hancock
- 1951 — Janet Hall
- 1943 — Bruce Kenyon
- 1942 — Elaine Pone Miller

given to the "Walls of the Missing."



Nancy Stephens—and Timothy Stephens, children of Mr. and Mrs. Connor Stephens, underwent tonsilectomy at the Bethesda Hospital last Wednesday and returned to their home Thursday.

Jeffery Bridge, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridge, returned to his home Thursday from the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Miss Lena Will, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Hazel Monahan, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital has returned home.

Mrs. Lee Meyn was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Monday for medical treatment and observation.

David Gallagher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McLean, was admitted to the Jones Memorial Hospital Wednesday for medical treatment and observation.

Mrs. Erwin Lewis was admitted to the Bethesda Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Joyce (Betty Harris) are the parents of a son, born Sunday, May 15, 1966 at the St. James Mercy Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Joyce, Sr. are the paternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Snyder (Carol Sherman) of Almond are the parents of a son, Brian Whitman, born Wednesday, May 18, 1966 at the Bethesda Hospital. Mrs. Niles Sherman is the maternal grandmother and Mr. and Mrs. William B. Snyder of Almond are the paternal grandparents.

Lynch-Burgett Post No. 397 Install New Officers

At the regular meeting of the Lynch-Burgett Post No. 397, held last Tuesday, May 17th, the following officers were installed by Past County Commander Fay E. Boyd for the year 1966-67:

- Walter A. Gath — Commander
- Donald I. Perry — 1st Vice-Commander
- Ralph O. Burgett — 2nd Vice-Commander
- Craig Snyder — Adjutant and Finance Officer
- Robert A. Baker — Chaplain
- Lloyd L. Clair — Sgt-at-Arms
- Jack L. Wheaton — Service Officer

Memorial Day Plans will be announced next week.

A Memorial Day Program will be held at the Andover Central School, Friday, May 27th at 3 p. m. Legion and Auxiliary Members are urged to attend.

Scout News

Cub Scout Pack 77

Cub Scout Pack 77 will meet at the Masonic Temple Wednesday evening, May 25th at 7:30.

The Pinewood Derby will be held at this time.

There will be a trophy for 1st prize; a Scout Knife for 2nd prize and a Scout Knife for the Best Looking Car.

Attention Legion Auxiliary Members

All Auxiliary members who are able to work on Memorial Wreaths, please bring evergreen wreaths Wednesday, May 25th at 1 p. m., to the Legion Home, downstairs.

Also all Auxiliary Members who didn't pick up their Poppies at last meeting, please pick them up at Fox's Restaurant.

Don't Drive After Drinking