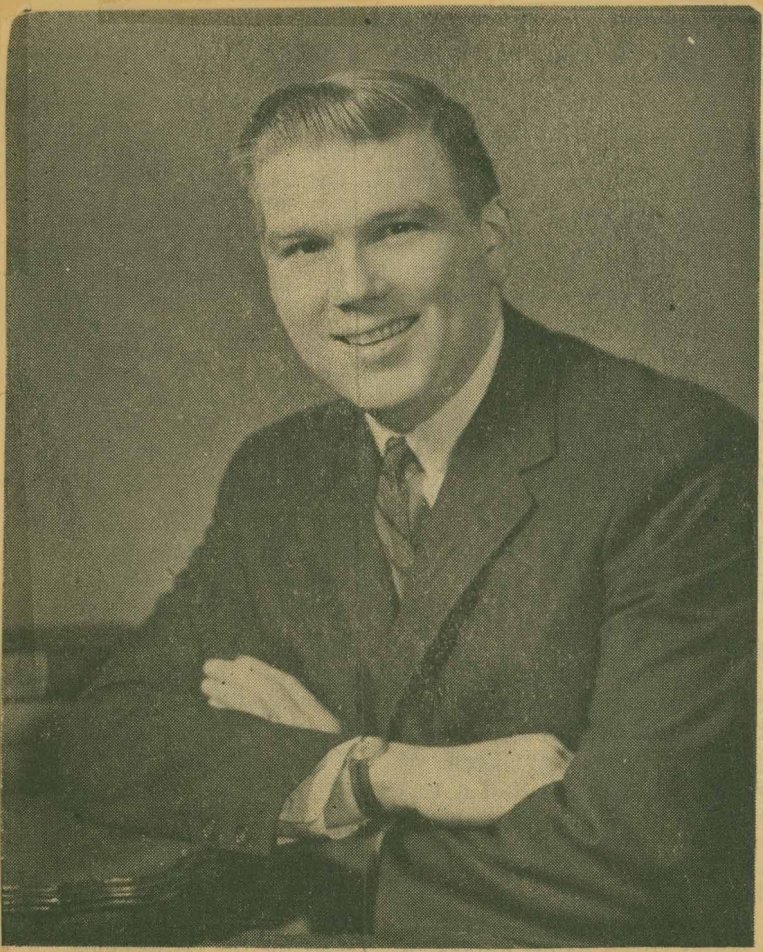


April 11, 1962

The First National Bank has recently installed a ship's clock, which dings the hours outside the building for all to hear. Ship's Time being somewhat confusing, we've been offered a simple explanation. One five and nine o'clock are "two bells." Two, six and ten o'clock are "four bells." Three, seven and eleven o'clock are "six bells." Four, eight and twelve o'clock are "eight bells." The half hours are struck by adding one stroke to the corresponding even hours.  
Simple, huh?

OUR FIRST NATIONAL BANK is doing a superb job in calling on everybody to oppose the new plan which would impose 20% withholding tax on our savings and a similar reduction on savings bonds and dividends. James M. Campbell, vice-president, has sent to everyone a folder telling how this absurd tax proposal can be defeated only through the concerted action of all of us. A postage prepaid postcard is part of the folder. To record opposition, this can be signed and mailed back to the bank which will see that it gets to the right quarters as soon as possible. March 22, 1962



Stockholders of the First National Bank of Cape Cod elected William G. Crockett, son of Elton G. Crockett, also on the board, a new director. He is a graduate of Episcopal Academy, Duke University and served in the Navy as Lt. Junior Grade.

## Provincetown Bank Opens Drive-in Window



Althea's 2nd Cousin

Officials of the First National Bank of Provincetown and of the Cape-tip town are shown at ceremonies cutting the tape at the bank's new drive-in facility, on the west side of the bank at 170 Commercial Street, Provincetown. Shown here, actually cutting the ribbon, is Ralph S. Carpenter, chairman of Provincetown selectmen, assisted by Mrs. Helen Valentine, drive-in teller.

Others, left to right, are William T. Mayo, cashier; Daniel C. Merrill, president; Elton G. Crockett, chairman; Cyril W. Downs, director; James M. Campbell, vice-president, and Walter E. Lawrence, town manager of Provincetown. The Cape-tip bank has branches in Wellfleet and Orleans.

January 10, 1963

## First National Bank Changes Name Plans To Open Chatham Branch Soon

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of The First National Bank of Provincetown at the banking house in Provincetown on January 8, Daniel C. Merrill, president, announced that the Comptroller of the Currency, James J. Saxon, had approved a change in the bank's name to First National Bank of Cape Cod.

Mr. Merrill announced that deposits had increased \$1,800,000 an extraordinary 38%, during 1962 and that earnings had more than kept pace, thereby increasing the bank's capital assets to a record \$556,318.80.

Total assets touched close to \$9,000,000 in September, an all time high, Mr. Merrill said.

The president reminded the attending stockholders that the Comptroller of the Currency had authorized the establishment of a branch of this bank in Chatham. Plans to open it before next Summer are being made.

Mr. Merrill declared that the rapid expansion of the bank moved the Board of Directors to recommend an increase in the size of the Board. Accordingly, stock-

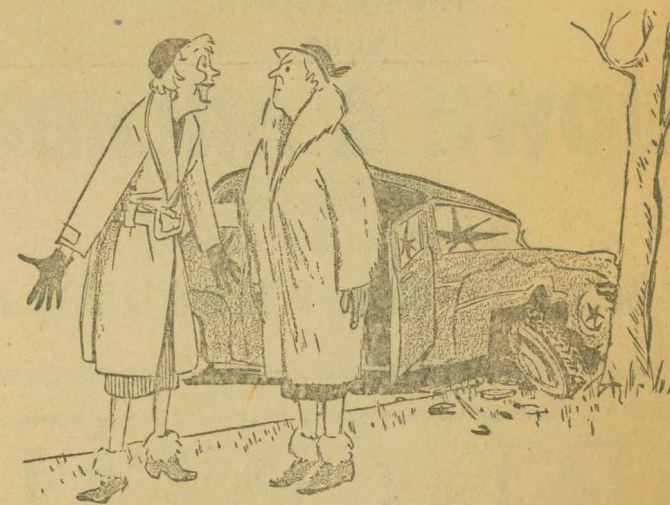
holders elected William G. Crockett as an additional director. Mr. Crockett is a graduate of The Episcopal Academy and of Duke University. He served as an officer in the U. S. Navy and was released as a Lieutenant, Junior Grade. He is vice president of Brookhaven Homes, Inc., and a director of Gibwick Realty Corporation. Before attending college Mr. Crockett and his brother Davey, founded and operated the first laundromat established on Cape Cod, "Ye Olde Helpee Selfee Laundree".

The other members re-elected to the board in addition to President Merrill are: Joseph Duarte, Bernard C. Collins, Cyril W. Downs, William T. Mayo, James M. Campbell and Elton G. Crockett.

Mr. Merrill stated that the bank's basic policy of helping solve peoples' financial problems with friendly confidential aid and advice has resulted in a marked increase in local patronage for both loans and deposits.

This policy of close personal confidence will be continued and amplified in 1963, he declared.

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