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DEATHS RECORD FOR THE PAST YEAR

Publish Herewith a List of the Births and Deaths in the Village of Andover During the Year, Just Past.

We give below the record of statistics for the Village of Andover in 1917. There were forty-four births and twenty-two deaths as follows:

Births
 son to Mr. and Mrs. Lon De- name not yet reported.
 Allian Marie Schoonover
 Willard DeKemer
 Jennie Williams
 daughter, name not yet re-
 to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. solve
 Howard C. Barrett
 Luella Vickers
 Irene Weed
 Donald Raymond Kemp
 Joseph Anthony McAndrew
 Mary Eleanor Brillon
 Jennie Rosetta Dodge
 Marion Dorothy Coats
 Ames H. Hill
 Rita Burns
 Charlotte Christ
 Dorothy Helen Cheesman
 Clara Ellen Ferguson
 Kenneth Reginald Starr
 Burton August Lehman
 James Patrick Lynch
 Alice Virginia Maxon
 Sylvia Cartwright
 Marion Elizabeth Lever

Deaths
 Eliza B. Fosbury, aged 75.
 Lewis C. Kenyon, aged 69.
 Elizabeth Phillips, aged 78.
 Delilah McGraw, aged 58.
 Jennie P. Crandall, aged 42.
 Anna B. Walden, aged 52.
 Howard Corwin Barrett, aged 45.
 Jason A. Hunt, aged 86.
 Norman P. Brainard, aged 67.
 Sully A. Chadwick, aged 78.
 Mary C. Cornelius, aged 39.
 Wilson Karr, aged 72.
 Charles G. Purdy, aged 82.
 Osker J. Edwards, aged 85.
 Sharlett Christ, age one day.
 A Russell Wright, aged 82.
 Mary G. Monroe, aged 60.
 Robert E. Perry, aged 19.
 Catherine Lee Walker, aged 92.
 Wilbur O'Donnell, age 7.
 Jesse A. Swink, aged 64.
 John A. Baker, age 1 year.
 Frank M. Bassett, aged 81.
 Lewis N. Corwin, aged 87.
 Anna G. Harrington, aged 41.
 Emily Austin Snyder, aged 68.
 Lora B. Baker, aged 31.

SET UP FOR SIX MONTHS

Man in Bolivar Acted Queer Near a Gasoline Plant
 Bolivar, Jan. 6.—A man giving the name as John Reardon and claiming to be from Chicago has been arrested here on a charge of agronomy. He was sentenced to six months in the Erie County penitentiary. He gave his age as 35 years.
 He visited the E. J. Wilson gas- plant, four miles north of Bolivar, where his actions created suspicion. When he returned to Bolivar a second time, his af- fairs followed. The man wore a overcoat and several pairs of trousers. It is said he de- veloped some papers while in the place, looking awaiting a hearing before Justice W. G. Richard-

RED CROSS WORK

Including the meeting of Jan. 1918 seven ambulance pillows were finished, seventeen pairs of washcloths were made, one blanket hemmed, and two pairs of socks were finished and mailed.

MISSIONARY MEETING

The Womans Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Hamil- ton B. Williams, Tuesday, Jan. 15th. Dues will be paid and officers for the coming year will be elected.

WHEN WE HAVE AN IRISH KAISER

An Andover Irishman brought us the following bit of verse. When the war is over, laddies, just take a tip from me; There will be no German submarines a diving thru the sea. In the Fatherland is Kaiser Bill, the Guy we're going to lick, And we'll have a brand new Kaiser, and the same will be a Mick. We'll change the song, "Die Waecht am Rhine" into an Irish reel, And make the Dutchman dance if so inclined we feel, For the Police Force in Berlin will be Micks from County Clare. When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there, Sure, in every German parkway you'll find a sweet colleen, And the fields of waving sauer kraut we'll plant with Sham-rocks green. No liverwurst or sausage when the Dutchman drinks his suds But he'll get corned beef and cabbage and good old Irish suds. The heathen's guns and gas bomb we'll throw them all away, And make them use shillelachs or bricks of Irish clay: They'll wear no iron crosses shure it's shamrocks they will wear, When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there.

MOTORISTS MUST HEED STATE LAW HEREAFTER

State Officials Give Notice That State Troopers Will See You Drive as You Should. — More Cars Next Year Than Ever.
 Albany, Jan.—Violators of the state motor vehicle laws will be called to stricter account, this year than in the past. Ignorance of the law, real or feigned, is no longer to be accepted as an excuse. Automobile clubs throughout the state have received notice to that effect. Members are urged to better acquaint themselves with the law and thru their organizations carry on an educational campaign. There will be more cars on the highway this year than ever before. Likewise there will be greater efforts to reduce the number of accidents.
 Secretary of State Hugo and Major George F. Chandler of the State Police, after several conferences, have outlined a movement which is expected to produce results by getting after violators of the motor vehicle law. Particular attention will be paid to curbing the reckless driver. With the aid of the State Troopers, Mr. Hugo's office will now be able to patrol a greater mileage. The work will be extended to the more remote districts which have been more or less inaccessible and where violations have existed for a long time of an ignorance of the law and feeling of immunity thru inaccessibility.
 Up to the present time the State Troopers have been rather lenient with violators of the motor vehicle law. Friendly warnings and explanations of the law have been the rule. A different course will be pursued in the future. Thru the press and motor magazines the automobilists should now be familiar with the law. Owners seeking to evade the law by using illegal plates or who drive in a reckless manner or fail to equip their car with proper lights, will find themselves traversing a road that leads straight to the courts.
 Automobile clubs are expected to do their part in this year's campaign. There are over 410,000 cars in this state, a gain of nearly 100,000 in the last twelve months. This year will probably see a half million cars. Something must be done to further curb reckless driving. Warnings have been given. The State Troopers will now enforce the law to the letter.

Fraternal Officers for 1918

Following are the officers of the various fraternal societies of Andover for the coming term:
G. A. B. AND W. R. C.
Edward Seaman Post, No. 481.
 The ladies of the W. R. C. entertained the members of Edw. Seaman Post, G. A. B., at an oyster supper last Saturday night, at Union Hall, followed by joint installation of officers for the ensuing year, Past Commander Thos. Boyd acting as installing officer for the G. A. B., and Past President, Mrs. Addie Coleman for the W. R. C. Officers for the year in Edw. Seaman Post are: Commander: John Deming S. V. C.: Frank Davis J. V. C.: J. Remington Adj.: U. Stratton Chap.: N. Baker Q. M.: U. Stratton O. D.: P. Barrett O. G.: Wm. McDonough

Edward Seaman Relief Corps No. 155
 In the W. R. C. the officers for 1918 are:
 President: Mrs. Carrie Green. Senior Vice President: Mrs. Flora Deming Junior Vice Pres.: Mrs. Sarah Guinn
 Chaplain: Mrs. Emma Robbins Secretary: Mrs. Elizabeth Hann Treasurer: Mrs. Flora Mosher Conductor: Mrs. Alice Randolph Ass't. Conductor: Mrs. Anna Stephens Guard: Mrs. Anna McDonough Ass't. Guard: Mrs. Adelia Jenkins Patriotic Instructor: Mrs. Eliza Cooper Press Cor.: Mrs. Ella Dougherty
 Color Bearers: Mrs. Nellie Gilder, Miss Mary White, Mrs. Mertie Trowbridge, Mrs. Fannie Backus.
 Organist: Miss Lottie Randolph
 Following the work Comrade Jesse C. Green addressed the company and presented to Edward Seaman Relief Corps a flag which he took from the grave of Edward Seaman at the time he, in company with Comrade Frank Davis, visited Gettysburg a few years ago. Mrs. Green, in behalf of the corps accepted the gift which will be preserved as a memento of value.
 Mrs. Mosher, representing Edw. Seaman W. R. C., presented Mrs. Coleman, retiring president of the W. R. C., a beautiful gold Past President's badge in recognition of her service as president of the corps for twelve years.

I. O. O. F.
Subordinate Lodge
 N. G.: E. Park Rogers V. G.: C. A. Bines Treasurer: R. E. Temple Secretary: J. Harvey Backus Trustee for 3 years: Dan Wittenberg
 The officers will be installed next Tuesday evening. The appointed officers have not yet been announced.

Rebekahs
 The following are the officers of Andover Rebekah Lodge No. 303:
 N. G.: Fannie Backus V. G.: Jennie Crandall Rec. Sec'y.: Lottie Hann Fin. Sec'y.: Jennie Carr Treas.: Mary Vickers P. N. G.: Laura Witter Chaplain: Flora Deming Warden: Mable Wagner Conductor: Esther Northrup I. G.: Helen Johnson O. G.: Ames Rogers O. G. D. T.: Alice Nobles R. S. N. G.: Ella Snyder L. S. N. G.: Martha Bines R. S. V. G.: Hattie Calhoun L. S. V. G.: Myrtle Trowbridge R. A. S.: Mable Rogers L. A. S.: Nellie Gee 1st B. B.: Alice Pomeroy 2nd B. B.: Maude Wildman 3rd B. B.: Alice Scott 4th B. B.: Anna Courtaey Degree Master: E. P. Rogers Pictorial Booklet Slocum
 These officers were installed in October for one year.

Union Encampment No. 171

Chief Patriarch, Earl Goodrich High Priest, L. M. Trowbridge S. W.: Fred Hubbard J. W.: Frank Kemp Scribe, C. M. Lash Treasurer, A. L. Rogers Canton
 Officers of Canton Loyal No. 43, Patriarchs Militant. Captain: Geo. H. Beebe Lieutenant: Geo. Wilcox Ensign: P. M. Edgerton Clerk & Accountant: F. M. Atwood Trustee for 3 years: Maj. A. B. Conover Trustee for 2 years: W. C. Whitford

MASONIC

Andover Lodge No. 558, F. & A. M.
 W. M.: B. S. Brundage S. W.: T. R. Bassett J. W.: J. Harvey Backus S. D.: John Snyder J. D.: B. B. Hann Secretary: H. D. Smith Treasurer: J. M. Brundage Chaplain: Rev. V. L. Eggleston S. M. C.: E. F. Stearns J. M. C.: E. A. Richardson Marshal: Henry Stephens Tyler: J. L. Williams Trustee: Henry Stephens, 3 years
 The officers were duly installed Monday night by Past Master V. L. Eggleston.

Eastern Star
 Patron: George Beebe Matron: Ida Williams Associate Matron: Valencia Slocum Treasurer: Hattie Conley Secretary: Frances A. Beebe Conductress: Edna Langworthy Associate Conductress: Carrie Green

Chaplain: Flora Mosher Marshal: Roxie Brundage Historian: Caroline Hinchey Organist: Frances Teasdale Warden: Mertie Trowbridge Sentinel: J. L. Williams Adah: Frank Beebe Ruth: Mrs. N. B. Proper Esther: Avis Trowbridge Martha: Helen Baker Electa: Florence Earley

GRANGE

Andover-Pomona Grange No. 109
 The following officers were installed at the regular Grange meeting Wednesday evening:
 Master, A. L. Rogers Overseer, Wm. Childs Lecturer, Harry Smith Chaplain, Mrs. Ida Brayton Steward, Rodney Robinson Ass't. Steward, Cecil Clark Secretary, Geo. H. Beebe Treasurer, Mrs. Mary Warfield Gatekeeper, Henry Bell Ceres, Mary Dodge Pomona: Mary Baker Flora, Hope Straight Lady Assistant Steward, Ruth Robinson Trustee for 3 years, H. E. Robinson Purchasing Agent, C. A. Robinson

K. O. T. M.

Mutual Tent No. 18.
 Last night the Maccabees installed the following officers for the ensuing year:
 Commander, C. E. Baker Lieut. Commander, James Wentworth Sergeant to be filled Chaplain, Michael Folsing R. K. B. S. Brundage Master at Arms, Walter Dodge 1st M. at Guards, Lewis Graves 2nd M. of Guards, John Burns Sentinel, M. J. Gray Picket, Ralph Kemp Trustee for 3 years, J. Harvey Backus Physician, C. W. O'Donnell
 The ad-reader comes to know the stores to know the "public habits" of the stores.

WILL CELEBRATE 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frisbey will have been married sixty years on Friday, Jan. 18th. Because of the insistence of their many friends they will keep open house on that date, from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 8 to 10 p. m.
 The affair will be entirely informal and everybody will be welcome. No cards will be issued.

WHAT WE ARE FIGHTING FOR

President Wilson Gives Program For World Peace and What the United States Wants to Accomplish in Address

President Wilson, in an address before Congress, Tuesday, set out the program which the United States desires to see accomplished at the conclusion of the war. He tells of our war aims and our ambitions toward the world. He makes no reference to cash indemnity.
 The President presented a definite program for world peace containing fourteen specific considerations, briefly stated thus:
 Open covenants of peace. Absolute freedom of seas. Equality of trade conditions among nations consenting to peace and associating themselves for its maintenance. Reduction of national armaments. Impartial adjustment of all colonial claims. Evacuation of Russian territory. Evacuation of Belgium. Evacuation of French territory including Alsace. Readjustment of Italy's frontiers. Autonomous development of people in Austria-Hungary. Freedom of the Balkan states. Security of Turkey's sovereignty with permanently open Dardanelles. Establishment of an independent Polish state. General association of nations with mutual guarantees of political independence and territorial integrity to large and small states.
 "For such arrangements," said the President, in conclusion "We are willing to fight, and continue to fight until they are achieved."

HAWTHORNE CLUB

After a long holiday vacation the Chautauqua Club will meet with Mrs. Backus, Monday evening, Jan. 14th. The following program is planned:
 Roll Call—Inventions. Reading—"Life in Ancient Athens," Chaps. 11-12, Mrs. Backus. Paper—"Food of the Romans," Miss Hollenbeck. Review—"Wine in Roman History," Miss Redmond.
 The well advertised store is necessarily a partly new store every day. Changes take place in stocks quickly—the new crowd out the old at every turn.

THE WOLF DOGS OF THE YUKON COUNTRY

Open Tin Cans With Teeth. Like Their Wolf Ancestors Their Method of Fighting is Strike, Jump Away and Never Quit.
 (By M. J. Brown)

Strike a man of all metallic substance, lock him in a bare room and leave him there with only tin cans of beef and he would doubtless starve.
 Put a Labrador husky or an Indian malamute in the same position and it would grow fat, as long as the beef held out.
 This is rather a surprising statement, but it is a positive and well known fact that Alaskan sled dogs will open any tin can with their teeth, when hungry enough, and on short ration mushing trips the driver has to be as careful with the canned goods as with the bacon.
 I was much interested in the dogs of Alaska and I never missed an opportunity to observe them or to talk with some old dog-beater who knew them.
 And one day I saw a fight. I had often heard of the proclivity with which these beasts go to each other, but I had no idea I would witness a scrap, for it was summer time, and the beasts were on their long vacation.
 In the summer the dogs are chained in groups or teams. Most of them are provided with kennels where they can escape the pests and the rains but in the day time they usually sit or lie on the top of their dog houses.
 A dozen or more were in one family group just outside of town and I used to watch them at feeding time.
 One day as I was observing them a big shaggy husky came down the patch. I don't know whether he had escaped or whether he was allowed to run loose.
 As he passed the kennels every dog set up a howl, pulled at its chain and tried to get at the intruder.
 The free dog gave no attention to the din, he walked on as unconcerned as an Indian returning from a salmon-eat. But when he had passed them, like a flash he turned and sprang at the nearest dog.
 And I wondered if this particular dog taunted him with a nasty name as a last challenge, one of those taunts that no one in Alaska will stand for, but as I was not familiar with dog dialect, I could not surmise.
 And what a vicious scrap.
 The Alaskan dogs don't get a hold and stay with it until death, as bull-dogs do. They fight according to Marquis of Queensbury, no hitting in the clinches, no fouling.
 The big husky rushed to his chained antagonist. For a second the two dogs eyed each other—then a strike and a get-away, quick as the wink of an eye. The most of the trail dogs are part-

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