

ANDOVER NEWS

FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 15, 1919.

THE MAKING OF MAPLE SUGAR

Every Maple Farmer This Year That It Matters How He Works It. The Department of Forestry issued a circular urging all to increase the maple and syrup production. Issuing this circular, President Mitchell and Commissioner and Wiggins emphasize the importance of making at home every possible pound of maple sugar. The cause of the great shortage of maple sugar this spring is of great importance to the farmer and to the world at large. In order that the farmer who has not tapped his trees which should be tapped to work this publication has appeared. No claim is made of completeness. Under war conditions, sugar production from less than 500 buckets undoubtedly pay for the labor already expended. The farmer who has less than 500 buckets and is not equipped should plan for as cheap an amount as possible unless he looks into the future and sees he can develop some special market or increase his number of buckets. Every man who has a few acres which can be tapped should produce all the sugar he can during the war, as a patriotic duty and to provide for home use. The operation of less than 500 buckets often pay actually, because the farmer an opportunity to his own labor and that of his family when there is no other work. The bulletin then gives a concise summary of directions for sugar bush operation. It lists a list of manufacturers of apparatus and estimates of their costs. The bulletin may be obtained by writing to Director I. E. Babcock, U. S. Department of Conservation, State Commission, Ithaca, N. Y., or the Food Commission of Albany, N. Y.

JOIN THE FARM BUREAU

Membership Campaign Now on in Allegany County; Many are Reaping the Benefits. Every Andover farmer should join the Allegany County Farm Bureau and do so now. There is nothing that will bring him more returns for the money invested than membership therein. The question is what wins in farming as well as in all other lines. The farmer who refuses to work with the others in his class is refusing gold dollars for his own pocket. This week there is being carried on a "Membership Drive" in Allegany County for new members for the local Bureau. Get in while the water is fine. It will cost you but one single "lonesome" "annuleum" and you get back a copy of the Farm Bureau News, each month, telling you what is being done for Allegany County farmers by co-operation. You may send your name direct to the office of the Bureau at Belmont or the editor of this paper will send it in for you, if you so wish. In a letter to the editor, Manager R. Q. Smith writes: "Wyoming has nearly 1,500 members with her campaign not yet completed; Livingston, a newly organized county, has nearly 1,200 members; Chautauque reports over 1,400 members; and Cattaraugus had 1109 members last year. Her campaign is now on. Without solicitation 842 members have already renewed this year. We want Allegany County to be well up in the list of Farm Bureau members with her sister counties. She will be when our campaign is over. "We want every farmer in the county to be asked to join the Farm Bureau Association. Get your neighbor interested and have him help you. We have already received some splendid reports. Have your first list of members into the office so that they will receive the March issue of the "News" on the 20th. This copy will be mailed to all members received up to April 1st. Receipts for memberships will be sent out from this office."

PETER DUDLEY

Funeral service for the late Peter Dudley was held at the Methodist Church, in Wellsville, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Representatives of the various companies of the local Fire Department were in attendance and the McEwen Hose Company attended in a body. Rev. W. W. Robinson officiated and interment was made at Woodlawn. Few people live to a ripe age than did Peter Dudley, and few men have a wider or more extended acquaintance. He was known and admired especially by the oldest traveling men whom he has courteously befriended and assisted while porter at Hotel Fassett in that city.

THOMPSON-CLARK

Letts Foster Thompson, of Bennett Creek, and Miss Reva Elmore Clark, of Andover, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Dr. M. J. Hill Tuesday afternoon at 4:30. Miss Clarke is a school teacher and has a very pleasing personality. Mr. Thompson is a farmer and the young people will reside on his father's farm near Jasper. They were accompanied by Mrs. Roselba Barred and Miss Mary Thompson. The bride and groom have the best wishes of their many friends. — Canister Times.

ASKS PUPILS TO JOIN WAR GARDEN ARMY

President Wilson Endorses Scheme to Raise \$500,000,000 of Produce by the School Children of the United States. President Wilson, in a letter to Mr. Lane, Secretary of the Interior, expressed the hope that "every school will have a regiment in the volunteer war garden army"—the army of school children, that it is estimated may raise this year produce valued at \$500,000,000. The President's letter said: "I sincerely hope that you may be successful thru the Bureau of Education in arousing the interest of teachers and children in the cultivation of home gardens. "Every boy and girl who really sees what the home garden may mean will I am sure, enter into the purpose with high spirits, because I am sure they would all like to feel that they are in fact fighting in France by joining the home garden army. "They know that America has undertaken to send meat and flour and wheat and other foods for the support of the soldiers who are doing the fighting, for the men and women who are making the munitions and for the boys and girls of Western Europe and that we must also feed ourselves while we are carrying on this war. "The movement to establish gardens therefore, and to have the children work in them is just as real and patriotic an effort as the building of ships or the firing of cannon. I hope that this spring every school will have a regiment in the volunteer war garden army."

It is Secretary Lane's idea that is being worked out thru Mr. Claxton, Commissioner of the Bureau of Education, to have five million boys and girls of the schools in every city, town and village in the country, captained by forty thousand teachers, produce as nearly as possible all of the vegetables, small fruits and eggs for their home consumption. To the extent that each district is able to supply itself with these food products the railways will be relieved of the burden of transporting them, and the Allies of the United States in Europe and our own soldiers on the battle front will get that much more of the food of which they are in need.

MRS. C. R. THOMPSON

Mrs. Hyacinth Aber Thompson died March 5, 1918, and was born in Ohio, 75 years ago last June, was married to Chas. R. Thompson 50 years last Jan. Over forty years ago they moved from Mary and to their farm home on Vorhees Hill. The last few weeks of her illness she was taken to her daughter's home and remained there until the peaceful end came. Mrs. Thompson was of a quiet nature and her neighbors deeply feel the loss of a noble spirited woman while her own family cherish the memory of wife and mother for her home devotion and cheerful disposition. She leaves besides her husband three daughters: Mrs. Hattie Beach, of Elmira, who was unable to be present an account of illness; Mrs. Mary F. Slogun and Mrs. Grace Lewis, both of Vorhees Hill, and one sister in Troy, Pa. The funeral was held last Friday at her daughter's home, Rev. Chas. Collins officiated and burial in the family plot at Putnam Valley.

BILL TO LICENSE THE CHIROPRACTORS

They Claim it Not Necessary to Know Latin in Order to Practice Their Profession as Theirs is a Drugless System. An unusually interesting discussion of the advanced method of drugless healing by chiropractic methods was brought out before the Assembly Committee on Public Health, in the Capitol on last Friday afternoon in the discussion of the bill for licensing and regulating chiropractors along the same general lines as physicians. The State Department and various branches of the medical profession based their objection to the bill largely upon the educational qualifications. The chiropractors state in opposition that it is in no sense necessary for them to learn Latin or dead languages to write prescriptions in or to study the large variety, quality and action of drugs as theirs is not a drugging system. The Allopathic, Homeopathic and Osteopathic systems of treating disease were fully in opposition to legally recognizing the chiropractors in this state, and in listening to their objections one could not fail to remember the changes in the practice of Allopathy from the tremendous doses of but a few years ago, to the great change for a smaller and milder use of drugs to-day. It is also within this generation that Homeopathy became generally recognized, acknowledged and accepted as a healing practice and Osteopathy has always been recognized as a system of treatment much like Swedish massage. It was apparent in listening to the discussion that the objections from the medical profession were based upon self interest. The New York State Chiropractic Society was represented by men from the colleges of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa; Chicago, Ill.; and Pittsburg, Penn., in addition to the state people interested in the passage of the bill. Within the last few years the growth of Chiropractic practice has been much faster than that of any other healing method and this growth has been learned and based upon its success in removing the cause of and healing diseases. There are to-day in the State of New York more than five hundred practitioners and over five hundred thousand people using this system for regaining and keeping health. There are over six thousand practitioners in the United States and between five and six hundred thousand people who use the chiropractic system. The general discussion clearly indicated that with some slight modifications or amendments the bill would have a favorable action. The bill was introduced by Mr. Keegan and specially advocated by Mr. Smith who made it clear that they were not seeking to legalize chiropractors but to regulate, restrict and elevate the personal and practice.

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COOK-DAY

Mr. Leon Cook, of Alfred, N. Y., and Miss Estella F. Day, of Andover, N. Y., were married by Rev. V. L. Eggleston Feb. 24th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Houghtaling in Alfred, N. Y.

WOMEN CAN VOTE

Attorney General in an Opinion States that Women May Vote at Village Election

The Attorney General of this state has just rendered an opinion to the effect that a woman 21 years of age, an inhabitant of the state for one year next preceding election, for the last four months a resident of the county, for the last 30 days a resident of the election district and if a naturalized citizen must have been naturalized at least 90 days prior to the day of election is entitled to vote at the village election to be held on the 19th day of March, 1918.

NO STRIFE FOR VILLAGE OFFICERS

Only One Ticket Has Been Filed With the Clerk for Officers: James D. Cheesman, Pres., Edison Langworthy, Trustee.

The caucus called for Saturday night for the nomination of village officers placed the following ticket in the field: For President, James D. Cheesman; For Trustee, two years, Edison Langworthy; For Collector, T. R. Bassett; For Treasurer, James P. Cannon. The nominations were all made unanimously, no other names being even suggested for office. About a dozen women attended the meeting, one of their number being named as chairman of the caucus, but declined to act.

SELLS W. S. S. AT SILK MILL

Miss Kathryn Gallagher is in full charge of the sale of War-Saving Stamps at the Andover Silk Co's office and is very enthusiastic about the matter. All employees of the company are urged to buy their stamps from Miss Gallagher and make her weekly sales as large as possible. Yours very truly, ANDOVER SILK CO. J. H. Faisant, Supt.

DRYS WILL WIN TWO-THIRDS OF STATE

The New York Herald Poll Shows Prohibition Sweeping Over State—Ballots of Women Called Big Factor. (From the New York Herald).

Albany, N. Y., Sunday.—With the women of the state lining up almost solidly for prohibition and with thirty-seven of the fifty-seven cities of New York in the throes of bitter fights to determine whether or not they shall go dry, it appears certain that fully two-thirds of the state, outside of New York City, will be "bone dry" after next September. The indications are that the prohibition wave is sweeping relentlessly over one of the most conservative states in the Union. Information gathered by the Herald indicates that in all probability the foes of the liquor business will have a majority in practically two-thirds of the cities in the elections on April 16. Reports show that the dry forces are gaining strength rapidly in all of the third class cities.

In the cities of the first class, like New York, Albany, Troy, Buffalo and Rochester, the wets are sufficiently strong to hold their own for a time. This is due to a provision of the law which requires that a petition containing signatures of twenty-five per cent of the duly qualified voters of any city must be filed with the Secretary of State to obtain a local option election. In the cities mentioned it is concluded that the drys now could not obtain such a number of names to a petition of that kind.

In the meantime the wets and drys in the Legislature are fighting bitterly for advantage on the prohibition issue.

UP-STATE NEARLY ALL DRY

The up-state counties now are nearly all dry outside of the cities. The special elections in April will add materially to the white portion of the map. Women are lining up in all the cities on the side of prohibition. Their ballot in this state apparently will be cast against the saloon. From all cities came similar reports; the women are a unit for prohibition regardless of party affiliations. Party leaders have been quick to sense the new sentiment in politics. Even those politicians who personally are against prohibition declare they cannot stand out against the new army of voters.

No partisan campaign ever waged in this state was marked by such intense feeling as characterizes this liquor fight. Large sums are being spent in every city. The wet and dry forces are organized thoroly.

The contest in the cities will be made under provision of the Hill-Wheeler Local Option law, passed

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