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ANDOVER GETS BADLY BEATEN

Andover Lost 2nd Game to Angelica Thru Errors; Hard Hitting By Both Teams Featured

Andover went to Angelica Saturday to play ball, but they didn't. As one of the players put it we made hits enough to win two ball games and errors enough to lose four.

In the first inning Captain Irvin of the Angelica team had the misfortune to dislocate his ankle while running from first to second and about a minute afterward Captain Trowbridge of our team tore the ligaments in his going after a foul fly near third. With "Bud" and Emmett both out of the "fast corner" it left a bad hole in the team and the Angelica boys delighted in hitting "hot ones" down thru there. "Pan" Williams and "Pete" DeRemer worked hard to overcome the handicap, but not being used to a peeled diamond (that was none too smooth) or to playing in those positions, they were working at a decided disadvantage.

Hard hitting featured on both teams, but Andover again is credited with the longer list, getting 14 bingos to their opponent's 12.

The Andover boys have nothing but praise to offer of the manner they were treated by the Angelica team, umpire and fans.

Following is the official score:

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E			
Robinson cf	5	0	1	2	0	0	0			
C. Sprangler ss	4	2	0	1	4	0	0			
Wilkins 3rd	5	2	1	1	2	1	2			
Irving 2nd	1	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Kent 1st	5	3	2	12	0	1	0			
W. Spangler rf	5	4	5	0	1	0	0			
Reck lf	5	5	1	0	0	0	0			
Chaffee c	5	1	1	1	0	0	0			
Wattam p	4	0	0	0	4	0	0			
Parsons 2	4	0	0	0	4	0	0			
44 16 12 27 22 2										
Score by innings:										
Andover:	0	2	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	—10
Angelica:	1	2	4	1	3	3	0	2	x	—16
Summary:										
Home Run: W. Spangler.										
Three Base Hits: Harrington, W. Spangler.										
Two Base Hits: Boyd, Horan, Armstrong, 2, Williams, Robinson, W. Spangler, Wattam.										
Base on Balls: off Worrell 1, off Wattam 1.										
Struck out, by Worrell 4, by Wattam 10.										
Umpire, Thompson.										
Batting Averages										
	AB	R	H	Per Cent						
DeRemer	9	6	688							
Trowbridge	22	10	454							
Boyd	18	8	434							
Backus	23	10	434							
Armstrong	11	4	364							
Horan	25	9	360							
Reidage	6	2	333							
Dawson	16	6	316							
Williams	16	5	312							
Harrington	23	7	304							
Bloss	14	4	285							
Worrell	19	4	211							
H. Dawson	4	0	000							
Theeget	4	0	000							

ATTENDED HOLSTEIN SALE

Supervisor E. R. Crandall Reports Interesting Session

Supervisor E. R. Crandall returned from Syracuse, Friday evening, where he had been in attendance at the annual meeting of the National Holstein-Friesian Association. He says it took a day longer to transact the business of the association than originally planned. Four men held 7,000 proxies out of a total membership of 13,000. All of the former officers were re-elected excepting Judge Acken, of Michigan. Governor Lowden was selected as president in his stead.

The most important transaction for those in this section was the reduction from \$1 to 50¢ of the price for transferring registrations.

At the banquet over a thousand were present. At the sale 200 head of cattle were sold.

Decoration Day Mr. Crandall attended the Francis Jones sale, at Clinton, at which many high priced stock were sold. The lowest sale was for \$678, and the highest \$1,500, at which Spring Farm King, the head of their herd was sold.

Using the classified columns in a business manner.

TUCKER — WILLIAMS

George W. Tucker, of Elm Valley, and Miss Ruth Williams, of Wellsville, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cornwell, of Wellsville, by Rev. E. A. Mathews of the Wellsville Methodist Church, Wednesday evening, June 1st.

Mr. Tucker is one of the substantial farmers of this section and with his wife will receive the congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends.

After a two weeks auto trip they will be at home to their many Andover friends at the Tucker home in Elm Valley.

Tidbits From Our School

Honor Roll for May First Grade, omitted last week.

Oscie Schoonover, James Mulholland, Leon Nichols, Joseph Lynch, Helen Smith.

At the Field and Track Meet of the Allegany County Athletic Association in Cuba, last Friday, Wellsville proved to be conquerors. This is the second time that Wellsville has won it.

Altho Wellsville carried off most of the honors of the day, Andover secured a few points. Baker got first prize in the broad jump, by a record jump of 18 ft. 8 in. Howland also got first place in the hammer throw, throwing it 88 feet 2 in, while Rose Harrington got second prize in girl's broad jump, 13 ft., beaten by just one inch. Anna Theegetz got first prize in the broad jump for the junior girls, while Kenneth Alford got 3rd prize in 50 yd. dash for boys.

Jokes

Dick does not go near the "Park" (er) but he is often "Chase" (d). Loretta is getting rather "Hoarse" lately.

Wouldn't it be nice if Florence is still working about Francis. Ask Genevieve if she enjoys the second period on Monday afternoons. Ruth's paleness seems to be leaving her.

Pañaf Spellers

Seventh Grade

Julietta Eckart, Edna Smith, Leon and Theegetz.

Sixth Grade

Alice Howar, Martha Thayer, Birdie Sandburg, George Wereley, Grant Fuller.

Fifth Grade

Frances Brundage, Gertrude O'Connell, Robert Lynch.

Fourth Grade

Dorothea Snyder, Naomi Stickler, Lillian Holmes, Margaret Folsing, Mildred Campbell, Georgia Broughan, Edwin Gardner, Robert Common.

Third Grade

Florence Wereley, Marguerite Perry, Lucille Dawson, Ila Chapman, Loretta Lehman, Florence Sutton.

The school attended in a body the funeral of the late Sergt. Lynch.

Regents next week. Oh! Boy!

Program for Regents Examinations

Monday A. M. Drawing, Int. Algebra, Solid Geometry.

Monday P. M. Elm. English, English II, III, IV.

Tuesday A. M. Arithmetic, Spanish, Am. History.

Tuesday P. M. Spelling, Latin, Biology.

Wednesday A. M. Geography, Elm. Algebra, Plane Geometry.

Wednesday P. M. El. U. S. History, History Course A. and B.

Thursday A. M. Physics.

Thursday P. M. Civics, Commercial Geography.

Friday A. M. Ancient History.

Friday P. M. German 2.

Reporters for next week, Lillian Warfield, Howard Leahy.

The Baccalaureate sermon to the Senior Class will be delivered by Rev. D. M. Sutton, at the Baptist Church, Sunday evening, June 19th.

THE EIGHTH GRADE COMMENCEMENT

The eighth grade commencement will be at the Auditorium, on Monday evening, June 20th; the Senior Class Commencement at the Auditorium, on Tuesday evening, June 21st.

Don't forget the Senior Class play at the Auditorium, on Friday evening, June 17th. Tickets can be secured at Brown's store.

SURPRISE VISIT

Miss Emma Folsing was pleasantly surprised at her home, on Greenwood Street, Tuesday evening, when the children of her Sunday School Class walked in with a dainty luncheon prepared for the occasion.

A most enjoyable evening was passed. The children, in leaving, presented Miss Folsing with an ever sharp pencil as a token of their friendship and esteem.

Obsequies in Memory of Sergeant Thomas M. Lynch

What was undoubtedly the largest attended funeral ever held in Andover was that held at Blessed Sacrament Church, Monday morning, for Sergeant Thomas M. Lynch, Andover's hero who died in action in France, being shot in the Chateau Thierry sector, Aug. 10, 1918, while in action.

The remains reached Andover on train No. 7, Saturday morning, and were taken to the home of his aunts, the Misses Delia and Julia Lynch, on Water Street.

Rev. P. C. Tracy, pastor of the Blessed Sacrament Church, sang the mass, and twenty-one ex-servicemen, in full uniform, accompanied the remains to their last resting place and gave the deceased the honor of a full military funeral. The body was interred in St. John's Catholic Cemetery.

Thomas M. Lynch was an exemplary young man. His father died in Andover fourteen years ago, since which time Thomas lived with his aunts in this village. He was a graduate of Andover High School, an accomplished musician and a genuine favorite among all. At the outbreak of the war Thomas enlisted and served in Co. C, 4th Infantry, rapidly rising to the rank of sergeant.

The Andover School came in a body to attend his obsequies. The Andover Sikh Mith, in which he had at one time been employed, closed and attended the funeral service in a body, and every business place on Main Street was closed during the funeral.

Those of his immediate family who survive are his mother, Mrs. Catherine Lynch; his sister, Mrs. Benjamin Miland; two brothers, Austin and Edna Lynch, of Penn Du Lac; three aunts, Miss Delia, Miss Julia Lynch and Mrs. Madge Dawson, an uncle, John C. Lynch, all of Andover, and numerous cousins.

Rev. Father Tracy gave a fine eulogy to the memory of the deceased which is well worth perusal and follows:

My dear friends: Those of you who are familiar with the customs and practices of the Catholic Church are no matter to which of the European nations engaged in that deadly struggle they may impute the blame, they will one and all unanimously assert that the American conscience, at least, was clean.

It was only under the utmost provocation, when our national rights were arrogantly disregarded, when the lives of our citizens were ruthlessly sacrificed on the high seas, and when our honor as a nation was at stake and called for defence that we finally consented to be drawn into the vortex. When our chief executive of those days proclaimed to the nation with a terseness and beauty of style rarely surpassed that we were fighting for "democracy, for the rights and liberties of small nations, for a universal dominion of right by such concert of free peoples as shall bring peace and safety to all nations and make the world at last free," the flower of our youth immediately answered their country's call, rallied around its flag, and were prepared to make any and every sacrifice, even that of life itself in its honor and defence.

In a comparatively brief space of time we raised and equipped an army and navy which has excited the admiration of the world at large. The very expeditious manner and the absolute degree of safety with which that vast army was transported to foreign fields are events unparalleled in the annals of the world's history. The splendid achievements they wrought are of too recent occurrence to need mention here. Suffice it to say that thru their noble and heroic efforts, the spirit of militarism with which the world was then threatened had been completely crushed. Of old Spartan mothers and wives said to their sons and husbands going forth to do battle, "Return with your shields or on them, the glory's mine." May we not fancy our American mothers saying to their sons as they bade them a fond farewell, "Return to me with your shield or on it." And now when in many a home thru-out the length and breadth of this fair land, sorrowing mothers are, on the vacant chair once occupied by their darling boys, the light of their very lives, who have done nobly what their duty, and who

made the supreme sacrifice unselfishly, the greatest sacrifice a young man can make, the sacrifice of his life for his country. What were the principles for which our young heroes fought and died? We were told we were fighting in order that right might be vindicated over might—in order that the little nations and the weak nations might all be free. We were told we were fighting in order that the world, great nations and small nations might be freed for democracy. Aye, yes, there was no question of trade, no question of territory, no question of power in that. It was only pure, noble, exalted purpose that all was right, and that nations great and small, strong and weak, freed from war, rid of its ravages, might be able free and untrammelled and unfettered to pursue the ways of peace and prosperity. It was for that you were asked to send your sons to the front, it was for that our young hero whose mortal remains are lying before us gave his life, it was for that our young heroes, heroes like unto him gave their lives, and gave them without hesitation. It was for that we gave our money, and squandered treasure. It is for that we are now paying, and will be paying for many a day. And now when we have so-called peace, what do we find?

If we cast our eyes across the Atlantic instead of finding the world free, for democracy, we find a certain small nation, the oldest nation in Europe under the heel of the most despotic military despotism the world has ever seen. Instead of the reign of law we are told to look forward to as the end of the war, the reign of law based on the will of the people, what do we find there? Instead of a reign of law, based on the will of the people, we find a reign of terror based on bayonets, bullets and bombs.

We hear now in certain quarters a great cry of self-determination. During the war we were all talking about self-determination. We were talking about the rights of nations, great and small. There was no discordant voice and there was nobody to whittle away the right of self-determination. It was the rallying cry that brought men together from the remotest corners of the globe to shed blood ready to die for the self-determination of the nations, great and small. But there was then nobody to question the right of self-determination. It is only now when it is all over, when some of the men are buried in distant graves, that certain people tell us that this cry about self-determination is only an empty catchword. Ah, yes, it is a foolish catchword. I quite admit that. The people who went out to fight were taken in by that catchword, who that they were fighting for self-determination for all nations, but were fighting in reality for mines and coal and trade and the rest. It is too late in the day to tell us that self-determination is only a catchword. It is an eternal principle. It is the principle for which our boys fearlessly faced the hardships and horrors of the trenches, the point of the bayonet, the poisoning of the gas, the rending of the shrapnel, and the thousand and one other horrors of the Great War. If the principle of self-determination is applied to small nations like Belgium, Poland, on what ground will its application be excluded from others, whose claim to nationality is just as strong if not stronger, and whose history is more ancient and more respectable than that of any of them. These struggling nations cry out to the liberty-loving people of America: Are we going to close our hearts to the appeal? We were to do so we should be false to the best traditions of America. The same ideals that inspired the struggling colonies from 1776 to 1783 inspired another small nation from 1916 to the present day. I have the honor of addressing veterans of the Civil War whom we salute as the living embodiment of the patriotism and chivalry of the early days of the Republic. These veterans received the flag from the generation that received it from Washington. They finished the work which Washington and the fathers began. When men refused to acknowledge the elementary dogma of human freedom as enshrined in the Declaration of Independence—all men are treated free and equal—they wrote the words in letters of blood thru the Southland, and the shackles were stricken from the limbs of the slave, and he took his place as a man among men. We have here also veterans of the Spanish-American War, whose honor and privilege it was to win liberty for an oppressed people. Thru you America has declared to the world that her influence and power are always ready to defend as far as she may the just rights of any people, you have maintained and perpetuated and ennobled America's traditional policy as the friend of democracy, as the friend of nations and people struggling to be free. And so, in the three generations of veterans assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to the mortal remains of our young patriot here, we have the living evidence that from the foundation of our country to the present the heart of America has ever throbbled in sympathy with human freedom at home and abroad. In the light of these



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facts how can we the liberty loving citizens of the United States be indifferent to the struggle which is now taking place among a brave people for the God-given right of freedom. To the kinsfolk and relatives of our dear departed hero we offer our most sincere and heartfelt sympathy. Death is always an occasion of sorrow and mourning, no matter what the circumstances under which it is met may be. But for you there ought to be an element of joy and happiness amid the encircling gloom and sorrow. In the designs of God's providence you have been among the chosen ones of the nation to whose lot it has fallen to make this great sacrifice, the greatest sacrifice a mother and loving relative can make. The memory of the patriotism and valor manifested by him in the hour of his country's need will serve as an inspiration and incentive to all, especially the young to imitate his noble deeds, if ever our country be confronted with a similar crisis. In a few moments we shall follow his example and go to God's acre, where his dust in time will mingle with the dust of his forbears. With the respect and esteem and gratitude of his fellow-townsman who have assembled in such large numbers to do him honor with the "Last Post" sounded for him by his comrades in arms, and with the last prayers and benediction of the church of which he was always a devoted and exemplary member we shall lay him to rest. And ere we leave this House of God let us pray that to his soul, and the souls of all who gave their lives for the same cause, together with all the souls of the faithful departed, be granted a "place of refreshment, light and peace" thru the merits of Jesus Christ Our Lord and Saviour.

BURDICK — WALCHLI

Jerry H. Burdick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burdick of Elm Valley, and Miss Anna Walchli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Walchli, of Wellsville, were united in marriage, Wednesday evening, June 1st, at the home of the bride's parents in Wellsville, by Rev. E. A. Mathews.

Both young people are well known in Andover and a large circle of acquaintances extend congratulations and best wishes to them.

They will reside in Wellsville where the groom is an employee in the Kerr-Turbine.

DR. ALLEN PLEASES

Dr. Davenport Allen, dramatic reader and impersonator, in his program Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church, furnished a most pleasing entertainment. The numbers varied from sublime to humorous and were equally well given by Dr. Allen.

Music furnished by Wm. Lloyd and Harlan Robinson, violins, with Mrs. Chas. Robinson pipe organ accompanist, interspersed in the program was enjoyed.

WHERE TO DODGE STATE HIGHWAYS

State Issues Bulletin Telling of New Construction and Repairs in Progress in State Roads

The following list of improved roads under repair in this section was recently given out by the State Highway Department at Hornell:

When making your motor trip, if possible, avoid these roads:

Allegany County

C. H. No. 1559. Belmont-Phillips Creek, Part 1. Road under construction and traffic maintained over this road.

S. H. 5615. Belfast-Caneadea. Approximately 2 miles of road closed. Detour traffic on east side of Genesee River between Belfast and Caneadea. Detour road in frightful condition.

Steuben County

Patching between South Canisteo, Jasper, Arkport-Dansville, Hornell-Howard, Wallace-Cohocton—Drive with care.

Reconstruction contracts are as follows:

R. C. 1279. Owego-Binghamton, contractor progressing, traffic maintained. Repair gang patching pavement.

R. C. 1300. State Highway 5168. Detour: Smithboro south across toll bridge, thence westerly along the Susquehanna River to Sayre and thence to Waverly. Fair dirt road but 2 miles west from toll bridge at Smithboro the town of Nichols is constructing ½ mile improved highway. Traffic is side tracked thru field. In Pennsylvania about ¾ mile road is in poor condition; hilly, narrow track, rough going and dangerous to drive.

The Town of Tioga is turnpiking a hill road from Smithboro to Barton 6 miles long. This road is in bad condition. Drive very carefully. It may be better than the Sayre detour. Either will be bad for heavy trucks.

R. C. 1299, Highway No. 681 and 682. Tompkins—contractor expects to start work on this highway this week. Traffic may have to be temporarily detoured.

HOME BUREAU RALLY

The following program has been arranged for the Home Bureau Rally to be held at Friendship, Wednesday, June 16th:

Morning Session

10:45—Community Singing

C. W. Whitney

10:50—Greetings, Mrs. W. B. Wright

11:00—"What the Home Bureau Has Meant to Monroe County, Mrs. W. G. McIntosh, Churchville, N. Y.

11:30—"What the Home Bureau Means to Our Communities" Mrs. Anna Kenyon, Utopia

Mrs. Hattie Conley, Andover

Mrs. Grace Spicer, Independence

Mrs. Clindoman, East Caneadea

Mrs. Welcome Cole, Cuba Summit

Mrs. J. E. Gona, Petrolia

Mrs. F. D. Crandall, Belvoir

Picnic Dinner at 12:30

Afternoon Session

1:30—Vocal Solo C. W. Whitney

1:40—"How the Home Bureau Can Function in Allegany County" Miss Caroline Morton

2:10—"Development of Local Leaders in Recreation" C. W. Whitney

3:00—"Work of the Committee of 21" Mrs. C. W. Bridgton

3:45—"Planning County-wide Program" Helen Cannon

POTTER — HARRIMAN

Arlo B. Potter, of Wellsville, and Miss Mary Harriman, of New Castle, Pa., were united in marriage, Monday evening, by Justice of Peace Henry Stephens, at his office on Main Street.

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