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E. J. ATWOOD WAS NOMINATED FOR PRESIDENT

Caucus Names Ardean Wilcox, Trustee; Grant Sherwood, Police Justice

Edward J. Atwood was renominated for President of the Village of Andover at the Saturday evening Union Caucus. Ardean Wilcox was nominated for trustee for two years in place of Henry Stephens.

The caucus was called to order by J. L. Williams, chairman of the village committee. Henry Stephens was chosen chairman, and John DeRemer, secretary.

The following ticket was placed in nomination.

For Village President
EDWARD J. ATWOOD
For Trustee (2 years)
ARDEAN WILCOX
For Village Treasurer
ANDREW D. FULLER
For Police Justice
GRANT SHERWOOD
For Collector
VALENCIA SLOCUM

A proposition to turn the park funds over to the American Legion for the purpose of making a public park of their newly acquired property on the corner of West Greenwood and First Streets will be voted upon.

WILD ANIMALS DRIVEN FROM WOODS BY SNOW

Olean. — Wild animals by the hundreds will die in the country in Pennsylvania just across the state line from Olean, if there is further snowfall, according to reports from that part. Many of the game animals are starving and freezing, according to reports. The animals have been driven from the woods by the deep snow and they have found practically all the fields covered with ice, due to the thaws and freezes. One old doe, found dying by Charles Howard, an engineer for a chemical company in Norwich, Pa., was taken on the train, but it died in Straight, Pa., where an attempt was made to save it.

PAID FORFEIT

The defeats in last year's Rehoboth contest, Mrs. Emma Clair, Captain, paid their forfeit Wednesday night, after the regular lodge meeting, by entertaining the winners, Mrs. Lee Trowbridge, Captain, at a luncheon and a short literary program. The contest was very close only twenty-four counts difference.

VISIT DR. COPELAND

New York, March 2nd. — Fifty fat women, organized into a weight-reducing class by Dr. Royal S. Copeland, marched five miles to-day from Columbus Circle to the Health Department building on Lower Manhattan to bid farewell to Dr. Copeland, who is leaving the post of city health commissioner to assume the duties of a United States Senator. The ladies presented Dr. Copeland with a beautiful bunch of American Beauty roses.

NOBODY LOVES THE DENTIST

I'm linked to grief with no relief to misery, because, forsooth, I have a tooth that calls me to the dentist. Tho I'm a decent kindly man and he a worthy wight, I hope he falls and breaks a leg that I may win respite. In vain, in vain my wicked wish, in vain is all my sorrow, he will not slip or bust a hip, and I must go to-morrow. Kids need good milk with garden truck and fruit to build up teeth. They ought to brush the same in front, in back and underneath. But, I alas, in younger days, refused each heathful stunt, and when I had bad teeth behind, I chewed my food in front. If all my teeth went back on me, I did not sit and squall, but picked out soft and juicy food and did not chew at all. My teeth would crunch up big beef bones with nice rich marrow freighted, if I had sought the dentist then and had them nickle-plated. Alas, my milk teeth dropped too soon, and when I got my molars, they suffered from my careless ways and soon were aching horrors. My father should have grabbed my hair, he should have put on blinders, then dragged me to the dentist's chair and thus preserved my grinders. O you who have the welfare of kids upon your hearts, I pray you scorn not dentists nor shun their useful arts. O let them fill the baby teeth and keep them in the gums to hold the little jaws in shape until the others come. Behold the kids within whose mouth Doc Jones has never been; they all have bum, black, warty teeth; they all are woppejawed.

MRS. DEVILLO E. LIVERMORE

Lida Livermore was born in the Town of Andover, N. Y. May 29, 1859, and died of heart trouble at her late home in Independence, N. Y., March 2, 1923, after an illness of about eight weeks.

September 12, 1893 she was married to Devillo E. Livermore and they began a happy married life in the home where they have since resided. One daughter, Bertha, Mrs. Harold Hardy, of Auburn, N. Y., was born to them. In addition to the husband and daughter, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Ina Foster, of Alfred, N. Y.; Mrs. Louise Foster, of Whitesville, N. Y., and Mrs. Addie Greene, of Alfred, N. Y., and two brothers, Edward Livermore of Andover, N. Y., and Correll Livermore, of Arkport.

In 1881 she professed faith in Christ and was baptized by Rev. I. L. Cottrell who, about that time, had been holding meetings in Fulmer Valley, near her home. October 10, 1885, during the pastorate of Rev. J. E. N. Backus, she united with the Independence Seventh-day Baptist Church of which she has remained a faithful and beloved member until called to the church triumphant. Her life of quiet helpfulness, kindly good-will and self-sacrificing service is too well known to require words of commendation. Recent months and years have emphasized the fact that she has freely given her life for others. The church, community and Ladies Aid Society of which she was a member will keenly feel the loss of her kindly ministrations.

Farewell services were held in the Independence Church, March, 5th, 1923, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. L. Greene. Interment at Independence.

EDWARD MOSHER

The following from the Crawford (N. J.) Courier, regarding the late Edward Mosher, will be of interest to Andover people, especially when it is remembered that he was a graduate of Andover High School, and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mosher, a former publisher of the Andover News, and was a very popular young man among his school associates and acquaintances in this village.

The many friends of Edward Mosher, formerly Township Engineer of Crawford, N. J., were shocked yesterday to learn of his death early in the morning. The night before few knew he was seriously ill with grip or influenza with pneumonia threatened. He had been sick about two weeks.

On learning of Mr. Mosher's death, Mayor Roach ordered the township flags displayed at half-mast.

Mr. Mosher was born in Alfred, N. Y. forty-two years ago, moving to Andover, N. Y. when 16 years old. He graduated from Andover High School, following which he went to Plainfield, N. J. and for a number of years was with City Engineer Dunham, of Plainfield. Later Mr. Mosher was with the Central R. R. and was assistant engineer in construction work on the McAdoo tunnels. For some time he was assistant to County Engineer Bauer, coming to Crawford as Township Engineer in 1910. Two years ago he went to Westfield, N. J. as Town Engineer and had recently been engaged by that town for a five-year period.

Mr. Mosher was a member and Past Master of Azure Lodge F. & A. M. and of Westfield Chapter S. A. R. Four years ago in July Mr. and Mrs. Mosher lost a son, J. Morse Mosher. He is survived by a widow, two sisters and three brothers.

Funeral services were held at the Mosher home 619 Clark S. Westfield, N. J., Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Burial was in Plainfield, N. J. — Crawford Courier.

His sisters, Mrs. C. W. Lewis, of Alfred Station; Mrs. L. G. Coleman, of Westfield, and a niece, Mrs. Ross Champlin, of Alfred, attended the funeral services at Westfield.

FROM FEED TO CLOTHING

Word comes to the News that our old friend, John J. Casey, has accepted a road position with the L. J. Thompson Co. of Elmira, his territory to be Northern Pennsylvania. Thus John turns from feed to clothing. Here's hoping our next suit purchase will reflect a decided lowering in price due to his efforts. Mr. Casey's pleasing personality and ability as a salesman bespeaks for him success in any endeavor he undertakes. Andover people will all want to get inside one of John's suits, just to see if they really fit "like the paper on the wall."

The In-As-Much Society of the Methodist Church will hold a food sale Saturday, at Parrel Williams Store.

ANNUAL REPORT OF VILLAGE OF ANDOVER

Following is the Treasurer's Report of Money Received and Expended

GENERAL FUND	
Receipts	
Balance on hand	\$ 1.55
Cash over	115.30
Mortgage Tax	15.88
Licence Fee	4.00
V. Slocum, Col.	1,859.81
Mercantile Tax	434.62
Income Tax	395.31
Pool Room Licences	15.00
	\$2,841.47

Disbursements

Mar. 1. Roy Nichols, express	\$.48
1. Richard Hammond, Police	75.00
25. B. B. Hann, inspector	20.00
B. S. Brundage, in-spector	20.00
A. R. Baker, inspector	20.00
Henry Stephens, in-spector	10.00
Baker Bros., material	33.13
Apr. 25. Richard Hammond, Police	70.00
May 3. Robert Brundage, Jury List	1.00
10. M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00
15. John Common, P. M. envelopes	16.92
News Printing House, printing	79.50
C. H. Watson, clock	20.51
P. W. Richardson, postage	1.37
June 1. M. F. Wyckoff, Police	51.50
Williams Law Book Co. tax receipts books	13.00
American La-Prance Fire Engine Co., material	15.00
July 6. Harold Rice, Police	3.34
M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00

Aug. 1. Masonic House Com. rent	30.00
Empire Gas & Fuel Co., gas	32.00
Interest on 1,000 note	.20
3. Empire Gas & Fuel Co. and labor	12.00

Aug. 3. Andover Hook & Ladder Co., fire apparatus	500.00
M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00
Sept. 7. M. F. Wyckoff, Police and labor	52.50
Empire Gas & Fuel Co., gas	8.00

Oct. 5. M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00
Baker Bros. & Boyd material	3.40
Empire Gas & Fuel Co., gas	8.00

Nov. 1. Henry Stephens, insurance	35.00
M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00
R. A. Parker, labor	5.75

Dec. 6. M. F. Wyckoff, Police	50.00
Masonic House Com. rental	25.00
News Printing House, printing	38.25

9. Roy Nichols, express	2.31
Nov. 1. John Common, envelopes	5.96
M. F. Wyckoff, Police	60.00

P. W. Richardson, Clerk	100.00
Joe Hemmer, Police	2.00
Jan. 1. P. W. Richardson, postage	2.96

M. F. Wyckoff, Police	60.00
Roy Nichols, express	2.19
27. C. L. Barley, attorney	75.00

Allagany Mutual Tele. Co., rental	2.25
Williamson Law Book Co., material	13.00

Dynamo Motor Exchange, repair fire alarm	51.00
James Randle, Police	17.50

M. F. Wyckoff, Police	60.00
P. W. Richardson, Clerk	100.00

Total	\$2,067.95
1923 Balance on hand	\$773.52

WATER FUND	
Receipts	
Balance on hand	\$ 989.89
Water Rents	4,082.07
	\$5,071.96

Disbursements	
Mar. 4. W. F. O'Connell, material	\$ 13.72
Empire Gas & Fuel Co., gas well	7.00

P. M. Swink, labor	16.80
J. A. O'Leary, labor	1.55
Charles Caple, labor	2.75

Brundage Drug Co. material	15.65
25. Baker Bros. & Boyd, material	1.99

Apr. 7. Loyde Davis, labor	5.10
Frank Witter, labor	15.60
P. M. Swink, labor	.90

May 3. Frank Ingraham, labor	6.50
George Gleason, labor	.38
Thomas O'Connell, labor	9.08

P. M. Swink, labor	12.25
6. Archie Youmans, labor	14.00
20. Thomas O'Connell, labor	1.50

Frank Ingraham, labor	4.58
P. M. Swink, labor	1.75
June 1. E. C. Langworthy, labor and material	66.20

10. A. L. Youmans, labor	10.80
Ernest Witter, labor	1.73
22. P. M. Swink, labor	6.00
Diece Cartwright, labor	1.50

William Jenkins, labor	1.50
July 6. P. M. Swink, labor	1.50
Aug. 1. L. P. Crandall, labor	2.70

Elmer Bixby, labor	5.40
Aug. 1. Elmer Coats, labor	4.59
P. M. Swink, labor	24.45

William Jenkins, labor	1.03
3. Horan Hardware Co., material	11.38
Sept. 7. P. M. Swink, labor	1.90

J. A. O'Leary, labor	34.65
23. Baker Bros. & Boyd, material	7.05
Oct. 5. Thomas O'Connell, labor	14.00

P. M. Swink, labor	636.00
10. Mabel Grenolds, bonds and interest	424.00
P. C. Vars, bonds and interest	48.00

Mabel Grenolds, interest	48.00
F. C. Vars, interest	48.00
Grace Cheesman, interest	12.00

Jeff Hunt, interest	48.00
J. F. & L. R. Hunt, interest	60.00
Nov. 1. A. L. Youmans, labor	30.65

B. Youmans, labor	1.23
P. M. Swink, labor	14.70
Thomas O'Connell, labor	2.85

Charles Rogers, labor	6.60
C. E. Hann, labor	.68
Ransome Monroe, labor	1.50

Diece Cartwright, labor	.75
Nov. 15. John Common, P. M. envelopes	5.86
Dec. 4. P. M. Swink, labor	29.40

6. Charles Rogers, labor	5.40
Leroy Brundage, labor	10.80
Thomas O'Connell, labor	17.40

15. Village of Wellsville, labor and material	49.50
Jan. 4. Charles Rogers, labor	31.15
Thomas O'Connell, labor	6.90

Baker Bros. & Boyd, labor	2.33
E. C. Langworthy, labor and material	44.25
Feb. 1. Jerry Updyke, labor	.60

D. Cartwright, labor	1.20
Leroy Brundage, labor	9.60
Thomas O'Connell, labor	27.30

Charles Rogers, labor	21.00
P. M. Swink, labor	12.00
Kirk Ruger, labor	4.00

Empire Gas Co., labor	16.00
Elmer Bixby	2.00
Reed Cooper	3.00

27. John Lever, rigs	95.51
Horan Hardware Co., material	.40
P. M. Swink, labor	20.30

Chas. Rogers, labor	1.20
Thos. O'Connell, labor	8.10
Frank Kemp, labor	1.50

Roy Brundage, labor	3.60
Total	\$2,063.65
1923 Balance on hand	\$3,008.31

HIGHWAY FUND	
Receipts	
Balance on hand	\$ 328.30

Andover State Bank Note	1,000.00
Sale of dirt	50.35
V. Slocum, Col.	4,791.71

Lights for Village of Allmond	60.00
Total	\$6,230.36

Disbursements	
Mar. 4. W. F. O'Connell, material	9.22
A. Wagner, labor	3.75

Ralph Burgett, labor	2.10
Thomas O'Connell, labor	3.30
Empire Gas Co., labor	8.00

25. Arthur Potter, teaming	1.98
Brundage Drug Co., material	1.56
Ralph Burgett, labor	1.50

P. M. Swink, labor	27.20
Arthur Potter, teaming	1.95
Thomas O'Connell, labor	6.00

F. I. Witter, labor	3.53
Baker Bros. & Boyd, material	3.70

ANDOVER GRANGE

The Andover Grange will hold a regular meeting Wednesday evening, March 14th.

The first and second degrees will be conferred on a large class of candidates. It is hoped that all expecting to take these degrees will be present for the work.

On account of illness the Lecturer has been unable to attend to the program for several meetings, but expects to be present on this occasion and will try to have something interesting for all.

Come and help.

LECTURER.

LIKES THE NEWS

The following letter speaks for itself:

371. East 207th St.,

N. Y. City, March 1, 1923.

J. H. Backus & Son, Props. Andover News, Andover, N. Y.

Dear Messrs Backus: Enclosed find \$2.00 for subscription 1923; you publish an excellent paper, and the stories of travel in this and other lands are more interesting and human than those of the metropolitan dailies and weeklies.

Yours,

ADRIAN LAFORGE,

Diece Cartwright, labor	7.80
J. Blodgett, teaming	14.85
Thomas O'Connell, labor	1.50

Paul Connors, labor	1.50
Walter Davis, labor	1.50
P. M. Swink, labor	34.65

Park Rogers, teaming	28.50
22. P. M. Swink, labor	18.45
Jett Blodgett, teaming	29.25

Diece Cartwright, labor	9.75
William Jenkins, labor	1.95
July 6. P. M. Swink, labor	27.45

William Chase, labor	1.20
Jett Blodgett, teaming	17.50
William Jenkins, labor	1.05

Diece Cartwright, labor	7.88
12. P. M. Swink, labor	17.83
Aug. 1. Ransome Monroe, labor	1.20

Jett Blodgett, teaming	3.90
P. M. Swink, labor	62.31
3. Horan Hardware, material	12.40

19. Allegany County Treas., maintenance tax	212.61
Sept. 1. Andover State Bank bonds and interest	430.64

Sarah Dones, bonds	511.25
Mabel R. Bundy, interest	30.21
Sophie Brundage, interest	11.25

5. Erie R. R. Co. freight	33.00
7. P. M. Swink, labor	42.70
Jett Blodgett, labor	2.70

Harry Kemp, labor	.50
William Jenkins, labor	8.25
9. M. S. Jamison, pay-roll	153.93

Oct. 4. Erie R. R. Co. freight	22.08
5. Baker Bros. & Boyd, material	1.80
William Jenkins, labor	1.88

Thomas O'Connell, labor	16.80
P. M. Swink, labor	38.15
Nov. 1. Leonard Clair, sand	35.93

date	12.20
Empire Gas Co., gas	8.00
B. Youmans, labor	2.40

P. M. Swink, labor	58.10
Thomas O'Connell, labor	12.15
Charles Rogers, labor	9.30

Jett Blodgett, teaming	16.80
Ransome Monroe, labor	3.60
4. Empire Gas Co., gas	8.00

Andover Heading Co., material	2.90
Dec. 6. Thomas O'Connell, labor	13.50
Ransome Monroe, labor	8.70

Charles Rogers, labor	13.50
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THE STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT WANT EXPERIENCE

Men Appointed as Foremen and Patrolmen Must Have Years Experience

Col. Fred'k Stuart Greene, State Commissioner of Highways, has issued an order to all division engineers in the Highway Department to the effect that men appointed foremen of large state-owned truck gangs or smaller maintenance gangs must have had at least one season's experience in road-building or road repair work.

In his order to the division engineers Commissioner Greene says: "In organizing your maintenance forces for the coming season, bear in mind that efficiency in the field must be the first consideration."

"In order to secure this efficiency, I deem it necessary that no man be appointed a foreman, either on our large state-owned truck gangs or on the smaller maintenance gangs, who has not had at least one season's experience in actual road building or road repair work. It is not necessary for this