

# The Andover News

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OUR KEYNOTE:

"If There is not a Way, Cut a Way."

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## DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION

County

For Member of Assembly

EDDY C. GILBERT

For District Attorney

WALTER N. RENWICK

For County Treasurer

ALEXANDER B. ROBERTSON

Town

For Supervisor

JOSEPH L. WILLIAMS

For Town Clerk

LEO DE REMER

For Justice of the Peace (4 years)

GRANT SHERWOOD

For Justice of the Peace (2 years)

WILLIAM F. O'CONNELL

For Collector

MRS. EDITH CHEESMAN

For Assessor (4 years)

H. EMMIT ROBINSON

For Assessor (2 years)

HENRY JOYCE

For Superintendent of Highways

EARL HOWLAND

## PASSING THE BUCK

PASSING the buck is a great game that is being worked to a frazzle, especially in the enforcement of the booze law.

Washington passes the buck to the states, and the states toss it back to Washington. Prosecuting attorneys are convinced that its enforcement is the duty of the police, and the police have a holy horror of depriving the prosecutors of that exquisite pleasure. Even many judges on the bench view it with aversion because they do not know which way the wind will blow at the next election.

In the meantime if you want to go anywhere and your car balks all you have to do is to get a boat and paddle along in the sea of booze.

## CLEAN UP

SINCE the advent of fall you have, we presume, been doing considerable cleaning up around the home premises. It's the natural thing to do, and most people do it.

But why stop at the home premises? Why can we not have the vacant lots and the alleyways and the byways generally cleaned of the refuse that collects from one year to another?

It is rather discouraging to view your own place, spick, span and fresh, and then gaze upon an alley that resembles the days of cave men.

We admit that what is everybody's business is nobody's business but we insist that America has become great within a short space of time because its citizens have proven themselves capable of coping with every emergency, of taking advantage of every opportunity.

That capability should be extended to giving the town a complete cleanup as often as required, instead of merely in spots.

This town is well supplied with citizens who are capable of "doing things."

Why not have them done?

Nothing doing in his town, you say? Then it is time for you to start something. You are just as much a citizen of this town as is anyone else. It is just as much your duty to start something as it is the duty of any other citizen. You are just as much responsible for "nothing doing" as are your friends and neighbors. Take the shot home and think it over. After it has sunk in something else may pop out — and then there will be something doing in town.

There's a perfectly good reason why others do not always think as you do. Your brains are not in their heads.

## The Election of November 6th.

Not only is the political pot boiling at a rapid rate in Andover this week, but it is slopping all over, mixing things up badly, especially in the ranks of the G. O. P.

Despite the anxiety and strenuous efforts of the leaders of the Republican party, their work is bearing little fruit in the way of harmonizing matters. If we can place any confidence in what the voters are saying, and thinking, party ties are to be smashed to smithereens next Tuesday when the voters are set loose behind the curtains of our voting machines.

The voters this year, when it is a matter only of local officers are caring much more about the men than they are about the party. They seemingly are getting tired of being lead up to the ballot box by the ear, and commanded to vote as they are told, by the party leaders.

One "old-timer" expressed it this way to the writer recently. "They can lead a horse to water, but they will find they can't make him drink."

The Democratic party was especially wise in the choice of candidates this year, seemingly for just such an occasion. If there ever was a time when the Democratic electors had a just right to be proud of their ticket, it is this year. From top to bottom, from Assemblyman to Constables the nominees are all clean, capable men, men highly qualified for the positions to which they have been nominated, men who will sacrifice in order to serve their constituency when elected.

Eddie C. Gilbert of Rushford, candidate for member of the Assembly, is an able business man, with a clean record of honesty and sincerity. A man well liked by his neighbors and contemporaries, ever alert to the best interest of his fellow citizens. Mr. Gilbert is just the type of man who would grace our state assembly, and become a power for good in the state legislature. If elected he will be a credit to the old county of Allegany. Vote for Eddie C. Gilbert for member.

Alexander B. Robertson of Wellsville, candidate for County Treasurer is a man of known ability, honesty and integrity. He is one of the trusted employees of one of Allegany County's leading banking institutions. That the funds of the county entrusted to him would be ably cared for and wisely protected, even his opponents would readily admit.

Vote for Alexander B. Robertson for County Treasurer next Tuesday and you will never have cause to regret it.

Joseph L. Williams, the Democratic nominee for Supervisor of the Town of Andover, is a man whom we all know, and admire. Fortunate indeed will be the people of any township if their affairs are administered by so capable and honorable a man as Mr. Williams. It truly is good fortune to Andover people that "Joe" Williams has consented to accept this position. He has been identified with Andover and its interests his entire life, at one time conducting one of our merchandise establishments. In the past he has dipped deep in his pocket when it was necessary to advance Andover's industrial interests. No man has shown greater faith in his own home town than J. L. Williams. At times when Andover needed buildings he produced them.

Mr. Williams is not and never has been a politician. While his political preference has been that of the Democratic persuasion he has consistently worked for Andover and her interests, regardless of party. He is not a man who would in any way lend his influence to take from Andover people that which justly belongs to them, even tho all the politicians in the county insisted upon his so doing. His name has never appeared on any petitions detrimental to the best interests of Andover people.

Mr. Williams is a successful business man, and will take to the office the same business acumen that has made him a successful business man. He is a man of good judgment and will be a mighty good representative from Andover on the Board of Supervisors.

The especially fine record made by Mrs. Edith Cheesman as Collector of the Town of Andover the past two years, and her pleasing and accomodating ways, justly entitles her to re-election this fall.

The officers all down the Democratic ticket are good people, whom no one needs be ashamed of supporting with their ballots.

Vote, the straight Democratic ticket next Tuesday and you will be acting for you own and the Town of Andover's best interests.

# A Declaration

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What has been accomplished—

What now is being done—and

What the future holds in store will be told from week to week in this paper.

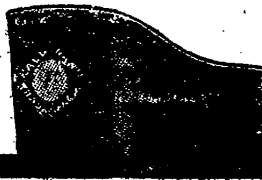
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