PERSONALS

—Miss Genevieve Weed was a Wellsville visitor Monday.

—J. E. Green called on his sister, Mrs. Henry Clark at Belfast, Sunday.

—Mrs. Ella Bundy passed Friday and Saturday at the Guttinger home in Hornell.

—John Lever and J. E. Green attended the lacrosse game at Hornell Saturday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Childs were guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pease at Wellsville.

—Lee Millspaugh was in Whitesville Friday, where he sang at the funeral of Robert Austin.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Boyer were guests of Mrs. Ora St. John and daughter, Doris at Alfred, Sunday.

—Miss Dorothy McLaughlin passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaughlin at Avon.

—Miss Edna Smith, R.N., has been in Andover caring for her mother, Mrs. Fred Smith of Maple street.

—Miss Edna Barrett was a week-end guest at the home of her uncle, Robert Barrett and relatives in Buffalo.

—Mrs. Mary Bunker of Purdy Creek is visiting at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Parker this week.

—Miss Margaret Kelley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley at West Almond, Saturday and Sunday.

—Fred Covile and Mr. Rixford of Stannards were Friday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orris Parker.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Caffery and Miss Ruth Rudman of Greenwood were calling on Miss Alice Clarke, Saturday evening.

—Gleah Butler has returned to Andover and is working at the silk mill preparatory to its opening for full time operation soon.

—Miss Ruth Robinson returned to Orange, N. J., Sunday morning, after passing a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Robinson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stevens and Kenneth Jones of Wellsville were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Youmans and family, Sunday.

—Miss Belle Rice has returned from several months visit with relatives in the west. She is at the home of Mrs. Ella Meredith at present.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCaffery and Miss Ruth Rudman of Greenwood were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McAndrew.

—J. C. Lever and R. O. Snyder represented the Andover National Bank at the Allegany County Bankers Association meeting held at Fillmore Friday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ruger and Mrs. A. L. Jones motored to Alfred Station Monday night where they enjoyed a birthday dinner in honor of their brother, Lorenzo Slocum.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutherland and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Connors, daughter, Virginia and son Billy, were callers Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles at Shovel Hollow.

—Miss Edna Youmans attended the two services and Sunday School at the Calvary Baptist church at Wellsville on Sunday last. She also was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Nichols and Mrs. Joseph Walden.

—Mrs. Hattie Eggleston returned home from Cuba Wednesday where she has been nursing Mrs. Donald Wilkinson. Andover friends of Mrs. Wilkinson will be pleased to learn that she is greatly improved in health.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin Mee and children of Rochester were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Sunday. Mr. Mee returned home that day and Mrs. Mee and children remained for a visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wereley motored to Hornell Sunday evening where they called at the home of Mrs. Wereley's mother, Mrs. Rose Snyder. Mrs. Wereley remained for a visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Sutherland and daughter, Betty, of Richburg spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobles of Shovel Hollow. Miss Alice Nobles who has been visiting at Richburg returned home with them.

—President A. D. Fuller of the Andover National Bank and wife, started Monday for a few week's vacation in Florida. It was just a year ago that they started for the South and were called home by the bank holiday before they reached their destination.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick and daughter, Phyllis and Ames Rogers were in Belfast Monday, in attendance at a meeting of the Dairymen's League. The meeting featured an address by Mr. Seeley, director of Steuben county. They report an especially good meeting.

—Mrs. Michael Folsing is passing a few days in Elmira with her daughter, Miss Margaret Folsing, who underwent a major operation on her throat Saturday at the Arnot-Ogden hospital in that city. The many Andover friends of Miss Folsing are pleased to learn that she is gaining satisfactory.

—Mrs. J. E. Green visited friends in Olean several days last week.

—Mr. Oldsman of Hornell spent the week-end guest of Mrs. Hester Green.

—Miss Margaret Beman spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Ellicottville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Childs spent Sunday in Canisteo with his mother, Mrs. Elnora Childs.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stisser of Lyndonville, N. Y., visited at the Presbyterian manse the first of the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Gilfillan were business callers in Sabinsville, Pa., Sunday.

—Mrs. Lee Millspaugh has been in Wellsville several days this week caring for a niece, Mrs. Babcock, who is ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Randall were guests of Judge and Mrs. Edwin Brown of Cohocton for the week-end.

—Miss Bernice Rogers and Franklin Hurd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Childs and family over the week-end.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bohne of Wellsville were supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Slocum Saturday night.

—Mrs. Frank Foster returned Saturday to her home at Elm Valley after caring for her mother who is ill at Pittsford, Pa.

—Prof. and Mrs. Robert Hardy and children passed the day Sunday with Mr. Hardy's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Hardy at Belmont.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rogers were calling at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robbins at North Bingham, Sunday.

—Miss Mary Lynch of Wellsville visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Smith over the week-end. Mrs. Smith, who has been ill, is reported as improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wereley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Avery at Elm Valley, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nottingham and daughter, Reta, motored to Wellsville Friday night where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pflager.

—Mrs. Carrie Loughlen is visiting at the Guttinger home in Hornell this week, where her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Guttinger and son Jacque returned Sunday from France.

—Mrs. Margaret Cable returned Wednesday from Kenmore where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. K. J. Bennion who underwent an operation. Mrs. Bennion is now gaining nicely

Solutions of dyes can be used to measure the part of ultraviolet rays which make the skin red in sunburn.

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Juvenile Grange Notes

At the regular meeting of the Juvenile Grange, the following program was given:

Opening song, "Gymnastic Relief Song," by Juveniles.

Recitation, "Our Clock," Jane Burdick.

Reading, "George Washington," by Fern Holroyd.

Story, "Life of Washington," Carol Burdick.

Dialogue form, "Red White and Blue," by Louise Burdick, Kathleen Howland and Doris Mead.

Recitation, "Story Book of Travels," by Dorothy Lever.

Recitation, "The Rig," by Donald Northrup.

Song, by Dewey Northrup.

Guessing games, given by the lecturer to the Juveniles.

Recitation, "Hats Off, the Flag is Passing By," Jean Northrup.

Reading, "Mrs. Piper," Marjory Nawol.

Recitation, "Old Ironsides," Louis Dodge.

A number of songs were sung at the close of the program by several of the smaller Juveniles.

Next time there will be initiation when Jean Backus and Bernadine Briggs will become regular members

Conducted Services in Wellsville Church

Mrs. John Wetzel, having the services at the Calvary Baptist church at Wellsville last Sunday evening, Feb. 25th, chose as her subject "The Lamb of God Who Taketh Away the Sins of the World." Those attending the service from Andover were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Baker, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Millspaugh, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pope and daughter Helen and Miss Edna Youmans.

A quartette from Andover rendered three specials at the service. They were: W. E. Chase, Mr. Millspaugh, Roger Baker and Mr. Wilson.

BITS OF BLARNEY

Contrasts in Allegany county news: Cuba opens a new liquor store and Alfred Station organizes a new Women's Christian Temperance Union. The eternal (?) struggle over the dangerous bottle.

This reduction of CWA workers exposes the finances and family matters of many an Allegany county home to the cold and pitiless gaze of the committees which must say "go" and "stay." And some information is sure to sift thru to the public. To a man on the welfare his home is not his castle in several senses.

Pike, Wyoming county, is up against it when it comes to thawing frozen water mains with electricity as most other villages now find it necessary to do. Its distribution pipes are of wood.

Editor Bristol of the Belfast Blaze suggests a Grunt and Groan Club there. Better make it a Brighten and Boost Bunch.

They had traffic regulations 40 years ago in old York State. There was a law to enforce the use of bells with a cutter or sleigh.

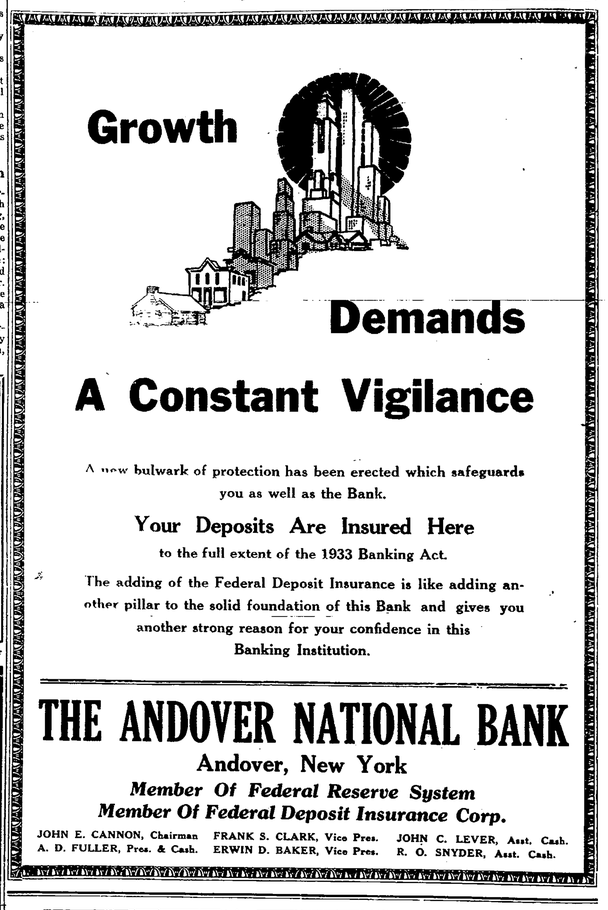
With hundreds of farmers cutting wood, the usual crop of accidents from falling trees have resulted. No fatalities in the county to date, so far as the writer knows.

We thought so. Just as cold before in Allegany county as it was Feb. 9th. Mrs. Jessie Lewis, Abbotts, near Cuba, recals well from coming home from an Olean hospital on Feb. 19, 1914, that it fell to 40 below zero that night. The mercury continued for three weeks to stay around the zero mark and frequently fell to 20 or 30 below. Ouch!

Friendship's gas meter reader (meet 'er in the cellar) says February has been a mighty good month for the gas company.

They say there's nothing new under the sun. But Editor Peirson of the Belmont Dispatch came near coining a new judicial term in a heading last week when he dubbed County Court "Junior" Court. Until they read the article it kept some county seat frequenters guessing.

A clean rubber sponge is better than a brush for dark woolens.



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½ barrel	$2.99
PURE LARD, 4 lbs.	29c
RED CIRCLE COFFEE, lb.	19c
KIRKMAN'S SOAP, 4 bars	15c
SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 for	21c
White House EVAPORATED MILK, 3 tall cans	17c
SUNBRITE CLEANSER, 3 for	13c
Bananas, 5 lbs.	25c
Strawberries, quart	23c
ONIONS, 5 lb. bag	23c
ICEBERG LETTUCE, 2 for	15c
FRESH FISH – 2 lbs.	27c

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MARCH HATH XXXI. DAYS
Mars is supposed to rule this month. Birthstones: Bloodstones and Aquamarines.

ANDOVER NEWS

MARCH 9, 1934
Sun rises 6:35a.m. Sets 6:18p.m.
Day's length 11 hrs. 37 min.
Moon rises 2:44 a. m.

A PROGRESSIVE FAMILY NEWSPAPER FOR ALLEGANY COUNTY PEOPLE, IN POLITICS INDEPENDENT BUT NEVER NEUTRAL.

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REV. F. M. BAKER'S SOCIAL SERVICE

Former Andover Methodist Pastor Busy as Regional Secretary of "Goodwill Industries."

More than 16 years ago a Methodist minister was called from the pastorate of the Lovejoy Street Methodist church, Buffalo, to assume charge of Cleveland's newest social service venture, a service of reclamation of used and contributed goods of all sorts by aged and handicapped unemployed persons.

That minister, Rev. Frank M. Baker, has remained at the helm of the Cleveland Goodwill Industries since Nov. 1, 1917, watching it grow from a volunteer beginning under the industrial committee of the Cleveland Deaconess Board to a city-wide institution with a budget of more than $77,000 in 1933.

Rev. Mr. Baker grew up in Providence and still carries with him a trace of New England accent. He was graduated from Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., in 1903. After serving for six years as a pastor in the Vermont Methodist Conference he attended Boston University Theological School.

Helped Organize Young People

With this background he was familiar with the ideas of Dr. E. J. Helms, founder of the Goodwill Industries, and the original experiment in Morgan Memorial, Boston. He was also active in the organization of young people's institutes while in New England.

After seminary days he became a member of the Genesee Methodist Conference and served churches at Whitesville, N. Y., and at Andover, N. Y., before going to Buffalo. He was a member of the Genesee Conference Male Quartet which gave concerts in western New York and sang before sessions of the Methodist General Conference.

The call to Cleveland came from an interdenominational committee headed by Bishop Ernest L. Waldorf, then pastor of First Methodist church. A small work had been carried on for a year in the garage of the old Glidden home at Euclid and Avenue S. E., and E. 55th street. Mrs. A. J. Scaife, who had charge of first efforts, is now chairman of the Goodwill Women's Auxiliary.

Cleveland was one of 23 cities to be organized about the same time, based upon the success in Boston. During the war the work was moved to the old Goodrich House at St. Clair Avenue N. E. and E. 6th street. The present site at 2416 E. 9th street was purchased in July, 1920.

Housed in Home of Reds

The building is the old Germania Hall, or Acme Hall, which has a colorful history. It was the home of Cleveland's post-war Reds. In its assembly hall Eugene V. Debs made an anti-war speech. It is said to have been the scene of the planning of Cleveland's famous May Day riots of 1919.

The old hall was turned into a gymnasium and became the center of an organized work for children and the Harmarket and Orange Avenue "gangs." Rev. Mr. Baker points with pride to several members of these groups who are now college graduates.

Other portions of the building were equipped for the reclamation of clothing, furniture, household goods and miscellaneous articles discarded and contributed by Cleveland homes. A Goodwill store is maintained for the sale of goods at cost of reclamation. The work is done wholly by crippled, aged and needy persons. Regular religious services are a part of the general program.

In a reorganization of similar organizations last year into the National Bureau of Goodwill Industries Rev. Mr. Baker became a regional secretary in charge of about 20 branches in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.

Out of its budget of $77,305 last year, $43,076 was paid in wages by the local branch. Twelve thousand dollars was contributed by the Community Fund. Dr. J. W. Griffin, former minister of First United Presbyterian church and a friend of the work since its inception, is president.

One of Rev. Mr. Baker's sons, Warren, is associated with him as assistant superintendent. Kenneth, another son, is a graduate student at Ohio State University. Mrs. Ruth Soby, a daughter, lives at Columbia, Mo. Josephine, a second daughter, is a senior at Baldwin-Wallace College. The family home is at 1464 E. 111th street.

Miss O'Leary Ill

Miss Anna O'Leary was stricken seriously ill Saturday night at the O'Leary home on Dyke street. Two nurses, the Misses Virginia and Helen Dean are caring for her.

Make 1,500 Garments

More than 1,600 garments have been made by women home seamstresses working on the CWA Allegany county project. Fifteen women have done the work in their homes at a rate of 40 cents per hour, using materials provided by the county welfare departments.

The garments will be distributed thru county welfare departments to needy persons in families, among Old Age Security recipients, to children in boarding homes, to members of the county home at Angelica, for use as baby clothing, etc.

VERDICT GIVEN TO ARLING BRIGGS

Against the Defendant. The Judge Directs Verdict by the Jury of No Cause of Action by the Defendant.

On the first day of March, 1933, Laverne Woolever, as committee of the person and property of Ruth Mead Wood, an incompetent, of Hornell, N. Y., brought an action against Arling Briggs and Gertrude Briggs of Andover, as defendants in Supreme Court of Steuben county, on a note of $150 which Mr. and Mrs. Briggs claimed had been paid, and after the action was brought, Mrs. Briggs died.

During the last illness and burial of Mrs. Briggs, all receipts were mislaid or lost which made it very difficult for Mr. Briggs to prove the various items of payment, especially because he was prevented from testifying as to a personal transaction between him and Ruth Mead Wood while competent, as against her committee after she became incompetent.

After passing thru several terms of court, it finally came to trial last Thursday, at which both sides presented their proof before a jury, and after the defendant had sworn his last witness, the plaintiff's attorney admitted defeat and summoned the presiding judge and the attorney for the defendant for a conference in the judge's chambers, at which the plaintiff's attorney admitted liability for costs but sought leniency in the matter of costs because of the condition of his client's incompetency and the fact that she had several small children to support, which resulted in the defendant offering to reduce the costs which the plaintiff would be required to pay to $75, whereupon the judge directed a verdict by the jury of no cause of action as against the defendant.

The attorneys of record were Simpson, Austin & Nortin of Hornell for the plaintiff, and Crayton L. Earley of Andover, attorney for the defendant.

WAGES FOR CWA WORKERS REDUCED

County Civil Works Committee Submit New Wage Scale to State Authorities for Approval.

Belmont, Mar. 6.—A new scale of wages for CWA workmen was today drawn up by the Allegany County Civil Works committee in Belmont, with reductions listed in 17 of the 18 classifications. The new scale will be presented to the State CWA officials for approval.

The list reduces the pay of laborers from 50 to 40 cents per hour, and likewise lowers the rate paid to superintendents, foremen, engineers and all other workers with the exception of shovel operators. Pay for this type of labor has been increased from 65 to 70 cents per hour.

A table showing the present and new wage classifications is given below:

Superintendents	$1.20	$1.00
Foremen	1.20	.90
Straw bosses	.80	.60
Engineers	1.20	1.00
Asst. Engineers	.62½	.60
Painters	1.20	.90
Carpenters	1.20	.90
Masons	1.20	.90
Plumbers	1.20	.90
Electricians	1.20	.80
Machinists	1.20	.80
Timekeepers	.75	.60
Chauffeurs	.65	.50
Tractor Operators	.65	.50
Shovel Operators	.65	.70
Grader operators	.65	.50
Laborers	.50	.40
Safety Inspectors	.70	.60

The new schedule becomes effective March 9th if approved by state officials, and will continue until May 1st, unless changes by the State CWA administration. Members of the committee at the meeting today included William MacKenzie, chairman; Harry Craig, E. J. Rowe, J. N. Thompson, I. G. Howe, and Frank Gere.

SHORTER HOURS AND HIGHER WAGES

President Roosevelt Reviews Year's Work and Says the N. R. A. Must be Permanent.

Washington, Mar. 5.—President Roosevelt presented today to the assembled NRA code authorities a summons for further reduction of working hours as a means to spread employment.

"I give to industry today this challenge," he said to the industrial leaders gathered in Constitutional Hall, "it is the immediate task of industry to re-employ more people at purchasing wages and do it now."

"Only thus can we continue recovery and restore the balance. It is worth while keeping in the front of our heads the thought that people in this country whose incomes are less than $2,000 a year buy more than two-thirds of all the goods sold here. It is logical that if wages, to this group of human beings is steadily increased merchants, employers and investors will in the last long run get more income from the increased volume of sales."

The President said that a year ago today (the day after inauguration day) the nation was "suffering and shrinking under economic pressure so intolerable that collapse was at hand. We had arrived at the day to make our choice. We made that choice. The American people responded to the call for action with eager enlistment that in the struggle against ruthless, self-seeking greed and economic anarchy, we undertook by lawful constitutional processes to reorganize a disintegrating system of production and exchange.

"The purpose of the reorganization was not only to bring back prosperity, it was far deeper than tha.. The reorganization must be permanent for all the rest of our lives in that never again will we permit the social conditions which permitted the vast portion of our population to exist in a state of poverty which permitted a mal distribution of wealth and power."

In conclusion, Mr. Roosevelt said: "The willingness of all elements to enter into the spirit of the new deal becomes more and not less evident as it goes on. As an example, I have just received a telegram from Francis M. Law, the president of the American Bankers Association. In it he said: 'On this, your first anniversary, please allow me in behalf of the country's banks to express full confidence and sincere desire to cooperate in your courageous efforts to bring about recovery. The banking structure of the country is sound and liquid and banks have never been in such a good position to function.'

"Look back one year ago today. You know where the banks stood, you know where our business stood. That telegram is living illustration of progress we have made. Let us consolidate our gain and let us resolve that consolidation shall be for continued prosperity and greater happiness of the American people."

Coleman — Bova

Thursday evening, March 1, 1934 the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther G. Coleman of Elm Valley, was the scene of a pretty wedding, when the marriage of their daughter, Miss Neva Mae Coleman to Herbert William Bova of Duke Center, Pa., was solemnized in the presence of a company of 25 immediate relatives.

The Rev. W. L. Greene, D.D., pastor of the Andover Seventh Day Baptist church performed the ring ceremony.

The Misses Dorothy and Doris Coleman, twin sisters of the bride, were the attendants.

The bride was daintily attired in a gown of Alice blue silk crepe, with white silk trimmings.

The Misses Coleman were gowned in salmon pink silk crepe with white trimmings.

A wedding dinner was served after the ceremony. Following the reception and dinner Mr. and Mrs. Bova motored to Eldred, Pa., where their home, furnished ready for occupancy awaited them.

Mr. Bova is employed in the oil fields in that vicinity. Miss Coleman had passed much of the time, with her sister at Duke Center for the past four years.

The News extends hearty congratulations and best wishes.

Father Gerlach Director of Charity Appeal

Father Timothy J. King, of Our Lady of the Angels Parish of Cuba and Father Herman J. Gerlach of Blessed Sacrament parish have received appointment as directors of the 11th Catholic Charities Appeal in Allegany county. The campaign will begin March 18th.

Many cooks prefer brown sugar for dark cakes or for fruit cake.

WOULD IMPROVE HOME GROUNDS

Those Who Have Made Entries in the 1934 Improvement Contest in Allegany County.

The 40 entries of Allegany County home owners in the 1934 home grounds improvement contest are busily turning over in their minds plans for the beautification of buildings, roads, walks, trees, shrubs, flower beds, etc. Two plans, one showing existing conditions, the second proposed improvements, or pictures of grounds before and after the work is done, or both, have to be submitted. Before the contest ends September 1 a written description of the work completed, list of plants used, etc., must be sent to the committee in charge. Judging will be done before October 15.

As told last week the contest is being sponsored by the Farm and Home Bureaus and the American Agriculturist.

The entries from 18 villages or towns are as follows:

Arkport—Loren Ellis, R. D. 2.

Alfred—L. W. Robinson

Almond—Raymond Hanks, Mrs. I. D. Karr.

Angelica—Charles P. Gibson

Andover—Mrs. Walter L. Greene, Mrs. William A. Lang, Mrs. R. A. Clarke.

Belfast—C. J. Davis

Belmont—Mrs. Carl Steenrod, Mrs. Harry T. McNinch, Mrs. Lena Francisco

Black Creek Mrs. Leah M. Williams.

Bolivar—Mrs. Edgar Cowles, Mrs. E. J. Phillips.

Canaseraga—Mrs. Inan Craig, Grace C. Scott, Elizabeth Gould.

Cancadea Mrs Hugh Chamberlain.

Cuba—Olive R Swift, Mrs. Anthony Subject.

Fillmore Mrs. Charles Engle, Mrs. Mable S. Mills.

Friendship—Anthony Futer, Justin Wells, Cora B Byers.

Houghton—Mrs. LeRoy Fancher, Mrs. F. E. Woolsey, Mrs. W. LaVay Fancher.

Little Genesee—Mrs. M. C. Lamphere, Mrs. R. Sanford

Scio—Mrs. Howard D. Fay Rushford—C. H. Baumont

Wellsville—Mrs. Edgar King, Mrs Paul C. Regan, Mrs. Lester Drake, Mrs. Fred Shean, Mrs. Burret Perkins, A. B. Covel & Son.

Whitesville—Bert Horton.

More New Books In Andover Library

The following new books have been added to the Andover Free Library:

Barnes—Within This Present.
Bassett—Shifting Sands.
Cobb—Murder Day by Day.
Drago—Desert Water.
Galsworthy—Forsyte Saga.
Grey—Hash Knife Outfit.
Hauck—Life, Love and Jeanette.
Kelland—The Cat's Paw.
Kyne—Comrades of the Storm.
Larrimore—Jonathan's Daughter.
Lewis—Work of Art.
Loring—Hilltops Clear.
Lund—Robbery at Portage Bend.
Montgomery—Anne's House of Dreams.
Montgomery—Pat of Silver Bush.
O'Faolain—Nest of Simple Folk.
Parrish—Sea Level.
Rinehart—State vs. Elinor Norton.
Sabatini—Captain Blood.
Seton—Cowboy From Alamos.
Tolstoy—Anna Karenina.
Van Dine—Dragon Murder Case.
Brazdova—Roman Roundabout.
DeLeeuw—Crossroads of the Java Sea.
Mantle—Best Plays of 1932-1933.
Peart—Tia Barbarita.
Sandburg—Abraham Lincoln.
Villiers—By Way of Cape Horn.
Alcott—Little Women.
Abbott—Dicket.
Bianco—Hurdy-Gurdy Man.
Brown—Bozo, the Woodchuck.
Heyliger—Ritchie of the News.
Irving—Rip Van Winkle.

Dr. Clarence Hardy Is Transferred

In accordance with army orders of February 7th, issued by the War Department, Clarence W. Hardy, U. S. Medical Corps, has been ordered from Panama to Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

Dr. Hardy, who is the brother of Harold D. Hardy of Andover, is leaving a three year assignment at Gorgas hospital where his work has been that of advanced general surgery.

Together with his wife and small son, David, Dr. Hardy arrived in New York City last week aboard the army transport, "Chateau Thierry." After a short stop in Rutherford and Trenton, N. J., they are proceeding to Hutchinson, Kansas, for a short stay before reporting to his new post at Fort Oglethorpe.

Silk Mill Starts

The Andover silk mills are starting this week, getting machines and equipment ready to begin operations. Nearly 30 people are now "on the job," and things look bright for an early resumption of normal activities at Andover's largest industry.

MARK GRAVES HITS 2% SALES TAX

It Taxes the Poor Higher Than it Does the Rich and Drives Business Out of the State.

Albany, Feb. 27.—"Enactment of the proposed 2% tax on sales and service will, in my opinion, defer constructive action on reorganization of local government and will help to continue present extravagant methods," Mark Graves, Commissioner of Taxation and Finauce, declared today.

Addressing a meeting of the Kiwanis Club which was attended by representatives of the city's business interests, Commissioner Graves delivered a hard blow at the sales tax plan.

"The demand for this measure emphasizes the need—first, for reorganizing and simplifying local government in the state, and second, the development of a more effective means of controlling municipal budgets and limiting the amount of debts which municipalities may incur," the speaker declared. "For the State to levy, collect and give to the municipalities the huge sum of $100,000,000 or more yearly will certainly not correct the extravagance which has occasioned the present situation. Instead of reducing local governmental costs it will provide still more money to be spent in our cities, towns and villages."

At 2% gross receipts tax on the sales of both commodities and service is a very high tax whether the seller or the buyer pays it, in the opinion of the state official. If it is passed on to the consumer the cost of living is increased by just that amount, he pointed out.

"This means that one's food and clothing, as well as medical and all other living expense bills will be increased by two per cent." he declared. "If, and to the extent that it is not passed on, it becomes a gross receipts tax on the seller. A two per cent. income tax is not a high tax, but a two per cent. tax on gross receipts is very high because it does not permit any deduction based on the cost of merchandise or on the cost of doing business."

"State sales taxation is not measured by the individual's ability to pay," Commissioner Graves said. "It taxes the poor relatively higher than the rich. It drives business out of the state and because it is difficult to pass the tax on, it will cause business failures. The larger business establishments—carrying a great variety of articles at varying high and low prices can pass the tax on in the aggregate much more easily than can the smaller establishments. It is these smaller business firms which will suffer to the greatest degree."

Poor financial planning in the past is demonstrated by the current demand for this measure in the opinion of Commissioner Graves. He pointed particularly to a statement of its advocates that many of our municipalities will be bankrupt if this tax is not enacted.

"This situation implies that in establishing a high scale of operating expenses and incurring tremendous debts, our municipalities have not taken into account their ability to maintain that scale of costs or their ability to pay their debts," he declared.

Mr. Graves cited the results achieved in the past three years by the State of New York. He pointed out that in 1931 President Roosevelt, then Governor Roosevelt, realized the necessity of reducing the tax budget of this state. His last budget and the two budgets prepared by Governor Lehman reduced in the aggregate by more than $180,000,000 during the three year period, the tax budget of New York State, or an average of more than $60,000,000 annually, the speaker showed.

"Municipalities show no such record," Commissioner Graves declared. "It is appreciated that some of them have done good jobs with their budgets, but taking it by and large, their record is not good. Had all the municipalities been as zealous in reducing governmental costs as has the State of New York, this demand that the State levy, collect and give them this tremendous sum would be unnecessary."

After laundering a slip cover, replace it on the chair while it is still damp, to prevent shrinkage. Smooth it into shape on the chair with a hot hon.

CONSIDER COUNTY HOME BETTERMENT

Board of Supervisors Appoint Committee to Investigate Need of New Residence for Commissioner.

Consideration of erection of a residence at the Angelica county home for the commissioner of public welfare and more adequate accomodations for men in the home were before Tuesday's meeting of the board of supervisors.

Chairman Gere was authorized to name a committee of five, two of whom shall be from the charities committee, to consider the advisability of such a residence, the location, type of structure, cost,etc. He did not announce his selections at Tuesday's session, adjourned at 4:30 p. m., until 10 a. m. Wednesday as all committees were not able to report on Tuesday.

A voluminous report by Inspector William L. Chase of the state department of social welfare, who looked over the home January 22, 1834, was read. It recommended more adequate men's accomodations and employment of a practical nurse. The report was filed. It noted some recent changes and improvements, as follows: Interior painting, repairs, electric light sockets, a CWA project; religious services alternate Sundays, a qualified men's attendant employed, weekly baths and bed changes with more bath towels ordered, more linoleum rugs and window drapes ordered for the women's building, small tables in the men's dining room, and dietary improved. The resident staff was regarded as adequate." Male inmates were given as 64, female 19; total 83, where the normal capacity was for 70, emergency capacity 100.

Chairman William H. MacKensie, Belmont, chairman of the CWA county committee, urged grouping of CWA workers under three heads to provide the fairest demobilization of workmen according to their dependants and need, supervisors, welfare agents and superintendents and foremen working in close cooperation.

Resolutions were adopted urging state action for employment on the Rockville and Fillmore railroad crossings ordered by the Public Service Commission. Chairman Gere was authorized to sign a deed for a quarter-acre of unused highway right of way in the town of Alfred, sold to Ira L. Pierce. Notice from the state highway commission of abandonment of a stretch of highway, from Post's Store at Belvidere to the Episcopal church on the Friendship road was received. The town of Amity must now care for the road. Five Alfred residents threaten suit unless settlements are made for highway rights of way on the Andover-Alfred state road.

Clyde W. Collins of Westons Mills, chairman of the executive committee on second class towns of the Association of Towns of New York State, addressed Tuesday afternoon's session at considerable length on the danger of the abolishment of town government in the present legislature and the 1936 constitutional convention. He read the organization's object and urged membership by towns at $25 per year and individuals at $2 per year. The organization is active at Albany after formation early in 1833.

Bills were audited and action taken on the 1934 highway program of the county at Wednesday's session.

Court Approves Milk Price Law

Washington, Mar. 5.—The Supreme Court placed a second judicial prop beneath emergency recovery legislation today, adding to its now historic decision supporting the constitutionality of the Minnesota Mortgage Moratorium Law, a second verdict declaring valid New York statute fixing a minimum price for milk.

As in the Minnesota case, the decision was by the narrow margin of five to four, which has come to be expected on questions involving liberal as opposed to conservative interpretations of the Constitution. Administration leaders, looking forward to possible tests of national emergency laws were elated at the result however close the allignment was.

The decision was handed down by Justice Roberts, with Chief Justice Hughes and Justices Brandeis, Stone and Cardozo forming with him the majority. Justice McReynolds, also speaking for Justices Van Devanter, Sutherland and Butler, delivered an emphatic dissent.

A new farm machine does several jobs at once, combining the work of the spring tooth harrow, the roller and the grain drill.