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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION TAKEN FROM REPORT TO THE COMPTROLLER
October 17th, 1934

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash and Due from Banks	$ 98,972.04	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Government Bonds	35,139.31	Surplus	25,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	129,551.47	Undivided Profits	15,041.27
Loans and Discounts	468,718.67	Reserved for Interest and Taxes	4,131.80
Banking House and Fixtures	6,791.79	Circulation	25,000.00
Redemption Fund	1,250.00	Deposits	572,969.53
Overdrafts	229.18		
Other assets	1,490.14		
	$742,142.60		$742,142.60

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PERSONALS

—Mrs. Satie Graves was calling in Wellsville the last of the week.

—T. K. Regan attended the funeral of P. M. Myles at Salamanca, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fuller passed Sunday and Monday in Buffalo.

—John Burns was in Olean Thursday and Friday, called there by the death and funeral of James J. Riley.

—Miss Dorothea Snyder of New York City was a visitor at the Folsing home from Saturday until Monday.

—Mrs. C. L. Earley, the Misses Teresa and Rita Burns and Edna Barrett were shopping in Buffalo, Monday.

—Mr. Smith and daughter of Monroe, N. Y., are passing the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams.

—Lynn Langworthy of Alfred Station was a caller of his mother, Mrs. Agnes Langworthy, Tuesday afternoon.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Sheppard of Harrison Valley were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stearns, Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Pelton were business callers in Hornell, Monday.

—Dan Farwell and Dr. Robert Common spent the week end in Buffalo.

—Mr. and Mrs. Burr Ruger visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruger at Bath, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt and son Larry of Rochester passed the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parker.

—Supervisor J. L. Williams has been in Belmont this week, attending the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Riley of Wellsville were callers of his sister, Miss Ella Riley at the home of Mrs. Ellen Walsh, Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Ruger and daughter, Lois, passed the week-end in Rochester, guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kibler.

—Mrs. Annis Rennells and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rennells and family of Coudersport, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells and family, Sunday.

—Dewey Northrup, Clifford Burdick, Patrick Hyland, Ames Rogers and John Elster were in Syracuse, Tuesday in attendance at the sessions of the Dairymen's League.

—Mr and Mrs. R. E. Shaff and son Roland were callers of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Jordan at New Hudson Center and also Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jordan at Black Creek, Sunday.

—The Misses Mayme Doran and Margaret Dougherty of Towanda were home over the week-end.

—Mrs. William Burdick of Ashaway, R. I., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nora Crandall at Independence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cole Stallman of Rochester were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond over the week-end.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Joyce and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harkenrider at Rexville.

—Mrs. Nora T. Hackett returned Monday evening from two weeks passed in New York City with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Osborn.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walsh and children and Miss Rose McHale of Wellsville passed Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kilbane.

—Little Miss Marion Smith of Hallsport has been passing the week at the home of her aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bines.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walsh and John Walsh of New Richmond, Wis., were pleasant callers of their aunt, Mrs. Ellen Walsh, Monday afternoon.

—Mrs. John Sharp and mother, Mrs. Augusta Ferry and Curtis Grant of South Lavonia, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Mosher, Sunday.

—Miss Catherine Coryell of Alfred passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Coryell and entertained a few Alfred friends at a 1 o'clock luncheon on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Snyder motored to Hornell Sunday, where they called on their niece, Miss Ruby Swarts, who is ill at the home of Mrs. Snyder's sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Webber.

—Miss Margaret Helen Dower and Dr. and Mrs. Vincent Lajacono of Buffalo and Miss Elizabeth Smith of Murro, N. Y., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch of East Valley.

—Rev. Walter L. Greene attended a Bible School conference at Belfast Monday. Addresses by Dean Wright of Houghton College and Rev. R. E. Lentz of Wellsville were followed by a round table discussion.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hervey S. Thorne and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith motored to Pittsford, Friday night, where they attended the Grange initiation and were overnight and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lincoln at Henrietta. Mr. and Mrs. Thorne were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crump at Pittsford Saturday and week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Parker at Pittsford. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were guests of Mr and Mrs. Harry Lusk at Pittsford Saturday night and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tischner at Rocester Sunday.

(Other Personals on Page Four)

—Mrs. James Guinn spent the day Wednesday in Wellsville.

—Miss Reta Wiles of Cuba passed the week-end with her aunt, Mrs Franc Teasdale.

—Mr and Mrs. Orville Kupp passed the week-end in Rochester, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Phelps.

—Miss Elizabeth Folsing, R.N., returned to Manhasset, Sunday night after passing two weeks at her home here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Matison of Elm Valley attended the funeral of his uncle, Parmer Hotailing at Hornell, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lever of Buffalo visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lever from Friday until Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Palmiter and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Stearns of Hornell were guests of Mr. Stearns parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stearns, Friday.

—Mrs. Walter Greene and Mrs. Harry Smith attended the second clothing meeting of the Home Bureau which was held at the Christian Temple in Wellsville, Thursday.

—Mrs. Hattie Broderick of Hornell and the Misses Frances and Catherine Lenard of Wellsville were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. James Dean of Chestnut street.

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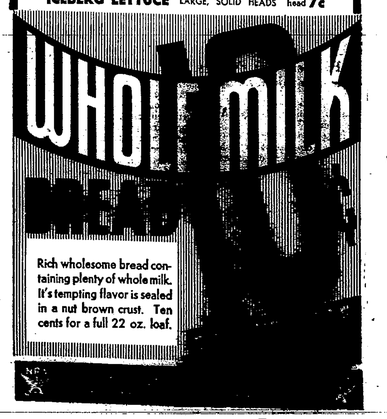
GOLDEN BANTAM CORN	2 No. 2 cans	23c
FANCY WET SHRIMP	2 cans	21c
FLOUR	24½ lb Sack Family or Pastry 98 lb Sack Family $3.35	85c
PEA BEANS	FANCY HAND PICKED lb.	5c
SAUERKRAUT	IONA LONG SHRED 2 No. 2½ cans	19c
SWANS DOWN	BISCUIT FLOUR pkg.	15c
SUGAR	Fine Granulated 10 lbs. 100 lbs. $5.05	51c
EXCEL SODA CRACKERS	N.B.C. 2 lb box	19c
DANDY OYSTER CRACKERS	1 lb box	19c
FAMOUS WAFERS	Choc., Ginger, Sugar lin	29c
CHEESE	MILD CURED DAIRY lb.	15c
WHITEHOUSE MILK	Evaporated 5 tall cans	29c
SEMINOLE TISSUE	Soft, Absorbent 4 rolls	25c
GINGER SNAPS	FRESH BAKED lb.	10c
PEACHES	DEL MONTE Sliced, No. 1 can	11c
OXYDOL	THE COMPLETE HOUSEHOLD SOAP pkg.	21c
LUX TOILET SOAP	4 cakes	23c
P and G SOAP	WHITE NAPHTHA 3 bars	10c
KETCHUP	HEINZ 14 oz. bttle.	18c
HEINZ SOUPS	Except Clam & Consomme 2 cans	25c
HEINZ PLUM PUDDING	15 oz. can	30c
HEINZ BAKED BEANS	2 14 oz. cans	19c
COFFEE	Eight O'clock 2 lbs.	37c
GRAPEFRUIT	THIN-SKINNED, JUICY 6 lge. size	25c
BANANAS	GOLDEN, YELLOW 5 lbs.	25c
APPLES	ROME BEAUTY – Fancy Baking or Eating 5 lbs.	25c
SWEET POTATOES	FINE QUALITY 3 lbs.	10c
ICEBERG LETTUCE	LARGE, SOLID HEADS head	7c



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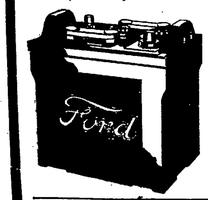

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NOV. HATH XXX. DAYS
The last Thursday in the month is a day of thanksgiving. Birthstone is the Topaz.

ANDOVER NEWS

NOVEMBER 23, 1934
Sun rises 7:19a.m. Sets 4:46p.m.
Day's length 9 hrs., 27 min.
Moon rises 6:38 a. m.

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

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WILL HAVE FAST BASKETBALL TEAM

Ray McGill Sponsoring Fast Quintet, Known as the Triple-X. First Game with Bradford Here Nov. 28.

With the demise of King Football an actual fact, sportlovers of the nation automatically turn to the ace of winter sports—basketball—for their diversion. Allegany county is no different from the rest of the country and this year will be the home of what promises to be one of the fastest-stepping quintets in Western New York, The Triple-X team of Andover.

The Triple-X five, composed of former college and high school basketball stars, will open its season against the powerful Bradford Bicos, long time champions of the northern Pennsylvania belt, on November 28th. The game will be played at Andover High School and tickets may be obtained at McGill's Station in Andover.

Boasting such former college sharpshooters as Fenner, Dickson and Alvord of Alfred; Commons of the University of Buffalo; Cuddabeck of Colgate; Mee of Hamilton and Joyce and Cartwright, the Triple-X presents a formidable aggregation which will be hard to beat.

Their first game opponents, however will be worthy ones. The Bicos, also composed of former high school and college stars, this year have secured the services of Emmett McCarthy, six foot, seven inch giant, who will jump center. McCarthy, former Buffalo Bison player, will put on a high-jumping exhibition during the half period. He has cleared five feet six inches in competition.

Others included in the Bicco's roster are DAVe Hartburg, Claude Foster, Harry Scully, John Swartza and Al Mihalco. Their record for last season shows 37 victories to seven defeats.

The Triple-X five is being coached by Manning Friedman of Hornell.

Mrs. Dougherty Feted on Birthday

On Thursday evening, Mrs. P. J. Dougherty was given a birthday surprise visit at her home on Chestnut street by a party of 24 ladies, members of her card club, who came to pass the evening playing five hundred. At a late hour they served a fine supper which was furnished by the guests who left Mrs. Dougherty a gift in remembrance of a pleasant social gathering.

She was again honored Friday afternoon in conjunction with the celebration of the November birthdays by the members of Edward Seaman, Woman's Relief Corps. A pleasant afternoon, a short program and amusing stunts was followed by a splendid supper, including a finely decorated birthday cake. A shower of birthday cards were left her as souvenirs of the day.

Mrs. James Feeley of Detroit, Mich., daughter of Mrs. Anna McDonough, was an out-of-town guest.

A family gathering and birthday dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Dougherty Sunday. Relatives came with birthday cakes and chickens and all the delicacies that comprise a tempting dinner and surprised her on her birthday.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and family, Mrs. Joseph Lynch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griswold and family of Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Dougherty and family, Mrs. Grace Howland and family and Miss Anna Lynch. Mrs. Dougherty was presented many different gifts in remembrance.

County Sealer Makes Report

Allen W. Corwin, Allegany County Sealer of Weights and Measures, has issued an annual report which covers his activities during the past year in a most thorough and comprehensive manner.

Mr. Corwin's report shows a total of 8,041 tests made of mechanical devices during the year, of which 7,557 were found correct, and sealed, and 484 found incorrect and condemned. Besides these mechanical tests, a large number of check weights of goods put up for delivery were also made; 6,350 miles were traveled in making these tests.

A bound mimeographed copy of the report which contains much interesting and useful information can be seen at the News office.

Senior 4-H Girls Will Send Delegate to Chicago

Funds to send a delegate to the National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago, Nov. 30 to Dec. 6 were earned by the Allegany County Senior Girls' Club, at a supper dance held at the Wee Blue Inn. The executive committee of the club will meet this week to choose the delegate.

Notice to Correspondents and Advertisers

Next week being Thanksgiving, the Andover News will be published Tuesday afternoon. All news letters and advertisements should be in the office by Tuesday morning at the latest.

ADMINISTRATION MAY BUY POTATOES

Relief Corporation Considering Purchase of Surplus Potatoes, States Letter to Local Chamber of Com.

W. S. Calhoun, president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, wrote the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation early in November, calling the attention of that department to the potato situation in Andover and requesting the Relief corporation to asist in the marketing here.

Following is President Calhoun's letter and the reply from the relief corporation:

November 9, 1934.

The Federal Surplus Relief Administration,
Washington, D. C.
My dear Sirs:

Would it be possible for your department to use some means to help out the farmers in this section of New York State with their surplus potato crop?

The price offered them today is 16 cents a bushel. This will scarcely pay for harvesting. The buyers do not seem very anxious to buy at the very low price they are offering. Thousands of bushels are stored and these farmers certainly need some money for immediate use, such as taxes, feed and in a great many cases hay, saying nothing of their personal living expenses. If they could receive a fair price it would certainly help this community. They are a good industrious class, but a great many of them are getting discouraged.

We will be pleased if some plan can be worked out by your department and hoping for a favorable reply, we remain

Very respectfully yours,
ANDOVER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, Inc.,
By W. S. CALHOUN, President.

Washington, Nov. 13, 1934
Andover Chamber of Commerce, Inc.,
Andover, New York.
Gentlemen:

We have your letter of November 9th in regard to the surplus potato crop in your section.

The Federal Surplus Relief Corporation has now under consideration the matter of authorizing purchases of surplus potatoes in up-state New York. We appreciate the information that you have furnished us and want to assure you that you will be promptly informed when a decision is reached on this matter.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM L. NUNN,
Director of Commodity Distribution

A. C. McFetridge, 61, Succumbs Suddenly

Dansville, Nov. 20.—Archibald C. McFetridge, 61, who left Dansville on November 8, intending to spend the winter in West Palm Beach, Fla., died suddenly in the southern city Sunday, according to word received by local relatives yesterday.

Mr. McFetridge was a bookkeeper at Craig Colony, Sonyea, for a number of years after which he conducted an automobile agency in Dansville, later becoming proprietor of the Fowler variety store which he conducted for a few years in Andover. He was a member of the Masonic order.

He is survived by his widow, Florence Olmstead McFetridge, who accompanied him to Florida; two daughters, Mrs. Walter Wells of Marcellus and Mrs. Raymond Gardner of Wellsville; two sisters, Mrs. D. S. Neill of Baltimore and Mrs. Edward Staige of Flint, Mich., and a brother, Edward of Washington. Three grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

The body arrived in Dansville Wednesday.

A Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Milligan of Chestnut street have a little daughter, who arrived at their home Saturday, Nov. 17th. The little lady weighed six pounds and is named Marion Edith. Mrs. Hattie Eggleston is the nurse in charge.

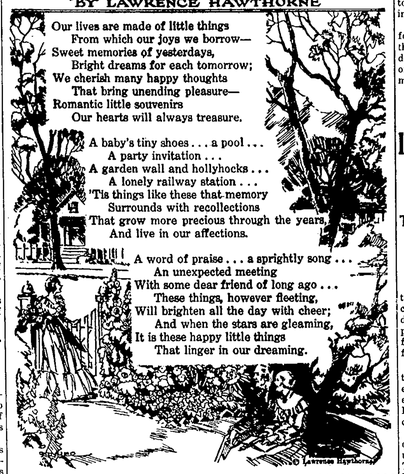
Juvenile Grange Installation

The Juvenile Grange will hold their installation ceremonies and the graduation of five of its members into the Subordinate Grange at its next regular meeting, Wednesday night, Nov. 28th, at 8 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend this meeting.

Souvenirs of Joy

BY LAWRENCE HAWTHORNE



Our lives are made of little things
From which our joys we borrow—
Sweet memories of yesterdays,
Bright dreams for each tomorrow;
We cherish many happy thoughts
That bring unending pleasure—
Romantic little souvenirs
Our hearts will always treasure.

A baby's tiny shoes . . . a pool . . .
A party invitation . . .
A garden wall and hollyhocks . . .
A lonely railway station . . .
'Tis things like these that memory
Surrounds with recollections
That grow more precious through the years,
And live in our affections.

A word of praise . . . a sprightly song . . .
An unexpected meeting
With some dear friend of long ago . . .
These things, however fleeting,
Will brighten all the day with cheer;
And when the stars are gleaming,
It is these happy little things
That linger in our dreaming.

© by Lawrence Hawthorne

THANKSGIVING DAY PROCLAMATION OUT

President Roosevelt Proclaims November 29th As Day for National Observances.

President Roosevelt has designated November 29th as Thanksgiving Day in a proclamation which he amended in his own handwriting just before its issuance. The interpolation read as follows:

"We can truly say: 'What profiteth it a nation if it gain the whole world and lose its own soul?'"

The proclamation reads:

Thanksgiving Day—1934
By the President of the United States of America.
A Proclamation

I, FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, President of the United Etates of America, hereby designate Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November, 1934, as a day of Thanksgiving for the people of the nation.

Thus to set aside in the Autumn of each year a day on which to give thanks to Almighty God for the blessings of life is a wise and reverent custom, long cherished by our people. It is fitting that we should again observe this custom.

During the past year we have been given courage and fortitude to meet the problems which have confronted us in our national life. Our sense of social justice has deepened. We have been given vision to make new provisions for human welfare and happiness, and in a spirit of mutual helpfulness we have co-operated to translate vision into reality.

More greatly have we turned our hearts and minds to things spiritual. We can truly say: "What profiteth it a nation if it gain the whole world and lose its own soul?"

With gratitude in our hearts for what has already been achieved, may we, with the help of God, dedicate ourselves anew to work for the betterment of mankind.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-four, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and fifty-ninth.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.
By the President,
CORDLL HULL,
Secretary of State.

Agricultural Census Starts January 2nd

The United States Census of Agriculture, required by law, will be taken thruout the United States beginning January 2, 1935.

All farmers and ranchers will be called upon to answer questions pertaining to farm tenure; farm acreage; acreage and yield of each of the principal crops and vegetables; number of trees and the yield of principal nuts and fruits; number of livestock and value; poultry and eggs; and farm population.

LOSES EYE IN HUNTING ACCIDENT

John Lewis, Jr., of Independence Hit in Face by a Charge from 410 Gauge Shotgun Sunday.

A hunting accident last Sunday cost John Lewis, Jr., 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis of Indepence the sight of his right eye.

He is now in the Jones Memorial hospital, Wellsville, where an operation was performed for the removal of the sightless eye by Dr. B. A. Barney of Hornell and Dr. Edwin Comstock of Wellsville.

Details of the accident are not known. John, accompanied by his brother, Donald, 13, went for a walk thru the woods on the Lewis farm after dinner on Sunday afternoon. They were in the sugar house when the accident occurred. Donald was so frightened that he was unable to offer any explanation. John claims that he was walking behind Donald who was carrying a single-barreled 410 gauge shotgun over his shoulder and the gun was accidentally discharged.

Besides the shot which punctured the eye, 14 others were removed from the lad's face.

J. H. Backus Appointed Election Commissioner

Belmont, N. Y., Nov. 19.—At a special meeting of the Allegany County Democratic Committee, held at the court house here this afternoon, J. Harvey Backus of the Andover News was unanimously recommended to the Board of Supervisors for appointment as the Democratic member of the Board of Election Commissioners for a term of two years.

Mrs. Mattie C. Dellone of Bolivar, in well chosen words placed Mr. Backus' name in nomination, and the recommendation was made unanimous. The appointment will be for the years 1935 and 1936 and begins January 1, 1935. Frank D. Acker of Canaadea is the present encumbent.

At the session of the Board of Supervisors Tuesday, the nomination was received and the appointment made.

H. E. Keller of Cuba is the Republican member of the Commission.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank the members of the I. O. O. F., Rev. W. C. Pero, and those that sent flowers and furnished cars or assisted in any way during the illness and death of our brother-in-law, George E. Cook.

Miss Arvilla Bullard,
Mrs. DeEtta Bullard,
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard.

Rebekahs to Entertain

Andover Rebekah Lodge, No. 303, will entertain the Rebekahs and their families at a Thanksgiving supper, Thursday, Nov. 29th at 7 o'clock. Each member is requested to bring a tureen and sandwiches.

There will be a program following the supper.

National Housing Committee in Andover

The local Chamber of Commerce now has all the necessary material to function under the National Housing Act.

Anyone wishing to borrow money for home improvement purposes thru this Government financing plan can do so by communicating with any of the following Chamber of Commerce committee:

W. S. Calhoun
A. D. Fuller
W. F. O'Connell.

INVENTORY FORM TO AID FARMERS

Tells How to Measure the Available Feed and Plan for Winter Feeding Requirements of Livestock.

The special drouth committee at the New York State college of agriculture appointed by L. R. Simons, director of extension, has just prepared an inventory form to help farmers to list their home-grown feeds and livestock needs.

This inventory form will be distributed by farm bureaus to farmers in the drouth counties of western and central New York, says Professor C. G. Bradt, head of the committee.

Professor Bradt says farmers requested an inventory blank to check up on their supplies for the winter. The drouth of last summer reduced hay crops so much that the usual numbers of livestock cannot be carried on many farms this winter. Farmers want to know how they stand, and the inventory form will help them, he states.

The blank provides space to list the quantities of hay, corn fodder, and other roughage available. It tells how to measure hay and straw in the mow and corn in the silo. It tells the amount of corn stalks, straw, and corn silage needed to take the place of a certain amount of hay to give the same feeding value. Winter feeding requirements of cows, heifers, bulls, horses and sheep are also listed.

So complete is this feed and livestock inventory form and so simple are the instructions, Professor Bradt says, that any farmer will find it very convenient to use.

George Cook Dies

Another of Andover's oldest and respected citizens passed from life last week in the death of George E. Cook. Born at Alfred, N. Y., May 20, 1855, son of George W. and Mary Elliott Cook.

December 25, 1875 he was united in marriage with Miss Martha Bullard. The greater part of his life, with the exception of a few years in West Virginia, has been passed in Andover.

For many years they lived on Dyke street. A few years prior to the death of his wife, five years ago, they removed to a new home on Grove street where Mr. Cook had since resided. He had been a semi-invalid for some time from the infirmities of age and failing eyesight which resulted in death Wednesday Nov. 14, 1934.

Mr. Cook was a member of the Methodist church and of the Andover Lodge, No. 786, I. O. O. F.

He was a quiet industrious man. There are no immediate relatives other than cousins and a large circle of friends.

Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. C. Pero at the Methodist church Friday afternoon, the members of the I. O. O. F. lodge attending in a body. Burial was in Hillside cemetery.

Holstein Sale Prices Higher This Year

Sixty head of cattle brought $5,160 at the annual consignment sale of the Allegany-Steuben Holstein Friesian Breeders Club held at Maple City Park, Hornell, Nov. 14th.

The average price for the cattle sold this year was $86 as compared with $71 in 1933. A bull, consigned by H. H. Yates of Orchard Park, farm, brought the highest price of the day. It was sold to E. C. Holcomb of Portville for $175. J. W. Backus of Syracuse purchased a cow, consigned by James A. Young of Angelica for $140. There were 32 buyers at the sale and many spectators.

The largest individual buyer at the sale was J. W. Backus of Syracuse. His purchases amounted to $965.

Officers of the club are: Carl V. Clarke of Hill View Farm, Andover, president; L. D. Hollenbeck, Jasper, vice president; James A. Young, Angelica, secretary-treasurer; R. W. Dennis, Canaseraga, Buyrl Higgins, Canisteo and Floyd Bassett, Canisteo members of the executive committee.

MODEST BOOM FOR BUSINESS IS NEAR

Best Christmas Trade Since 1929 is Promised as Employment Gains and Optimism is Evident.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Promise of the United States Chamber of Commerce to co-operate with the administration virtually assures a moderate business boom in the next five or six weeks. Better business will center around the best Christmas trade since 1929.

The forecast after that is for gradual employment and business improvement, provided strikes can be avoided. Official opinion is optimistic. But there is no assurance that the economic armistice moved in October by the bankers and second last week by the chamber will obtain the hoped-for permanent national recovery co-operation.

The chamber and bankers will be compelled to surrender on some big issues before the armistice becomes a formal peace. And there are factors more or less unpredictable, such as the 74th Congress, which will take office January 3rd. If President Roosevelt fails to control Congress, business will desert him for more conservative leadership.

Utilities Shares Sold

Organized labor doubts the chamber could approve a recovery program "fair and just" to labor as well as to capital. President William A. Green of the American Federation of Labor is suspicious of the chamber's motives.

Henry I. Harriman, chamber president, hopes the offer of co-operation will persuade the administration to deal with the electrical power interests by negotiations rather than using force against them in a far-flung program of public-owned utilities.

Meantime, the so-called "wise money" is selling public utilities securities. If administration plans were modified, selling pressure would relapse. The average price of 20 representative utility stocks has slumped under bearish New Deal influence to a new depression low. Mr. Roosevelt's Tennessee Valley speech contained an unqualified reiteration of his demand for lower electrical costs.

Optimism Evident

Discovery that business sentiment has turned toward optimism during the last month, and that the business world is in a better position to go ahead now than this time last year is made in the monthly survey made public by the American Federation of Labor.

According to the survey, a period of rising business activity with the proper controls will bring back the balance of consuming power, workers' buying power, it says, has not increased fast enough to justify a large production increase. However, it sounds this warning:

"If we are looking forward now to a period of rising production, with vast general increases in industrial income which this implies, we must remember that unless we distribute industrial income where it will buy the products of our mines, farms, factories and service industries, and unless we keep a balance between producing and consuming power, we shall pave the way for another depression."

Some Gains in Business

Some of the improvements in business cited by the A. F. of L. survey follows:

"Bank deposits have increased at an unprecedented rate and are now 29.7 per cent above March, 1933.

"Buying power of workers and farmers is higher than it was this time last year. Debts are being paid off, bills being met more promptly. Department store sales in October were eleven per cent above last year, and sales of 18 chain store systems were 20.6 per cent higher. Factory production in a number of lines is not large enough to supply present demands, which means that operations must soon be speeded. Those closely in touch with business state that 'planning for spring' production will be on relatively the most ambitious basis since 1930."

The survey points out, however, that in September we still had 10,951,000 without work in industry.

John Casey Not Native of Dansville

An item appearing in the Elmira Sunday Telegram accompanying a cut of John J. Casey of Hornell recently elected Democratic State Committeeman says, "Mr. Casey is a native of Dansville."

The News takes exception to this. John J. Casey was born in Andover, educated in Andover schools, grew to manhood here and did his first Democratic campaign work in Andover, later moving to Hornell where he has since resided.

We will not allow any one to steal John from his native town.