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OUR KEYNOTE:

"If There is Not a Way, Cut a Way"

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Christmas

THE season of Christmas is here. In every city, town and hamlet in the United States, the people have been busy during the past few weeks, seeking something to present to the loved ones at home and abroad. For it is at this time of year that we seek especially to remember those who are near and dear to us either by ties of blood or friendship.

The Christmas custom is an old one, antedating our Christian civilization. And when the Christian father converted the savage tribes who formed the ancestors of most of us, they changed pagan customs to Christian ones. So now Christmas Day, observing the birth of the Christian Saviour, is quite properly the day on which we hang up the stocking, trim the tree and radiate peace, good cheer and brotherly love.

And because this Christmas season is so time-honored, we have come to regard it as a matter of course. Few of us therefore ever stop to consider what might happen to our economic system if this Christmas season with its customs were suddenly, in some supernatural manner, wiped out of our human existence.

For every year, factories here and abroad, are busy manufacturing Christmas goods, giving employment to hundreds of thousands of people everywhere. And the goods manufactured are sold in hundreds of retail establishments which give employment to many, many others, to say little of the thousands of others who help in transporting, etc. It is easy to see then, that if the Christmas spirit were suddenly to disappear, there would be a real economic calamity in every Christian nation. As a stimulant to production nothing can surpass the Christmas spirit.

The economic loss, however, would not be in any degree so great as the ethical loss. For the good cheer, and generosity of Christmas send a fine impulse over the world, lasting much longer than the Christmas season itself. What Christmas means to our children and to the memory of our own childhood is worth a thousand times what it costs. And the spirit of good fellowship which Christmas day engenders, to say nothing of its purely religious phase, is worth another thousand times the cost.

That is why, in addition to its purely spiritual significance, Christmas means so much to us. It is the one season of the year when we feel that we can forget our little petty troubles and differences of opinion, and join in the fun.

Let us not forget our friends on this one big day of the year. Even a kindly message will suffice if we cannot remember them more substantially. For after all, it is the spirit of the gift and not the intrinsic value which counts. The Santa Claus spirit isn't entirely for the children. It concerns the grown-ups too, who, after all, are only the children of yesterday.

Three cheers for St. Nicholas, then, and may his trip this year be so successful that nobody will be neglected. And if there is danger that anyone you know will be missed, let our good fellows see that St. Nick is provided with the name and address. Everybody should be remembered in some way, especially the youngsters.

And, to you, our friends, we end this Christmas message with a hearty wish that your Christmas may be a merry one, complete with the joys you wish most.

An Everyday Cold

OBSERVATIONS and tests have been made by a leading university in the study of the common cold that produced evidence to show that there is no sound basis for the belief that immunity can be achieved against colds. And in this same investigation, other interesting facts were also disclosed.

Of particular value were the findings that there appears to be no connection between the frequency of colds and defects of the nose and throat and that duration of colds is influenced to a marked degree by the condition of the nose. Where chronic obstructions were absent, then, investigators found, colds were conquered within ten days on an average; where breathing space was insufficient, the period of infection was longer.

This information, while it was not conclusive, is of probable great value in the medical campaign against the common cold which exacts a terrific physical and economic toll. The observation that defects of the nose and throat are not connected with the frequency of colds has tended to cause a revision of theory. It was once commonly believed, on the grounds of good reason, that defects, especially sinus irregularities, played a large part in regulating frequency.

The most discouraging finding of the investigation, however, was the most important—that hope of extensive control of colds is yet outside the scope of human knowledge and ingenuity.

That time-honored and most effective preventive, right living, with moderation in all things, the most important part of the program, apparently will have to serve for some time to come.

A man may be more efficient than a woman—but so far he is not able to toss something over his head and consider himself well dressed.

A Good Combination

AN ACTIVE brain and a willingness to work will keep the wolf from the door. They form a combination that will do more. They will fill the family larder, provide all of the other necessities of life and a few of the luxuries.

Brains without ambition to accomplish something are handicapped. Industry without brains is impotent.

Every boy has both, but mind and hands are in a formative state and exceptional care and training are required to turn out a good citizen.

The boy who is constantly looking for excuses, who performs his tasks with the idea that they are irksome burdens placed upon his unwilling shoulders, is using his physical powers, but not making the best use of his mental powers.

But the boy who goes about his work in a cheerful and willing spirit, with an active interest in what he is doing, and with a determination to do it just a little better than the other fellow, is using his brains as well as his hands.

The boy who displays these commendable traits will be a persistent and determined climber, and he will find his employers, or those with whom he labors, pushing him upward as rapidly as he is willing to climb.

A combination of brains and hands, when used ordinately, is close to invincible.

Every boy has them, and he should be taught how to use them. The school teachers can't do it alone, the boy may be of great assistance in showing the way. Boys need encouragement and direction at home as well. As a rule, they succeed in whatever measure they receive it.

Round shouldered people, as a rule, didn't get that way from carrying other people's burdens.

It must be terribly exhausting to try to find something to do while the servants are doing the work.

When a man starts out to make a fool of himself, he completes the job by claiming someone else did it.

The 13 month year is being advocated, but for us the first of the month comes too fast as it is.

License Hearing Held at Wellsville

Hearings in several motor vehicle cases before Deputy Commissioner William Ahern at Wellsville, Friday resulted in the definite revocation of one driver's license.

Commissioner Ahern announced following the hearings that he would recommend that the license of William Fox of East Friendship be revoked, the result of an accident on the Belvidere-Friendship highway on October 25th following which Fox was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

There was no action taken against Dr. Olin E. Jones whose car fatally injured C. W. Kinney, a pedestrian, in Andover October 7th. Witnesses testified that the victim was walking in the middle of the road at the time of the accident.

The pronouncement of "no action" in this case by Commissioner Ahern definitely clears Dr. Jones.

The case against Harry E. Gent will be continued pending investigation into official records. Mr. Gent's car hit two boys near Allentown. One was fatally injured and injured another.

The case of Clifford Ludwig and Albert Brown, both defendants of Canaseraga, was adjourned when Ludwig was unable to appear. The case involves an accident at Canaseraga on October 22.

The commissioner reported "no action" in the case of Julius Amchir, Belvidere, and Richard C. Burdick, Friendship, in colnection with an accident on October 26th at Friendship.

"Neither was at fault," said Commissioner Ahern.

The case of Alex T. Graham of Angelica was continued when he failed to put in an appearance and his license will meanwhile be suspended. He was driving a car which struck a parked car owned by Harry B. Warner at Angelica on October 4th.

Village Ordinance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Andover, N. Y., held December 7th, 1934, the following ordinance was duly passed and adopted:

Ordinance

No person shall be allowed to hunt, shoot, trap, kill or capture any fur-bearing animals within the limits of the Village of Andover, N. Y., except that skunks may be lawfully taken during the first fifteen days of the open season as provided by the regulations and laws of the State of New York pertaining thereto.

Any violation of this ordinance shall subject such violator to a penalty of not less than $5.00 for each and every offense and it is further ordained that any violation of this ordinance shall constitute disorderly conduct and the person violating the same shall be a disorderly person.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the posting and publication or personal service thereof according to law.

Dated December 12th, 1934.

C. B. CAPLE,
Village Clerk.

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Andover Triple-X Team Wins Two Hard Games

The Andover Triple-X basketeers went to Warsaw, Saturday, December 15th, where they defeated the fast team from that place by the score of 37 to 34.

The Warsaw team led the scoring by one point at the end of the first quarter but the Triple-X boys led at the end of the half and held the lead to end of the game.

Following is the line-ups:

Andover	field	foul	ttl
McGee, g	3	0	6
Fenner, g	4	5	13
Common, c	2	0	4
Dickins, f	5	0	10
Gifford, f	2	0	4
Joyce, g	0	0	0
Cuddabec, c	0	0	0
			37

Warsaw	field	foul	ttl
Pegan, f	2	0	4
Wratten, f	2	0	4
Boldt, f	4	1	9
Whitlock, c	3	3	9
Muchlek, g	0	0	0
Woodworth, g	2	0	4
Abro, f	0	0	0
Beaumont, g	2	0	4
			34

Defeat Fillmore

A fast and exciting game between the Triple-X and Fillmore was played at Fillmore last Thursday, Dec. 13. Fillmore has not lost a game on their own court except to the Central team of Rochester. But the Triple-X boys took them across in the final period of the game.

At the end of the first quarter the score was 17-11 in favor of Fillmore; at the half 32 to 22 for Fillmore and at the end of the third quarter 43 to 35 in favor of Fillmore.

The Andover team tied the score in the last quarter and played two extra five-minute periods to win the game.

You can see the boys in action next week which date will be given out later.

William A. Vickers

William A. Vickers passed from life at his residence, 72 Elm street, Hornell, Monday, Dec. 17, 1934.

Mr. Vickers was born in Canisteo Aug. 7, 1854, son of Jacob and Jane Ashworth Vickers.

He has been an employee at the Erie railroad shops in Hornell and also has spent much time at the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers of Andover.

He is survived by his widow, a son, George Vickers of Andover and a daughter, Mrs. John W. Cahill of Buffalo, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted from his home Wednesday, Dec. 19, with burial in Hope cemetery, Hornell. The bearers, Frank Davis, Glenn Ruger, David Slocum, Archie Kemp, Ames Rogers and Earl Howland, were Andover men, members of Andover Lodge, I. O. O. F. No. 786, of which his son, George and grandson, Francis Vickers are members.

Undertaker Frederick C. Mulholland of this village was in charge of the services.

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GREENWOOD

(Mrs. H. C. McCafferry, Reporter)

December Parent-Teacher Meeting

The Greenwood Parent-Teacher Association held their December meeting at the Grange Hall Thursday evening. The entertainment program was in charge of Miss Mary McKinley, teacher of the seventh and eighth grades. The solo, "Who is This Child?" was sung by Mrs. Shirley Travis.

A play, "The Christmas Spirit," was presented by pupils from the seventh and eighth grades. Musical selections on the piano and guitar were rendered by Miss Eva Rennells and her pupils, Mrs. Alvin Teriburry, Miss Rachael Teriburry and Miss Ada Cole. Christmas carols were also a part of the program.

The address of the evening was given by Rev. Lynd, pastor of St. Mary's church, Rexville, whose topic was "Character Building in the Home." The necessity of moulding character during the early years of childhood was pointed out as the most important part of a child's training. Impressions received in the home during early life are permanent and will have to do with the conduct of the youth in later life. Parents should be willing to spend more time in the home with their children.

Senior Dance

The dance at the Masonic Hall, Thursday evening sponsored by the Senior Class of Greenwood Union School was very well attended. Music was furnished by the Japanese Sandmen.

Shirley — Sampson

Dorothy M. Sampson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sampson and Donovan W. Shirley also of this place, were married Tuesday evening, Dec. 11 in Canisteo. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Carl E. Dawkins at the Baptist parsonage.

Attends Meeting in Rochester

W. G. Kellogg, Steuben County Superintendent of Highways, has returned from Rochester where he has been attending a meeting of Senator Fearon's highway survey committee and a banquet of associate general contractors of America at the Powers hotel.

Shower for Newlyweds

About 30 friends and relatives attended a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reimann at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green, Friday evening. Those from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Clair Green of Richburg and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barnard of Howard.

Order of Eastern Star Elect

At the regular meeting of Greenwood Chapter, No. 574, the following officers were elected:

Worthy Matron — Marjorie P. Matthews.

Worthy Patron—Orville W. Matthews.

Asso. Matron—Helen D. Brown.
Treasurer—Flossie C. Holly.
Secretary—Maryella Baker.
Conductress—Reva C. McCaffery.
Asso. Conductress—Lucy Bess.
Trustee for three years—Rose M. Brundage.

The appointed officers are:
Warden—Ambrosia Scribner.
Adah—Gertrude Stephens.
Ruth—Lillian Holly.
Esther—Winifred Murdock.
Martha—Libbie Sampson.
Electa—Roberta Baker.
Marshall—Ruth Buck.
Chaplain—Blanche Goodno.
Organist—Mildred Fish.
Sentinel—Jerry Burd.
Color Bearer—Mildred Burd.
Historian—Maude Kellogg.

The officers were installed following the election by the retiring matron, Rose M. Brundage.

A social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served by Mrs. Brundage.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Karlen entertained a company of friends at dinner at their home here Saturday. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodno, Rev. and Mrs. Shirley Travis, Miss Grace Young, F. Dwight Young and Walter Redmond.

Highway Superintendents Meet

Highway superintendents of Steuben county towns met in a business session here Saturday. Dinner was served at noon in the Masonic Hall by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

Charles Chamberlain of Elmira, State auditor of the highway bureau accounting department addressed the gathering on changes which have taken place in the highway system since he was first employed in 1898. Mr. Chamberlain has recently resigned.

The Rev. Carl Grabb of Painted Post, chairman of the county TERA work board also spoke to the superintendents on the subject of the United States Constitution.

Herman Bates of Troupsburg was a business visitor in town Monday.

Wm. Perkins of Towanda, Pa., has been a business visitor in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reimann of Osceola, Pa., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green.

Mrs. L. T. Hardenbergh was an Hornell on business, Thursday.

Miss Lillian Holly attended a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Ronald Head in Wellsville, Monday evening.

Mrs. Mildred Fish of Canisteo attended the O. E. S. meeting Monday evening.

Miss Charlotte LaGere was in Andover shopping, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and two children were shopping in Hornell recently.

Mrs. Ray Young and Mrs. Percy Sampson were in Hornell on business Friday.

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Pursuant to an order of Hon. Walter N. Renwick, Surrogate of the County of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of James P. Cannon, late of the Town of Andover, N. Y., deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned administrators at the Office of the Administrators at the James P. Cannon Company Store in the Village of Andover, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of January, 1935.

Dated July 9th, 1934.

SARA R. CANNON,
MARY ELIZABETH CANNON,
EDWARD B. CANNON,
Administrators

Crayton L. Earley,
Attorney for Administrators,
Andover, New York. 2

January 7 to 12 is a good week for taking the farm inventory. Last year 20,000 farmers in New York State found it good business to take an inventory at this time.

LEGION TREE CHRISTMAS EVE

American Legion Community Christmas Tree to be Held at Legion Park at 6:45 Christmas Eve.

The American Legion community Christmas tree will be held at Legion Park, Christmas Eve at 6:45 sharp.

The program will be carried out in practically the same manner as in previous years, with the Legion band furnishing the music and Old Santa Claus with his gifts and candy for the kiddies.

Thru the courtesy of the village board, a beautiful tree has been transplanted from the grove to the Legion Park by the Legion boys to be used each year in carrying out their Christmas program.

Again we call your attention to the time set for the Christmas tree—6:45. The tree is scheduled early this year, so as not to conflict with family Christmas tree gatherings.

King's Daughters Hold Christmas Party

The evening division of the King's Daughters of the Presbyterian church entertained the afternoon division at a Christmas party at the home of the Misses Annette and Ruth Taylor Friday evening, Dec. 14. About 45 members were present.

The invitations requested the members of the afternoon division to dress as young children and meet at the home of Mrs. Sarah Harder at 6 o'clock from there, unbeknown to the guests, they were taken to the Taylor home where they were served a roast turkey dinner and all the trimmings. The tables were beautifully decorated in the Yuletide colors, with candles, napkins and favors.

Following the dinner the evening was spent in children's games and stunts. Mrs. J. J. Oakes and Mrs. R. O. Snyder were captains for the spelling bee and Mrs. Pearl Brown the recipient of the prize.

To the tune of Jingle Bells, dear Old Santa made his (?) appearance and gifts were exchanged among the entire party.

Many unique and attractive costumes were displayed and the spirit in which the members co-operated made the evening a huge success.

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New Year

Louis E. Davis

Louis Eugene Davis, son of Uriah and Adelia Clarke Davis, was born in Andover, N. Y., March 22, 1870, and died at the Davis homestead on Davis Hill, three miles southeast of Andover village Friday, Dec. 14, 1934. His entire life had been passed on this farm, where he was born March 22, 1892 he was united in marriage with Miss Mable Briggs.

When a boy of eleven he was baptized by the late Rev. Ira Lee Cottrell and united with the Independence Seventh Day Baptist church. He has been actively identified with the community interests, having served as tax collector for the town and school for several years and as a constable. In all of these offices he has a record of fidelity and honesty.

It has been the writer's good fortune to have known Mr. Davis since boyhood. We will miss his kindly smile and friendly greeting. Of a most hospitable nature, their home has always extended a welcome to a large circle of friends.

Surviving are his widow and two sons, Uriah V. Davis of Rochester, N. Y., and Leo B. Davis at home; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services, largely attended, were held from the home Monday, December 17th, conducted by Rev. Walter L. Greene, with burial in Hillside cemetery.

Malcolm Brundage Makes High Score for Alfred

We take the following from the Hornell report of the basketball game between Alfred Frosh and the Hornell High, which Alfred won 30-21. In the final half Brundage and Vardenberg contrived to put on a scoring bee to give Alfred the contest by a comfortable margin.

Brundage played the entire game for Alfred at left forward and is credited with sinking five baskets, scoring ten points of the Alfred 30 points. He was also high individual scorer in the game.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our most sincere appreciation and thanks for the many kindnesses and beautiful flowers, also the Rebekahs for their wonderful dinner at the time of our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Louise E. Davis.
Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Davis and son.
Mr. and Mrs. Leo B. Davis and family.

Brother of Dr. Common Dies in Colorado

Dr. John Common received word of the passing of his brother, Arthur A. Common at his home at Bennett, Colo., on Monday, Dec. 10th as the result of a heart attack. The funeral was held Thursday at Bennett.

He was born 57 years ago at Angelica and had for a good many years made his home in Bennett, where he was manager of a store for the International Harvester company.

He is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Jennie Comstock of this village.

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ANDOVER SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST

Christmas Program

Saturday, Dec. 22—2:30 P. M.

Instrumental Prelude.
Hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful."
Invocation.
Reading, "Bethlehem in History and Prophecy."
Reading, "The Emperor's Decree," and "The Manger in Bethlehem."
Carol, "Little Town of Bethlehem."
Reading, "The Shepherds of Bethlehem."
Carol, "Away in a Manger."
Reading, "The Song of Bethlehem."
Carol, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."
Reading, "Bethlehem's King," and "The Magi at Bethlehem."
Carol, "Silent Night."
Reading, "The First Christmas Gifts."
Carol, "We Three Kings."
Reading, "The Lessons of Bethlehem."
Carol, "As With Gladness Men of Old."
Sermon.

Part II.

Miscellaneous program as arranged.

M. E. CHURCH

Christmas Program

Sunday Evening, Dec. 23—7:30

Prelude, Orchestra.
Hymn, No. 107, "Joy to the World," Congregation.
Scripture Reading, Roger Tuttle.
Prayer, Pastor.
Recitation, "Welcome," James Burgett.
Recitation, Barbara Childs.
Song, "Christ is Born," Junior Choir
Exercise, "Little Lights for the King," Primary Class.
Cornet Solo, "Evening Star," Wisner Cook.
Recitation, Junior Northrup.
Recitation, Lila Ann Childs.
Hymn, No. 121, Congregation.
Vocal Solo, "No Room in the Inn," William A. Lang.
Exercise, "Bethlehem Star," Bessie Mulconery's Class.
Vocal solo, "Away in a Manger," James Burgett.
Recitation, "A Wish," Kenneth Cook
Exercise, "Christmas Crusaders," Wisner Cook's Class
Duet, "Silent Night," Mary Fero and Charles Gath, Jr.
Pantomime, "Over the World at Christmas," Mrs. Robinson's class.
Musical number, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Croyle.
Remarks, Pastor.
Offeratory—Christmas offering for the Children's Home.
Distribution of Gifts.
Benediction.
Recessional—Orchestra.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Christmas Program

Sunday Evening, Dec. 23—7:30

Voluntary, Oliver Kemp and Mrs. Bundy.
Carol, "Come All Ye Faithful."
Scripture Reading, Supt. Harold D. Hardy.
Lord's Prayer.
A Christmas Welcome, Marion Steadman.
"Welcome," Patricia Ludden.
"Welcome," Marilyn Mulholland.
"Merry Christmas," Jean Stevens.
"A Happy Time," Johanne Theetge.
Song, Primary Class.
"Naming the Christmas Dolly," Clara Hann.
"Happy Christmas to All," James Backus.
"Amid the Christmas Festivity," Betty Rogers.
"Christmas Day," Edna Mae Kruger
"Christmas," Herbert Webster.
"In Closing," Charles Hall.
Trombone Solo, "Song to the Evening Star," Donald Hardy.
Pageant, "The Old, Old Story,"—
Angel, Marian Swarts
Mary, Doris Honegger
Joseph, Nancy Jane Snyder
Shepherds: Donald Hardy, Victor Oakes.
Kings: Donald Oakes, Jack Saunders, Richard Baker.
Choir: Josephine Baker, Laura Backus, Jeanne Backus, Delores Farwell, Betty Jo Ludden, Anna Hardy, Marilyn Hardy, Edna Honegger, Jean Rogers.
Reading, "Is There a Santa Claus," Harold Hardy.
Carol, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."
Christmas Tree.

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

Christmas Program

Catholic Club House, Dec. 23

7:45 P. M.

"Silent Night," chorus, John and Lester Regan, Francis Cable and Richard Appier.
"Adeste Fideles," chorus, John and Lester Regan, Richard Appier and Francis Cable.
"When Christmas Comes."
Musical numbers—
"When I Was a Boy," George Joyce.
"Friend Santa Claus," chorus.
Solo, Lewis Fulkerson.
"Santa is Coming to Town," Martha and Anne McDonough.
"Trim the Tree for Christmas," Girls' chorus.
Angel Chorus.
"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "Gingerbread Man," solo, Patsy Lynch.
Chorus: Boys' chorus.
"Do Not Open Before Christmas," package chorus.
"Merry Christmas and Goodnight," Entire group.
Characters:
Grandfather, George Joyce.
Grandmother, Josephine Butler.
Bus Driver, Junior O'Hargan.
Reader, Regina Anne Richardson.
Angel, Mary Teresa Burns.
First Shepherd, Leslie Brundage.
Second Shepherd, Leo Baker.
Third Shepherd, Robert McCormick.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Christmas Program

Friday Evening, Dec. 21—7:30

"The First Noel," Congregation.
Scripture Reading and Prayer, Pastor.
Selection, Choir.
Welcome, Edna Clair.
Recitation, Barbara Lehman.
"We Three Kings of Orient Are," Congregation.
Recitation, Geraldine Perry.
Exercise, Primaries.
Recitation, Charles Dunham.
Recitation, Betty Halsey.
"Helping Santa," Elaine Pope.
Exercise, Joyful Workers.
Recitation, Jean Halsey.
Monologue, Jennie Dodge.
Song, Mareta Perry, Mary Glover.
Recitation, Edward Halsey.
Recitation, Catherine Perry.
Song, Grace and Marion McIntosh.
Recitation, Wilbur Lehman.
Recitation, Ida Clair.
Recitation, Helen Smith.
Pageant, "Little Stars," Mary Lehman as spirit of love; Busy Bees, Joyful Workers and Live Wire Classes.
Distribution of Presents.
Benediction.

Allegany County Man City Editor of Tribune

Hubert D. Bliss, Alfred alumni, Class of 1917, and son of Attorney and Mrs. Walter T. Bliss of Bolivar has assumed the position of city editor of the Evening Tribune in Hornell.

Mr. Bliss comes from highly successful editorial work at New Bedford, Mass., and since 1925 on the Post-Standard at Syracuse.

His wife, formerly Miss Julia Wahl of Elm Valley and three children will accompany him to their new home in Hornell.

Rebekah Christmas Party

The Andover Rebekah Lodge held their Christmas tree and program Wednesday evening at I. O. O. F. Hall. The following program was enjoyed:

Welcome—Marion Burgett.
Violin Solo—Oliver Kemp.
Vocal Solo—Jimmie Burgett.
Recitations were given by Betty Jean Rogers, Dewitt Hammond, James Backus, Jimmie Burgett, Roland Shaff and several others.

Gifts were exchanged, bags of candy, nuts and popcorn were distributed among the children and they were also served refreshments in the dining room by the Noble and Vice Grand.

Two Auto Collisions In Town This Week

Andover had two auto wrecks this week along with the slippery roads. Monday morning Ruth Taylor's Buick was struck by a car operated by a Jamestown man at the corner of Main and Greenwood streets. The Taylor car suffered a broken wheel and running board; the other broken bumper and fenders.

Tuesday, a Studebaker driven by Mrs. John Atken of Scio collided with a Ford driven by an Elmira man at the intersection of Main street and Route 17. The cars were badly damaged. No serious injuries were sustained in either collision.

Bolivar Village to Own Water System

Consent has been granted by the Public Service Commission for the Village of Bolivar to purchase of the Bolivar Water Company the water franchise and all property owned by the company in the village and town of Bolivar for $62,500.

This transfer is made because of the insufficient water supply and inability of the present company to finance new improvements. The company serves 325 customers and is owned by the Delaware Valley Utilities Company which is controlled by John H. Ware, Jr., of Philadelphia.

The village of Bolivar recently adopted a resolution authorizing the purchase and the issuance of bonds to finance the project.

Class to Hold Meeting

The Young Women's Friendly Class of the M. E. church will hold their December meeting at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Lauser of Rochambeau avenue, Friday evening, December 21st at 7:30.

Please bring a ten cent gift for the tree and come prepared for a 15c collection. The candy boxes will be packed at this meeting.

REPORTS ON STATE GRANGE MEETING

Mrs. Hervey Thorne Reports Fine Meeting.—Many Important Farm Questions Discussed.

The 62nd annual session of the State Grange held at Niagara Falls last week went over in a big way. Many of the officials and delegates who had been enthused a few weeks before at Hartford, Conn., in the big National session were able to put increased pep and ginger into this gathering, making it just vibrate with Grange spirit and loyalty.

At the National Grange session they had witnessed the seventh degree conferred upon 12,679 candidates, the largest number ever received in one day into any fraternal organization in the Western hemisphere.

New York State Grange added over 300 members to its membership list Thursday night. The degree and drill work being most beautiful and impressive.

There was scarcely a phase of the legislative program of either State or Nation that was not considered and acted upon by this body, truly representative of the rural life of New York State. As ever they stand four square for prohibition and ready to work for it as well as ever moral reform to make New York State clean.

The Juvenile Grange of Somerset Niagara county, conferred the Juvenile degree upon a very large class of honorary members, nearly 200, in a very dignified and impressive manner. None of the children who took part were seemingly over 12 years of age. The Ransomville and Reed's Corners Juvenile helped out with four beautiful tableaux that stressed the ideals of their order.

There are 265 Juveniles in this state, representing 8,000 children among all these, Andover Juvenile No. 231, was recognized as the first of the three top notchers of the state and the second in the nation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Thorne who attended this great session of farm folks, wish they could impart to every good Granger in Andover the friendliness, the earnestness, the loyalty that permeated these Grangers gathered from every part of good old New York.

There is a surprise in store for the Andover Juveniles, Wednesday, Dec. 26th, so come.

Cornell bulletin E-241 tells how to cure meats for best results. Single copies may be had from the office of publication in Roberts Hall, Ithaca, N. Y.

Yuletide Cheer

WE wish to extend our sincere good wishes of Yuletide Cheer to our fellow - townsmen and to those strangers that may be in our midst.

DANCE TO THE MUSIC OF
"The Four Horsemen"
Saturday Night
This Orchestra will also appear
CHRISTMAS EVE—December 24th
Wednesday, Dec. 26th and Saturday, Dec. 29th
WADE'S RESTAURANT

How about a Battery-a set of Chains -a New Tire-a can of Anti-Freeze or other automobile Accessories for that
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