No. 13909

# The Andover National Bank

**ANDOVER, N. Y.**

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

MARCH 4, 1936

| RESOURCES | | LIABILITIES | |
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| Cash and Due from Banks | $116,059.51 | Capital Stock | $100,000.00 |
| Bonds and Securities | 169,512.62 | Surplus Fund | 25,600.00 |
| Loans and Discounts | 441,519.87 | Undivided Profits | 18,234.48 |
| Banking House and Fixtures | 5,000.00 | Contingent Reserve Fund | 5,000.00 |
| Other Real Estate | 9,281.55 | Reserved for Taxes and Interest | 2,120.12 |
| Overdrafts | 365.32 | Deposits | 591,630.24 |
| Other Assets | 845.95 | | |
| | $742,584.84 | | $742,584.84 |

**DIRECTORS**

John E. Cannon, A. D. Fuller, Frank S. Clark, Erwin D. Baker, John C. Lever, Jesse S. Phillips, Henry Horan, Frank W. Burrows, Samuel B. Crandall, B. S. Brundage, J. L. Williams.

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## PERSONALS

—Mrs. R. E. Shaff and son Roland called on Mr. Shaff at the Buffalo General hospital, Wednesday.

—Charles Brewer of Dundee spent from Friday until Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh.

—Miss Elizabeth Cannon of South Hampton, L. I. is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. [illegible] Cannon.

Miss Bernice Hardigan of Friendship passed the week-end at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Padden.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bosher and family of Allegany and Mrs. Effie Merritt took Sunday dinner at the home of Ralph Coats.

—T. R. Bassett went to Buffalo Thursday guest over the week-end at the home of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bassett.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Burdick and daughter, Eleanor of Canisteo were recent guests at the home of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carr.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parker left Thursday morning for Spruce Pine, N. C., where they will visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd.

—Fay E. Boyd accompanied the Wellsville bowling team to Utica where they attended the State bowling tournament held in that city, Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond, son Howard and daughter Nettie, who have been visiting relatives in town the past week, left for Odebolt, Iowa, Tuesday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hann spent the day Sunday guests of Mrs. A. M. Wood and daughter, Margaret of East Valley. The occasion was a dinner in honor of the birthday of Miss Wood.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Scott, grandsons, Scotty and Kay Henniny of Cuba were callers Tuesday afternoon at the home of his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ingraham and also her mother, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Parker.

—Miss Mable Wagner of Hempstead, L. I., spent her Easter vacation at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Schneble of Wellsville, her mother, Mrs. Grace Wagner and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huffman of this village.

—Miss Rita Burns and Miss June Rogers passed Thursday in Wellsville.

—Mrs. Edith Campbell of Shongo was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Livermore, Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Cook of Endicott were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry, Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith of Rome, Pa., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Corvell, Sunday.

—Miss Julia Lynch is visiting Mrs. Kate McClint at Genesee, Pa., this week, at the home of Father Coyle.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Champlin of Wellsville.

Robert Brown and Miss Elizabeth Hoff of Buffalo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bassett, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evingham and daughter, Dorothy of Alfred were guests at the home of H. H. Williams, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Latimer of Arkport were dinner guests Tuesday of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clair.

—Mr. and Mrs. Archie Woodcock and daughter Irene of Shongo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ingraham, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Minerva Fuller, Mrs. Grant Fuller, son Richard and Mrs. George Wereley were business callers in Whitesville, Tuesday afternoon.

—Judson Fellows has returned to his home in Kenmore, after passing Easter week with his aunt and uncle, Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard.

—Miss Eva Shepard of McLean, N. Y., has returned to her work at that place, after spending two days with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vickers and son were calling on their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Vickers in Hornell, Thursday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrick of Knoxville, Pa., were callers in town Sunday. Mrs. Mary Carr and daughter, Miss Fern Holroyd, who have been visiting her parents, returned home with them.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mulconery and Mrs. Ernest Theetge attended the regular public installation of the officers of the White Shrine at Hornell, Tuesday night. Miss Leona Clemons was installed as Worthy High Priestess.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Green were business callers in Hornell, Saturday.

—Miss June Rogers of Whitesville spent last week guest of Miss Reta Burns.

Mrs. Fred Marvin and daughter Hazel of Arkport were calling on Mrs. DeEtta Bullard and Miss Mira Diffin, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cartwright of East Valley were guests at the home of his grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. George Calhoun, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Thorne and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith were in Belmont Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. Thorne called on Mrs. Lena Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Se[illegible]tore and A. A. Hincher.

Harrison Emerson arrived in Andover Saturday and visited his mother, Mrs. Jennie Flint of Third street and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Clair of Hornell. Mrs. Flint accompanied him to Royal Oak, Mich., to visit at his home and that of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitney.

—Henry Howe of Dansville spent Monday with his cousin, Mrs. Ellen Casey.

—Mr. and Mrs. William McDonough of Troupsburg were guests of Mrs. Anne McDonough, Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harkenrider of Hornell were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Ruger, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook of Alfred Station were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ingraham, Wednesday.

—T. J. Pratt and James Lewis of Olean were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Denzel Baker, Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kaple of Pingrey Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kaple were business callers in Hornell, Wednesday.

—Ralph Williams returned to Scottsville, Sunday, after passing the Easter vacation with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Williams.

—Miss Mary Cahill and daughter Monica of Buffalo spent the day Friday at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cooper and family visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Swain at Almond, Friday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. West of Kinneyville, Pa., were dinner guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burdette West, Sunday.

—Mrs. John Howe and Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy and daughter of Friendship were recent callers at the home of Mrs. Ellen Casey.

—Mrs. Hattie Clark, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge, left Wednesday for Moshertown, Pa.

—Mrs. William Woodruff, daughter Joan, Mrs. T. R. Bassett, Miss Marion Cook and Miss Pauline Martin were shopping in Wellsville, Monday afternoon.

—Mrs. Howard Perry visited relatives in Buffalo Saturday and Sunday. Miss Geraldine Perry, who had been in that city several days returned home with her.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Jordan of Cuba spent Tuesday and Tuesday night with their daughter, Miss Mildred Jordan of Dyke street. In their honor she entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemp at a 6 o'clock dinner.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Thorne motored to Friendship Friday night, where they attended Grange. The Belfast Grange brought the fraternity chain to Friendship and put on the program.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bloss, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Backus, Mrs. William Lang, Mrs. John Joyce, Fay E. Boyd and Ralph Burgett were in attendance at the County Legion and Auxiliary meeting at Whitesville, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swain of Hornell were callers of Mrs. M. A. Orvis, Monday.

—Miss Mary Lou Day and Mrs. Guy S. Wood were guests of Rochester friends, Thursday and Friday.

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

—Miss Bernice Hardigan of Friendship passed the week-end at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Padden.

—Miss Grace Burdick has returned to Rochester after spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick at Elm Valley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis were in Hornell Sunday to call on her nephew, Percy Kilmer, who underwent an appendicitis operation at Bethesda hospital.

—Mrs. Edgar VanHorn of Alfred Station was in Andover Tuesday.

—Miss Evelyn Hayden was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemp.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells and Mrs. W. H. Green were business callers in Buffalo, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Jennie Baker is spending this week at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sanders at Cattaraugus.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Huffcutt of Mt. Morris spent from Tuesday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson, when they motored to Orange, N. J., guests of her sister, Miss Ruth Robinson who accompanied them home spending the remainder of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson.

(Other Personals on Page Four)


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| Jello | pkg. 5c |
| Rinso | pkg. 19c |
| Iona Peaches, lg. can | 2 cans 27c |
| Lux Toilet Soap | 3 for 17c |
| Gold Dust | 2 lg. pkgs. 29c |
| Crackers | 2 lbs. 19c |
| STRAWBERRIES | quart 25c |
| PEAS | 2 lbs. 25c |
| NEW CABBAGE | lb. 4c |
| TOMATOES | lb. 19c |
| Jersey SWEET POTATOES | 5 lbs. 25c |

— MEAT SPECIALS —

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|---|---|
| Hamburg, fresh ground | lb. 15c |
| Fresh Calla Hams | lb. 23c |
| Club Frankfurts | lb. 19c |
| Bacon Squares | lb. 23c |

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# Andover Theatre

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# ANDOVER NEWS

MAY 1, 1936
Sun rises 4:55 a. m. Sets 6:52 p. m.
Day's length 13 hrs., 57 min.
Moon sets 2:16 p. m.

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

VOL. 51, NO. 18. — ANDOVER, N. Y., FOR THE WEEK ENDING FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1936. — $2.00 the Year 5c the Copy


## FIREMEN HOLD JUBILEE DINNER

### Local Fire Boys Celebrate Last Payment on Pumper Thursday Night at Odd Fellows Hall.

The Andover fire department held a jubilee dinner in I. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening, to celebrate the fact that they were again out of debt, having recently made the last payment on their new foamite pumper.

The ladies of the Baptist church served a fine banquet at 7 o'clock to the company, after which Erwin D. Baker, as toastmaster, introduced Karl Buehring of Wellsville, secretary of the county firemen's association, who, after complimenting the Andover company upon their many achievements, gave a brief outline of the county association activities and plans for the convention to be held at Friendship this July.

Toastmaster Baker then introduced Rev. Raymond E. Dronsfield of the Andover Presbyterian church as the speaker of the evening. Rev. Dronsfield addressed the company in his usual pleasing manner. His remarks were fine and well received by his listeners. E. J. Reimann of Rushford, treasurer of the Allegany county association was also an honored guest.

An orchestra composed of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bloss, Oliver Kemp, James Mulholland and Robert Spicer furnished fine dinner music during the banquet.

Andover's fire department has always been one of the best in this section, and the News joins with Andover people in congratulating them on their success both as a fire organization and [illegible]

### Jesse F. Hunt

Another of Andover's lifelong residents was called to the land of the leal early Sunday morning in the person of Jesse F. Hunt. While he had not been feeling up to par for several months, he was not considered seriously ill. He worked all day Saturday at his trade, that of painter and decorator, of which he was considered a most efficient workman. He retired Saturday evening evidently feeling as well as usual, but passed away in his sleep at 5:30 Sunday morning.

Jesse Fremont Hunt was the son of Jason A. and Elmina E. Martindale Hunt. He was born in Andover, N. Y., Oct. 28, 1863 and lived here nearly all of his life.

Nov. 26, 1887 he was united in marriage with Miss Caroline Reimann. To them was born a son, Lawrence R. Hunt of Washington, D. C. His wife and son survive.

Mr. Hunt numbered among his warm friends nearly all who knew him. Having a pleasant personality, he was a jovial companion and found a warm place in the hearts of his neighbors and associates. He was from a lad a lover of sports and a faithful follower of Isaac Walton, enjoying nothing better than a fish creel, pole and line.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at his late home on Pleasant avenue at 2 p. m., Rev. R. E. Dronsfield officiating.

Interment was in Hillside cemetery.

Among those from out-of-town attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Reimann of Angelica; Dr. and Mrs. Leo Reimann of Franklinville; Mrs. Ruth Wilson of Whitesville; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bundy, Dansville; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingalls, Hornell; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mills of Belfast and Albert Howe of Wellsville.

### "Pat" Perrone in Tucson, Ariz.

The News is in receipt of a card from Pat Perrone, mailed at Tucson, Ariz., from which we quote: "I'm out in the West and I'm crazy about it."

We are sure that Andover people will all join the News in wishing "Pat" much health and happiness in this climate.

### New Drayman

Effective last Monday, J. N. Wentworth took over the draying business, formerly operated by Lyle Mulconery, and will endeavor to give Andover people first class draying service.

### Conference of Church Music and Worship

The Allegany County Council of Churches has arranged a "Conference of Church Music and Worship" to be held at the Christian Temple, Wellsville, Sunday, May 3rd.

There will be an afternoon and evening session, the former at 2:45 and the evening at 7 o'clock. To this gathering are especially invited all of the clergymen of Allegany county, all choir leaders, all their members, all church organists and pianists, church school leaders and teachers, young people's workers and counsellors and all laymen of the churches.

Every minister in the county is urged to support this county-wide venture for the improvement of this phase of church work.

## HOME BUREAU TO MEET MAY 7TH

### Meeting to be Held in M. E. Church at Short Tract.—Losers to Serve Pay-off Lunch to Winners.

Miss Flora Rose, director of the New York State College of Home Economics, will be the guest speaker at the annual Advisory Council and Achievement Day of the Allegany County Home Bureau. The meeting will be held at the Short Tract Methodist church, Thursday, May 7th, beginning at 10 o'clock.

In summarizing last year's work, several units will present skits concerning the subject matter studied by Home Bureau groups. Among these are: "Overweight and Underweight," by the Petrolia unit, under the direction of Mrs. Ed. Brandes; "Planning and Providing a Harmonious Wardrobe," under the direction of Mrs. Fred Pratt of Hume and Mrs. Ernest Brands, Scio, county clothing leader; "Your Money's Worth at the Grocery Store," headed by Mrs. Wilbur Reynolds, Scio; "Care and Management of Hair," Mrs. Ray Travis, Canaseraga; "Kitchen Management," Mrs. Robert Spicer, leader, Independence, and Mrs. Harry Bassett, Whitesville, in charge of the skit concerning Home Grounds Improvement.

Also, a part of the summary of the past year's achievement is a pay-off luncheon by the Northern Go-getters to the Southern Steppers who beat them in the membership drive last fall. All Southern Steppers will have a free lunch this day at Short Tract. The menu selected for the luncheon is one suggested at meetings of foods and nutrition groups studying overweight and underweight. The feature of this luncheon is its adaptability to either group, depending on individual selection made from dishes offered.

The Efficiency Banner will be awarded to the leading unit for the year. All unit secretary's books will be brought in, and scored. For next year, a program will be set up, and enrollments for the projects are to be brought in by unit chairmen, to be compiled by the county.

Other guest speakers from the State college of home economics will include Miss Grace Henderson, program specialist, and Miss Helen Paine, Assistant State Leader of Home Bureaus. A short musical program will be given by the Short Tract quartet, composed of the Messrs. Lloyd, Harold and Clarence Voss and Fred Ricketts.

### Card of Thanks

To the kind neighbors and friends who rendered assistance at the time of my recent bereavement, I extend my sincerest gratitude.

HAROLD HOWLAND

### Softball Meeting

All those interested in softball are requested to meet at Firemen's Hall Monday evening, May 4th at 7 o'clock for the purpose of organizing and making plans for the coming playing season.

### On Trip to Bermuda

The Right Rev. Msgr. Edward J. Rengel, V.F., pastor of St. Mary of the Angels' church, the Rev. William B. Quinlan, pastor of St. John's Church and former pastor of Our Lady of Angels Church and Dr. Joe L. Mountain of the Mountain clinic, all of Olean, sailed April 21st on the Queen of Bermuda for a brief holiday on the Island of Bermuda.

## MRS. M. DEAN TELLS OF ITHACA AFFAIRS

### Easter Services, the Townsend Club Activities, the Mutt Parade and Other Very Interesting Things.

Mr. Editor:

I am wondering today if Andover is enjoying the advent of spring (?) as much or perhaps more than Ithaca. One sure thing, it will come when good and ready, regardless of our complaints. Good things come slow.

Easter Sunday was a fairly fine day until after midday, and the flowers with spring like apparel, gave a brighter aspect to the day. A sunrise service was held at Tuchannock at 5:30 a. m., attended by a large crowd.

Special Easter services in the numerous churches, drew capacity houses of worshippers. More and more fully every year is this greatest of feasts observed.

The hum of airplanes are often heard overhead; three new planes at the port cruise the skies, as spic and span as are the new cars on the highways. The owners are Manager Mr. Peters, a student and the trio visited 12 cities on their "shopping excursion." Andover not interested in the brands.

Ithaca's town officials are congratulating themselves on locating in the city the administration offices of the new AAA for the state. Prof. V. B. Hart of Cornell's agricultural department will be in charge. Three new men are to augment the police force May 1st and 101 applications were made for the job, that in former years "went a-begging." But 72 entered the civil service exams last week, which will be followed by an oral and again by medical and physical tests, after which the choice is made.

Activity in the building line is apparent in a large apartment and rooming house in the hill section, group of eight houses in a residential section, partly financed by the W. P. A. Ground was broken last week for a large community house on South Side, principally for the negro population, of which the city has a large respectable class. WPA will also finance the work in part, to be completed in nine months. A crowd had gathered for the act of breaking ground by a prominent negro, after which a woman stepped forward and asked for the spade to do her bit, which she promptly did.

The Townsendites are still hopefully active, with weekly meetings and out of town speakers. Seymour Lowman of Elmira, a recent speaker, stated that America now needed an Emancipator—Mr. Townsend.

A Syracuse paper quoted the "Scotch Townsend Bill" as follows: "Sixty monthly pensions for all over 200 years old." No extra tax required on that.

Cornell riding school had their second annual indoor horse show last Saturday evening, attended by nearly 500 interested spectators, 50 lady riding students took part. Of the city's contestants, Miss Louise Fenner, proprietress of the riding stable won first prize with her fine saddle horse Jerry.

The annual Mutt Parade of children under 14 years, with their pets, celebrating "be kind to animals week," will take place the 25th. It is sponsored by Ithaca Journal and Rotchchilds Co., and better than 250 applications are listed to date. Children without pets will carry banners, and each child receives a little gift, besides the many special prizes. The Misses Louise Fenner and Mary Cole, attired in red capes and shining helmets, will head the line on their prancing steeds.

A word as to the city's hospitals. The latest is the large tuberculosis hospital in which the most modern equipment is now being installed. It is situated on the Trumansburg road just out of the city. The large Tompkins Memorial hospital on the hill, with a capacity of over 200 beds; Cornell's infirmary, between the campus gates and the residential section, so elevated that its view of the city and country are exceptionally fine, has large spacious grounds beautifully landscaped. It was to begin with the home of the Russel Sage family, which is now an annex to the hospital proper and used as the nurses' home. There are two smaller private hospitals in the city not forgetting the Reconstruction Building in which fine work is being accomplished in the care and treatment of infantile paralysis, patients coming from many parts.

The city's medical staff numbers about 35 M. D.'s, who are aided by a proficient staff of registered nurses on the eight and twelve hour schedules. I do admire the city's stately elms, now beginning to leaf out. So finely formed and averaging 15-feet in circumference, a few better than that, with branches clear across the street. Those that were badly injured on the campus by the ice storm were called as old as the town.

The picture of the former president of Alfred University, Dr. Johnathan Allen, as shown in the News, brought vividly to mind the impression he gave the members of our school class on first going to Alfred for examination, before they were available at home. Younger then than pictured, stately and erect, with the white flowing beard, he impressed us as really patriarchal, and we thought him the embodiment of knowledge. I also have very pleasant memories of bright accomplished Mrs. Allen, who so graciously conducted us thru her studio of beautiful paintings and also other art departments. Well, I am alone with those memories.

## LOCAL WOMAN WINS PRIZE FOR RECIPE

### Mrs. Howard Post Gets Certificate of Award For the Best Fruit Cake a La Mode Recipe.

Mrs. Howard Post, Grand View Farm, Andover, has just been awarded a certificate of recipe endorsement by Better Homes & Gardens for her recipe, "Fruit Cake a la mode."

This certificate, which brings national recognition to Mrs. Post, is given by Better Homes & Gardens only to distinguished recipes which pass its testing kitchen's tests for dependability, excellence of taste, and family usefulness.

In addition to the signed certificate, Mrs. Post also received six copies of her endorsed recipe, each bearing the Better Homes & Gardens stamp of recipe endorsement, which she can give to her friends.

In awarding these certificates, it is the magazine's aim to provide proper recognition for the creative work done by women in their own kitchens, and also to raise the standard of accuracy and dependability of recipes as a whole. No other magazine or institution gives this personal recognition and service to its subscribers.

Mrs. Post's endorsed recipe follows:

**Fruit Cake a la Mode**

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| ½ cup butter | ½ teaspoon nutmeg |
| 1 cup brown sugar | 1 beaten egg |
| 1 cup raisins | 1 tablespoon chopped candied orange peel |
| 1 cup peach juice | 2½ cups sifted flour |
| ¾ teaspoon soda | |
| 1 teaspoon cinnamon. | |

Place the butter, sugar, raisins and peach juice in a saucepan and cook for five minutes, stirring frequently. Remove from the stove and cool to lukewarm. Add the soda, spices, beaten egg, orange peel and sifted flour and mix thoroly. Place in a greased and floured loaf cake pan. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for one hour. Remove the cake from the oven, cool, slice and serve topped with the following:

**Maple Nut Mousse**

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| 1 cup maple syrup | ½ cup California walnuts |
| 4 beaten egg yolks | |
| 1 pint heavy cream, whipped. | |

Place the maple sirup in the top of a double boiler and as soon as heated (not boiling) stir in the beaten egg yolks. Cook for about 20 minutes or until smooth and thick, stirring constantly. Remove from the stove, cool and add the whipped cream. Place in the tray of a mechanical refrigerator. When nearly frozen, stir in the chopped nutmeats. Serve on the cake in place of hard sauce.

### Card of Thanks

The undersigned wish to express our sincere and deep gratitude to all the kind neighbors and friends who, by their words of sympathy and ministrations helped to lessen our burden of sorrow at the time of our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Jesse F. Hunt,
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence R. Hunt.

### Two Centerville Officers Killed at Freedom Crossing

Supervisor Daniel B. Moore and Town Clerk Mrs. Lottie Vosburg of the Town of Centerville, were instantly killed when their car was struck by a freight train Monday afternoon, while they were crossing the B. & O. tracks near the depot at Freedom.

Mr. Moore was prominent in board matters. He was chairman of the Rules and Legislation and Town Expenses Committees and a member of the Equalization and Apportionment and Education and Farm Bureau committees.

He leaves two daughters, Miss Pearl Moore at home and Miss Ruby Moore, a teacher in Canisteo High School. Mrs. Vosburg is survived by a son, Fletcher, eleven years old, at home.

## GLEANED FROM METER READING

### B. B. Hann Learns Many Things Besides Gas Consumed in 31 Years of Reading Meters.

While talking "shop" with our local gas man, B. B. Hann, the writer found out many interesting bits of news during the time of Mr. Hann's 31 years' service with the Empire Gas & Fuel company, going out in all kinds of weather, rain or shine, snow, sleet or sub zero weather, but never affecting the cheery greeting and smile of our congenial townsman.

"Bert" began his job of reading the gas meters in the surrounding rural sections and the villages of Andover, Greenwood, Whitesville, Alfred and Alfred Station in 1905, with his office in the same building that he now occupies.

With approximately 100 miles to be covered each month in making the rounds of his readings between these towns, he has covered at least 37,200 miles, at first by horse and buggy and later with the more convenient auto.

All in all, there are more than 1,600 meters in the radius covered by Mr. Hann, some in cellars containing several feet of water most of the year, others in more convenient spots in the dwellings, and still others on second floors of the buildings, which must be read regularly the first of each month.

During the 31 years, he has missed very few of these meters and has read in that time more than 545,200 meters, marked them down and made out his books for the readings taken, necessitating much time and effort.

Due to the short distances between houses in the villages Mr. Hann parks his car and covers each of the various towns by foot, covering an estimated distance of 10,800 miles during his employment. We will leave it to our readers as to the number of pairs of shoes and gallons of gasoline and oil expended by "Bert" during these years.

### Annual Meeting Athletic Association

At the annual meeting of the Andover Athletic Association, held in Firemen's Hall, Wednesday evening, the following directors were named for the coming year:

A. D. Fuller, Henry Livermore, W. J. Alderson, Edward Horan and Ray McGill.

A. L. Bloss was elected as director to the Octagon league.

Following the membership meeting, the directors elected the following officers:

A. D. Fuller, president.
Wm. Alderson, vice president.
A. L. Bloss, secretary.
C. C. Backus, treasurer.
Edward Horan, membership chairman.

Ray McGill, manager of baseball team.

The Athletic Association as you all know, is formed for the purpose of maintaining and improving Andover's athletic field, operating at no profit to anyone. However, our athletic grounds have to be cared for and the main part of this must come from membership in the association.

If you ar not a member or have not paid your 1936 dues, see Edward Horan or A. L. Bloss and help maintain this playground for Andover young people. Dues are only 50c a year.

## GAS REDUCED 5c PER 1,000

### Empire Gas & Fuel Co. Issued Revised Schedule Which Benefits Consumers $26,000.

The announcement of the Empire Gas & Fuel Company in another column of today's News, reducing the price of natural gas five cents a thousand cubic feet, will be most pleasing news to their Andover consumers. The new rate will go into effect June 1, 1936.

This reduction will also effect the other towns in this section using Empire gas which includes the Hornell Gas Light Co., a subsidiary of the Empire Gas & Fuel Co.

In announcing the reduction, Mr. Bradley says: "The reduction is in accordance with our policy of passing on to our customers as rapidly as possible the benefits which have resulted from the recent discoveries of gas in the new deep gas fields in Allegany and Steuben counties and northern Pennsylvania."

Mr. Bradley also points out that the total savings to consumers will be in excess of $26,000 a year. Previous reductions, he added, had brought savings to consumers totalling more than $30,000. The total reduction within the past three years will benefit the consumers of this company to the extent of more than $55,000 a year.

This is the third of a series of reductions the gas company has voluntarily given to the consumers the first of which was announced Nov. 20, 1933, when the old flat rate was abandoned and a sliding scale inaugurated.

The new rate follows:

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| First 3,000 ft | .70 | .05 | .65 |
| Next 12,000 ft | .61 | .05 | .56 |
| Next 15,000 ft | .53 | .03 | .50 |
| Next 20,000 ft | .46 | .01 | .45 |
| Over 50,000 ft | .41 | .01 | .40 |
| Minimum charge | | | 65c per month. |

### Loren E. Howland

Loren E. Howland, son of Hiram and Clarissa Trowbridge Howland, was born on Pixley Hill, Dec. 28th, 1861, and lived his entire life in this vicinity. For many years a prosperous farmer in Elm Valley where he passed from life Wednesday night, April 22nd.

March 8, 1886 he was united in marriage to Miss Jennie E. Baker, whose death occurred May 22, 1930. One son, Harold L. Howland, survives.

Mr. Howland was a man of genial disposition, which made him many friends. He was active in Andover public affairs, having served a number of years on the local town board.

Funeral services, in charge of Undertaker E. J. Dawson, were largely attended at the home in Elm Valley Saturday afternoon. Rev. A. D. Shepard, pastor of the Andover Baptist church of which Mr. Howland was a member officiated. Interment was made in Valley Brook cemetery.

Among those attending the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith and family of Hornell, Dell Howland and family of Elkland, Pa., and Holly Pettibone of Hornell.

### Marion Bullard

Marion Bullard, a former resident of Andover, passed away at his home in Friendship, Monday morning, April 27th.

Mr. Bullard, son of Samuel and Harriett Halladay Bullard, was born in Andover May 16, 1861. He grew to manhood here, afterward living in Almond, where he was united in marriage to Miss Maranda E. Hurd Dec. 9, 1888, whose death occurred last November. About 40 years ago he moved from Almond to Friendship, where he has since lived.

Deceased was a charter member of the Friendship fire company, and an active Mason, having but a few months ago been honored by that body in respect of his long and distinguished Masonic service. For the past seven years he was street commissioner of Friendship.

Surviving are two sons, Glenn M. of Kenmore and Earl D. Bullard of Friendship.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the late home, with Masonic services at Maple Grove cemetery.