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'HORSE AND RUGGY DAYS'

When movies were not in the picture, Andover was not in the news. When Beauty did not come in a bottle, And jazz had not become a feature of the times, the nobody drank out of coffee cups, wrapped Christmas packages, and there were no radio sets in the school. A girl did not come in a change, the jewelry store of the town was a small shop, and the students were not in living there is yet another drastic change in education. There are many things that are different. One could see few, one room, wooden schoolhouses with a great or small iron heating stove. There were no memorize one text, under the direction of one teacher. There one would have to be in a room with pupils five or six years of age to 20 or 21 years of age. One would learn the three R's reading, writing and arithmetic with dolabets and spelling bees to celebrate special holidays. In the winter time one might walk one or two miles to school in snow that was very deep. The students studied subjects preparing them for college, instead of subjects preparing them for later life, such as homemaking or book-keeping.

The students now should realize these things when they complain about the schools they have. Children of about the same age are in one room, in grades under one teacher's supervision, receiving knowledge of many subjects such as music, history and general science. The rooms have desks, radiators and many windows. The students who live any distance from school ride in buses.

The students of today have the advantages of public libraries, school libraries, radio programs and movies to help them hear many people's opinions on the subjects they are taking in school. The radio has many educational programs which further the student's knowledge of music, science or English literature and grammar. The students may keep up with the news of the world with the radio's up-to-the-minute news items. The movie, "The Crusades," would help any student like and understand the Crusades in ancient history. The "Scholastic" magazine will enable the student to enlarge his vocabulary and in the December 10th "Scholastic" there is an article on the Pan-American conference just for high school students to understand.

The radio, movie and reference books from libraries make classes much more interesting for students of today.

A-H-S
Mrs. McGee: "What part did the U. S. Navy play in the war?"
Jack S.: "It played the 'Star-Spangled Banner'."

Santa Claus has given to the Hi Herald reporters some of the letters he has received from pupils in the first and second grades. If some of the letters aren't published, Santa will still answer them.

Elm Valley, N. Y.
Dec. 2, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll and a set of dishes, a watch and a doll house and a table and chairs please. Thank you. Josephine Hoyle

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a wrist watch and a gold ring and a big doll with curly hair. Thank you. Billy Gault

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a guitar. Thank you. Robert Burger

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doctor set and a train and a target game and that's all. Thank you. Robert Burger

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1938

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a pair of ice skates and a new cowboy suit and a pair of boots to go with it. And a Teddy Bear. Thank you Santa. Jimmie Dawson

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a blue dress and a doll table and some dishes if you can and a stocking full of candy and Teddy bear and a doll bed and I hope you will get some thing too. Thank you Santa Claus. Mary Alice Horan

Elm Valley, N. Y., Dec. 7, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a streamliner train. Tennis set. Thank you. Ronald Sutor

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 7, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll and a doctor set. Thank you. Joan Woodruff

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 7, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a car, a Doctor set, tool chest and store. Thank you. John Baker

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 7, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll, doll buggy, table and chairs. Chinese checkers. Thank you. Aquinas Lynch

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1938

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a toy wristwatch and a blue dress. Come down the chimney and a Dy-Di-Doll. And a sled and a doll house and a pair of slippers and a chair and table and a roller skates and a Shirley Temple doll and a carriage and some candy. Thank you. I hope you can bring them to me. Mary Margaret Dean

Andover, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1938

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Please bring me a train and a doll house and a pair of slippers and a chair and table and a roller skates and a Shirley Temple doll and a carriage and some candy. Thank you. I hope you can bring them to me. Mary Margaret Dean

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Panthers Upset Canisteo

Andover Wins Fourth

Andover High won its fourth basketball game of the season Friday night from Canisteo by a 33-23 count. A large crowd gathered to witness the encounter as the locals rallied in the third period to win. The luckless Canisteo team scored but seven points in the last half.

In the first quarter Canisteo scored 12 to Andover's seven. At the end of the first period Coach McGee ran in a new team for the locals. This team somewhat evened things up by the half as Canisteo still led 16-15.

The same team that started the game began in the third quarter. They dropped in 12 points this period, holding Canisteo to four points. At the end of the third quarter the score was 27 to 20.

In the last quarter Dugan and Oakes replaced Saunders and Green. Andover again outscored Canisteo in this quarter 6 to 4. Fulkerson, Dugan and Oakes were outstanding for the locals. R. Cotton and J. Cotton were the highest scorers for the invaders.

The Purple and White seconds also won their fourth straight. They outscored Canisteo 12 to 9.

Summary follows:

Player	Goals	Reb.	Ass.	Stl.
G. Joyce	5	0	10	
Fulkerson	3	1	7	
Dolan	0	0	0	
Saunders	1	0	2	
Oakes	3	0	6	
Briggs	1	1	3	
Dugan	2	0	4	
Greene	0	1	1	
Healy	0	0	0	
Total	15	3	33	

Canisteo

R. Cotton 1 4 0 1

J. Cotton 2 0 4

Aultman 0 0 0

Crain 1 0 2

Gardner 0 0 0

Meyer 1 0 2

Yanni 2 0 4

Total 1 1 3

Score by period

Andover 7 15 27

Canisteo 12 11 23

Time 20:00

Referee Miles

A-H-S

Our Homemakers

Pupils Solve Home Problems

Do you have any difficult home problems that are badly in need of some solution? The Homemaking D class might be able to help you solve them if you wish, for they have been practicing this work in class the last few days. The class is beginning to realize how difficult it is to solve a family problem properly so that the whole family will be content with the solution. They have also read articles on different family problems which add much interest to their studies at the present time.

The mothers of the seventh grade homemakers will surely be surprised to open a package on Christmas from their daughters and see beautifully made gifts to put in their homes. These girls have been working hard to finish them for their mothers' Christmas. The most popular article made seems to be different types and shapes of holders.

The Homemaking house will have a new luncheon set for the table. This will add to the neatness of the house. This luncheon set is being made by the Home Economics nine class. They should be very proud of their work.

Line and coloring are being taken into consideration by the Homemaking A class who are just doing their first sewing. The main things being made are housecoats, blouses and aprons. These things will meet the requirements of the needs of the girls making them.

A-H-S

Sixteen on High School Honor Rolls

Eight first honors and eight second honors was the score for the third marking period in high school honors. The following pupils were thus honored:

First Honors—Pupils having an average of 90 per cent in three major subjects with none below 88: Marjorie Davis, John Dean, Victor Oakes, Jean Rogers, Stanley Ruder, Thelma Ahrens, Doris Honnegger, Betty Jo Ludden.

Second Honors—Pupils having an average of 85 per cent in three major subjects with none below 80: Mary Mesler, Eleanor Northrup, Nancy Snyder, Pearl Goodridge, Marion Burgett, Charlotte Coryell, Dolores Farwell, Leo Nobles.

A-H-S

Grade News

All the pupils in the second grade wish to send a Merry Christmas to Betty Jean Howland who is unable to enjoy their Christmas tree because of illness. They hope she will be able to come to school soon.

Mrs. Kupp substituted for Miss Perkins, Monday.

All the grades had their Christmas parties Wednesday afternoon.

More School Spirit Needed

Cheering at Games Encourages Players

Everyone who was at the game Friday night probably noticed Canisteo's large cheering section. Queer as it may seem, they had a larger cheering section and made more noise than the Andover cheering section did.

As this was a home game, it seems to me that the students of A. H. S. could give more support to their team by going to the games and cheering for the players. You would be surprised how it encourages them to win the game. It shows a great lack of school spirit in A. H. S.

The game Friday night was the most exciting game we have had so far this year and it seems logical that we should have had more supporters for the team. Of course we do appreciate those students who come to the games regularly, but let's see some new faces in the cheering section.

There is no reason why the gym shouldn't be ringing at the next home game. Just listen in the hall some noon and see if A. H. S. isn't gifted with some husky voices. Save that for the basketball games; we will appreciate it.

There will be another home game in the near future, so let's everybody come out to the games prepared to "holler"—good and loud.

A-H-S

A Member of the Library Council Speaks

Have you ever noticed, as you enter a public library, how quiet and hushed the whole room is? Yet how friendly the atmosphere seems to be? People have come because the world is theirs in this library. They can select their companions from characters in books. They can travel by boat, plane or railroad in this library. The don't want to be disturbed one minute. They are there for the books.

The school library is a pleasant room, filled with interesting books. There is always a librarian or an assistant librarian who wants to help you find a book. Reference books are there, full of pictures which will make even ancient history come to life. Let's not have the art of conversation developed here, students! Let's have our library hushed, full of busy people, challenging their minds, elevating their thoughts thru the world of books. Conversation may be enjoyed outside of the library, even in the streets, but books must be read in a quiet place.

Thoughtfulness of others will make us refuse to talk in the library. Let us have our library a "model" reading room!

A-H-S

School Vacation Started Thursday

The pupils of Andover High School are at present, enjoying a long vacation, in celebration of the birth of Christ. It lasts from December 22nd until January 3rd of our New Year. Students, in general seem inclined to be doubtful as to their plans for a happy time as yet, except for the fact that all wish each other "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year"—and may Santa bring each of them something extra special!

A-H-S

Juniors Hold Christmas Party

The Junior Class held a Christmas party the evening of December 17 in the gym. Sixteen members were present. Bernadine Briggs led them in Christmas songs. An amateur program was presented by the entertainment committee. Everyone had his turn in basket shooting and one-legged relays. Later, while the girls square-danced, the boys practiced basketball. Refreshments were served and Louis Dodge, playing the part of Santa, distributed gifts. Pearl Goodridge won the door prize.

A-H-S

The Meaning Is the Same

It's "Joyeux Noel" in words of France
"Bone Sturnalis" from ancient Rome.
It's Frohliche Weihnachten from Germany,
And different wherever your home,
Still, no matter in what language
From China way to Spain,
The words may differ some
But the meaning is just the same:
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Intermural Basketball Started

The intermural basketball season started this week under the direction of Mr. Holmes, the physical education director. There are four teams in Class A. The teams are:

Team
Cornell
Syracuse
Colgate
N. Y. U.
In class B there are three teams:
Team
Columbia
Penn State
Rutgers

Following is a result of the games that were played this week:
Cornell 15
Colgate 19
Cornell 10
Cornell 12
N. Y. U. 6
Penn State 8

The standing of the teams in Class A is:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Colgate	3	0	1.000
Cornell	2	1	.667
Syracuse	0	2	.000
N. Y. U.	0	2	.000

In Class B only one game has been played. Penn State won from Rutgers 8-2.

A-H-S

Blackfriars Present Christmas Party

Carols Are Sung in Assembly

Last Thursday morning, Dec. 15, in the auditorium, the high school and junior high school students eagerly awaited the drawing of the curtain for the presentation of the "Birds' Christmas Carol," by the dramatic club members.

Dolores Farwell made an excellent mother and the younger Ruggles were very good at working all the household furniture. As the Ruggles would remark, "I never saw a stylisher looking than our lives."

Principal Glenn Brotsch had students in some of their Christmas carols.

A-H-S

Latin II Students Hold Program

Several members of the Latin II class presented a Christmas program under the direction of Edna Honnegger in class Wednesday morning.

Those taking part in the Latin Christmas play were: Rosemary Lynch, John Lynch, Jessie Burger and Flora Flint. Christmas songs including "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," and "Oh Little Town of Bethleham" were sung in the Latin version. Letha Callaghan told the story of a Roman Christmas and Betty Jo Ludden read the Latin version of the Christmas story. A Latin crossword puzzle was made by Regina Richardson and Anna Hardy to test the class in its vocabulary.

A-H-S

Leo Nobles and Clyde Briggs Design Window

A cathedral window which was constructed by Mr. Holmes and upon which was portrayed in paint by Leo Nobles and Clyde Briggs the infant Jesus in the arms of Mary was seen by the audience at the operetta Tuesday night.

This painting represents hours of work, and the cast appreciates their efforts to make the operetta a success.

A-H-S

Around A. H. S. With C. Coryell

Congratulations to Mrs. Joyce, Miss Wood and Mrs. Ball for the wonderful costumes for the operetta.

Let's all get out to the Social Hours so the cheer-leaders can have new outfits before the basket season is over.

Which reminds me that there were not as many at the basketball game as there should have been. Where's our school spirit?

Maybe some of us noted the loud cheering of the Canisteo students after the cheers were given. Why were we so silent after theirs?

Bud Dolan is a very good imitator, even over the telephone. We had very enlightening conversations over the phone in English IV class Monday and Tuesday.

No one seems to have escaped having a cold. Sniff-sniff.

It's quite a novelty to have classes without the class teacher in study hall, as some of the language students think.

The French classes are enjoying the making of Christmas cards with the greeting written in French. I

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County

Davis

(Mrs. Floyd Sloan)

Dec. 20—Mr. and Mrs. Ordway and Mrs. Wednesday.

Mr. Orin Meade and Mrs. Alta Hoagland and Mr. and Mrs. R. Kemp were visitors at V. Sunday. Also Richard Hartsville.

Mr. and Mrs. La and family and Mr. Slocum, and Max were callers at Tuesday evening.

Miss Jennie Dodge, parents, Mr. and Mrs. over the holidays.

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