Turning Back the Pages

of Andover History

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50 YEARS AGO

OCT. 18, 1893

H. C. Norris, Editor

Miss Emma S. Kemp and William H. Warfield, both of Andover, were married Sept. 24th by Rev. J. W. Gibson.

Advertised meat prices: Roast beef 6c lb.; beef steak, 10c and 12½c lb.; pork steak 15c lb; sliced ham 16c; dried beef 20c.

Last Wednesday representatives from the different firemen's organizations of the county met at Wellsville and organized the Allegany County Firemen's Association. Grant Duke of Wellsville was elected president and T. J. Rose of Friendship secretary.

Mrs. T. M. Comstock and Mrs. W. H. Diffin are visiting in Binghamton.

W. E. Chase of Hornellsville is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

C. M. Wood has moved into his new house, corner of First street and Maple avenue.

D. P., T. J. and Miss Julia Regan, Charles, Pauline and Bessie Barney, Mrs. W. B. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Wisner Cook, Mrs. John C. Cartwright and May Fanton left this week to visit the World's Fair in Chicago.

40 YEARS AGO

OCT. 16, 1903

Mosher & Backus Editor-Publisher

Mark Houghtling has the foundation laid for a new brick residence on the corner of Rochambeau avenue and Harmon street.

Rev. Stephen Burdick has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Andover Seventh Day Baptist church, effective January 1st.

Miss Kate Paddon was the guest of her sister in Buffalo this week.

Mrs. F. M. Lanphear was called to Wellsville Saturday on account of the serious illness of her brother, John Hawkins.

Mrs. J. M. Brundage, Mrs. F. S. Clark, Mrs. Harriett Robinson and Mrs. Benj. Conley are attending the County Federation of Women's Clubs convention in Fillmore today.

Miss Mabel Vars returned Wednesday from a two months visit with relatives in Rhode Island.

30 YEARS AGO

OC8. 17, 1913

J. H. Backus, Editor & Publisher

Miss Alberta Rundell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rundell of Andover and Ralph H. Suykendall of Moravia, N. Y., were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday evening, October 15.

Dean Horan, salesman in Cannon Bros. store, had his eye badly cut this week by a piece of steel which flew from a curtain rod which he was adjusting.

Ralph Temple was visiting friends in Hornell Sunday.

Ed. Cable went to Jewett, O., Friday, where he will work in the oil field.

M. C. Moran of Jewell, Ohio, visited his brother-in-law, Edw. Kilbane last week.

Mrs. C. E. Brown was called to Jasper Monday by the sudden death of her father, Lemuel June.

Mrs. R. B. Burrows, Mrs. Maud Prest, Mrs. Geraldine Oakes and Mrs. J. Harvey Backus are attending the State Woman's Suffrage convention in Binghamton this week.

PERSONALS

—Misses Marion and Norma Steadman spent Saturday in Wellsville.

—Miss Irene Spencer called on Miss Lavesta Woodard at Canisteo Monday.

—Mrs. Louis Howe and Mrs. Neil Callaghan were in Wellsville on business Tuesday.

—Miss Sonoma Myers of Wellsville spent the week-end with Miss Terry Mulholland.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams attended the funeral of Arthur Cole held at Hornell Monday.

—Mrs. Milferd Henry and two children of Hume were guests of Mrs. Beatrice Clair Tuesday.

—L. G. Coleman was in Rochester Wednesday on business for the Moore Turbine Co. of Wellsville.

—Louis Day of Tip Top is passing his vacation with relatives in New York and Pennsylvania.

—Mrs. David Slocum and Mrs. Robert Sutherland were guests at the Nobles home in Shovel Hollow Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Mellinger and Miss Helen Harris of Hornell were guests of Mrs. Mary E. Kemp Tuesday.

—Mrs. Harold Emery, Mrs. Carlyle Myers and Mrs. Clayton Burger were business callers in Wellsville Monday.

—Mrs. Menzo Burdick and Mrs. Patty Wood called on their sister, Mrs. Levina Osborn, at Elm Valley, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson of Hornell were Sunday visitors of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean and two daughters were callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge on Davis Hill Tuesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Louise Corwin of Friendship spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard.

—Miss Lois Honneger was an over-night guest at the home of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Becker, of Hornell, Monday.

—Mrs. Burrel Williams and daughter, Mrs. Howard Pease and son Richard of Wellsville were business callers in Hornell Friday.

—Eugene Smith and daughter Ernestine of Olean were callers at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Grant Fuller and family spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McCaffery on Greenwood Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Spencer and family were recent visitors in Hornell, Greenwood and Canisteo. They also called on Roy Spencer at Canisteo.

—Pfc. Lou Sherwood of Elm Valley, Miss Ann Butler and Mrs. Stanley Sherwood of Niagara Falls were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris Wednesday.

—George Philipson and the Misses Metajean, Aletha, Marjory and Virginia Hoagland and Miss Margaret Jackson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge on Davis Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Appier, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cannon and daughter Mary, Mrs. Edward Walsh and Mrs. Mary Bunt attended the funeral of Mrs. Ann Appier at Alfred Saturday.

—James Guinn and Mrs. Ann Harvey of Wellsville were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. Guinn's mother, Mrs. James Guinn. Miss Veronica McAndrew of Alfred was a Saturday visitor of her grandmother, Mrs. Guinn.

RATION REMINDER

MEATS, FATS—Brown stamps C, D and E good thru October 30. Brown stamp F becomes good October 17 and remains good thru October 30.

PROCESSED FOODS — Blue stamps U, V and W expire Oct. 20. Blue stamps X, Y and Z are good thru Nov. 20.

Ration Book Four To Be Distributed Last of Month

Persons applying for War Ration Book Four, which will be distributed thru schoolhouses and other public buildings the last ten days of October, must bring a copy of War Ration Book Three for each member of the family for whom application is being made, the Office of Price Administration advised this week.

While the distribution of the new book will take place between Monday, October 18 and Saturday, October 30, the exact time and place to apply for the book are to be determined by the local War Price and Rationing Board or the District Office for each community. The new book will be used to buy processed foods and sugar, after Oct. 31.

Unlike the method used for issuing War Ration Book Three, which was mailed to consumers, it will be necessary for at least one member of the family to apply at the distribution center in person to obtain Book Four. An individual may obtain the new book for each member of the family residing at the same address.

The use of War Ration Book Three will provide a speedy and convenient method of establishing eligibility and identity. The fact that Book Four has been issued to the individual will be noted on Book Three, which then will be returned to the applicant.

Distribution of the new book thru schools, which will be handled by thousands of volunteer workers, is necessary as there was insufficient time between completion of mailing Book Three and the date when Book Four will be used to organize the necessary facilities to handle applications by mail.

The registration procedure is extremely simple, and individuals will be able to obtain Book Four with a minimum of inconvenience if they remember the following:

(1) Be sure to bring War Ration Book Three—the last ration book you received—when you apply for Book Four.

(2) One individual may obtain Book Four for all members of his family residing at the same address. Each individual's War Ration Book Three must be presented, however.

(3) Watch the local newspapers for announcements stating when and where War Ration Book Four will be distributed in your community.

(4) Don't wait until the last day to apply for the new book. If everyone waits until the end of the period before applying, it will cause delay and overburden distribution facilities.

Book Three, now being used to purchase rationed meats, fats, oils and dairy products, was distributed to the public by mail last June and July. Individuals who have not received a copy, and who wish to obtain Book Four, should apply immediately for Book Three at their local board.

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Moore Turbine Gets Renewal of "E" Award

Wellsville, Oct. 11.—Maynard D. Church, vice-president of the Worthington Pump & Machinery Corporation, Moore Steam Turbine Division of Wellsville has announced that renewal of the Army-Navy "E" has been made by the Navy Board for production awards. A new pennant with one star affixed accompanies the renewal.

The announcement was contained in a letter to President Harry C. Beaver from Admiral C. C. Bloch, USN (Ret.), chairman of the Navy Board for Production Awards.

At the request of the Navy Department, no ceremony will be held in connection with this award.

Resolutions of Respect

In Memory of

Sister Myrtie Trowbridge, P.N.G. who died October 6, 1943.

They are not lost in the distant worlds above;
They are our nearest link in God's own love.

The Angel of Death has entered our midst and we are called to mourn the loss of a faithful friend and co-worker.

Our tears are mingled with yours, your sorrows are ours. May the gloom of the sorrowing ones be dispelled by the promise: "I am the Resurrection and the Life, sayeth the Lord; he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and he that liveth and believeth in Me shall never die."

RESOLVED, That Andover Rebekah Lodge, No. 303, I. O. O. F., of Andover, N. Y., in testimony of our loss, drape its charter in mourning for the allotted time, and that we tender the family our deepest sympathy in their affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

VINNIA VICKERS, P.N.G.,
LAURA WITTER, P.D.D.P.,
JENNIE L. CARR, P.N.G.,
Committee

Gas Ration Coupons Must Be Endorsed

Buffalo District Office of Price Administration again warns all motorists to be sure and endorse their ration books immediately in accordance with national instructions. Car owners are not to wait until they buy gas before endorsing their coupons, OPA said.

"The coupon endorsement move has a two-fold purpose," Thomas J. Reese, Buffalo OPA District Director declared, adding that not only does it protect consumers against use of their coupons by others in case of theft or loss, but it also enables the government to locate criminals who have been trafficking in illegal gasoline. "By checking back the ownership of gas coupons that have been handled by suspected gas stations, the Government can determine whether a station is operating legally or illegally," Reese stated.

Effective immediately, all holders of A, B, C or T books must write their license number and state of registration on the face of all coupons, while holders of E and R books must write their name and address on the face of all ration coupons.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Ella Jenkins and son William have moved from Chestnut street to the Hartrum house on Baker street.

The W. S. C. S. are meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Gath, today, Thursday, with a 6 o'clock supper, followed by a business meeting and social time.

The Three Link Club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. H. Higby this Friday, afternoon, Oct. 15th, at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. Neil Callaghan, hostess.

Mrs. Glenn E. Bretsch and Mrs. John Common entertained at dessert bridge Wednesday night with dessert at the home of Mrs. Common followed by bridge at the home of Mrs. Bretsch.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday afternoon, October 26, instead of October 19th as previously announced. Please note change of date.

Village, Town and County workers and equipment are doing a much needed job of straightening and docking Dyke's creek above the second street bridge this week.

Cards received by Andover friends from Mrs. F. S. Potter say that Mr. Potter is improving nicely, is now eating solid food and looking forward to homecoming in the near future.

"Tony" Perrone, popular Wellsville instructor and football coach has resigned to accept a position as physics teacher at Alfred University. He is well known in Andover and is a brother of "Pat" Perrone, former popular Andover High School instructor.

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A MODERN PAINT TO *Protect* AND *Preserve* *Your* HOME
ARLING R. BAKER
ANDOVER, N. Y.

The farm home of Wallace Irish near Centerville was destroyed by fire Monday last, following an explosion of kerosene.

Word was received Wednesday by relatives that Albert McCaffrey is in the Warsaw hospital, the result of an accident. Particulars are not known at this writing.

Another mysterious fire last week destroyed a large ware house at Penn Yan, which contained 150,000 cases of canned peas and corn, which had been canned under government contract.

The firemen were called today (Thursday) about noon to the rear of the postoffice where Mail Carrier Edward Walsh's car was on fire. "Ed" played one-man fire company and had the blaze out when the boys arrived.

Fire, starting when kerosene being pumped from a truck into a tank at Dalton Tuesday exploded, destroyed five business places in that village before being brought under control by firemen from eight surrounding villages.

The Pinocle Club met at the home of Mrs. Theresa Hyland, Tuesday evening. High and second high honors were awarded Mrs. C. L. Lynch and Mrs. Bartley Joyce. The birthday of Mrs. John W. Cannon was celebrated and she was presented a gift.

Word has been received by Andover friends from Mr. and Mrs. John Quigg stating that Mr. Quigg left the St. James Mercy hospital and is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Franklin Murphy at Hornell and is gaining nicely and expects to be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Connor have moved from the Atwood apartment on Pleasant avenue to Wellsville. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greene who occupied the O. W. Robison house on West Greenwood street have rented the apartment vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Connor.

Kenneth B. Disher of Washington, D. C., has been appointed executive secretary of the Allegany County Park Commission, which includes the Allegany State Park and the Cuba Lake area. Mr. Disher was formerly assistant chief of the museum division of the National Parks Service.

The Mary and Martha Class with the Baracca Class of the Baptist church were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge on Davis Hill, Tuesday night. A social time, interspersed with games comprised the evenings entertainment. Refreshments were served afterward.

The S. D. Baptist Ladies' Aid Society held their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Dan Witter on Rochambeau avenue Tuesday afternoon. Following the business meeting the ladies were busy with sewing for their annual sale. A fine supper and social hour was enjoyed.

Belmont reports the successful end of its quest for an adequate water supply for that village, for which a number of wells have been drilled during the past year. Two wells have been completed from which the water has been accepted by the State Board of Health, and will now produce some 300 gallons per minute.

Mrs. A. L. Jones and Mrs. Louis Howe entertained at the home of Mrs. Jones, on Barney street, Wednesday, in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Donald Kemp. A party of relatives and friends enjoyed the afternoon with a program of group singing and a reading by Mrs. Oliver Kemp. A lunch followed the entertainment when Mrs. Kemp was presented two birthday cakes and a number of lovely gifts.

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News and Letters About Our Boys In Service

The address of Charles Lever has been changed to:
P.F.C. Charles W. Lever,
32839745
2nd Gunnery School Sqdn.,
Larado Army Air Field
Larado, Texas

Vincent McAndrew, Fireman First Class, was home on a four-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McAndrew.

The address of Red Allen is now: A|C Ralph Allen, 60th C.T.D., Sqdn. E., University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburg, Pa.

Arnold LeBar has been transferred overseas. His new address:
P.F.C. Arnold B. LeBar,
682 A.A.A. M.G. Btry.
A.P.O. 467, c|o Postmaster,
New York City, N. Y.

Peter Breiding is now stationed in England. His address:
Cpl. Peter Breiding
378th S.S. 79th Sq. Group,
637, c|o Postmaster,
New York City, N. Y.

The address of Paul Alderson has been changed to:
Lt. W. P. Alderson,
725th Squadron,
451st Bomber Group,
Fairmont Army Air Field,
Geneva, Neb.

"Red" Hoover has been promoted to Corporal. His address:
Cpl. Alvin M. Hoover
516 Base Hq., A.B. Sqdn.,
Army Air Field,
Santa Rosa, Calif.

Capt. Howard Leahy's new address is:
Capt. Howard J. Leahy
31st Infantry Division,
106 Medical Battalion,
A.P.O. 31,
Camp Pickett, Virginia.

Collector's Notice for the Collection of School Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned Collector of School District No. 1, Town of Andover, County of Allegany, have received the tax list and warrant for the collection of School Taxes in and for said District, and that I will receive voluntary payments at 1 per cent thereon Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week from 9 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock noon and from 1 o'clock until 3 o'clock p. m., at the Central School office, Village of Andover, for thirty days from the date thereof.

I have been instructed by the Board of Education to add 5 per cent to all taxes after November 18th in compliance with the School Law. Remember, you have just 30 days in which to pay your school taxes at 1 per cent.

Dated: Oct. 18, 1943.

ERWIN D. BAKER,
45 Collector.

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Local Legion Auxiliary Installs Officers

The newly elected officers of Thomas M. Lynch American Legion Auxiliary were installed at the regular meeting of the Auxiliary, held Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Bertha Hardy, Past President, acting as installing officer.

The new officers are:
Mrs. Melva Snyder, President.
Mrs. Reta Myers, 1st Vice Pres.
Mrs. Hazel Burgett, 2nd Vice President.
Mrs. Lulu Emery, Treasurer.
Mrs. Nora Higby, Secretary.
Mrs. Esther Temple, Historian.
Mrs. Julia Joyce, Chaplin.

Livestock Specialist To Visit County

H. A. Willman, animal husbandry extension specialist from Cornell University, will be in Allegany county for two days, Nov. 12th and 13th, to assist 4-H members with feeding and fitting problems, in preparation of animals for the 11th annual 4-H Livestock Show and Sale to be held in Buffalo on Dec. 14 and 15.

BIRTHS

Sept. 29—To Mr. and Mrs. Burdell Hatch of Belfast, a daughter.

Oct. 1—To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gross of Cuba, a son.

Oct. 2—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Woodard of Scio, a son.

Sept. 23.—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bliss of Fillmore a daughter.

Oct. 6—To Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Taylor of Scio, a son.

Oct. 7—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Maar of Belmont, a son.

Oct. 11—To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Abbott of Wellsville, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

Sept. 3—Miss Betty Jane Totten of Cuba and Jack W. Newton of Buffalo.

Oct. 7—Miss Florence Rauber of Wellsville and S|Sgt. Stanford Sovocoal of Penn Yan.

Oct. 11—Miss Barbara Robbins of Wellsville and Joseph Durnion of Hazel Park, Mich.

DEATHS

Mrs. Addie Brown, 72, Wellsville, Oct. 12. A daughter and a sister survive.

Arthur J. Dayton, 75, Wellsville, Oct. 8. Two sons and a daughter survive.

Mrs. Wallace Irish, 55, of Centerville, Oct. 6 from effects of Burns received when her home burned the day before. Her husband, a daughter, three sons and her father survive.

Mrs. Charles Mills, 66, Whitesville, Oct. 8. Her husband, six sons and two daughters survive.

BUY WAR BONDS & STAMPS

Aviation Caravan To Visit Wellsville

Young men of Andover between the ages of 17 and 26 inclusive are invited to visit Wellsville next Tuesday when the Aviation Cadet Caravan will be on hand with a staff of officers to interview prospective cadets and give them the mental examination.

The mental exam will be given twice during the day—at 9 a. m. and again at 2:30 p. m. at the Wellsville high school. It is not necessary for Andover men to make previous arrangements to take the exam and they may report directly at the high school. Men 17 years old but under 18 must have their parents' written consent with them to take the exam.

The entire day's activities will be devoted to the cadet portion of the work with a public rally scheduled for 7:30 o'clock that night on Jefferson street next to the Municipal Building. At that time the caravan of 9 trucks will be on display and at 7:30 p. m. an officer will explain the entire exhibit which will consist of the following war equipment:

A Republic "Thunderbolt" P-47, the controls of which may be studied by potential candidates for the Aviation Cadet Corps: a Link trainer which is operative; a Curtiss-Wright 1700 HP engine equipped with variable pitch propeller the latter electrically operative; an 85 hp Franklin engine for trainer which operates, and electrically operative Gun-turret as used by the Army Air Force training command. Also a "block-buster" bomb, 2,000 pounds; Curtiss-Wright engine and Zero flying equipment; captured German and Italian clothing and mess kits recently received from North Africa. The Sperry and Bendix companies probably will furnish interesting working displays. There will be a 'Walkie-Talkie", operating a "Duck" or amphibian jeep, with anti-aircraft guns, and in addition, the regular mobile recruiting trailer will accompany the caravan.

The visit of the caravan to Wellsville is being sponsored by the Civil Air Patrol Squadron of that community and young men of Andover who are interested and desire any advance information may obtain it by calling or visiting CAP Headquarters at 125 North Main Street, Phone 296 or by contacting Tex Young or Fred Mulholland, CAP staff officers.

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