LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Robert Dean has been ill the past week with grippe.

Mrs. Margaret Hallett is very ill at the home of her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dailey, on Elm street.

Regular O. E. S. meeting Monday evening, February 12. Officers and members urged to be present.

S|Sgt. Alfred B. Pettibone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pettibone of Hornell is reported missing in the Pacific area since Jan. 14.

Oliver Kemp, Lester York and William Woodruff trucks were called to Buffalo this week in the emergency transportation problem there by the ODT.

The firemen were called Wednesday morning about 11 o'clock to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carson on Rochambeau avenue to extinguish a chimney fire.

Albert Sortore has been discharged from the Jones Memorial hospital in Wellsville and is being cared for at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sortore at Belmont.

Phil M. Ferry of Alfred Station is the only Allegany county winner listed among the awards given at the 96th annual poultry show held in Boston, Mass. Ferry received a second place award.

Sgt. David Lockwood of Cuba is officially reported killed in action in Belgium on January 7th. His mother, Mrs. Bessie Lockwood died in the Cuba hospital the day the message came without knowing of her son's death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pease entertained for supper Thursday, February 1, at 6 o'clock in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Prest and Mr. and Mrs. H. Boyd. A social time was enjoyed.

W. Cecil Davis, present principal at Portville and a former member of St. Bonaventure faculty will succeed J. F. Whitford as principal of the Bolivar Central School. Mr. Whitford, who has been principal of the Bolivar school for the past 15 years, is retiring at the close of the present school year.

The McKay trailer truck that was stuck in the snow last week on Greenwood Hill was loaded with vital war equipment due to have been loaded at a New York City wharf on Friday morning. The McKay company were searching for three different trucks lost in the storm between here and New York City. The nature of the cargo was not revealed.

Attention — Wanted

Farms, Homes, Businesses; all types. West's Farm Agency, Brokers, Lewis F. Bullard, Rep. 78 Jefferson St., Wellsville, N. Y.

Attention: We need Farms, Homes Businesses, all types.

Mrs. E. A. Mullen is confined to her home with an attack of grippe.

The King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. Carl Tracy Friday evening, February 15th at 7 o'clock.

To Recruit WACS To Help Nurses In Army Hospitals

The drive throughout three states to recruit a new unit of the Women's Army Corps in honor of the late Brigadier General Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is announced for this month. All WAC recruiting stations in New York, New Jersey and Delaware will be engaged in the campaign.

Announcment of the drive was made at a press conference attended by Mrs. Roosevelt, widow of the general; Major Lucile G. VanBolt, WAC recruiting officer for the Second Service Command, and others. — General Roosevelt, eldest son of President "Teddy" Roosevelt and veteran of both World Wars, died during the battle for Normandy last summer.

Major VanBolt emphasized that recruiting for the new company will stress the selection of women qualified for assignment, or for training, as WACS with the Army Medical Department because of the present critical shortage of nurses in Army hospitals.

"Increased battle casualties have made it imperative that we supply the Army Medical Department with thousands of WACS as soon as possible," the Major said.

Members of the new Gen. Roosevelt WAC Company also may be assigned as stenographers, typists and clerks.

The company is open to women between 20 and 49 not engaged in essential war jobs.

Dates Claimed

Feb. 21.—Sauerkraut supper, Presbyterian church.

RATION REMINDER

MEATS, FATS—Red Stamps Q5, R5, S5 expire March 31. Red Stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, and Z5 expire April 28. Red Stamps Y5, Z5, and A2, B2, C2, D2 expire June 2.

PROCESSED FOODS — Blue Stamps X5, Y5, Z5 and A2 and B2 expire March 31. Blue Stamps C2, D2, E2, F2 and G2 expire April 28. Blue Stamps H2, J2, K2, L2 and M2 expire June 2.

SUGAR—Stamp 34 expires February 28. Stamp 35 expires June 2.

SHOES—Airplane Stamps 1, 2 and 3 in Book Three, good indefinitely.

PAY YOUR GAS BILLS on or before 20th of the month and save discount

Bring your gas card to be receipted

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WANDERING WITH WILLIE

ALTHO the local fireboys were not called when that "bomber" (the McAndrew barn) burned Tuesday night, they were right on the job nevertheless, minus a couple of trucks due to the deep snow and impassable roads. One of the boys Paul Revere, Jr., got out ole Dobbin' and took Pingrey Hill hossback, while the other less venturesome lads took the hill on foot. Just to prove how deep the snow is out in the country another of the fireeaters, not being equipped with fire boots but just the ordinary low rubbers carried them in his hand, the snow being so deep he couldn't reach down to his feet to pull his rubbers on each time they got pulled off.

And—alack and alas, when they got back to their car they were dumbfounded to find their refreshments, taken along in case of snakebite, had almost all evaporated.

P.S.—The tail assembly of the plane, which showed up so clearly at a distance, focused down to what was left of the silo when the gang got nearer. What a "bomber", what a "tail"!

OUT of the snow-bound vicinity of Canisteo or Hornell this week came this little note:

February 6, 1945

Dear "Willie":

In regard to that little item in the News, about the little woman wearing slacks.

After reading all four stages of your directions to cure "The Little Woman" of wearing slacks, I'm just afraid your plan will fall thru.

Have you ever tried wearing a skirt on these zero and subzero days, especially on a windy day? No, I thought not. Why don't you try it and you will know our reason for wearing slacks.

Better wear slacks than take a chance with a skirt, with you're running around snapping pictures. The result would be less embarressing.

Signed,
"A Little Woman"

P.S.—Have you been hoarding films? If not, just between friends, where can you get a roll or two?

Dear "Little Woman":

In all our years on this snow-covered planet we have never tried wearing a skirt. We have been blamed for many and sundry escapades, many of which were well justified, but God forbid, not that. When we see some of the younger lassies of our village going down the streets these cold days with no stockings and sometimes not even socks on, the flesh on their lower extremities the color of sick salamanders, we simply can't comprehend where their feelings are. Just to picture ourselves jauntily walking along with no socks, a short skirt, etc. in this bleak weather makes the goose-bumps come out on our withered carcass like golf balls.

We promise never again to go around batting our gums about slacks.

P.S.—We will tell you where we got that film if you can lead us to the location of a deck of cigarettes. —"Willie"

Civilians At War

Your Government needs and asks its citizens in this 166th week of the war to:

1. Employ special nurses only when you are critically ill.

2. Keep on saving your waste-paper. Collections are lagging, but the need remains critical.

3. Conserve all possible fuel as bad weather and hard-pressed railways seriously tax coal distribution. Coal and oil help fire the guns.

4. Write overseas by V-mail—fast, sure, private. V-mail saves precious cargo space. Frequet V-mail leters are profoundly welcomed.

GAME PARTY

I. O. O. F. Hall

Every Thursday, 8 p. m.

Liberal Prizes **Adm.: 60c, tax incl.**

Baker's Hardware News

FAMOUS NAMES BRIGHTEN YOUR HOME

Soilax Paint Cleaner at	25c box
O'Cedar Dust Mops at	$1.25 each
Murphy's Oil Soap at	35c per jar
B. K. All Purpose Cleanser at	65c per box
Evershine Porcelain Cleaner at	25c bottle
Old English Touch-up Polish at	25c bottle
Wright's Silver Cream at	25c jar
Rad All Purpose Cleaner at	59c and $1.00
Kellogg's Quality Kitchen Brushes from	25c up

Arling R. Baker, Andover, N. Y.

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Breast Drills

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WESTERN AUTO STORE

Fresh Texas Broccoli, lg. bunch 15c

New Cabbage ..... lb. 5c

Fresh Carrots ..... 2 bunches 13c

Fresh Endive ..... 2 heads 19c

Fresh Parsley ..... 2 bunches 13c

Fresh Spinach ..... 3 lbs. 27c

Fresh Radishes .... 3 bunches 12c

	300's	360's
Sunkist Lemons	doz. 39c	doz. 33c

Crisp Eating Iceberg Lettuce, lg. 4's ..... 3 heads 27c

Sweet Juicy Fla. Pineapple Oranges, lg. 176's ..... doz. 41c

Onions, Cooking ... 10 lb. bag 53c

Our Best
Enriched Flour, 25 lb. sack .. $1.03

Seneca
Macaroni or Spaghetti . 4 lbs. 34c

Rosebud Matches .... 6 boxes 29c

Ox-Heart Peanut Butter, lb. jar 29c

Thistle or Geneva Fancy Crushed Golden Bantam Corn, No. 2 can	13c
Lake Shore Pumpkin, lg. No. 2½ can	15c
Phillip's Vegetable Beef Soup, 2 cans	25c
Pine Cone Tomatoes, No. 2 can ea.	11c
Smucker's Pure Apricot Preserves, 1 lb. jar	28c
Mother's Oats, large pkg.	27c
Medford Mustard, pint jar	10c
Cocoa Marsh Chocolate Syrup, 1 lb. jar	22c
Super Suds or Octagon Granules, lg. pkg.	23c
Ivory or Swan Soap Med. 5 for 29c; lg. 3 for	29c

FRESH FISH FILLETS, lb.	39c
OYSTERS, pint	79c
WIENERS, Club Style, lb.	35c
SAUER KRAUT, Bulk, 2 lbs.	25c

BILL LANG, Mgr.

MARKET BASKET