Happy New Year To Everyone

1948 Christmas Club

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CLASS 25—Members paying 25c a week for 50 weeks will receive ---------- $ 12.50

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Personals

—Richard Potter of Devons, Mass., is a holiday guest of his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Potter.

—Mrs. Lee O'Connor of Hornell passed Friday at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Burns.

—John Burns returned Saturday to Mt. Morris after passing from Wednesday until Saturday at his home here. He is improving very satisfactorily.

—Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Guilford of Belfast, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Alderson of Newberry, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cook and family, Wisner Cook and Mrs. Effie Burbank were dinner guests and passed Christmas Eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cook.

—Richard B. McAndrew passed Christmas in Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold May of Conesus were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green Christmas Day.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cook passed Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Guilford of Belfast.

—Miss Edna Caple returned to Buffalo Sunday after passing the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Clara Hann.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean passed Christmas in Olean with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burdick and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Feeley and daughter Constance are passing the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Raymond Batt of North Tonawanda.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zimmerman of Nunda and sons, Lloyd and Lyle of Morrisville were Sunday guests at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rennells of Tip Top.

—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dahl and daughter Maureen returned home Saturday after passing a week of the holiday season with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cranston in Alabama, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nichols spent Christmas Eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Prince in Jamestown. They also passed Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snedeker.

—The Misses Ruth and Carol Walton went to Harrisburg, Pa., Saturday. Miss Carol Walton plans to return January 2nd but Miss Ruth goes to Miami, Fla., expecting to make a few days' stop-over in Charleston, S. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morton and children of Woodhull and Mrs. Lulu Kilmer of Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gibson of Dundee were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davis.

—Miss Mabel Wagner of Hempstead, L. I., is a guest at the home of her mother and brother, Mrs. Grace Wagner and Clarence Wagner. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Schneble and daughter Janet of Wellsville and Miss Wagner were Sunday dinner guests at the Wagner home.

—Mrs. Jennie Carr passed the holidays guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Williams of Cameron.

—M. J. Moran of Genesee, Pa., was a guest Christmas Day of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Moran.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stiles of Endicott spent from Christmas Day until Sunday guests at the home of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Collins.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Lang, daughter Janet and Murlyn Mather were dinner guests at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tapp in LeRoy, Christmas Day.

ANDOVER THEATRE

SAT. & SUN., JAN. 3-4

"SEA OF GRASS"

Katherine Hepburn and Spencer Tracy

—Plus—

'SINGIN' IN THE CORN'

Judy Canova, Allen Jenkins

—Coming—

"I've Always Loved You" and "Sioux City Sue"

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

ATTENTION! LEGIONNAIRES

REGULAR MEETING
Lynch-Burgett Post
Thursday, Jan. 8th
8:00 P. M.
Lunches Served
Each Meeting

New Year's Eve Dancing Party

Andover Legion Home

Music by

NOISEMAKERS NOVELTIES

Dancing 9 to 3

Legion Members and Guests Invited

Big Pre-Inventory SALE

We MUST reduce our stock before Inventory

and in order to do so we are offering some REAL BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK!

MacINTOSH APPLES . 3 lbs. 25c
CALIFORNIA GRAPES ..... 2 lbs. 29c
GRAPEFRUIT, sweet and seedless . 6 for 29c

— EXTRA SPECIAL —

Fresh Frosted STRAWBERRIES
Make a Delicious Shortcake
Sweetened — 1 lb. pkg. 39c

BANANAS - Large yellow ..... 2 lbs. 29c
FLA. JUICE ORANGES ..... 2 doz. 49c
Fancy Home Grown POTATOES, 15 lb. pk. 59c
FRESH CRISP SPINACH ..... 2 lbs. 25c
COOKING ONIONS ..... 3 lbs. 29c
SWEET and TENDER
OUR VALUE PEAS .... can 10c
RICE - Bulk or Pkg. ..... lb. 19c
CAMPBELL'S
PORK & BEANS ..... 2 cans 29c
GOLD MEDAL or RED & WHITE
FLOUR ..... 25 lb. bag $2.29
BARTLETT PEARS, B. & W. .... lg. can 39c

Last Chance to Buy at this Price Before Tax

CIGARETTES ctn. $1.59

ALL POPULAR BRANDS

RED & WHITE

WISHES YOU THE VERY BEST OF HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY IN THE COMING YEAR!

Mixed HARD CANDY .... lb. 35c
NEW WASHED BRAZIL NUTS ..... lb. 39c
Scott Tissue Toilet Paper 3 rolls 29c
Woodbury's Facial Soap ..... 3 bars 29c
Webster's Tomato Juice .. No. 2 can 10c
Grape Juice ..... 2 pint bottles 25c
Beans, for baking ..... 2 lbs. 49c

Turkeys lb. 79¢

Fancy Young Hens, 6 to 8 lbs., all cleaned

CHICKENS - All Sizes, Fresh, Home Dressed, Cleaned ..... lb. 65c

Strictly Fresh - Local Gathered
EGGS ..... doz. 59c
BEEF CHUCK ROAST ..... lb. 49c
BOILING BEEF ..... lb. 35c
PIG LIVER ..... lb. 39c
FRESH FISH - Boneless ..... lb. 47c
OYSTERS ..... pint 83c

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ANDOVER NEWS

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Letter to Editor Commends Rev. W. L. Greene

Dear Editor:

I read with interest and appreciation in last week's News your reference to Dr. Greene's retirement and resume of his educational career and other activities. Its reading inspires me, inasmuch as I am a member of "the cloth" and have known Walter (he will always be Walter to me—at least when we are alone together) to add this personal word of appreciation.

We spent years of the heyday of our ministry together here in Andover; he as pastor of the Seventh Day Baptist Church for 27 years, I as pastor of the Methodist Church for three years. I look back upon that period made fragrant with his acquaintanceship. I was impressed then with his brotherliness and have been influenced and inspired down through the years with the sweet spirit of the man. Sometimes the individual's elevation is at another's expense. No one was ever pushed down by his going up.

We had union Sunday evening services while I was here serving the Methodist Church. Rev. Hassel was in the Presbyterian Church and Rev. Conrad in the Baptist Church. It meant extra work for him in the preparation of the message and its presentation on Sunday evening, especially in the too often critical presentation of other ministers. He did not have to come in with us. He had had his service on the previous, to him Sabbath Day. But he did come in and took his turn in the presentation of the message. And the present day Methodist pastoral household looks back upon those messages he presented as filled with meat worthy of digestion. I refer to this as not only indicative of the mentality of the man but also his brotherliness.

Victor Hugo says that prejudices are the real robbers in life. How true this is. And I discovered in my pastorate that ministers are also mortals when it comes to prejudices. And I have been subject to them somewhat myself. Today I have the feeling that our retiring brother had as few of them as it is possible for mortal man to have. I doubt if any prejudice ever paved the way in his heart for envy, jealousy, or hatred of another. Certainly no prejudice ever robbed him of a spirit that throughout his ministry was one of sweetness and, I believe, therefore, of joy.

I have seen flowers in profusion heaped upon the remains of one who in life received but few, if any. In these humble words I want to flower our brother's retirement while he is still with us. Perhaps not in this world's goods has he achieved the highests success but from the Biblical standpoint has he not reached the pinnacle? "Thy gentleness hath made me great."

Forcibly retired because he had reached the allotted three score years a bishop of our church our general conference in these valedictorian words: "I shall retire to the Hocking Valley, there to spend my retirement in the presence of the graves of my ancestors, hoping to make my declining years as calm and peaceful as a Lapland night."

I trust, addressing you, my brother, that the fine spirit which you have exemplified throughout your ministry may likewise make your declining years "as calm and peaceful as a Lapland night."

A. W. MacDOUGALD

Wintemberg—McAndrew

Miss Susan McAndrew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McAndrew and Louis Wintemberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Norris, both of Andover, who have been employed in Washington, D. C., for the past several months, were united in marriage Saturday morning, January 3rd at 9 o'clock at the Andover Blessed Sacrament church. The pastor, Rev. John R. Shea performed the single ring ceremony before the altar which was decorated with white ponpoms and candles and poinsettias. Mrs. John Dolan was organist.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. W. B. Stryker of Washington, D. C., the best man being Robert Baker of Andover. She was given in marriage by her father.

The bride chose a light blue tailored suit with white accessories and wore a lapel corsage of white orchids. Her maid of honor wore a beige suit, brown accessories and a lapel corsage of Talisman roses.

Mrs. McAndrew, mother of the bride, wore a black dress with black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses, while the mother of the groom, Mrs. Norris chose a black dress and accessories, with a corsage of pink roses.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served to 22 guests at Hotel Joyce, with the bride's table centered with a three-tiered wedding cake.

The young couple left that afternoon for a week's trip to New York City. The bride's traveling outfit was her wedding suit. After visiting points of interest in New York they will return to Washington, D. C., where they will make their future home.

The bride is a graduate of Andover Central School and the Rochester Business Institute. She is employed by the U. S. Public Health Service at Washington, D. C. The groom is also a graduate of Andover Central School and served in the U. S. Army for 18 months. He is employed by the U. S. Naval Gun Factory at Washington.

Pre-nuptial events included a variety shower given by Misses Beatrice Dean and Wilma Goodridge at the home of Miss Dean last week.

Out of town guests attending the wedding and breakfast were Mr. and Mrs. Burton Carnes of Wellsville.

The News joins the many Andover friends of the young couple in congratulations and best wishes.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. George Wereley of Water street was admitted to the St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell, Sunday, where she underwent an operation Monday morning. She is reported as gaining satisfactorily.

John W. Cannon Well Again Producing

An old well on the John W. Cannon property on Water street was redrilled and cleaned out last week and shot Saturday with no showing of gas. Further cleaning and a second charge Monday by Contractor Helmheld brought in a good showing of both gas and oil.

The drilling rig is being moved to the Leonard Snyder property also on Water street where a fifth well will be drilled in the Water street vicinity.

Odd Fellows Installation in New Hall Jan. 13

District Deputy Harold Lapp and staff of Fillmore will install the newly elected officers of Andover Odd Fellows Lodge No. 786 next Tuesday evening, Jan. 13.

The Odd Fellows have finished moving into their new home recently purchased of C. L. Lynch and the installation ceremonies will be held in the new hall.

Annual Report of Andover Police Department

The following report was submitted to the Andover Village Board by Police Officer Albert J. Rogers for the year ending December 31st, 1947:

Property reported lost or stolen, value	$4,138.00
Recovered	$3,133.00
Red light calls	168
Auto accidents reported	35
Arrests made:	
Intoxication	21
Disorderly conduct	6
Malicious mischief	1
Petit larceny	8
Traffic infractions	16

cessary.

It was also pointed out in the report that due to the narrow and busy section of Andover Main street between Greenwood and Center streets, much confusion could be avoided if cars, especially those of merchants, could be parked in lots back of their business places. Many other Allegany county villages have posted two-hour parking limitations for instances of this kind, but with the co-operation of Andover merchants who drive to their stores and leave their cars parked in this section during the business day, this move would not be ne-

John F. Snyder Dies in Rome

John Frederick Snyder died in Rome, N. Y., Friday, January 2, 1948, following a long illness.

Mr. Snyder was born September 22, 1899 in Ward, a son of William and Katherine Will Snyder.

He is survived by his mother and the following brothers and sisters: Carl and Ernest Snyder, both of Alfred; Herman Snyder, Town of Ward and Mrs. Anna Dickinson, Wellsville and Leonard Snyder of Andover. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

The body was removed to the James Mulholland funeral home here where funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Albert N. Rogers officiated. Burial was made in Hillside cemetery.

Appreciation

We wish to thank the American Legion, the Woodruff employees and the Masonic and O. E. S. orders and any others who assisted us in any way during my illness.

L. Frank Davis

Julia Hoagland Fractures Ankle

Word has been received here that Mrs. Victor Hoagland is suffering a fractured ankle at her home in Denver, Colo. We don't know the whole story but we understand that her daughter's "Christmas Bike" was involved in the accident.

Mrs. Lillie J. Sutton

Mrs. Lillie J. Sutton, 84, of Andover died Sunday morning, January 4, 1948, at the home of her son, Dr. Willard J. Sutton of Alfred.

Mrs. Sutton was born in Andover, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Comstock. She went to Hornell at the age of 18 where she resided for many years. She was married to Charles Sutton and they operated the Sutton Studios in Hornell for about 50 years.

After the death of her husband she went to China to make her home with her son, Dr. Sutton who was a teacher in Fouchow University. After spending five years in China she returned to the United States and resided in Andover until a few months ago when she went to Alfred to live with her son.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Hornell, Kanestio Valley Chapter, D.A.R. Arthur H. Cummingham unit, American Legion Auxiliary and a former member of Ivanhoe Chapter O. E. S. and Hornell Zonta Club.

Surviving are two sons, Dr. Willard J. Sutton of Alfred and Frank Sutton of Los Angeles, Calif., five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Landon Funeral Home in Hornell, Dr. W. W. McCall officiating with interment in Hope Cemetery, Hornell.

Cornelius J. Laverty

Cornelius J. Laverty was born in Andover in Feburary 1868, the son of James and Mary McClusky Laverty and died Tuesday, December 30, 1948, at the home of Mrs. George Guinn on Greenwood Hill.

"Neil," as he was popularly known, was an employee of the Socony Vacuum Oil Company in Olean for 34 years, retiring 14 years ago and returning to Andover where he made his home with his sister, Miss Mary Laverty until her death in February 1946. For the past several months he has lived in the Guinn home where he died.

He was never married and is survived by the following nieces and nephews: John J. Laverty, Olean; Mrs. Mirium Albrecht, Homestead, Pa.; Mrs. Margaret M. Heath, Lake Worth, Fla.; Mrs Elizabeth Esmay, Dorloo, N.Y.; Arthur Laverty, Buffalo and Mrs. Catherine Hollerson, New York City.

Services were held at Blessed Sacrament Church, Friday morning January 2, the Rev. John Shea officiating with burial in Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

Legion to Present Annual Polio Benefit Concert

Plans are being completed for the annual Wellsville Apollo Club concert sponsored by Lynch-Burgett Post, No. 397, American Legion to be presented at Andover Central School auditorium January 27th.

Proceeds of the concert are turned over to the drive against infantile paralysis.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks for the many acts of kindness extended us at the time of our recent bereavement by friends and neighbors. We especially thank Rev. Rogers and all who furnished cars and the beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. Katherine Snyder and family.

Masonic Officers Installed Monday Evening

At the regular communication of Andover Lodge No. 558, F. & A. M., January 5th, the following officers for the ensuing year were installed by outgoing Master Erwin Lewis:

Charles M. Holt, Master.
James B. Mulholland, S. W.
William Woodruff, J. W.
Orville Mesler, Secretary.
Charles Stebbins, Treasurer.
Guy Hulin, Chaplain.
Carlton Green, S. D.
Gerald Hann, J. D.
Ralph Allen, S. M. C.
Gordon Pease, J. M. C.
Arthur Genung, Marshall.
James Martin, Tyler.

Refreshments were served following the installation.

This meeting also launched the local drive for the Masonic Brotherhood Fund. Besides raising funds for the new Masonic Foundation for medical research on Rheumatic Fever, it also includes Masonic charities for outside relief and the Masonic home. Donations may be made to any of the following committee or to the lodge secretary, Orville Mesler.

Committee: E. N. Clair, chairman, Charles Holt, William Woodruff, Fred Wildman, Gordan Payne and Harold Huffcutt.

Annual Meeting of Andover Free Library

The annual meeting of the Andover Free Library will be held at the Library Friday evening, January 16, 1948, at 8 o'clock. Annual reports will be given and such other business transacted as may come before the meeting.

3 ANNA B. WOOD. Secy.

New Arrivals

A daughter was born Dec. 6th to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Klein, Jr., of Wellsville at Tullar Maternity hospital. Mrs. Klein was formerly Miss Ardath Phillipson of Andover.

Grange Notice

There will be a tureen supper at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening at the hall. Please bring rolls and a tureen to pass. Regular business meeting will follow. A good attendance is especially desired.

County Legion to Meet in Wellsville

The January meeting of the Allegany County American Legion and Auxiliary will be held at the Legion Home in Wellsville, Thursday evening, January 15th.

O. E. S. Notice

Installation of officers at the regular meeting of Anna W. McArthur Chapter, Eastern Star, Monday evening, January 12th.

IN MEMORIAM of Alberta Cannon

As the stream of life rolls on and still the vacant chair recalls the love the voice and smiles of the one who sat there, it's lonesome here without you dear; for life's not the same since you were called away. It is said time heals all sorrow and helps one to forget, but so far time has proved how much we miss you yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon and family.