Turning Back the Pages

of Andover History

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50 YEARS AGO

APRIL 6, 1898

Mosher & Green, Editors

E. A. Richardson is working in the Atwood Hardware store.

A. F. Ray has purchased a home on the upper end of Greenwood street.

Henry Coleman has purchased the new home of Ward Oatley on Chestnut street and will move there as soon as the interior can be completed.

Daniel Regan has been section foreman for the Erie between Wellsville and Scio and will move to Wellsville.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Brundage this morning.

D. L. Padden left Sunday for Cleveland, Ohio.

Curtis Burdick and Lee Foster left Sunday for Smithfield, W. Va., where they will be engaged in the oil fields.

40 YEARS AGO

APRIL 3, 1908

J. H. Backus, Editor & Publisher

Rev. Jared Kenyon, 89, pastor of the Independence Seventh Day Baptist church for many years, died Friday. Services were held Monday with burial at Independence.

James Cannon, 26, was killed in a train wreck near Belvidere last Friday, when the express on which he was fireman crashed into a freight. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cannon, two brothers and three sisters survive.

Charles Baker has purchased the Atkins property on Greenwood street.

Frank Emery has started the cellar for a new house on his property on Chestnut street.

George Ryder of New York City, who has been here the past week installing the new Estey organ in the Presbyterian church gave a fine recital on the instrument Tuesday evening.

Miss Erma Loughlen is a guest of Miss Georgia Burdick of Alfred.

Will Mitchell left Wednesday for Lima, Ohio, where he has employment.

30 YEARS AGO

APRIL 5, 1918

J. H. Backus & Son, Editors

Real estate transfers have been active in Andover the past week. Jack Smith has purchased the Robinson property on Main street. Edward Horan has purchased of the Mary Shields estate the brick house on Dyke street and C. W. Williams has purchased the property corner of Pleasant and East avenue of the Frank Bassett estate.

Jerry Updyke, John Dodge, William Brown and Henry Baker have been in Belmont this week as trial jurors.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Barney and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Calhoun are moving into their new home on Main street, recently purchased of H. E. Robinson.

Mrs. Dell Clair was called to Norwich Sunday by the serious illness of her mother.

Frank Emery is a business visitor in Buffalo.

Miss Julia Raufenbarth is home from Lynbrook, N. J., for the Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown and son of Painted Post were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Scribner the first of the week.

Miss Veronica Hyland, who is attending business college in Buffalo is passing the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hyland.

Sergeant Porter Richardson was home from Camp Dix and Raymond Snyder and Harold Kemp of Camp Upton were home a few days the first of the week.

PERSONALS

—Mrs. Donald DeRemer and Mrs. Donald Emery were Hornell visitors Monday.

—Bobby McClure is passing a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Grace McClure of Wellsville.

—Mrs. Locha Burdick of Elm Valley was a caller Thursday afternoon of Mrs. Clara Hann.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Briggs of Stannards spent Easter Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eva Hazlett.

—Mrs. Charles Freeland called on Mrs. O. A. Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Finday in Hornell Tuesday.

—Mrs. C. C. Backus and son James were Friday visitors of her mother, Mrs. Jennie Loughhead of Knoxville, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green passed Saturday in Dansville with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark.

—Mis Irene Marie Lynch of Buffalo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coats and son John and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coats were in Genesee Pa., on business Saturday.

—Donald and Philip Hollister and William Bertram of Hornell were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Beach.

—Mrs. O. J. Brundage and two children of Wellsville spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kent.

—Misses Anna Laura Crandall and Doris Spicer of Independence were callers of Mrs. Mrs. Robert Church Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Simpson of Alfred Saturday and attended the Easter services.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sisson attended church in Almond Sunday and were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sisson.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Potter spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Gurnsey in Hornell.

—Mrs. Mabel Owen and son Paul Owen of Hornell passed the week-end at the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Mitchell.

—Mrs. Florence Slocum of Wellsville spent Easter Sunday with her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emery.

—Mrs. James Guinn and son, Raymond Guinn of Port Jervis, passed Easter Sunday in Wellsville with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Guinn.

—Mrs. E. V. Greene of Railroad Valley attended the school for Home Bureau members held in Wellsville Thursday. The lesson was on "Meat Cooking."

—Mrs. Henry Baker and Lewis Meyer, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dennison of Hornell were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cleveland of Allentown.

—Mrs. Howard Nichols and daughter, Mrs. Lee Marvel and two daughters, Richard Coats and son John and Mrs. Elmer Coats were in Wellsvile on business Saturday.

—Mrs. Carrie Slade, Mrs. Ethel Clarke, Mrs. Kenneth Vars and Mrs. Florence Bines attended the Easter service and program at the Sr D. Baptist church at Independence Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruger entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ruger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker and son Richard and Miss Julia Walker of Wellsville at their home Easter Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eldyn Brooks and three daughters of Angelica spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Green. Miss Sandra Brooks remained with her grandparents.

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HAPPENINGS of Local Interest

Whitesville Grange has voted to surrender their charter and disband.

Lyle Mulconery is among Andover residents driving new cars this week. Lyle is sporting a new Nash sedan recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Graham of Belmont observed their golden wedding anniversary March 24th, with a family gathering at their home.

An estimated $50,000 fire of undetermined origin swept thru Machias Main street Monday destroying two grocery stores, a furniture store and two apartments.

James Ames of Scio has been selected as one of the 20 New York State 4-H poultry project contest winners and will receive 100 New Hampshire baby chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church entertained at a family dinner Easter Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Church and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meyn and daughter Connie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Warner, Sr., of Angelica have received word that the body of their son, Corporal Robert Warner has arrived in San Francisco from Iwo Jima where he was killed in action in the spring of 1945.

Calvin Matteson, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Matteson of Belmont suffered fractures of both legs and head injuries last week when struck by a truck near his home. The boy darted out from behind a bulldozer in front of the truck.

Two Wellsville youths, Walter Case, 19, and Raymond Willard, 18, have been arrested and held for action by the Spring term of Grand Jury on third degree burglary charges. Confessions by the youths and goods recovered cleared up a number of other unsolved thefts.

The how, when, and why of pruning fruit trees is told in a booklet put out by the State Experiment Station at Geneva. Numbered Circular 121, it is called "Orchard Management," and deals with the fundamentals in fruit growing. Free copies may be had by writing the Mailing Room, N. Y. S. Experiment Station, Geneva, N. Y.

Speaker Oswald D. Heck signed his 16,000th piece of legislation as the 171st session of the Legislature adjourned recently. No other elected State official has ever had his name on so many legislative measures. Mr. Heck has been speaker of the Assembly for 12 years and one of the duties of his office is to sign every bill passed.

Early season plans indicate a return to a near normal acreage of green peas for processing in New York in 1948, according to a Federal-State report issued by the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets. If these plans are not modified by unfavorable weather, as they were a year ago, a total of 37,500 acres is expected to be planted in the State.

Too many people cast a stale crust of bread on the waters and expect chocolate cake in return.

WANDERING with "WILLIE"

EVERY once in a while we get into a tangle with neighbors or friends regarding the English language, and the other evening was no exception. Seemingly one of our local gals took it for granted that a notice appearing in the paper regarding fishing licenses for women, effective next summer meant this summer instead of next (see what we mean?)

So we took another good long drag on our coffee and tried to explain that we always were of the opinion that "this" summer meant the summer immediately coming, and "next" summer was the summer following "this" one. Anyhow we went to the dictionary and figured that we'd put that gal in her place once and for all. This is the result of our findings: This—Indicating a thing or person near or present, actually in space or time; as being nearer than some other. Next—Of persons, things, occasions, etc., coming directly after another in point of time.

And after it was all settled (so we thought) she wanted to know if this Sunday was next Sunday or something to that effect and it all ended by telling her that next year (summer of 1949) if she figured on doing any fishing she would have to get a license but during the warm weather we hope to see with us soon she could do all the doggone fishing she wanted for free.

ADD sure signs of Spring . . . Police Chief, Fire Chief Albert J. (Cupe to you) Rogers getting his little one-eighth lung gasoline buggy all ready for the road . . . "Hank" Allen diligently digging for angle worms back of the News office. (Last year he reported one-half pint per square yard of earth, but this year so far he averages 1 worm per cubic yard). . . . And last but not least, to see S. George Sackett tearing around in those cute little blue dungarees testing gardens with his heel to see if the ground is firm enough for him to get his tractor going.

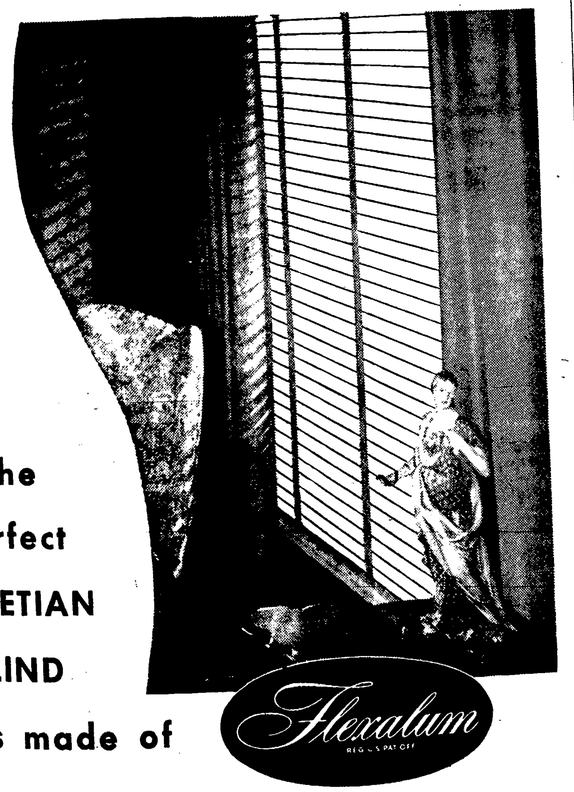
THERE'S a little story a fellow sent us the other day regarding how some officers will work to keep their outfits above that of the other fellow in the Army.

Two regiments whose officers were great rivals were camped along side each other during maneuvers. Into the tent of the camp came a chaplain. "I found I was able to sow the seed of religion in the fertile soil of the other regiment," said he, "I converted ten men."

The colonel reared right up with "Route out a dozen men to be baptized," he yelled to the adjutant. "We can't let those fellows get ahead of us on anything."

Dates Claimed

April 13—Card party, Blessed Sacrament Hall, 8 o'clock.



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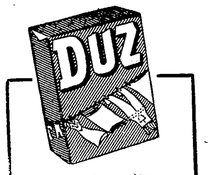

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