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Turning Back the Pages of Andover History

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50 YEARS AGO

JAN. 10, 1900

Mosher & Backus, Publishers

Last Friday two full trains of ice were cut and loaded here, a total of 74 carloads.

Thomas N. Boyd has been elected president of the Allegany county G. A. R.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Barrett, Tuesday, a boy.

Mrs. Daniel Boyd died Monday morning, aged 52 years. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters.

W. E. Snyder is home for a month from Vermont.

Frank W. Burrows returned to his school duties at Amherst, Mass., this week.

Miss Lena Driscoll returned to her duties at Frankfort on Tuesday.

Rev. W. B. Wagoner and Rev. Stephen Burdick of Andover attended the monthly meeting of the Ministers' Club at Wellsville Monday.

40 YEARS AGO

JAN. 7, 1910

J. H. Backus, Editor & Publisher

Mrs. Augusta Davis passed from life Friday, December 31. She is survived by her husband, C. F. Davis, two daughters, Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge and Mrs. W. S. Clarke and a son, C. F. Davis, Jr.

Andrew Williams died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams Wednesday night, aged 24 years.

Mrs. Lester Williams died at her home in Alfred Sunday morning, aged 67 years. She is survived by her husband and one son, E. O. Reynolds.

An eleven pound girl is a recent addition to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Menzo Burdick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Slocum have moved to their new residence on Rochambeau street.

Andrew Fuller passed Sunday with his parents at Scio.

Mabel Vars was a guest of Wellsville friends from Friday until Sunday.

Ed. McAndrew and sister Miss Chestina were in Belfast last week to visit their sister, Mrs. Boyle and family.

Misses Juiia Raufenbarth and Celia Riley of Andover were guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. O'Connell recently.

30 YEARS AGO

JAN. 9, 1920

J. H. Backus & Son, Editors

Miss Neva Wilber of Andover and Clifford Sherwood of Wellsville were united in marriage January 1st at the M. E. parsonage in Wellsville by Rev. E. A. Mathews.

Frank Davis is driving a new "Baby Grand" Chevrolet touring car.

Clarence Mead is working in Baker Bros. hardware.

Cecil Clarke has been in Buffalo this week, undergoing a slight operation.

Mrs. Jennie Owen entertained Mrs. Henry Snyder, Christmas Day for dinner.

Mrs. Gertrude Joyce is taking Miss Mary Casey's place as night operator at the telephone office.

Born, New Year's morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Will, a son, Carl Edward.

E. V. Greene was a business caller in Hornell Tuesday.

Louis Ruger of Bath was visiting his brothers, Kirk and Glenn Ruger from Saturday until Monday.

Fred Church returned to Port Jervis Sunday after passing a ten-day vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Gates Saunders of Hornell were in Rochester visiting friends Sunday.

Mrs. George Vickers and children returned Saturday night from a two week's visit with Hornell relatives.

Eight-Day State Fair Slated for 1950

The 1950 New York State Fair at Syracuse will open Saturday, September 2 and close on Saturday, September 9.

Commissioner DuMond of the State Department of Agriculture & Markets, in making the announcement of the dates for the 104th exposition, said he is confident an eight-day fair will clear the way for presentation of a completely balanced program in every department.

The program envisioned by the department for the 1950 fair includes harness horse races of the highest caliber, a mammoth interdenominational religious service on Sunday, great industrial shows and other special events.

Dearborn Motors Optimistic for 1950

The following statement was made by Frank R. Pierce, president, Dearborn Motors Corp., Detroit, national marketing organization for Ford Tractors and Dearborn Farm Equipment.

"As far as the outlook for our business in 1950 is concerned, we frankly are on the optimistic side. although there's no denying the fact that business will come only to those who go after it.

"Last year was a good year. Ford Tractor shipments will reach approximately 105,000 for the 12-month period—just about 21 percent of the industry volume on wheel-type farm tractors. Implement sales likewise have been good.

Farmers still have the ability and desire to buy productive machinery, but the advantages of particular types and makes of farm equipment will have to be thoroughly demonstrated. For all of us—the manufacturer, the dealer, the farmer—that is a healthy and normal situation.

Dearborn Motors is currently engaged in a major expansion program involving an investment of millions of dollars. We are building a new headquarters building, and a new research center near Detroit which we expect to occupy in 1950 This, perhaps better than anything else, demonstrates the confidence we have in the future of agriculture the farm equipment business, as well as the part we expect to continue to play in it.

Uncle Sam Says

Planted wisely, the money you have this year of 1950 can be the seed that grows into dreams come true, a harvest of farm or ranch expansion, education for the children or that long vacation trip you've wanted. Invest every possible penny in U. S. Savings Bonds, then every $3 you plant today will yield $4 in 1960. Bonds are just as important a part of a well-managed farm as is land, livestock or machinery. With U. S. Savings Bonds, your financial reserves are in the safest possible form and readily available. Your bank offers a simple Bond-A-Month Plan for your convenience.

U. S. Treasury Department

Dairy Congress to Be Held Jan. 26-27 In Friendship

James Young, Jr., chairman of the Allegany County Farm Bureau dairy committee, announces that plans have been completed for a bigger and better 1950 Dairy Congress.

This event which is to be held at Friendship on January 26 and 27, will include outstanding speakers and discussions on milk house construction, dairy breeding and feeding, mastitis control and dairy outlook and improved marketing. Some of the speakers, according to Mr. Young, are Prof. Ray Albrectsen of the Dairy Department of Cornell University; Prof. Ernest VanAlstine of the Agronomy Department at Cornell and Dr. Lou Cunningham of the Department of Agricultural Economics.

Milton Scutt of Friendship, in charge of the hay and silage show, requests all farmers to bring a good five-pound sample of hay and a one-quart sample of silage to the show. He reminds all dairymen of the big silver cup that goes to the hay king of the county, also the liberal prizes and ribbons that are awarded to runner-ups.

Also highlighted, will be equipment, 4-H and FFA show.

Mr. Young states that a notice will be sent to every dairyman regarding this event and urges all who are interested to make plans now to attend.

HEALTH FOR ALL

This column is sponsored, in the interest of better health, by the Allegany Health & Tuberculosis Association, 44 Schuyler St., Belmont, N. Y.

Streptomycin

In the last few years, many of us have read and heard a great deal about streptomycin, a newly developed drug derived from a soil fungus. Streptomycin and its derivative, dihydrostreptomycin, have thus far shown much promise in the treatment of certain disease, particularly some forms of tuberculosis.

Streptomycin is the drug with the greatest promise of any drug yet used in tuberculosis treatment, but it is not a "cure-all" and it has certain limitations. It it not a specific cure for tuberculosis, but rather a valuable adjuct to other forms of treatment for certain types of tuberculosis. When used, it is always a part of the whole program of treatment and should be given only under strict medical supervision.

Streptomycin has been used with particular success in miliary tuberculosis and tuberculous meningitis—forms of the disease which until streptomycin was discovered were almost invariably fatal. Even with these forms of the disease, however, recovery is not always absolutely certain following streptomycin treatment.

There are certain handicaps to using streptomycin. One is the fact that the tuberculous germs of the patient receiving the drug frequently develop resistance to it and the drug then loses its effectiveness. Another handicap of streptomycin is the toxic reaction it causes in some patients, such as disturbance of equilibrium.

Dihydrostreptomycin, which has been in use for the past year and a half, appears to be less toxic than the parent drug. Studies are also being made to determine the dosage of streptomycin which will cause the least toxic effects.

Streptomycin cannot be considered a substitute for other proved forms of treatment for tuberculosis patients. It will not effect a "cure" for tuberculosis. To date, there is no such thing as a "miracle drug" which constitutes a specific, quick cure for tuberculosis, but stretomycin is the most effective drug known today in tuberculosis treatment.

Judge: "Describe what passed between you in the quarrel with your wife."

Man on Stand: "The plates were regular dinner size, your honor, and the teapot had a broken spout."

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CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. Albert Rogers, stated supply

10:30, Sunday morning worship.

11:40, Sunday School. All children and young people who desire to meet with us will be most welcome.

5:30 p. m., Sunday, the young people of the Westminster Fellowship will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Briggs for a vesper service and social hour.

7 p. m., this (Thursday) evening the King's Daughters are being entertained at the home of Mrs. Richard Harder.

10:00 a. m., Tuesday, January 17, a meeting of Steuben-Elmira Presbytery will convene at the Presbyterian church in Bath.

7:00 p. m., Wednesday, choir rehearsal.

7:30 p. m., Thursday, January 19, following a public supper which will be served at 5:30 by the King's Daughters, will occur the regular business meeting of the Presbyterian church members and congregation. This will be presided over by Rev. W. W. McCall, D.D., of Hornell, who is moderator of this church.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL MISSIONS
Dr. Stephen Clark, Lay Reader

11:00, Morning Prayer and sermon.

BAPTIST
Rev. Carl Maxson, Interim Pastor

10:30 a. m. Worship service.
11:45 a. m. Sunday school.
There will be no Youth Fellowship until further notice.

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST
Rev. Carl R. Maxson, Pastor

2:30 p. m. Divine worship.
3:20 p. m., Bible School.
All welcome to come and worship in a friendly atmosphere.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Chester W. Whitt, Pastor

10:30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.
11:30 a. m. Sunday school.
7:30 p. m., Sunday evening fellowship with continuance of New Testament study.
Friday, Jan 13, official board will meet at the parsonage at 8 p. m.
The Friendly Class of the Methodist church will meet at the home fo Mrs. Harold Huffcut Monday evening, January 16 at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE
Edward D. Poser, Pastor

Friday, 7:30 p. m., there will be a joint meeting of the Young People's Society and the Ladies' Missionary Society at the C. & M. A. church in Wellsville.

Mrs. Fesmire will be the speaker. She is a missionary from the now closed field of West China.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:30 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., midweek Bible study and prayer meeting. The Bible study for this week is Acts 5.

INDEPENDENCE S. D. BAPTIST
Rev. Carl R. Maxson, Pastor

Friday, 4:30 p. m. Junior choir practice.
Saturday, 11:00 a. m. Public worship.
11:50 a. m. Bible school. Classes for all ages.

Says January Good Time For Farm Inventory

January is the most common time for farmers to take an inventory, which has many uses, according to Dr. C. A. Bratton, extension economist at Cornell University.

A farm inventory will:

1. Furnish information for income tax returns.
2. Show the financial progress made each year.
3. Serve as a basis for study of the farm business.
4. Give information for making a credit statement.
5. Provide a list of property in case of fire.

"Your farm inventory," says Bratton, "is a list of what you own and what you owe at a given time. It includes the kind and amount of all your property and debts with an estimated value for each item.

"Taking an inventory is a simple process. You go through the buildings and list the number or amount and the value of all machinery, livestock, feed, supplies and other property. You follow the simple 'counting procedure' used so commonly by store clerks at this time of year. They are taking the store inventory; you are taking the farm inventory."

Farming, as a business, requires records. A complete inventory helps put the farm operations on a businesslike basis, Bratton points out.

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Busy Kitchens

The busiest place in the house is the kitchen, according to a survey of farm homes in the Northeast, recently compiled by Prof. Glenn H. Beyer of the College of Home Economics at Cornell Farm kitchens may be used for washing, ironing, canning, preparing food for freezing, cutting up meat, sewing and many other activities besides the cooking and serving of meals.

The survey undertaken cooperatively by the agricultural experiment stations in the Northeast and the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, represents 183,000 farm families. Many of the homemakers interviewed felt that their kitchens were overworked. High on the wanted list of most farm women interviewed were such preferences as basements or utility rooms for their laundry work, meat cutting, and canning; more storage space, and better play space for the children. Other preferences included one-story houses as contrasted with the predominant two-story, central heating, and better bathroom facilities.

Dark Potatoes

The weather gets the blame for many things and this time it's for potatoes that discolor after they're cooked. According to Dr. E. V. Hardenburg of the vegetable crops department at Cornell, late maturing because of late rains last summer has given us some potatoes that look dark and dingy on the plate.

What to do about them? Put vinegar or lemon juice in the cooking water. The outer layer of the potatoes may become slightly tough but that is usually preferred to the discoloration of the spuds. Another suggestion is to peel the potatoes just before cooking and to keep the peeled potatoes in water. The catch here is that you do lose some minerals and vitamins.

A Good Resolution

It's not too late to make just one New Year's resolution, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. And a good resolution it is for it is designed to conserve food and save you money. Be foodwise in 1950 by observing these rules:

Shop only for the foods you need and in the quantities you need. That doesn't mean, of course, that you shouldn't stock up on the foods that keep, but beware of over-buying on perishables.

Buy for food value and not for appearance alone. Many of the foods in the lower grades can provide your family with good nourishment and are more economical than the top grades.

Store your food in proper temperatures—eggs in the refrigerator, canned foods in a cool, dry place, nutmeats in airtight containers.

Save nutrients by cooking food properly. Use left-overs so that nothing edible is thrown away. Buy fresh fruits and vegetables in season and make full use of the foods in good supply.

Apple Pie

If you like firmer slices of apples in your apple pies, try soaking the slices for three-quarters of an hour in a calcium salt solution recommended by the State Agricultural Experiment Station. Recent experiments have shown that apples of a softer variety than desirable for pie making can be made firmer by this treatment. It does not work, however, on over-ripe, mealy fruit.

Two-ounce samples of the calcium lactate with complete instructions for its use are available at the experiment station, Geneva, N. Y.

Quick Retort

"Well, what do you think you are?" exclaimed the woman indignantly, as the car suddenly stopped and Pat was precipitated into her lap.

"Well, begorra," replied the perspiring Pat, "I thought I was an Oirishman, but I guess I'm a Laplander."

Charter No. 13909 Reserve District No. 2

Report of Condition of

The Andover National Bank

Of Andover, in the State of New York, in the close of business on DECEMBER 31, 1949.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	$ 269,540.18
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	974,846.07
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	22,060.68
Other bonds, notes and debentures	20,929.60
Corporate stocks (including $3,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,750.00
Loans and discounts (including $171.06 overdrafts)	271,003.36
Bank premises owned $2,500.00, furniture and fixtures $2,250.00	4,750.00
Other assets	235.30
Total Assets	$1,567,115.19
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$ 706,229.55
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	655,907.44
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	16,206.63
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	27,519.35
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	477.20
Total Deposits $1,406,340.17	
Other liabilities	5,500.00
Total Liabilities	$1,411,840.17
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: Common stock, total par $75,000.00	$ 75,000.00
Surplus	52,000.00
Undivided profits	28,275.02
Total Capital Accounts	$ 155,275.02
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$1,567,115.19
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	$ 134,000.00

State of New York, County of Allegany, ss:

I, John C. Lever, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN C. LEVER, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1950.
REGINALD J. SOOTHERAN, Notary Public
Allegany County, New York, No. 114
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